PILGRIMS PRIDE CORP

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Washington, D.C. 20549	
FORM 10-Q	
(Mark One)	
QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE A OF 1934	.CT
For the quarterly period ended September 27, 2015 OR	
TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE A OF 1934	.CT
For the transition period from to Commission File number 1-9273	
PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION (Figure transport of projections of projections of projections)	
(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)	
Delaware 75-1285071 (State or other jurisdiction of (I.R.S. Employer	
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)	
incorporation of organization)	
1770 Promontory Circle, 80634-9038	
Greeley, CO	
(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)	
Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (970) 506-8000	
(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.)	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes \(\xi\) N	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if	U
any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T	
(§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was require	ьd
to submit and post such files). Yes ý No "	·u
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated file	r or
a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller report	
company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.	5
Large Accelerated Filer ý Accelerated Filer "	
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Non-accelerated Filer "(Do not check if a smaller reporting Smaller reporting company "	
company)	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes "No ý	
Number of shares outstanding of the issuer's common stock, \$0.01 par value per share, as of October 28, 2015, was 255,145,196.	}

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	September 27, 2015 (Unaudited) (In thousands)	December 28, 2014
Cash and cash equivalents	\$396,719	\$576,143
Trade accounts and other receivables, less allowance for doubtful accounts	369,681	378,890
Account receivable from related parties	2,581	5,250
Inventories	841,273	790,305
Income taxes receivable	4,971	10,288
Current deferred tax assets	37,561	27,345
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	96,857	95,439
Assets held for sale	6,555	1,419
Total current assets	1,756,198	1,885,079
Other long-lived assets	31,813	24,406
Identified intangible assets, net	32,177	26,783
Goodwill	174,431	_
Property, plant and equipment, net	1,347,239	1,182,795
Total assets	\$3,341,858	\$3,119,063
Notes payable to banks	\$5,869	\$—
Accounts payable	524,025	399,486
Account payable to related parties	10,402	4,862
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	304,459	311,879
Income taxes payable	20,874	3,068
Current deferred tax liabilities	40,368	25,301
Current maturities of long-term debt	102	262
Total current liabilities	906,099	744,858
Long-term debt, less current maturities	1,000,398	3,980
Deferred tax liabilities	89,589	76,216
Other long-term liabilities	103,104	97,208
Total liabilities	2,099,190	922,262
Common stock	2,597	2,590
Treasury stock	(45,080) —
Additional paid-in capital	1,672,501	1,662,354
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)	(324,400) 591,492
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(66,002) (62,541
Total Pilgrim's Pride Corporation stockholders' equity	1,239,616	2,193,895
Noncontrolling interest	3,052	2,906
Total stockholders' equity	1,242,668	2,196,801
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$3,341,858	\$3,119,063
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these Condensed Co	onsolidated Financial Sta	tements.

PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (Unaudited)

		7,September 28,	, September 2	Weeks Ended 7,September 28,					
	2015	2014	2015 2014						
	•	s, except per sha	•						
Net sales	\$2,112,529	\$ 2,268,048	\$6,219,324	\$ 6,472,929					
Cost of sales	1,827,985	1,817,783	5,125,640	5,458,083					
Gross profit	284,544	450,265	1,093,684	1,014,846					
Selling, general and administrative expense	52,620	44,629	150,961	138,437					
Administrative restructuring charges	792	135	5,605	2,286					
Operating income	231,132	405,501	937,118	874,123					
Interest expense, net of capitalized interest	10,501	11,372	26,870	45,407					
Interest income	(319)	(1,171)	(3,086)	(2,974)					
Foreign currency transaction loss	12,773	6,414	23,806	4,932					
Miscellaneous, net	(2,071)	(610)	(7,135)	(2,609)					
Income before income taxes	210,248	389,496	896,663	829,367					
Income tax expense	73,153	133,693	313,751	284,932					
Net income	137,095	255,803	582,912	544,435					
Less: Net income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling	•			•					
interests	33	(181)	146	(26)					
Net income attributable to Pilgrim's Pride Corporation	\$137,062	\$ 255,984	\$582,766	\$ 544,461					
Weighted average shares of common stock outstanding:									
Basic	259,280	258,999	259,540	258,966					
Effect of dilutive common stock equivalents	223	523	225	482					
Diluted	259,503	259,522	259,765	259,448					
Net income attributable to Pilgrim's Pride Corporation per share of common stock outstanding:									
Basic	\$0.53	\$ 0.99	\$2.25	\$ 2.10					
Diluted	\$0.53	\$ 0.99	\$2.24	\$ 2.10					
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PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (Unaudited)

	Thirteen Weeks Ended			Thirty-Nine Weeks Ended			d	
	September		September		September		September	
	27, 2015		28, 2014		27, 2015		28, 2014	
	(In thousands)							
Net income	\$137,095		\$255,803		\$582,912		\$544,435	
Other comprehensive income (loss):								
Gain (loss) associated with available-for-sale securities, net of tax expense of \$43, \$10, \$30 and \$30, respectively	70		17		50		(12)
Loss associated with pension and other postretirement								
benefits, net of tax benefit of \$6,206, \$396, \$2,129 and \$6,105, respectively	(10,234)	(653)	(3,511)	(10,068)
Total other comprehensive loss, net of tax	(10,164)	(636)	(3,461)	(10,080)
Comprehensive income	126,931		255,167		579,451		534,355	
Less: Comprehensive income (loss) attributable to noncontrolling interests	33		(181)	146		(26)
Comprehensive income attributable to Pilgrim's Pride Corporation	\$126,898		\$255,348		\$579,305		\$534,381	

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PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION AND SUBSIDIARIES CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY (Unaudited)

	Pilgrim's Pride Corporation Stockholders									
	Common	Stock	Treasury Stock	Additional Paid-in	Retained Earnings	Accumulate Other	olling Total			
	Shares	Amoun	Sharkernou@anital		(Accumulat Deficit)	e C omprehen Loss				
	(In thousands)									
Balance at December 28, 2014	259,029	\$2,590	_ \$_	\$1,662,354	\$ 591,492	\$ (62,541)	\$ 2,906	\$2,196,801	1	
Net income			— —	_	582,766		146	582,912		
Other comprehensive loss, net of tax Share-based	_	_		_	_	(3,461)	_	(3,461)	
compensation plans: Common stock issued under compensation plans	671	7		(7) —	_	_	_		
Common stock forfeited under compensation plans	(15)	_		(85) —	_	_	(85)	
Requisite service period recognition	_	_		2,217	_	_	_			