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Convenience factor remains important to busy consumers

Post-pandemic interest in health and wellbeing remains high

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Shrinking population expected to lead to volume decline

Current value growth will remain largely driven by high prices

Convenience factor will continue to shape category fortunes

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