



Hot Drinks in North Macedonia

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Positive growth, due to higher consumer confidence

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Fruit/herbal tea registers highest value growth

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INDUSTRY PERFORMANCE

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WHAT'S NEXT?

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Degree of premiumisation

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