

Nestlé accelerates efforts to increase the number of women in senior executive positions by 2022



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Nestlé today laid out an action plan to increase the number of women in senior executive positions globally. This underscores Nestlé's commitment to providing equal opportunities for everyone at the company.

Nestlé has made progress in recent years increasing the number of women in managerial positions. Today, 43% of these roles are held by women. With its Gender Balance Acceleration Plan, Nestlé will now put further emphasis on increasing the proportion of women in the group's top 200 senior executive positions from around 20% currently to 30% by 2022. This is another step in Nestlé's journey towards gender parity.

Mark Schneider, Nestlé CEO, said: "It is simply the right thing to do. We believe that a more diverse workforce with more women at the top will reinforce our inclusive culture and make Nestlé an even better company. We are setting measurable goals to hold ourselves accountable. We know that improving gender balance will lead to better decisions, stronger innovation and higher employee

satisfaction.”

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