

# Why be a distributor for Blooming Tea

in the German market?



### Blooming Tea: the natural tea



- Blooming Tea is already an established brand in the UK, but we want to enter the German market
- The tea distinguishes itself from mainstream brand because:
  - The tastes are not mainstream and bold
  - The ingredients are all natural (although not organic)
  - The packaging is modern and stylish
- The brand story focuses on going back to nature and drink tea as it was supposed to be



We are interested in the German market

as tea consumption is high



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Blends of herbal and fruit infusions

38%

Single herbal and fruit infusions

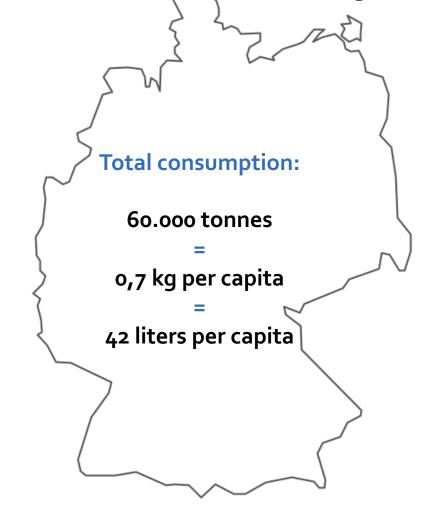
32%

Black tea

23%

Green tea

9%





### Meßmer and Teekanne dominate the market and also get the most of your shelf space



Supermarket	Meßmer earl grey	Teekanne earl grey
Edeka	€ 1,95	€ 1,99
Rewe	€ 1,89	€ 1,99
Aldi	not offered	not offered
Kaufland	€ 1,99	€ 1,99
Netto	€ 1,75	not offered
DM	€ 1,75	€ 1,85
Rossmann	not offered	€ 1,79











# We see room for Blooming Tea in the sub-premium segment



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- The middle of the market is fully occupied by German players, selling under € 2
- Discounters have their own private label brands
- The top end is occupied by organic brands, selling for around € 3 and higher.
- For 'medical teas' the market is taken by Bad Heilbrunner
- There is no offering in the segment between € 2 and € 3

Yogi, Cupper, Pukka and other organic brands

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Meßmer and Teekanne

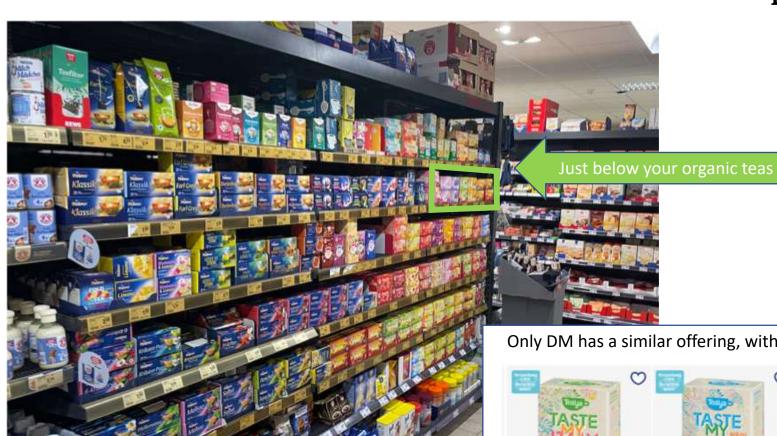
Bad Heilbrunner

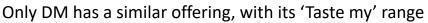
Private label brands like Westcliff or Goldmännchen



### Blooming Tea could here replace part of the more exotic Meßmer flavours







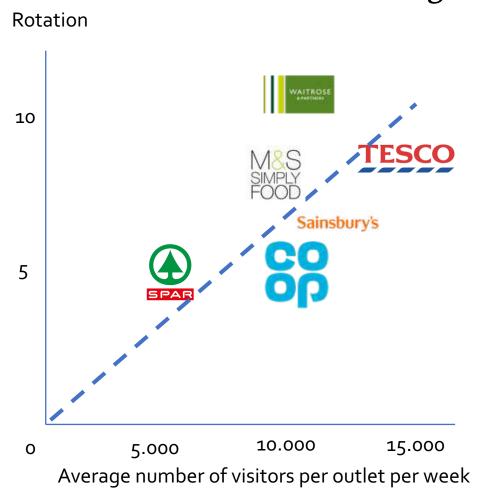




### Blooming Tea has good rotation, as proven in the UK



- In the UK, we are present in six major supermarkets
- Rotation per SKU in smaller supermarkets is 5 per week, in larger supermarkets up to 11 per week
- Rotation per website visitor in online specialised tea and luxury stores is even higher
- Through our web shop, we already sell online to German customers





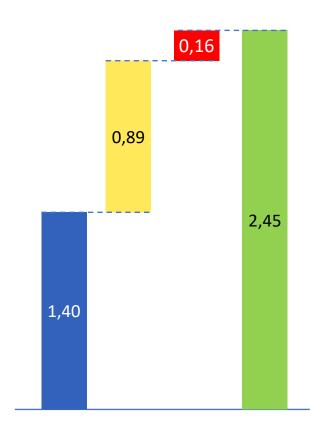
### We provide a fair retailer margin



#### Blooming Tea

#### Calculations for Germany:

- With a consumer price of € 2,45, € 2,29 remains after deducting 7% VAT
- We deliver our tea in your central warehouse in Germany for € 1,40 per box
- This leaves € 0,89 as your distribution/retail margin per box, which is 38% of the ex-VAT sales price





### Packaging design and distribution



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- Our boxes are upright so you can present more SKU in the same space
- We prefer to deliver per 20ft container, which is 18.000 boxes, to your central warehouse
- Any faulty or damaged goods can be reported and destroyed after our approval.
  We will settle this with the next shipment





# We want to invest co-invest in marketing communications with you



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Means	Estimated costs	% for Blooming Tea	% for partner
Packaging translations & adjustments	€ 7.000	100%	0%
Social media setup & management for 2 years	€ 20.000	100%	0%
Magazine advertisements	€ 140.000	50%	50%
In-store promotions – samples	€ 60.000	90%	10%
In-store promotion – staff	€ 80.000	50%	50%
Sponsoring & events (budget for individual stores)	€ 50.000	50%	50%



# Our product range can bring you over € 300.000 gross margin



- 500 supermarkets
- on average 3 SKU
- modest rotation of 5 / week
- times € 0,89 margin per box
- times 50 weeks per year
- = € 333.750

Which is most likely more than the margin you are getting now from 3 additional SKU of Meßmer tea, that occupy even more shelf space



# We suggest to do a trial in 10 outlets, for which we will provide free stock



- In order to get German rotation data, we suggest to do a trial with 1000 boxes spread over 10 of your supermarkets in Berlin
- This is the city where we have the highest number of German online shoppers for Blooming tea
- The set will consist of three flavours/SKU. We will use our UK packaging with German stickering
- We can provide the boxes for free, so that you have no financial risk and we don't need a formal purchasing order
- We expect that these boxes will be sold within two months, with a rotation up to 5 per supermarket per week.



# Do you need support with identifying and convincing distributors or retailers?

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