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Convenience and affordability underpin demand during the crisis

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Broader distribution and product diversity support category expansion

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Retailer-driven innovation to shape future growth

Health and wellness remain a niche focus amid affordability concerns

Shelf-stable innovation and home cooking to continue influencing demand

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Economic stabilisation and consumer adaptation define performance

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Health-conscious choices remain important despite economic pressure

Local origin and patriotism shape purchasing behaviour

Consumers value trust, quality, and simple enjoyment

WHAT'S NEXT?

Gradual recovery expected as stability improves
Brands to focus on affordability, relevance, and younger audiences
E-commerce and convenience channels to gain traction

COMPETITIVE LANDSCAPE

Nestlé strengthens leadership through local investment and resilience
Domestic producers expand reach through affordability and availability
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