

Meals and Soups in Italy

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Demand for convenient and healthy options drives growth

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Food kits leads growth as demand rises for convenient and personalised options

WHAT'S NEXT?

Shift towards convenient meal solutions suggests bright future for meals and soups

Functional variants set to become more prevalent

Innovation as primary growth driver

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Demand for convenience and high-quality food benefits sales

KEY DATA FINDINGS

Hectic lifestyles support growth in cooking ingredients and meals

Olive oil sees falling prices as olive harvest recovers

Demand becomes more sophisticated as consumers show willingness to experiment

WHAT'S NEXT?

Value sales growth set to continue as meal kits expands

Edible oils will benefit from traditional importance of olive oil, though remains susceptible to several influences

COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE

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