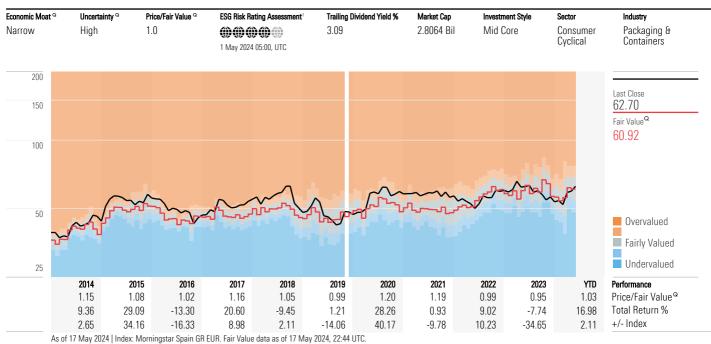
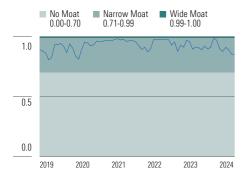
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Key Metrics as of 10 Ma	ay 2024								
Metrics	Percentile in Sector								
Earnings Yield (%)	5.2	63.0							
Sales Yield (%)	43.8	20.0							
Book Value Yield (%)	34.8	33.0							
Return on Assets (%)*	10.3	87.0							
Revenue(Bil)*	1.3	64.0							
Market Value (Bil)	3.0	76.0							
Enterprise Value (Bil)	3.1	73.0							
EVMV Ratio	1.1	39.0							
Volatility TTM (%)	19.1	16.0							
Drawdown TTM (%)	19.0	26.0							
Volume (K)	40.8	29.0							
*31 Mar 2024			0%	25	50	75	10		

### Economic Moat <sup>Q</sup>History as of 17 May 2024



#### **Business Description**

Viscofan SA is a casing market and offers growth propositions in the food and health sectors outside the traditional business. It engaged in the manufacture, distribution, and marketing of all types of casings and films for food use. Its products include Cellulose, Collagen, Fibrous, Functional solutions, Plastics, Viscofan Veggie, eFAN, and Edileaf. It also manufactures casings, films, and bags obtained through the treatment of plastic polymers. It has a geographic presence in EMEA, APAC, North America, and South America.

### Valuation <sup>Q</sup>as of 17 May 2024

Viscofan achieves a 3-star quantitative star rating based on Morningstar's equity model. This reflects the company's valuation and uncertainty scores under this assessment system.

The Quantitative Fair Value estimate is 59.24, inline with the previous closing price of 62.00. The stock has been trading between a 18.44% discount and 9.99% premium to its quantitative fair value over the past year. The stock's current valuation rating sits at the 93rd percentile in the coverage universe and 92nd percentile in the consumer cyclical sector (higher percentile indicates more undervalued).

The quantitative uncertainty rating for Viscofan is High.

Our quantitative star rating last differed from the current rating on 12/25/2023; the uncertainty rating last differed on 05/01/2024. The previous ratings were 4 and Very High, respectively.

The main drivers of the company's valuation and uncertainty are its earnings yield and volatility. The earnings yield of 5.12% falls at the 67th percentile in the equity universe and the 62nd percentile in its sector. The annualized trailing 12-month volatility of 18.94% corresponds to the 18th percentile overall and the 15th percentile in the industry.

### Economic Moat <sup>Q</sup>as of 17 May 2024

Morningstar maintains a Narrow quantitative moat rating on the company. The firm's quantitative moat score of 0.83 sits at the 82nd percentile in the consumer cyclical sector. This is a decrease from 0.99, the maximum of its moat scores over the past year.

The quantitative financial health rating for Viscofan is Strong. Its financial health score, termed Distance to Default, sits at the 76th percentile in the universe and 80th percentile in the sector.

The significant drivers of these ratings are the company's enterprise value and annualized trailing 12month volatility. The enterprise value for Viscofan is 3.24 billion, and its annualized trailing 12-month volatility is 18.94%. They sit at the 76th and 18th percentile in the global equity universe, respectively.

### Fundamentals as of 17 May 2024

Viscofan maintains earnings per share of 3.19. The company further earns a return on invested capital of 13.11%. The shares offer a dividend yield of 3.25%. These values are calculated over a trailing 12-month period.

As of last market close, Viscofan has a price-toearnings ratio of 19.52, falling below the 55th percentile in its sector (where a lower percentile means a lower ratio) and ranging between 17.6 and 22.02 over the past year. The company's priceto-free cash flow ratio is 41.12, falling at the 86th percentile in its sector and ranging between 38.18 and 584.05 over the past year.

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2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	YTD	Fiscal
687	741	731	778	786	850	912	969	1,201	1,226	290	Revenue (Mil)
137	161	152	154	141	123	163	175	189	185	40	Operating Income (Mil)
19.93	21.72	20.74	19.81	17.96	14.48	17.92	18.1	15.74	15.11	13.94	Operating Margin (%)
106	120	125	122	124	106	123	133	139	141	32	Net Income (Mil)
2.28	2.58	2.68	2.62	2.66	2.27	2.63	2.86	3.00	3.04	0.69	Diluted Earnings/Share
118	138	141	157	125	178	178	221	121	146	146	Operating Cash Flow (Mil
-60	-57	-81	-112	-72	-63	-55	-96	-116	-77	-77	Capital Spending (Mil)
58.24	81.00	59.77	45.73	53.32	115.18	123.02	125.52	5.16	68.58	68.58	Free Cash Flow (Mil)
47	47	47	47	47	46	47	47	46	46	45	Avg Shares Outstand(Mil)

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Current	Calendar	
	1.15	1.08	1.02	1.16	1.05	0.99	1.20	1.19	0.99	0.95	1.03	Price/Fair Value Q	
	2.65	3.52	3.02	3.31	2.89	2.62	3.00	2.77	2.46	1.97	2.36	Price/Sales	
	20.23	22.61	18.02	19.85	18.91	20.31	22.32	19.71	20.16	18.45	19.74	Price/Earnings	
	18.05	20.40	14.41	15.36	18.04	15.62	15.49	13.43	15.48	27.40	19.57	Price/Cash Flow	
	3.56	4.21	3.18	3.48	2.97	2.78	3.58	3.12	2.91	2.48	2.97	Price/Book	

Operating F	Operating Performance as of 17 May 2024 (Fiscal Year End 31 Dec 2024)														
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	03	Fiscal (%)				
12.77	14.05	14.19	12.91	12.42	9.97	11.53	12.04	11.09	10.24	2.22	Return on Assets				
19.4	19.86	18.66	17.01	16.68	13.69	16.11	17.06	16.12	15.12	3.3	Return on Equity				
16.86	18.09	17.58	15.84	15.06	12.08	14.17	15.03	13.96	13.1	2.8	Rtn on Invested Capital				

Div	Dividends as of 17 May 2024														
	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Current	Calendar (%)			
	1.15	1.24	1.39	1.49	1.69	1.60	2.36	1.69	1.83	1.94	2.99	Dividend Per Share			
	2.62	2.24	2.97	—	3.24	3.4	4.07	—	3.04	_	3.09	Trailing Dividend Yield			
	_	_	-	_	_	0.24	0.24	_	0.62	_	0.22	Buyback Yield			
	1.15	1.24	1.39	1.49	1.69 3.24	1.60 3.4	2.36 4.07	1.69	1.83 3.04	1.94	2.99 3.09	Dividend Per Share Trailing Dividend Yie			



# Appendix

Economic Moat	conomic Moat <sup>Q</sup> History as of 17 May 2024 (No Moat: 0.00-0.70, Narrow Moat: 0.70-0.99, Wide Moat: 0.99-1.00)														
Year	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December			
2024	0.90	0.88	0.91	0.89	0.85	_	_	_	_	_	_	_			
2023	0.91	0.97	0.96	0.89	0.91	0.91	0.89	0.92	0.90	0.91	0.99	0.97			
2022	0.87	0.90	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.93	0.95	0.88	0.93			
2021	0.96	0.98	0.98	0.97	0.98	0.96	0.97	0.97	0.96	0.93	0.89	0.91			
2020	0.84	0.81	0.89	0.95	0.95	0.92	0.93	0.96	0.96	0.96	0.97	0.96			
2019	0.89	0.88	0.86	0.81	0.83	0.93	0.93	0.94	0.92	0.87	0.94	0.90			



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**None** – assigned when the probability of an analyst receiving a "Wide Moat" rating by an analyst is less than 70%.

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- ★ the stock is overvalued with a reasonable margin of safety. Log (Quant FVE/Price) < -1\*Quantitative Uncertainty Micro-Caps: Log (Quant FVE/Price) < -1.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty</p>
- ★★ the stock is somewhat overvalued.

Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (-1\*Quantitative Uncertainty, -0.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty)

Micro-Caps: Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (-1.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty, - 0.75\*Quantitative Uncertainty)

 $\star \star \star$  – the stock is approximately fairly valued.

Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (-0.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty, 0.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty)

Micro-Caps: Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (-0.75\*Quantitative Uncertainty, 0.75\*Quantitative Uncertainty)

 $\star \star \star \star$  – the stock is somewhat undervalued.

Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (0.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty, 1\*Quantitative

Uncertainty)

Micro-Caps: Log (Quant FVE/Price) between (0.75\*Quantitative Uncertainty, 1.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty)

★★★★★ - the stock is undervalued with a reasonable margin of safety. Log (Quant FVE/Price) > 1\*Quantitative Uncertainty Micro-Caps: Log (Quant FVE/Price) > 1.5\*Quantitative Uncertainty

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