

## Press release

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# Essity publishes its Annual and Sustainability Report for 2020

Hygiene and health company Essity has today published its Annual and Sustainability Report for 2020 on [www.essity.com](http://www.essity.com)

“During 2020, the COVID-19 pandemic had a major impact on people and the global economy. Essity has had three priorities: care for our people, contribute to society and secure business success. COVID-19 and related lockdowns and restrictions had a negative impact on Essity’s sales. Nonetheless, in 2020, Essity achieved its highest operating profit (EBITA) and its highest EBITA margin ever. Vaccinations have started and market conditions will gradually improve. As a company, we are emerging from this stronger. Our vision to improve well-being through leading hygiene and health solutions is more important than ever”, says President and CEO Magnus Groth, Essity.

Read President and CEO Magnus Groth’s message and about Essity’s priorities for 2021 in the Annual and Sustainability Report 2020. An online version with several interactive features can be accessed [here](#). A pdf version of the Annual and Sustainability Report is attached to this press release and can also be downloaded at [www.essity.se](http://www.essity.se).

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### About Essity

Essity is a leading global hygiene and health company. We are dedicated to improving well-being through our products and services. Sales are conducted in approximately 150 countries under the leading global brands TENA and Tork, and other strong brands, such as JOBST, Leukoplast, Libero, Libresse, Lotus, Nosotras, Saba, Tempo, Vinda and Zewa. Essity has about 46,000 employees. Net sales in 2020 amounted to approximately SEK 122bn (EUR 11.6bn). The company’s headquarters is located in Stockholm, Sweden, and Essity is listed on Nasdaq Stockholm. Essity breaks barriers to well-being and contributes to a healthy, sustainable and circular society. More information at [www.essity.com](http://www.essity.com).

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