

The Marzetti Company



Planned Acquisition of Bachan's, Inc.

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Marzetti to Strengthen its Sauces Platform through Planned Acquisition of Bachan's, Inc

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Planned Acquisition Overview

- Marzetti has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire the rapidly growing authentic Japanese Barbecue Sauce business, Bachan's, Inc., for \$400 million in cash (subject to customary adjustments)
- Bachan's has outpaced the growth of its category, and is expected to be accretive to Marzetti's top-line growth and gross margins in year 1
- The acquisition is expected to close prior to Marzetti's fiscal year end of June 30, 2026, the receipt of required regulatory approvals and other customary closing conditions.

Strategic Rationale

 **Premium, Leading Brand that Aligns with Marzetti's Focus on Delivering Delicious, High-Quality Products**

 **Utilizing Marzetti's Strengths in Culinary Expertise, Marketing and Execution Across Retail and Foodservice for Continued Growth**

 **Expected to Be Accretive to Top-Line Growth and Margins, with Further Opportunity for Synergies**



Bachan's® is the First of its Kind Authentic Japanese-American Flavor Brand

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- **Leading premium brand** growing faster than the category
- Earned **consumer loyalty** by offering **high quality**, flavorful products with extensive **flavor variety** and **clean ingredients**
- **Authentic**, multi-generational **family recipe** passed down to the founder by his "Bachan"¹
- **Demonstrated results in retail**, with **strong velocities** at major national grocers
- Rapid **revenue growth** with **attractive margin** profile

Portfolio of Unique Flavors



Net Revenue

\$87mm

2025 CY Net Revenue

+48%

Last 3 Years Net Revenue CAGR

Note: 1 "Bachan" refers to grandmother in Japanese.

Advancing our Better Food Company Vision through Authentic Flavor

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AUTHENTIC

Bachan's created the original Japanese Barbecue Sauce, born from a multi-generational family recipe

CLEAN

Uses simple, clean, non-GMO ingredients that are "Better-For-You" and aligned with consumer demand

**MINIMALLY
PROCESSED**

All sauces are minimally processed and cold-filled, with no artificial "natural" flavorings

QUALITY

High-quality ingredients brewed using centuries-old, traditional brewing methods and real, aged mirin sourced from Japan





Growth Enhancing & Margin Accretive

- Expected to deliver incremental growth near-term, expected to be accretive to our long-term growth
- Expected to be accretive to margins near-term, with more potential upside over the medium term as we scale the brand



Synergies and One-Time Costs

- Several streams of synergies that are expected to be phased in over time
- Expected synergies driven by supply chain capabilities, procurement savings, and utilizing Marzetti's distribution network to drive efficiencies



Capital Structure

- All cash transaction funded by a combination of cash and additional financing
- Continues to maintain a strong balance sheet with low net leverage
- No change to dividend policy