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#### Maple Leaf Foods Reports Third Quarter 2016 Financial Results

Mississauga, Ontario, November 2, 2016 - Maple Leaf Foods Inc. (TSX: MFI) today reported its financial results for the third quarter, September 30, 2016.

#### **Consolidated Financial Highlights**

Third quarter net earnings grew 70%, adjusted earnings per share doubled compared to the same quarter of last year. Adjusted EBITDA margin was 10.3% in the quarter and contributed to free cash flow of approximately \$147 million.

	Three months September			Nine months Septembe	
Measure <sup>(i)</sup>	2016	2015	% Change	2016	2015
Sales	852.1	818.8	4.1%	2,503.6	2,419.8
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(1)</sup> Margin	10.3%	7.1%	N/M	10.3%	6.0%
Adjusted Operating Earnings <sup>(3)</sup>	61.5	29.8	106.4%	175.6	62.0
Net Earnings	31.8	18.7	70.1%	105.5	8.3
Basic Earnings per Share	0.24	0.13	84.6%	0.78	0.06
Adjusted Earnings per Share <sup>(2)</sup>	0.32	0.16	100.0%	0.92	0.34
Free Cash Flow <sup>(4)</sup>	146.7	3.0	N/M	208.1	(27.4)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>(i)</sup> All financial measures in millions except Adjusted EBITDA margin and Basic and Adjusted Earnings per Share.

Note: Several items are excluded from the discussions of underlying earnings performance as they are not representative of ongoing operational activities. Refer to the section entitled Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures at the end of this news release for a description and reconciliation of all non-IFRS financial measures.

"Our results in the quarter and for the year-to-date demonstrate the consistent performance we expected from our many years of strategic transformation," said Michael H. McCain, President and CEO. "We are now focused on the next horizon for Maple Leaf, supported by the pillars of our strategy including leading in sustainability, driving innovation and growth, consistently reducing our costs and expanding our geographic footprint. These are exciting times at Maple Leaf."

#### **Business Segment Review**

Following is a summary of sales by business segment:

(\$ thousands)	Three m	onths ende	d Septe	ember 30,	Nine	months ended	l Sept	ember 30,
(Unaudited)		2016		2015		2016		2015
Meat Products Group	\$	848,093	\$	814,820	\$	2,492,058	\$	2,408,452
Agribusiness Group		4,006		3,965		11,576		11,357
Total Sales	\$	852,099	\$	818,785	\$	2,503,634	\$	2,419,809

The following table summarizes Adjusted Operating Earnings by business segment:

(\$ thousands)	Three n	nonths ended	d Septe	mber 30,	Nine r	nonths ended	l Septe	mber 30,
(Unaudited)		2016		2015		2016		2015
Meat Products Group	\$	65,934	\$	28,263	\$	190,095	\$	53,821
Agribusiness Group		(4,418)		1,581		(14,531)		8,222
Adjusted Operating Earnings	\$	61,516	\$	29,844	\$	175,564	\$	62,043

#### **Meat Products Group**

Includes value-added prepared meats, lunch kits and snacks, and value-added fresh pork and poultry products sold under flagship Canadian brands such as Maple Leaf®, Maple Leaf Prime®, Maple Leaf Natural Selections®, Schneiders®, Schneiders Country Naturals®, Mina™, and many leading regional brands.

Sales in the third quarter increased 4.1% to \$848.1 million, or 2.8% after adjusting for the impact of foreign exchange. Sales in fresh pork increased as the Company's focus on increasing its value-added pork business resulted in improved selling prices and increased volumes. Fresh poultry sales also increased due to stronger volume and an improved sales mix.

Sales in the first nine months increased 3.5% to \$2,492.1 million, or 1.7% after adjusting for the impact of foreign exchange. The increase was due to similar factors noted above.

Adjusted Operating Earnings in the third quarter increased to \$65.9 million compared to \$28.3 million last year. Higher earnings in prepared meats resulted from lower operating costs across the network and pricing implemented in the first quarter. Higher fresh pork earnings resulted from increased contributions from value-added Canadian retail and value-added export sales, higher industry margins, and operating efficiency gains.

For the first nine months, Adjusted Operating Earnings increased to \$190.1 million compared to \$53.8 million last year, due to similar factors as noted above. In addition, during 2015 the Company incurred duplicative overhead costs as the Company operated legacy plants that were slated for closure.

#### **Agribusiness Group**

Includes Canadian hog production operations that primarily supply the Meat Products Group with livestock.

Adjusted Operating Earnings in the third quarter decreased to a loss of \$4.4 million compared to earnings of \$1.6 million last year, reflecting the impact of lower hog prices. For the first nine months, Adjusted Operating Earnings decreased to a loss of \$14.5 million from earnings of \$8.2 million last year, as benefits from the Company's risk management program were not repeated to the same extent this year.

#### **Other Matters**

On November 1, 2016, the Company declared a dividend of \$0.09 per share payable December 30, 2016, to shareholders of record at the close of business on December 2, 2016. Unless indicated otherwise by the Company in writing on or before the time the dividend is paid, the dividend will be considered an Eligible Dividend for the purposes of the "Enhanced Dividend Tax Credit System".

#### **Conference Call**

An investor presentation related to the Company's third quarter financial results is available at <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be found under <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">https://www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be related to the found under <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">https://www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be related to the found under <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">https://www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be related to the found under <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">https://www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be related to the found under <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.com">https://www.mapleleaffoods.com</a> and can be related to the <a href="https://www.mapleleaffoods.

A webcast presentation of the third quarter financial results will also be available at:

http://edge.media-server.com/m/p/opjmn6ry

The Company's full financial statements and related Management's Discussion and Analysis are available on the Company's website.

#### **Reconciliation of Non-IFRS Financial Measures**

The Company uses the following non-IFRS measures: Adjusted Operating Earnings, Adjusted Earnings per Share, Adjusted EBITDA, and Free Cash Flow. Management believes that these non-IFRS measures provide useful information to investors in measuring the financial performance of the Company. These measures do not have a standardized meaning prescribed by IFRS and therefore they may not be comparable to similarly titled measures presented by other publicly traded companies and should not be construed as an alternative to other financial measures determined in accordance with IFRS.

#### **Adjusted Operating Earnings**

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(\$ thousands) (Unaudited)	Р	Meat roducts Group	Agribusiness Group	Non-allocated costs	Conso	olidated
Net earnings					\$	31,828
Income taxes						11,777
Earnings before income taxes					\$	43,605
Interest expense and other financing costs						2,819
Other (income) expense		1,118	(285)	(5,454)		(4,621)
Restructuring and other related costs		91	_	451		542
Earnings (loss) from operations	\$	65,934	\$ (4,418)	\$ (19,171)	\$	42,345
Decrease (increase) in fair value of biological assets <sup>(5)</sup>		_	_	41,617		41,617
Unrealized (gain) loss on futures contracts <sup>(5)</sup>		_	_	(22,446)		(22,446)
Adjusted Operating Earnings (Loss)	\$	65,934	\$ (4,418)	\$ <b>—</b>	\$	61,516

#### Three months ended September 30, 2015

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		Meat	'				
(\$ thousands)	I	Products	Agribusiness	Non-a	llocated		
(Unaudited)		Group	Group		costs	Cons	olidated
Net earnings						\$	18,680
Income taxes							6,009
Earnings before income taxes						\$	24,689
Interest expense and other financing costs							1,209
Other (income) expense		(1,103)	(50)		2,277		1,124
Restructuring and other related costs		1,266	_		2,114		3,380
Earnings from operations	\$	28,263	\$ 1,581	\$	558	\$	30,402
Decrease (increase) in fair value of biological assets <sup>(5)</sup>		_	_		(4,321)		(4,321)
Unrealized (gain) loss on futures contracts <sup>(5)</sup>		_	_		3,763		3,763
Adjusted Operating Earnings	\$	28,263	\$ 1,581	\$	_	\$	29,844

#### Nine months ended September 30, 2016

(\$ thousands) (Unaudited)	Meat Products Group	Agribusiness Group	Non-allocated costs	Consolidated
Net earnings				\$ 105,478
Income taxes				39,210
Earnings before income taxes				\$ 144,688
Interest expense and other financing costs				5,136
Other (income) expense	1,913	(728)	(2,614)	(1,429
Restructuring and other related costs	(264)	_	2,608	2,344
Earnings (loss) from operations	\$ 190,095	\$(14,531)	\$ (24,825)	\$ 150,739
Decrease (increase) in fair value of biological assets <sup>(5)</sup>	_	_	41,909	41,909
Unrealized (gain) loss on futures contracts <sup>(5)</sup>	_	_	(17,084)	(17,084
Adjusted Operating Earnings (Loss)	\$ 190,095	\$(14,531)	\$ <b>—</b>	\$ 175,564

		Meat			'			
(\$ thousands)	Pr	oducts	Agribusin	ess	Non-alloc	ated		
(Unaudited)		Group	Gr	oup	С	osts	Cons	solidated
Net earnings							\$	8,295
Income taxes								(1,332)
Earnings before income taxes							\$	6,963
Interest expense and other financing costs								3,495
Other (income) expense		(740)	(	113)	8	,726		7,873
Restructuring and other related costs		15,419		_	6	,095		21,514
Earnings (loss) from operations	\$	53,821	\$ 8,	222	\$ (22	,198)	\$	39,845
Decrease (increase) in fair value of biological assets <sup>(5)</sup>		_		_	27	,122		27,122
Unrealized (gain) loss on futures contracts <sup>(5)</sup>		_		_	(4	,924)		(4,924)
Adjusted Operating Earnings	\$	53,821	\$ 8,	222		_	\$	62,043

#### Adjusted Earnings per Share

(\$ per share)	Three month Septembe		Nine months ended September 30,			
(Unaudited)	2016	2015	2016	2015		
Basic earnings per share	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.13	\$ 0.78	\$ 0.06		
Restructuring and other related costs <sup>(6)</sup>	_	0.02	0.01	0.12		
Items included in other income not considered representative of ongoing operations <sup>(7)</sup>	(0.03)	0.01	(0.01)	0.04		
Change in the fair value of unrealized (gain) loss on futures contracts <sup>(8)</sup>	(0.12)	0.02	(0.09)	(0.03)		
Change in the fair value of biological assets <sup>(8)</sup>	0.23	(0.02)	0.23	0.15		
Adjusted Earnings per Share	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.92	\$ 0.34		

#### Adjusted Earnings Before Interest, Tax, Depreciation, and Amortization

(\$ thousands)	Three months ended September 30,				Nine months ended September 30,			
(Unaudited)		2016		2015	2016		2015	
Net earnings	\$	31,828	\$	18,680	\$105,478	\$	8,295	
Income taxes		11,777		6,009	39,210		(1,332)	
Earnings before income taxes	\$	43,605	\$	24,689	\$144,688	\$	6,963	
Interest expense and other financing costs		2,819		1,209	5,136		3,495	
Items included in other income not considered representative of ongoing operations $^{(9)}$		(5,454)		2,277	(2,614)		8,726	
Restructuring and other related costs		542		3,380	2,344		21,514	
Change in the fair value of biological assets and unrealized (gains) losses on futures contracts		19,171		(558)	24,825		22,198	
Depreciation and amortization		27,068		27,250	82,709		81,201	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	87,751	\$	58,247	\$257,088	\$	144,097	

#### Free Cash Flow

(\$ thousands)	Three mont Septemi	Nine months ended September 30,			
(Unaudited)	2016	2015	2016	2015	
Cash provided by operating activities	\$176,200	\$ 42,072	\$285,043	\$ 82,054	
Additions to long-term assets	(29,522)	(39,043)	(76,975)	(109,495)	
Free Cash Flow	\$146,678	\$ 3,029	\$208,068	\$ (27,441)	

#### **Forward Looking Statements**

This document contains, and the Company's oral and written public communications often contain, "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable securities law. These statements are based on current expectations, estimates, forecasts, and projections about the industries in which the Company operates, as well as beliefs and assumptions made by Management of the Company. Such statements include, but are not limited to, statements with respect to objectives and goals, in addition to statements with respect to beliefs, plans, objectives, expectations, anticipations, estimates, and intentions. Specific forward-looking information in this document includes, but is not limited to, statements with respect to: the increases in operating efficiencies and cost reductions; expectations regarding the use of derivatives, futures and options; expectations regarding improving efficiencies; the expected use of cash balances; source of funds for ongoing business requirements; capital investments and expectations regarding capital expenditures; expectations regarding the implementation of environmental sustainability initiatives; expectations regarding the adoption of new accounting standards and the impact of such adoption on financial position; expectations regarding pension plan performance and future pension plan liabilities and contributions; expectations regarding levels of credit risk; and expectations regarding outcomes of legal actions. Words such as "expect", "anticipate", "intend", "may", "will", "plan", "believe", "seek", "estimate", and variations of such words and similar expressions are intended to identify such forward-looking information. These statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve assumptions, risks, and uncertainties that are difficult to predict.

In addition, these statements and expectations concerning the performance of the Company's business in general are based on a number of factors and assumptions including, but not limited to: the condition of the Canadian, U.S., and Japanese economies; the rate of exchange of the Canadian dollar to the U.S. dollar, and the Japanese yen; the availability and prices of raw materials, energy and supplies; product pricing; the availability of insurance; the competitive environment and related market conditions; improvement of operating efficiencies; continued access to capital; the cost of compliance with environmental and health standards; no adverse results from ongoing litigation; no unexpected actions of domestic and foreign governments; and the general assumption that none of the risks identified below or elsewhere in this document will materialize. All of these assumptions have been derived from information currently available to the Company, including information obtained by the Company from third-party sources. These assumptions may prove to be incorrect in whole or in part. In addition, actual results may differ materially from those expressed, implied, or forecasted in such forward-looking information, which reflect the Company's expectations only as of the date hereof.

Factors that could cause actual results or outcomes to differ materially from the results expressed, implied, or forecasted by forward-looking information include, among other things:

- risks associated with the Company focusing solely on the protein business;
- risks related to the Company's decisions regarding any potential return of capital to shareholders;
- risks associated with the concentration of production in fewer facilities;
- · risks associated with the availability of capital;
- risks associated with changes in the Company's information systems and processes;
- risks posed by food contamination, consumer liability, and product recalls;
- risks associated with acquisitions, divestitures, and capital expansion projects;
- impact on pension expense and funding requirements of fluctuations in the market prices of fixed income and equity securities and changes in interest rates;
- cyclical nature of the cost and supply of hogs and the competitive nature of the pork market generally;
- risks related to the health status of livestock;
- impact of a pandemic on the Company's operations;
- the Company's exposure to currency exchange risks;
- ability of the Company to hedge against the effect of commodity price changes through the use of commodity futures and options;
- impact of changes in the market value of the biological assets and hedging instruments;
- · impact of international events on commodity prices and the free flow of goods;

- risks posed by compliance with extensive government regulation;
- risks posed by litigation;
- impact of changes in consumer tastes and buying patterns;
- impact of extensive environmental regulation and potential environmental liabilities;
- · risks associated with a consolidating retail environment;
- risks posed by competition;
- risks associated with complying with differing employment laws and practices, the potential for work stoppages due to non-renewal of collective agreements, and recruiting and retaining gualified personnel;
- · risks associated with pricing the Company's products;
- · risks associated with managing the Company's supply chain; and
- · risks associated with failing to identify and manage the strategic risks facing the Company.

The Company cautions the reader that the foregoing list of factors is not exhaustive. These factors are discussed in more detail under the heading "Risk Factors" in the Company's Management's Discussion and Analysis for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015, which is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com. The reader should review such section in detail. Some of the forward-looking information may be considered to be financial outlooks for purposes of applicable securities legislation including, but not limited to, statements concerning future capital expenditures. These financial outlooks are presented to evaluate anticipated future uses of cash flows, and may not be appropriate for other purposes and readers should not assume they will be achieved. The Company does not intend to, and the Company disclaims any obligation to, update any forward-looking information, whether written or oral, or whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law. Additional information concerning the Company, including the Company's Annual Information Form and audited financial statements for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015, is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com. Maple Leaf Foods Inc. is a leading Canadian consumer protein company, making high quality, innovative meat products. Headquartered in Mississauga, Canada, the Company employs approximately 11,000 people in its operations in Canada and Asia.

#### **Footnote Legend**

- Adjusted EBITDA, a non-IFRS measure, is calculated as earnings before interest and income taxes plus depreciation and
  intangible asset amortization, adjusted for items that are not considered representative of ongoing operational activities of
  the business, and items where the economic impact of the transactions will be reflected in earnings in future periods when
  the underlying asset is sold or transferred. Please refer to the section entitled Non-IFRS Financial Measures in the Company's
  2016 third quarter Management's Discussion and Analysis.
- 2. Adjusted Earnings per Share, a non-IFRS measure, is used by Management to evaluate financial operating results. It is defined as basic earnings per share and is adjusted on the same basis as Adjusted Operating Earnings. Please refer to the section entitled Non-IFRS Financial Measures in the Company's 2016 third quarter Management's Discussion and Analysis.
- 3. Adjusted Operating Earnings, a non-IFRS measure, is used by Management to evaluate financial operating results. It is defined as earning adjusted for items that are not considered representative of ongoing operational activities of the business, and items where the economic impact of the transactions will be reflected in earnings in future periods when the underlying asset is sold or transferred. Please refer to the section entitled Non-IFRS Financial Measures in the Company's 2016 third quarter Management's Discussion and Analysis.
- Free Cash Flow, a non-IFRS measure, is used by Management to evaluate cash flow after investing in the maintenance or expansion of the Company's asset base. It is defined as cash provided by (used in) operations, less additions to longterm assets
- 5. Unrealized gains/losses on futures contracts is reported within cost of sales in the Company's 2016 third quarter unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements. For biological assets information, please refer to Note 6 of the Company's 2016 third quarter unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.
- 6. Includes per share impact of restructuring and other related costs, net of tax.
- 7. Primarily includes a depreciation charge on assets servicing divested businesses, interest income and gains/losses associated with investment properties and assets held for sale, net of tax.
- 8. Includes per share impact of the change in unrealized (gains) losses on futures contracts and the change in fair value of biological assets, net of tax.
- 9. Primarily includes a depreciation charge on assets servicing divested businesses, interest income and gains/losses associated with investment properties and assets held for sale.

## **Consolidated Interim Balance Sheets**

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)	As at Se	ptember 30, 2016	As at Se	eptember 30, 2015	As at D	ecember 31, 2015
		(Unaudited)		(Unaudited)		
ASSETS						
Current assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	444,348	\$	306,539	\$	292,269
Accounts receivable		120,666		50,649		57,958
Notes receivable		33,842		100,332		103,706
Inventories		273,384		283,056		257,671
Biological assets		65,242		86,136		103,877
Prepaid expenses and other assets		11,244		24,582		14,946
Assets held for sale		4,712		473		130
	\$	953,438	\$	851,767	\$	830,557
Property and equipment		1,080,696		1,071,560		1,082,360
Investment property		2,063		7,480		7,336
Employee benefits		_		66,903		66,519
Other long-term assets		7,200		12,031		10,791
Deferred tax asset		33,297		74,077		66,911
Goodwill		428,236		428,236		428,236
Intangible assets		129,546		140,782		138,155
Total assets	\$	2,634,476	\$	2,652,836	\$	2,630,865
Current liabilities  Accounts payable and accruals  Provisions	\$	268,030 16,451	\$	268,897 31,018	\$	256,473 32,531
Current portion of long-term debt		711		682		813
Income taxes payable		8,668		8,196		9,670
Other current liabilities		8,140		39,120		29,637
	\$	302,000	\$	347,913	\$	329,124
Long-term debt		9,269		9,936		9,843
Employee benefits		160,261		178,373		203,241
Provisions		13,003		14,653		14,622
Other long-term liabilities		15,045		22,003		20,901
Total liabilities	\$	499,578	\$	572,878	\$	577,731
Shareholders' equity						
Share capital	\$	884,431	\$	893,706	\$	882,770
Retained earnings	•	1,241,114	•	1,189,280		1,172,864
Contributed surplus		19,855		_		_
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		4,647		(2,756)		(414
Treasury stock		(15,149)		(272)		(2,086
Total shareholders' equity	\$	2,134,898	\$	2,079,958	\$	2,053,134
Total liabilities and equity	\$	2,634,476	\$	2,652,836	\$	2,630,865

## Consolidated Interim Statements of Net Earnings

(In thousands of Canadian dollars, except share amounts)		Three mont Septemb		Nine months ended September 30,				
(Unaudited)		2016		2015		2016		2015
Sales	\$	852,099	\$	818,785	\$	2,503,634	\$ 2	2,419,809
Cost of goods sold		731,110		719,450		2,117,504		2,155,514
Gross margin	\$	120,989	\$	99,335	\$	386,130	\$	264,295
Selling, general and administrative expenses		78,644		68,933		235,391		224,450
Earnings before the following:	\$	42,345	\$	30,402	\$	150,739	\$	39,845
Restructuring and other related costs		(542)		(3,380)		(2,344)		(21,514)
Other income (expense)		4,621		(1,124)		1,429		(7,873)
Earnings before interest and income taxes	\$	46,424	\$	25,898	\$	149,824	\$	10,458
Interest expense and other financing costs		2,819		1,209		5,136		3,495
Earnings before income taxes	\$	43,605	\$	24,689	\$	144,688	\$	6,963
Income taxes expense (recovery)		11,777		6,009		39,210		(1,332)
Net earnings	\$	31,828	\$	18,680	\$	105,478	\$	8,295
Earnings per share:								
Basic earnings per share	\$	0.24	\$	0.13	\$	0.78	\$	0.06
Diluted earnings per share	\$	0.23	\$	0.13	\$	0.76	\$	0.06
Weighted average number of shares (millions)				!				
Basic		134.3		139.6		134.4		141.7
Diluted		137.7		140.5		137.9		142.5

# Consolidated Interim Statements of Other Comprehensive Income

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)	Three months ended September 30,					Nine months ended September 30,				
(Unaudited)		2016	2015			2016		2015		
Net earnings	\$	31,828	\$	18,680	\$	105,478	\$	8,295		
Other comprehensive income (loss)										
Actuarial gains and losses that will not be reclassified to profit or loss										
(Net of tax of \$8.3 million and \$1.1 million; 2015 \$1.7										
million and \$4.9 million)	\$	23,621	\$	(4,967)	\$	(3,147)	\$	13,992		
Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to profit										
or loss:										
Change in accumulated foreign currency translation										
adjustment										
(Net of tax of \$0.0 million; 2015: \$0.0 million)	\$	624	\$	652	\$	1,037	\$	1,219		
Change in unrealized gains and losses on cash flow										
hedges										
(Net of tax of \$1.2 million and \$1.4 million; 2015: \$1.3										
million and \$1.3 million)		(3,309)		(3,513)		4,024		(3,749)		
Total items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to										
profit or loss	\$	(2,685)	\$	(2,861)	\$	5,061	\$	(2,530)		
Total other comprehensive income (loss)	\$	20,936	\$	(7,828)	\$	1,914	\$	11,462		
Comprehensive income	\$	52,764	\$	10,852	\$	107,392	\$	19,757		

## Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Total Equity

## Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)<sup>(l)</sup>

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(In thousands of Canadian dollars) (Unaudited)	Share capital	Retained earnings	Contributed surplus	Foreign currency translation adjustment	Unrealized gains and losses on cash flow hedges	Treasury stock	Total equity
Balance as at December 31, 2015	\$ 882,770	\$ 1,172,864	<del> </del>	\$ 2,506	\$ (2,920)	(2,086)	\$ 2,053,134
Net earnings	_	105,478	_	_	_	_	105,478
Other comprehensive income (loss)(ii)	_	(3,147)	_	1,037	4,024	_	1,914
Dividends declared (\$0.27 per share)	_	(36,381)	_	_	_	_	(36,381)
Share-based compensation expense	_	_	19,059	_	_	_	19,059
Deferred taxes on share-based compensation	_	_	2,800	_	_	_	2,800
Repurchase of shares	_	2,300	(1,648)	_	_	_	652
Settlement of share-based compensation	_	_	(356)	_	_	38	(318)
Exercise of stock options	1,661	_	_	_	_	_	1,661
Shares purchased by RSU trust	_	_	_	_	_	(13,101)	(13,101)
Balance as at September 30, 2016	\$ 884,431	\$ 1,241,114	\$ 19,855	\$ 3,543	\$ 1,104	\$ (15,149)	\$ 2,134,898

### Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)<sup>(i)</sup>

				comprehensive income (1666)		01110 (1000)			
(In thousands of Canadian dollars) (Unaudited)	Share capital	Retained earnings	Contributed surplus		Foreign currency translation adjustment		Unrealized gains and losses on cash flow hedges	Treasury stock	Total equity
Balance as at December 31, 2014	\$ 936,479	\$1,228,815 \$	79,652	\$	737	\$	(963) \$	(224)	\$ 2,244,496
Net earnings	_	8,295	_		_		_	_	8,295
Other comprehensive income (loss) <sup>(ii)</sup>	_	13,992	_		1,219		(3,749)	_	11,462
Dividends declared (\$0.24 per share)	_	(33,826)	_		_		_	_	(33,826)
Share-based compensation expense	_	_	6,672		_		_	_	6,672
Repurchase of shares	(44,961)	(27,996)	(84,018)		_		_	_	(156,975)
Issuance of treasury stock	_	_	(2,306)		_		_	1,140	(1,166)
Exercise of stock options	2,188	_	_		_		_	_	2,188
Shares purchased by RSU trust	_	_	_		_		_	(1,188)	(1,188)
Balance at September 30, 2015	\$ 893,706	\$1,189,280 \$	_	\$	1,956	\$	(4,712) \$	(272)	\$ 2,079,958

<sup>(</sup>i) Items that are or may be subsequently reclassified to profit or loss.

<sup>(</sup>ii) Included in other comprehensive income (loss) is the change in actuarial gains and losses that will not be reclassified to profit or loss and has been reclassified to retained earnings.

## Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)         September 30,         September 30,           (Unaudited)         2016         2015         2016         2015           CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) :         Operating activities           Net earnings         \$ 31,828         \$ 18,680         \$ 105,478         \$ 8,298
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Net earnings \$ <b>31,828</b> \$ 18,680 <b>\$ 105,478</b> \$ 8,298
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Add (deduct) items not affecting cash:
Change in fair value of biological assets <b>41,617</b> (4,321) <b>41,909</b> 27,123
Depreciation and amortization <b>27,078</b> 30,736 <b>84,075</b> 94,95
Share-based compensation <b>6,241</b> 2,457 <b>19,059</b> 6,672
Deferred income taxes <b>10,731</b> 6,000 <b>36,111</b> (2,284)
Income tax current <b>1,046</b> 9 <b>3,099</b> 95
Interest expense and other financing costs <b>2,819</b> 1,209 <b>5,136</b> 3,499
Loss (gain) on sale of long-term assets (5,515) (982) (4,753) (6,18)
Change in fair value of non-designated derivative
financial instruments (23,488) 3,145 (20,449) (9,150
Impairment of assets (net of reversals) 1,171 928 2,193 1,90
Change in net pension liability <b>6,691</b> 6,620 <b>19,280</b> 19,99
Net income taxes paid (610) (1,235) (4,151) (12,136)
Interest paid (640) (981) (2,913) (2,652
Change in provision for restructuring and other related
costs (3,765) (5,385) (17,527) (20,974)
Cash settlement of restricted share units — — (216) (5,333
Derivatives margin <b>37,466</b> (9,391) <b>24,517</b> 2,12
Other 118 1,922 3,254 3,194
Change in non-cash working capital <b>43,412</b> (7,339) (9,059) (27,93
Cash provided by operating activities \$ 176,200 \$ 42,072 \$ 285,043 \$ 82,054
Financing activities
Dividends paid \$ (12,151) \$ (11,022) \$ (36,381) \$ (33,820)
Net increase (decrease) in long-term debt (560) (42) (852)
Exercise of stock options — 1,661 2,186
Repurchase of shares — (96,445) <b>(11,922)</b> (138,355
Payment of deferred financing fees (691) — (1,781) (27)
Purchase of treasury stock (7,500) — (13,101) (1,188
Cash used in financing activities \$ (20,902) \$ (107,509) \$ (62,376) \$ (171,500)
Investing activities
Additions to long-term assets \$ (29,522) \$ (39,043) \$ (76,975) \$ (109,495)
Transaction costs — (63) — (65)
Proceeds from sale of long-term assets 5,815 1,159 6,387 9,215
Cash used in investing activities \$ (23,707) \$ (37,947) \$ (70,588) \$ (100,345)
Increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents \$ 131,591 \$ (103,384) \$ 152,079 \$ (189,789)
Net cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period 312,757 409,923 292,269 496,326
Net cash and cash equivalents, end of period         \$ 444,348         \$ 306,539         \$ 444,348         \$ 306,539

## Segmented Financial Information

(In thousands of Canadian dollars)		Three months ended September 30,				Nine months ended September 30,				
(Unaudited)		2016		2015		2016		2015		
Sales										
Meat Products Group	\$	848,093	\$	814,820	\$ :	2,492,058	\$ 2	2,408,452		
Agribusiness Group		4,006		3,965		11,576		11,357		
Total sales	\$	852,099	\$	818,785	\$ 2,503,634		\$ 2,419,80			
Earnings (loss) before restructuring and other related costs and other income										
Meat Products Group	\$	65,934	\$	28,263	\$	190,095	\$	53,821		
Agribusiness Group		(4,418)		1,581		(14,531)		8,222		
Non-allocated costs		(19,171)		558		(24,825)		(22,198)		
Total earnings (loss) before restructuring and other related costs and other income	\$	42,345	\$	30,402	\$	150,739	\$	39,845		
Capital expenditures	<u> </u>	,	<u> </u>			,	·	,-		
Meat Products Group	\$	25,328	\$	33,109	\$	69,218	\$	93,617		
Agribusiness Group		4,194		6,292		7,757		14,928		
	\$	29,522	\$	39,401	\$	76,975	\$	108,545		
Depreciation and amortization										
Meat Products Group	\$	25,190	\$	25,578	\$	77,161	\$	76,432		
Agribusiness Group		1,878		1,672		5,548		4,769		
Non-allocated costs <sup>(i)</sup>		10		3,486		1,366		13,750		
	\$	27,078	\$	30,736	\$	84,075	\$	94,951		

Includes depreciation on assets used to service divested business.

	As at September 30, 2016	As at September 30, 2015	As at December 31,
Total assets	2016	2015	2015
Meat Products Group	\$ 1,879,566	\$ 1,869,266	\$ 1,853,146
Agribusiness Group	179,765	167,301	188,890
Non-allocated assets	575,145	616,269	588,829
	\$ 2,634,476	\$ 2,652,836	\$ 2,630,865
Goodwill	·		
Meat Products Group	\$ 428,236	\$ 428,236	\$ 428,236