## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

**WASHINGTON, DC 20549** 

# FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT
PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): July 22, 2003

# PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in its Charter)

**Delaware** (State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation)

**1-9273** (Commission File Number)

**75-1285071** (IRS Employer Identification No.)

110 South Texas Street Pittsburg, Texas **75686-0093** (ZIP Code)

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (903) 855-1000

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#### Item 7. Financial Statements, Pro Forma Financial Information and Exhibits.

(c) Exhibits. The exhibits below, which are referred to in Item 9 (pursuant to Item 12) of this Form 8-K are furnished solely pursuant to Item 12 of this Form 8-K and shall not be (i) subject to Section 18 of the Act, or Sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or deemed incorporated by reference into a registration statement, proxy statement or report or other document we may file with the SEC, regardless of any general incorporation language in such a filing (except as shall otherwise be expressly set forth by specific reference in such a filing), or (ii) subject to Item 10 of Regulation S-K except as specifically required under the instructions to Item 12 of Form 8-K.

The following exhibits are filed with this report on Form 8-K:

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99.1	Press Release dated July 22, 2003	
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#### Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure (Pursuant To "Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition").

In accordance with SEC Release No. 33-8216, the following information, intended to be furnished under "Item 12. Results of Operations and Financial Condition," is instead furnished under "Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure." The information in this Form 8-K and the Exhibits attached hereto shall not be deemed "filed" for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, nor shall it be deemed incorporated by reference in any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, except as shall be expressly set forth by specific reference in such filing.

On July 22, 2003, Pilgrim's Pride Corporation issued a press release announcing its results of operations for the third quarter of fiscal 2003, a copy of which is furnished with this Form 8-K as Exhibit 99.1. Also furnished herewith as Exhibit 99.2 is certain supplemental historical financial information of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation, including quarterly information regarding net sales by primary market line.

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# Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

## PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

Date: July 22, 2003 By: /s/ Richard A. Cogdill

Richard A. Cogdill

Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer,

Secretary and Treasurer

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# PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION REPORTS THIRD QUARTER RESULTS FOR FISCAL 2003

Pittsburg, TX—July 22, 2003—Pilgrim's Pride Corporation (NYSE: CHX, CHX.A) today reported net income of \$17.4 million, or \$0.42 per share, for the third fiscal quarter ended June 28, 2003, an increase of \$14.1 million, or \$0.34 per share, compared with net income of \$3.3 million in the third fiscal quarter of 2002. Net sales for the third fiscal quarter of 2003 were \$651.9 million, an increase of \$14.8 million, compared with net sales of \$637.1 million for the same period last year. The third fiscal quarter 2003 results include a \$0.25 per share gain from partial settlements from vitamin and methionine lawsuits, net of tax and related employee incentive plan accruals.

For the first nine months of fiscal 2003, net income was \$31.0 million, or \$0.75 per share, an increase of \$13.5 million compared with net income of \$17.5 million, or \$0.43 per share in the prior fiscal year's first nine months. The Company also reported net sales for the first nine months of fiscal 2003 of \$1,909.9 million, a \$16.0 million increase compared with \$1,893.9 million for the same period last year. The first nine months of fiscal 2003 results include a \$1.06 per share gain from partial settlements from vitamin and methionine lawsuits, and the recoveries from the prior year's avian influenza, net of tax and related employee incentive plan accruals.

"Our third quarter results reflect an improvement in pricing and better operating efficiencies," commented O.B. Goolsby, President and Chief Operating Officer of Pilgrim's Pride. "Over the last few months, higher chicken prices have increased margin levels. We expect that lower domestic supplies of meat proteins in the marketplace will continue to favorably impact our bottom line.

"We have made significant progress this quarter executing on our strategy, including our June announcement that we will acquire ConAgra's chicken division. This combination will better position us to capitalize on the growing demand for prepared and fresh case-ready chicken and will give us the capacity to enhance the technological leadership and cost-efficiency for which we are known. We are looking forward to completing the ConAgra acquisition in the third calendar quarter of 2003," Mr. Goolsby said.

"Pilgrim's Pride is well positioned to continue on its growth trajectory. Our objectives remain consistent: to increase sales, profit margins and earnings. Our commitment has never been stronger to providing customers with the highest-quality poultry products, as we remain focused on the company's continued growth and driving shareholder value," Mr. Goolsby concluded.

Pilgrim's Pride Corporation is the second largest poultry producer in the United States; the third largest in chicken and fifth largest in turkey, and second largest chicken company in Mexico. Pilgrim's Pride employs more than 24,500 persons and operates processing and further processing plants, distribution centers, hatcheries and feed mills in Texas, Arkansas, Arizona, North Carolina, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia and Mexico.

Products are sold to foodservice, retail and frozen entrée customers. The Company's primary distribution is through retailers and restaurants throughout the United States and in the Northern and Central regions of Mexico and to the foodservice industry nation-wide in both countries.

A conference call to discuss the Company's third quarter of fiscal 2003 financial results will be held at 10:00 a.m. CDT (11:00 a.m. EDT) on July 23, 2003. To listen live via telephone, call 800-556-3831 access code 00977. The call will also be web cast live on the Internet at http://www.firstcallevents.com/service/ajwz384641185gf12.html. The web cast will be available for replay within two hours of the conclusion of the call. A telephone replay will be available beginning at 2:00 p.m. CDT on July 23 through July 30 at 800-876-6305.

Statements contained in this press release that state the intentions, hopes, beliefs, anticipations, expectations or predictions of the future of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation and its management are forward looking statements. It is important to note that the actual results could differ materially from those projected in such forward looking statements. For example, factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in such forward looking statements include: matters affecting the poultry industry generally, including fluctuations in the commodity prices of feed ingredients, chicken and turkey; disease outbreaks affecting the production performance and/or marketability of the Company's poultry products; contamination of our products, which has recently and can in the future lead to product liability claims and product recalls; exposure to risks related to product liability, product recalls, property damage and injuries to persons, for which insurance coverage is expensive, limited and potentially inadequate; management of our cash resources, particularly in light of our substantial leverage; restrictions imposed by and as a result of, our substantial leverage; currency exchange rate fluctuations, trade barriers, exchange controls, expropriation and other risk associated with foreign operations; changes in laws or regulations affecting our operations as well as competitive factors and pricing pressures; inability to effectively integrate ConAgra's chicken business or realize the associated cost savings and operating synergies currently anticipated; and the impact of uncertainties of litigation as well as other risks described under "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K and subsequent filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission

#### **Important Legal Information**

Investors and security holders are urged to read the proxy statement regarding the proposed transaction with ConAgra Foods, Inc. when it becomes available because it will contain important information. The proxy statement will be filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission by Pilgrim's Pride Corporation and security holders may obtain a free copy of the proxy statement when it becomes available, and other documents filed with the SEC by Pilgrim's Pride Corporation, at the SEC's web site at <a href="https://www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a>. The proxy statement, and other related documents filed with the SEC by Pilgrim's Pride Corporation, may also be obtained for free by directing a request to Pilgrim's Pride Corporation at 110 South Texas, Pittsburg, Texas, 75686. Investors may obtain a detailed list of names, affiliations and interests of participants in the solicitation of proxies of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation stockholders to approve the transaction at the following address: 110 South Texas, Pittsburg, Texas, 75686.

#### **Contact:**

Richard A. Cogdill Chief Financial Officer 540/896-0406

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# **Consolidated Statements of Income**

[In thousands, except share and per share amounts]

Three Months Ended	June 28, 2003	June 29, 2002
Net Sales	\$ 651,877	\$ 637,116
Costs and Expenses:		
Cost of sales	600,932	590,807
Non-recurring recoveries	[10,302]	[691]
Selling, general and administrative	35,107	32,954
	625,737	623,070
Operating Income	26,140	14,046
Other Expense [Income]:		
Interest expense, net	9,417	9,031
Foreign exchange gain [loss]	[334]	2,269
Miscellaneous, net	[8,124]	[3,778]
	[959]	7,522
Income Before Income Taxes	25,181	6,524
Income Tax Expense	7,740	3,258
Net Income	\$ 17,441	\$ 3,266
Net Income per Common Share Basic and Diluted	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.08
Dividends Declared per Common Share	\$ 0.015	\$ 0.015
Weighted Average Shares Outstanding	41,112,679	41,112,679
Nine Months Ended	June 28, 2003	June 29, 2002
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## PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets [In thousands]

	June 28, 2003	September 28, 2002
ASSETS		
Total Current Assets	\$ 508,880	\$ 443,918
Other Assets	30,837	21,940
Property, Plant and Equipment, net	739,203	762,032
	\$1,278,920	\$1,227,890
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 241,036	\$ 264,881
Long-Term Debt, Less Current Maturities	480,150	450,161
Deferred Income Taxes	134,229	116,911
Minority Interest in Subsidiary	1,316	1,613
Total Stockholders' Equity	422,189	394,324
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	\$1,278,920	\$1,227,890

# PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows [In thousands]

Nine Months Ended	June 28, 2003	June 29, 2002
Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$ 14,695	\$ 38,767
Investing Activities:		
Acquisitions of property, plant and equipment	[36,146]	[56,430]
Proceeds from property disposals	923	790
Other, net	[4,650]	[2,923]
Cash Used in Investing Activities	[39,873]	[58,563]
Financing Activities:		
Net borrowings on notes payable	<del>_</del>	58,000
Net proceeds [payments] on long-term debt	29,141	[49,070]
Cash dividends paid	[1,858]	[1,854]
Cash Provided by Financing Activities	27,283	7,076
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	[351]	[383]
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Increase [Decrease] in cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,754	\$[13,103]

#### Pilgrim's Pride Corporation Selected Financial Data for quarters ended:

Our selected financial data is derived from our financial statements. Historical results should not be taken as necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for any future period. You should read this financial data in conjunction with the appropriate period financial statements and the related notes and "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Results of Operations and Financial Condition" included in our SEC filings.

							Quarter	s Ended	
	06/28/03	03/29/03	12/28/02	09/28/02	06/29/02	03/30/02	12/29/01	09/29/01	06/30/01
				(in thousa	ands except per sl	hare data)			*
Income Statement Data: Net sales	\$ 651,877	\$ 630,592	\$ 627,405	\$ 639,819	\$ 637,116	\$ 600,753	\$ 656,030	\$ 641,251	\$ 645,836
Gross margin	50,945	25,672	27,999	31,605	46,309	28,631	57,865	61,943	74,476
Selling, general and administrative expenses	35,107	35,576	32,045	35,069	32,654	33,003	34,535	30,826	30,139
Non-recurring recoveries	(10,302)	(11,324)	(14,387)	(65)	(691)	(4.271)		21 117	(1,149)
Operating income (loss) Interest expense, net	26,140 9,417	1,409 9,942	10,341 9,476	(3,100) 7,137	14,045 9,031	(4,371) 7,261	23,330 8,573	31,117 9,536	44,337 10,014
Miscellaneous, net	(8,124)	(29,896)	(1,766)	(2,580)	(3,378)	873	(387)	(997)	1,751
Income (loss) before income taxes and	0= 404	10.115	2.004	(0.4.45)		(44.0==)	4= 6=0	22.04.	24.222
extraordinary charge Income tax expense (benefit)	25,181 7,740	18,146 7,381	2,981 225	(8,146) (4,973)	6,525 3,259	(11,055) (13,399)	15,679 2,688	22,017 8,188	34,323 9,056
Income (loss) before extraordinary charge	17,441	10,765	2,756	(4,972)	3,266	1,252	12,991	13,829	25,267
Extraordinary charge — net of tax	_	_	_		· —		_	(894)	_
Net income (loss)	\$ 17,441	\$ 10,765	\$ 2,756	\$ (3,174)	\$ 3,266	\$ 1,252	\$ 12,991	12,935	\$ 25,267
Per Common Share Data:(c) Income (loss) before extraordinary charge	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.07	\$ (0.08)	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.03	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.61
Extraordinary charge — early repayment of debt	_	_	_		_	_	\$ —	\$ (0.02)	\$ —
Net Income (loss)	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.07	\$ (0.08)	\$ 0.08	\$ 0.03	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.61
Cash dividends Book value	\$ 0.015 \$ 10.27	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.86	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.61	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.57	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.68	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.57	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.53	\$ 0.015 \$ 9.27	\$ 0.015 \$ 8.96
Balance Sheet Summary:	Ψ 10.27	\$ 5.00	ψ J.01	ψ 3.37	ψ 5.00	ψ 5.57	ψ 5.55	ψ 3.27	Ψ 0.50
Working capital	\$ 267,844	\$ 250,893	\$ 171,582	\$ 179,171	\$ 157,980	\$ 149,869	\$ 143,360	\$ 203,350	\$ 177,194
Total assets  Notes payable and current maturities of long-	\$1,278,920	\$1,259,111	\$1,219,911	\$1,221,418	\$1,218,365	\$1,195,552	\$1,153,438	\$1,215,695	\$1,204,820
term debt	\$ 2,635	\$ 4,272	\$ 3,525	\$ 4,665	\$ 63,210	\$ 60,126	\$ 5,177	\$ 5,099	\$ 59,022
Long-term debt, less current maturities	\$ 480,150	\$ 491,825	\$ 434,103	\$ 448,979	\$ 418,064	\$ 410,628	\$ 396,975	\$ 467,242	\$ 444,125
Total debt	\$ 482,785	\$ 496,096	\$ 437,628	\$ 453,644	\$ 481,274	\$ 470,754	\$ 402,152	\$ 472,341	\$ 503,147
Senior secured debt (included in Total Debt) Total stockholders' equity	\$ 282,785 \$ 422,189	\$ 296,096 \$ 405,330	\$ 237,628 \$ 395,115	\$ 253,644 \$ 393,470	\$ 281,274 \$ 397,910	\$ 270,754 \$ 393,641	\$ 202,152 \$ 391,644	\$ 272,341 \$ 380,932	\$ 412,540 \$ 368,479
Cash Flow Summary:	Ψ 422,103	Ψ 405,550	Ψ 555,115	ψ 555,470	Ψ 557,510	Ψ 555,041	Ψ 551,044	Ψ 500,552	\$ 500,475
Operating cash flow	\$ 30,693	\$ (56,617)	\$ 40,617	\$ 60,789	\$ 15,704	\$ (58,711)	\$ 81,773	\$ 70,581	\$ 48,738
Depreciation & amortization(d)	\$ 18,940	\$ 17,803	\$ 17,510	\$ 18,114	\$ 17,813	\$ 17,647	\$ 17,399	\$ 15,962	\$ 18,608
Capital expenditures Business acquisitions	\$ 11,122 \$ —	\$ 15,907 \$ —	\$ 9,116 \$ —	\$ 23,958 \$ —	\$ 24,199 \$ —	\$ 14,898 \$ —	\$ 17,333 \$ —	\$ (7,615) \$ —	\$ 59,847 \$ —
Financing activities, net	\$ (13,931)	\$ 57,852	\$ (16,637)	\$ (28,240)	\$ 9,900	\$ 68,015	\$ (6,518)	\$ (31,646)	\$ (21,804)
Cashflow Ratios:	# F2 222	d 45 500	ф 20 <b>5</b> 0.4	ф. 46. <b>7</b> 06	Ф 22.042	Ф 40.44 <b>г</b>	ф. 44.20 <u>г</u>	ф. 4C 440	ф. co.cc4
EBITDA(e) EBITDA (last four qtrs.)	\$ 53,232 \$ 145,070	\$ 45,508 \$ 124,850	\$ 29,594 \$ 91,757	\$ 16,736 \$ 103,468	\$ 33,012 \$ 133,142	\$ 12,415 \$ 162,794	\$ 41,305 \$ 157,231	\$ 46,410 \$ 147,599	\$ 62,664 \$ 126,209
Key Indicators (as a percentage of net sales):	\$ 143,070	ψ 12 <del>4</del> ,030	\$ 31,737	Ψ 103,400	Ψ 155,142	\$ 102,754	Ψ 137,231	Ψ 147,333	Ψ 120,203
Gross margin	7.8%	4.1%	4.5%	4.9%	7.3%	4.8%	8.8%	9.7%	11.5%
Selling, general and administrative expenses Operating income (loss)	5.4% 4.0%	5.6% 0.2%	5.1% 1.6%	5.4% -0.5%	5.1% 2.2%	5.5% -0.7%	5.3% 3.6%	4.8% 4.9%	4.7% 7.0%
Interest expense, net	1.4%	1.6%	1.5%	1.1%	1.4%	1.2%	1.3%	1.5%	1.6%
Net income (loss)	2.7%	1.7%	0.4%	-0.5%	0.5%	0.2%	2.0%	2.0%	3.9%
(a) The Company acquired WLR Foods on January 27, 2001 for \$239.5 million and the assumption of \$45.5 million of indebtedness. The acquisition has been accounted for as a purchase, and the results of operations for this acquisition have been included in our consolidated results of operations since the acquisition date									
(b) Fiscal quarter ended January 1, 1999 had 14 weeks									
(c) Historical per share amounts represent both basic and diluted and have been restated to give effect to a stock dividend issued on July 30, 1999 See Note F of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed in year 2001									
(d) Includes amortization of capitalized financing costs of approximately	\$ 307	383	372	369	357	346	\$ 346	\$ 1,105	\$ 281
(e) "EBITDA" is defined as the sum of net income (loss) before extraordinary charges, interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is presented because it is used by us, and we believe it is frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties, in addition to and not in lieu of GAAP results, to compare the performance of companies. EBITDA is not a measurement of financial performance under generally accepted accounting principles and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operating activities or as a measure of liquidity or an alternative to net income as indicators of our operating performance or any other measures of performance derived in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. EBITDA is calculated as follows:									
Net Income Add:	\$ 17,441	\$ 10,765	\$ 2,756	\$ (3,174)	\$ 3,266	\$ 1,252	\$ 12,991	\$ 12,935	\$ 25,267

Extraordinary charge-net of tax	_						_	(894)	
						(40.000)			
Income Tax Expense (benefit)	7,740	7,381	225	(4,973)	3,259	(13,399)	2,688	8,188	9,056
Interest expense, net	9,417	9,942	9,476	7,137	9,031	7,261	8,573	9,536	10,014
Depreciation and amortization	18,940	17,803	17,510	18,114	17,813	17,647	17,399	15,962	18,608
Minus:									
Amortization of capitalized									
financing costs	307	383	372	369	357	346	346	1,105	281
EBITDA	\$ 53,232	\$ 45,508	\$ 29,594	\$ 16,736	\$ 33,012	\$ 12,415	\$ 41,305	\$ 46,410	\$ 62,664

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#### [Continued from above table, first column(s) repeated] Quarters Ended 03/31/01(a) 12/30/00 09/30/00 07/01/00 04/01/00 01/01/00 10/02/99 07/03/99 04/03/99 (in thousands except per share data) **Income Statement Data:** Net sales 541,593 \$386,032 \$379,375 \$391,979 \$373,260 \$354,825 \$317,261 \$344,160 \$329,894 45,477 20,255 46,262 20,970 Gross margin 29,216 44,971 39 657 46,665 34,029 46,130 49,415 34,488 Selling, general and administrative expenses 23,955 24,022 20.316 20,747 17,316 20,203 Non-recurring recoveries (2,195)25 292 Operating income (loss) (5,272)23 211 15 635 26 349 13 282 25 222 28 814 29 212 7.085 4,140 4.210 4,090 4,967 4,699 3.903 4,308 Interest expense, net 4,535 (191) Miscellaneous, net (281)(122)327 465 (519) (198)1,348 (261)Income (loss) before income taxes and extraordinary (12,118)19,072 11,782 20,319 9,178 21,507 22,549 25,274 21,624 charge 6,957 Income tax expense (benefit) (2,316) (9,802) 6,335 6,649 6,113 7,044 Income (loss) before extraordinary charge 12,737 11,319 17,144 9,023 14,858 16,436 18,317 14,580 Extraordinary charge net of tax (9,802)\$ 12,737 \$ 11,319 \$ 14,858 16,436 \$ 18,317 Net income (loss) \$ 17,144 \$ 9,023 \$ 14,580 Per Common Share Data:(c) Income (loss) before extraordinary charge (0.24)0.31 0.28 0.41 0.22 0.36 0.41 0.44 0.35 Extraordinary charge - early repayment of debt (0.24)0.31 0.28 0.41 0.22 0.36 0.41 0.44 0.35 Net Income (loss) \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ \$ Cash dividends 0.015 0.015 0.015 0.015 0.015 0.015 0.015 0.010 0.010 Book value 8.37 8.63 8.33 8.05 \$ 7.66 7.45 7.11 6.73 \$ 6.30 **Balance Sheet Summary:** \$ 166,456 \$107,508 \$142,915 \$139,465 \$148,659 \$150,686 Working capital \$124,531 \$154,242 \$158,858 \$665,158 \$5,041 \$657,974 \$7,928 Total assets \$1,176,261 \$714,340 \$705,420 \$686,450 \$652,970 \$655,762 \$626,745 63,947 \$ 14,242 4,657 4,729 4,103 \$ 4,353 6,338 Notes payable and current maturities of long-term debt \$172,686 \$177,415 460,346 \$156,546 \$165,037 \$175,350 \$163,230 \$183,753 \$195,283 \$197,971 Long-term debt, less current maturities Total debt 524,293 \$170,788 \$169,694 \$180,391 \$167,333 \$188,106 \$203,211 \$204,309 Senior secured debt (included in Total Debt) 433,723 \$ 86,957 \$ 94,730 \$ 80,256 \$ 79,199 \$ 87,873 73,931 \$109,884 \$111,019 Total stockholders' equity \$260,543 344,261 \$354,676 \$342,559 \$332,110 \$316,898 \$308,496 \$294,259 \$278,447 Cash Flow Summary: (47,486)\$ 16,000 \$ 69,097 \$ 18,298 \$ 11,588 \$ 31,820 \$ 44,926 \$ 7,086 \$ (8,009) Operating cash flow \$ 8,668 \$ 32,607 12,152 27,793 \$ 8,878 \$ 20,956 Depreciation & amortization(d) 9,279 9,284 8,586 8,546 8,869 8,468 \$ 35,195 \$ 25,935 \$ 21,565 \$ 13,402 \$ 14,412 \$ 17,479 Capital expenditures Business acquisitions 239,539 436 Financing activities, net 307,193 \$ (8,628) \$ (4,957) \$ (30,465) \$ 21,430 \$ (15,766) \$ (1,548) \$ 10,618 Cashflow Ratios: 6,851 \$ 31,673 \$ 25,020 \$ 34,198 \$ 22,385 \$ 33,733 \$ 35,389 \$ 38,210 \$ 33,921 EBITDA(e) EBITDA (last four qtrs.) 97,742 \$113,276 \$115,336 \$125,705 \$129,717 \$141,252 \$142,045 \$145,464 \$134,562 Key Indicators (as a percentage of net sales): Gross margin 5.4% 11.6% 10.5% 9.1% 12.8% 14.5% 14.4% 14.0% 11.9% Selling, general and administrative expenses Operating income (loss) 6.4% 6.2% 6.3% 5.2% 6.7% 5.6% 5.7% 7.1% 5.5% 9.1% 5.9% 6.4% 7.7% 6.0% 8.5% -1.0% 4.1% 3.6% 1.3% 1.1% 1.1% 1.3% 1.3% 1.1% 1.4% 1.3% 1.2% Interest expense, net Net income (loss) -1.8% 3.3% 3.0% 4.4% 2.4% 4.2% 5.2% 5.3% 4.4% The Company acquired WLR Foods on January 27, (a) 2001 for \$239.5 million and the assumption of \$45.5 million of indebtedness. The acquisition has been accounted for as a purchase, and the results of operations for this acquisition have been included in our consolidated results of operations since the acquisition date Fiscal quarter ended January 1, 1999 had 14 weeks Historical per share amounts represent both basic and diluted and have been restated to give effect to a stock dividend issued on July 30, 1999 See Note F of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed in year 2001 Includes amortization of capitalized financing costs \$ 268 207 251 \$ 372 370 263 241 \$ 241 \$ 261 of approximately (e) "EBITDA" is defined as the sum of net income (loss) before extraordinary charges, interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is presented because it is used by us, and we believe it is frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties, in addition to and not in lieu of GAAP results, to compare the performance of companies. EBITDA is not a measurement of financial performance under generally accepted accounting principles and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operating activities or as a measure of liquidity or an alternative to net income as indicators of our operating performance or any other measures of performance derived in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. EBITDA is calculated as follows: \$ 12,737 \$ 11,319 \$ 17,144 \$ 9,023 \$ 14.858 \$ 16,436 \$ 18.317 \$ 14.580 Net Income (9,802)Add: Extraordinary charge-net of tax 7,044 6.335 3.175 155 6.957 (2,316)463 6,649 6.113 Income Tax Expense (benefit) 7,085 4,140 4,210 4,967 4,699 3,903 4,308 4.090 Interest expense, net 4,535 Depreciation and amortization 12,152 8,668 9.279 9 284 8,878 8,586 8.546 8.869 8,468 Minus: Amortization of capitalized financing costs 268 207 251 372 370 263 241 241 261

EBITDA

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## Quarters Ended

	01/02/99(b)	09/26/98	06/27/98	03/28/98	12/27/97	09/27/97	6/28/97	03/29/97	12/28/96
				(in thousand	ds except per sh	are data)			
Income Statement Data: Net sales	* \$366,088	\$340,712	* \$328,500	* \$324,446	* \$337,887	\$341,274	\$335,168	\$303,401	\$297,806
Gross margin	43,901	47,126	32,736	26,861	29,380	33,860	27,285	23,085	30,267
Selling, general and administrative expenses	17,715	15,682	13,693	15,463	14,009	8,567	14,658	13,425	13,953
Non-recurring recoveries								_	
Operating income (loss) Interest expense, net	26,186 4,733	31,444 4,824	19,043 5,195	11,398 5,093	15,371 5,036	25,293 5,770	12,627 5,572	9,660 5,284	16,314 5,449
Miscellaneous, net	4,733	(212)	(535)	(488)	(463)	5,770	(128)	(397)	(2,509)
Income (loss) before income taxes and extraordinary	00	(212)	(555)	(400)	(405)	333	(120)	(557)	(2,505)
charge	21,457	26,063	13,970	6,219	10,270	19,142	7,071	4,674	12,937
Income tax expense (benefit)	5,537	5,773	2,135	(549)	(847)	451	(215)	(280)	2,832
Income (loss) before extraordinary charge Extraordinary charge — net of tax	15,920	20,290	11,835	6,768	11,117	18,691	7,286	4,954	10,105
Net income (loss)	\$ 15,920	\$ 20,290	\$ 11,835	\$ 6,768	\$ 11,117	\$ 18,691	\$ 7,286	\$ 4,954	\$ 10,105
Per Common Share Data:(c)	Ψ 15,520	Ψ 20,230	Ψ 11,055	ψ 0,700	Ψ 11,117	Ψ 10,031	Ψ 7,200	Ψ 4,554	ψ 10,105
Income (loss) before extraordinary charge	\$ 0.38	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.45	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.24
Extraordinary charge — early repayment of debt	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
Net Income (loss) Cash dividends	\$ 0.38 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.49 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.29 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.16 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.27 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.45 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.18 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.12 \$ 0.010	\$ 0.24 \$ 0.010
Book value	\$ 5.95	\$ 5.58	\$ 5.08	\$ 4.82	\$ 4.67	\$ 4.41	\$ 3.97	\$ 3.80	\$ 3.69
Balance Sheet Summary:	ψ 5.55	ψ 5.50	ψ 5.00	Ψ 4.02	Ψ 4.07	Ψ -111	Ψ 3.37	ψ 5.00	ψ 5.05
Working capital	\$144,981	\$147,040	\$139,713	\$132,518	\$114,948	\$133,542	\$ 99,829	\$ 98,526	\$100,925
Total assets	\$607,365	\$601,439	\$578,541	\$574,805	\$564,611	\$579,124	\$566,725	\$531,579	\$525,628
Notes payable and current maturities of long-term debt	\$ 4,629	\$ 5,889	\$ 11,638	\$ 11,589	\$ 8,708	\$ 11,596	\$ 30,884	\$ 33,645	\$ 25,564
Long-term debt, less current maturities Total debt	\$185,358 \$189,987	\$199,784 \$205,673	\$216,741 \$228,379	\$219,394 \$230,983	\$204,890 \$213,598	\$224,743 \$236,339	\$210,358 \$241,242	\$193,546 \$227,191	\$195,957 \$221,521
Senior secured debt (included in Total Debt)	\$ 96,735	\$110,161	\$129,149	\$131,790	\$114,443	\$137,221	\$142,161	\$128,148	\$122,461
Total stockholders' equity	\$246,377	\$230,871	\$210,369	\$199,573	\$193,220	\$182,516	\$164,239	\$157,366	\$152,826
Cash Flow Summary:									
Operating cash flow	\$ 37,449	\$ 52,784	\$ 13,487	\$ (13,684)	\$ 32,429	\$ 24,710	\$ 15,233	\$ (6,983)	\$ 16,655
Depreciation & amortization(d) Capital expenditures	\$ 8,653 \$ 12,833	\$ 8,098 \$ 14,084	\$ 8,427 \$ 13,633	\$ 8,014 \$ 10,449	\$ 8,052 \$ 15,352	\$ 8,050 \$ 9,456	\$ 7,517 \$ 28,613	\$ 7,094 \$ 7,967	\$ 7,135 \$ 4,195
Business acquisitions	\$ 12,033	\$ 14,004	\$ 15,055	J 10,443	\$ 15,552	y 3,430	\$ 20,015	φ 7,307	\$ 4,133
Financing activities, net	\$ (12,938)	\$ (23,186)	\$ (15,570)	\$ 29,450	\$ (23,192)	\$ (5,356)	\$ 13,600	\$ 5,220	\$ (13,116)
Cashflow Ratios:									
EBITDA(e)	\$ 34,525	\$ 38,808	\$ 27,308	\$ 19,046	\$ 23,106	\$ 32,769	\$ 19,839	\$ 16,767	\$ 25,229
EBITDA (last four qtrs.)  Key Indicators (as a percentage of net sales):	\$119,688	\$108,268	\$102,229	\$ 94,760	\$ 92,481	\$ 94,604	\$ 61,835	\$ 41,995	\$ 25,229
Gross margin	12.0%	13.8%	10.0%	8.3%	8.7%	9.9%	8.1%	7.6%	10.2%
Selling, general and administrative expenses	4.8%	4.6%	4.2%	4.8%	4.1%	2.5%	4.4%	4.4%	4.7%
Operating income (loss)	7.2%	9.2%	5.8%	3.5%	4.5%	7.4%	3.8%	3.2%	5.5%
Interest expense, net Net income (loss)	1.3% 4.3%	1.4% 6.0%	1.6% 3.6%	1.6% 2.1%	1.5% 3.3%	1.7% 5.5%	1.7% 2.2%	1.7% 1.6%	1.8% 3.4%
(a) The Company acquired WLR Foods on January 27, 2001 for \$239.5 million and the assumption of \$45.5 million of indebtedness. The acquisition has been accounted for as a purchase, and the results of operations for this acquisition have been included in our consolidated results of operations since the acquisition date									
<ul> <li>(b) Fiscal quarter ended January 1, 1999 had 14 weeks</li> <li>(c) Historical per share amounts represent both basic and diluted and have been restated to give effect to a stock dividend issued on July 30, 1999 See Note F of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed in year 2001</li> <li>(d) Includes amortization of capitalized financing</li> </ul>									
costs of approximately	\$ 318	\$ 177	\$ 284	\$ 280	\$ 252	\$ 193	\$ 321	\$ 285	\$ 292
(e) "EBITDA" is defined as the sum of net income (loss) before extraordinary charges, interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA is presented because it is used by us, and we believe it is frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties, in addition to and not in lieu of GAAP results, to compare the performance of companies. EBITDA is not a measurement of financial performance under generally accepted accounting principles and should not be considered as an alternative to cash flow from operating activities or as a measure of liquidity or an alternative to net income as indicators of our operating performance or any other measures of performance derived in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. EBITDA is calculated as follows:									
Net Income	\$ 15,920	\$ 20,290	\$ 11,835	\$ 6,768	\$ 11,117	\$ 18,691	\$ 7,286	\$ 4,954	\$ 10,105
Add: Extraordinary charge-net of tax	_	_		_	_			_	_
Income Tax Expense (benefit)	5,537	5,773	2,135	(549)	(847)	451	(215)	(280)	2,832
Interest expense, net	4,733	4,824	5,195	5,093	5,036	5,770	5,572	5,284	5,449
Depreciation and amortization	8,653	8,098	8,427	8,014	8,052	8,050	7,517	7,094	7,135
Minus:									
Amortization of capitalized financing costs	318	177	284	280	252	193	321	285	292
EBITDA	\$ 34,525	\$ 38,808	\$ 27,308	\$ 19,046	\$ 23,106	\$ 32,769	\$ 19,839	\$ 16,767	\$ 25,229

Pilgrim's Pride Corporation Net Sales by Primary Market Line for Quarters Ended:

The following table sets forth, for the quarterly periods including and since fiscal 2000, net sales attributable to each of our primary product lines and markets served with those products. We based the table on our internal sales reports and their classification of product types and customers. The information in these tables should be read in conjunction with the information in our SEC filings, including the discussion of our primary product lines and markets served with those products included in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K.

	June 28, 2003	March 29, 2003	December 28, 2002	September 28, 2002	June 29, 2002	Mar 30 2002	Dec 29 2001	Sept 29, 2001
Chicken Sales:								
United States								
Prepared Foods:								
Foodservice	\$175,493	\$184,802	\$170,048	\$170,700	\$171,568	\$161,171	\$156,417	\$166,891
Retail	\$ 43,343	\$ 41,202	\$ 35,425	\$ 41,357	\$ 44,438	\$ 37,691	\$ 34,813	\$ 32,204
Total Prepared Foods	\$218,835	\$226,004	\$205,473	\$212,057	\$216,006	\$198,862 ———	\$191,230 ———	\$199,095 ———
Fresh Chicken:								
Foodservice	\$124,290	\$107,250	\$101,749	\$109,058	\$115,080	\$107,795	\$116,444	\$121,700
Retail	\$ 63,863	\$ 65,405	\$ 59,668	\$ 68,505	\$ 68,619	\$ 63,113	\$ 58,187	\$ 65,925
Total Fresh Chicken	\$188,153	\$172,655 ———	\$161,417 ———	\$177,563	\$183,699	\$170,907	\$174,632	\$187,625
Export and Other								
Prepared Foods	\$ 7,816	\$ 6,494	\$ 5,213	\$ 7,905	\$ 7,839	\$ 7,360	\$ 7,423	\$ 6,290
Chicken-Other	\$ 21,043	\$ 17,341	\$ 17,931	\$ 19,861	\$ 19,782	\$ 21,479	\$ 32,453	\$ 34,179
Total Export and Other	\$ 28,859	\$ 23,835	\$ 23,145	\$ 27,767	\$ 27,621	\$ 28,839	\$ 39,877	\$ 40,469
Total U.S. Chicken	\$435,847	\$422,493	\$390,035	\$417,387	\$427,325	\$398,609	\$405,738	\$427,189
Mexico:(b)	\$ 88,601	\$ 90,247	\$ 88,091	\$ 81,260	\$ 80,308	\$ 75,674	\$ 86,528	\$ 76,055
Total Chicken Sales	\$524,448	\$512,740	\$478,126	\$498,647	\$507,632	\$474,282	\$492,266	\$503,244
Total Prepared Foods	226,651	232,498	210,686	219,963	223,845	206,222	\$198,653	\$205,385
Turkey Sales:								
Prepared Foods:	A 10.050	<b>*</b> 24400	<b>A.</b> 2.4.400	# 00 M00	# 00 <b>#</b> 00	# D. ( DOD	<b>*</b> 44 400	# 20 01 F
Foodservice	\$ 18,658	\$ 24,100	\$ 24,198	\$ 29,729	\$ 29,732	\$ 34,082	\$ 41,109	\$ 30,915
Retail	\$ 8,455 ———	\$ 6,394	\$ 5,013 ———	\$ 14,284 ———	\$ 14,723	\$ 11,803	\$ 13,829	\$ 18,235
Total Prepared Foods	\$ 27,112	\$ 30,495	\$ 29,211	\$ 44,013	\$ 44,454	\$ 45,884	\$ 54,938	\$ 49,150
Fresh Turkey:								
Foodservice	\$ 12,114	\$ 13,545	\$ 12,568	\$ 9,797	\$ 5,561	\$ 7,970	\$ 12,792	\$ 6,911
Retail	\$ 29,993	\$ 15,507	\$ 49,401	\$ 25,402	\$ 23,585	\$ 15,498	\$ 43,097	\$ 27,898
Total Fresh Turkey	\$ 42,107	\$ 29,052	\$ 61,969	\$ 35,199	\$ 29,146	\$ 23,468	\$ 55,888	\$ 34,809
Export and Other	d 202	Ø 40C	d 505	C 511	d 450	ф <b>г</b> С4	ф. 4.44O	d 054
Prepared Foods	\$ 293	\$ 486	\$ 785	\$ 711	\$ 473	\$ 564	\$ 1,110	\$ 851
Turkey-Other	\$ 2,777	\$ 2,376	\$ 2,414	\$ 2,910	\$ 2,582	\$ 2,310	\$ 4,468	\$ 3,805
Total Export and Other	\$ 3,070	\$ 2,862	\$ 3,199	\$ 3,621	\$ 3,055	\$ 2,874	\$ 5,578	\$ 4,656
Total Turkey Sales	\$ 72,289	\$ 62,408	\$ 94,379	\$ 82,833	\$ 76,656	\$ 72,226	\$116,404	\$ 88,615
Total Prepared Foods	\$ 27,405	\$ 30,981	\$ 29,995	\$ 44,724	\$ 44,927	\$ 46,448	\$ 56,048	\$ 50,001
Sale of Other Products	¢ 40.010	\$ 52,801	¢ 40 F22	\$ 52,846	\$ 48,330	\$ 49,543	\$ 42,972	\$ 45,843
U.S Mexico (b)	\$ 49,819 \$ 5,321	\$ 2,644	\$ 48,523 \$ 6,377	\$ 52,846	\$ 4,498	\$ 49,545	\$ 4,388	\$ 3,548
Total Other Products	\$ 55,140	\$ 55,445	\$ 54,900	\$ 58,340	\$ 52,828	\$ 54,245	\$ 47,360	\$ 49,391
Total Net Sales	\$651,877	\$630,592	\$627,405	\$639,819	\$637,116	\$600,753	\$656,030	\$641,249
Amounts reclassified by quarter were:			\$ —	\$ 123	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 7

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Fiscal Quarters ended		Fiscal	Quarters	ended
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(in thousands)

		June 30, 2001	Mar 31, 2001 (a)	Dec 30, 2000	Sept 30, 2000	July 1, 2000	April 1, 2000	Jan 1, 2000
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Chicken Sales:

United States
Prepared Foods:

Foodservice Retail		\$156,859 \$ 30,350	\$160,349 \$ 26,029	\$147,975 \$ 14,618	\$145,294 \$ 16,661	\$165,577 \$ 8,874	\$139,859 \$ 10,698	\$138,665 \$ 11,422
Total Pr	repared Foods	\$187,209	\$186,378 ———	\$162,593 ———	\$161,955 ———	\$174,451 ———	\$150,557 	\$150,087 
Fresh Chicken:								
Foodservice		\$165,413	\$ 62,047	\$ 38,464	\$ 46,205	\$ 54,691	\$ 51,951	\$ 49,345
Retail		\$ 43,974	\$ 78,608	\$ 36,187	\$ 37,673	\$ 39,758	\$ 37,021	\$ 34,525
Total F	resh Chicken	\$209,386	\$140,655 ———	\$ 74,651	\$ 83,878	\$ 94,449	\$ 88,972	\$ 83,870
Export and Other								
Prepared Foo	ds	\$ 6,450	\$ 4,793	\$ 1,379	\$ 1,466	\$ 1,378	\$ 1,050	\$ 701
Chicken-Othe		\$ 19,939	\$ 24,514	\$ 27,203	\$ 16,250	\$ 12,695	\$ 13,108	\$ 15,519
Chicken Other	-1	Ψ 15,555	Ψ 24,014	\$ 27,200	Ψ 10,250	Ψ 12,055	Ψ 15,100	Ψ 15,515
Total Exp	ort and Other	\$ 26,389	\$ 29,307	\$ 28,582	\$ 17,716	\$ 14,073	\$ 14,158	\$ 16,221
Total	U.S. Chicken	\$422,984	\$356,340	\$265,826	\$263,549	\$282,973	\$253,687	\$250,178
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Mexico:(b)		\$ 84,078	\$ 70,447	\$ 72,853	\$ 73,176	\$ 75,686	\$ 71,804	\$ 64,939
Total C	Chicken Sales	\$507,063	\$426,787	\$338,679	\$336,725	\$358,659	\$325,491	\$315,117
Total Pre	pared Foods	\$193,659	\$191,172	\$163,972	\$163,421	\$175,829	\$151,607	\$150,788
Turkey Sales:		,,	, ,	,,	,,	, ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	, ,,,,	, ,
Prepared Foods:								
Foodservice		\$ 38,535	\$ 18,561	_	_	_	_	_
Retail		\$ 15,970	\$ 14,477	_	_	_	_	_
Total Pr	epared Foods	\$ 54,504	\$ 33,038	_	_	_	_	_
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Fresh Turkey:								
Foodservice		\$ 6,141	\$ 5,567	_	_	_	_	_
Retail		\$ 22,947	\$ 20,802	_	_	_	_	_
Total	Fresh Turkey	\$ 29,088	\$ 26,369	_	_	_	_	_
	9	<u> </u>	<u> </u>					
Export and Other					_	_	_	
Export and Other Prepared Foo	de	\$ 941	\$ 641			_		_
Turkey-Other		\$ 2,846	\$ 2,792	_	_	_	_	_
Turkey-Other		\$ 2,040	\$ 2,732	_	_	_	_	_
Total Exp	ort and Other	\$ 3,788	\$ 3,433	_	_	_	_	_
Total '	Turkey Sales	\$ 87,380	\$ 62,840	_	_	_	_	_
<b>Total Pre</b> Sale of Other Prod	epared Foods	\$ 55,446	\$ 33,679	_	_			
U.S	ucið	\$ 45,719	\$ 46,569	\$ 41,725	\$ 36,706	\$ 27,940	\$ 42,843	\$ 34,201
Mexico (b)		\$ 5,674	\$ 5,397	\$ 5,627	\$ 5,945	\$ 5,380	\$ 4,926	\$ 5,507
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Total C	ther Products	\$ 51,393	\$ 51,966	\$ 47,353	\$ 42,650	\$ 33,320	\$ 47,769	\$ 39,708
Total Net Sales		\$645,836	\$541,593	\$386,032	\$379,375	\$391,979	\$373,260	\$354,825
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Amounts reclassified by	quarter		ф 10		<b>.</b>	d 100	<b>d</b> 424	φ
were:		\$ 11	\$ 10	\$ 10	\$ 146	\$ 132	\$ 121	\$ 135

<sup>(</sup>a) The acquisition of WLR Foods has been accounted for as a purchase, and the results of operations for this acquisition have been included in our consolidated results of operations since January 27, 2001, the acquisition date.

<sup>(</sup>b) Certain item previously classified under Mexico have been reclassified under sale of other products-Mexico.

# Fiscal Quarters ended

	June 28, 2003	March 29, 2003	December 28, 2002	September 28, 2002	June 29, 2002	Mar 30 2002	Dec 29 2001	Sept 29, 2001
				(in thousan	nds)			
hicken Sales:				(iii cirousuii	143)			
U.S. Chicken Sales:								
Prepared Foods:								
Foodservice	40.3%	43.7%	43.6%	40.9%	40.1%	40.4%	38.6%	39.1%
Retail	9.9%	9.8%	9.1%	9.9%	10.4%	9.5%	8.6%	7.5%
Total Prepared Foods	50.2%	53.5%	52.7%	50.8%	50.5%	49.9%	47.1%	46.6%
Total Flepaled Foods	30.270	33.370	32.770	30.070	30.370	49.970	47.170	40.070
Fresh Chicken:								
Foodservice	28.5%	25.4%	26.1%	26.1%	26.9%	27.0%	28.7%	28.5%
Retail	14.7%	15.5%	15.3%	16.4%	16.1%	15.8%	14.3%	15.49
Total Fresh Chicken	43.2%	40.9%	41.4%	42.5%	43.0%	42.9%	43.0%	43.9%
Export and Other	43.270	40.970	41.470	42.370	43.070	42.970	1.8%	43.37
Prepared Foods	1.8%	1.5%	1.3%	1.9%	1.8%	1.8%	1.8%	1.5%
Chicken-Other	4.8%	4.1%	4.6%	4.8%	4.6%	5.4%	8.0%	8.09
Chicken-Other	4.0%	4.1%	4.0%	4.0%	4.0%	5.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Export and Other	6.6%	5.6%	5.9%	6.7%	6.5%	7.2%	9.8%	9.5%
Total U.S. Chicken	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
ırkey Sales:								
U.S. Turkey Sales:								
Prepared Foods:								
Foodservice	25.8%	38.6%	25.6%	35.9%	38.8%	47.2%	35.3%	34.99
Retail	11.7%	10.2%	5.3%	17.2%	19.2%	16.3%	11.9%	20.69
Total Prepared Foods	37.5%	48.9%	31.0%	53.1%	58.0%	63.5%	47.2%	55.59
Total Flepaled Foods	37.370	40.970	31.070	33.170	30.070	03.370	47.270	33.37
Fresh Turkey:								
Foodservice	16.8%	21.7%	13.3%	11.8%	7.3%	11.0%	11.0%	7.89
Retail	41.5%	24.8%	52.3%	30.7%	30.8%	21.5%	37.0%	31.59
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Total Fresh Turkey Export and Other	58.2%	46.6%	65.7%	42.5%	38.0%	32.5%	48.0%	39.3%
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Prepared Foods Turkey-Other	0.4% 3.8%	0.8% 3.8%	0.8% 2.6%	0.9% 3.5%	0.6% 3.4%	0.8% 3.2%	1.0% 3.8%	1.09 4.39
Turkey-Other	3.0%	3.0%	2.0%	3.5%	3.4%	3.2%	3.0%	4.3%
Export and Other	4.2%	4.6%	3.4%	4.4%	4.0%	4.0%	4.8%	5.3%
Export and Other  Total U.S. Turkey	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Total U.S. Turkey								

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# Fiscal Quarters ended

	June 30, 2001	Mar 31, 2001 (a)	Dec 30, 2000	Sept 30, 2000	July 1, 2000	April 1, 2000	Jan 1, 2000
				(in thousands)			
Chicken Sales:							
U.S. Chicken Sales:							
Prepared Foods:							
Foodservice	37.1%	45.0%	55.7%	55.1%	58.5%	55.1%	55.4%
Retail	7.2%	7.3%	5.5%	6.3%	3.1%	4.2%	4.6%
Total Prepared Foods	44.3%	52.3%	61.2%	61.5%	61.6%	59.3%	60.0%
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Fresh Chicken:							
Fresn Cnicken: Foodservice	39.1%	17.4%	14.5%	17.5%	19.3%	20.5%	19.7%
Retail	10.4%	22.1%	13.6%	14.3%	14.1%	14.6%	13.8%
Retail	10.4%	22.1%	13.0%	14.5%	14.1%	14.0%	13.0%
Total Fresh Chicken	49.5%	39.5%	28.1%	31.8%	33.4%	35.1%	33.5%
Export and Other							
Prepared Foods	1.5%	1.3%	0.5%	0.6%	0.5%	0.4%	0.3%
Chicken-Other	4.7%	6.9%	10.2%	6.2%	4.5%	5.2%	6.2%
Export and Other	6.2%	8.2%	10.8%	6.7%	5.0%	5.6%	6.5%
Total U.S. Chicken	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
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urkey Sales:							
U.S. Turkey Sales:							
Prepared Foods:							
Foodservice	44.1%	29.5%	_	_	_	_	_
Retail	18.3%	23.0%	_	_	_	_	_
Total Prepared Foods	62.4%	52.6%	_	_	_	_	_
Fresh Turkey:							
Foodservice	7.0%	8.9%	_	_	_	_	_
Retail	26.3%	33.1%	_	_	_	_	_

Total Fresh Turkey Export and Other	33.3%	42.0%	_	_	_	_	_
Prepared Foods	1.1%	1.0%	_	_	_	_	_
Turkey-Other	3.3%	4.4%	_	_	_	_	_
Export and Other	4.3%	5.5%	_	_	_	_	_
Total U.S. Turkey	100.0%	100.0%	_	_	_	_	_

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	06/28/03	03/29/03	12/28/02	09/28/02	06/29/02	03/30/02	12/29/01
United States							
Chicken Operations:							
U.S. Chicken Sales (000's)	\$435,848	\$422,493	\$390,034	\$417,387	\$427,325	\$398,608	\$405,738
U.S. Chicken Sales divided by U.S Chicken Net	,				,	,	
Pounds Produced	\$ 0.6924	\$ 0.7255	\$ 0.6617	\$ 0.6883	\$ 0.6934	\$ 0.6872	\$ 0.7075
U.S. Chicken Net Pounds Produced (000's)	629,496	582,383	589,433	606,383	616,274	580,037	573,464
Other Operations:	,	,	,	,	,	,	, -
Other Sales (000's)	49,819	52,801	48,523	52,846	48,330	49,543	42,972
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales Totals:	.0,020	02,002	,	02,010	,	10,0 10	,
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales (000's)	485,667	475,294	438,557	470,233	475,655	448,151	448,710
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income (000's)	26,734	1,628	(10,379)	4,442	13,138	3,701	9,355
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income as a percent	,	-,	(==,===)	-,	,	-,	-,
of U.S. Chicken & Other Sales	5.50%	0.34%	-2.37%	0.94%	2.76%	0.83%	2.08%
Turkey	0.007.0	0.0 1,0	_10.70	0.0		0.00,0	_,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
U.S. Turkey Sales (000's)	72,289	62,407	94,379	82,832	76,656	72,226	116,404
U.S. Turkey Sales divided by U.S Turkey Net Pounds	,	. , .	- /	- /	-,	, -	-, -
Produced	\$ 0.6617	\$ 0.5672	\$ 0.9047	\$ 0.8353	\$ 0.7304	\$ 0.6222	\$ 1.0311
U.S. Turkey Operating Income (000's)	(19,726)	(15,403)	(14,268)	(10,883)	(5,614)	(7,559)	5,503
U.S. Turkey Operating Income as a percent of U.S.	( - / - /	( - , )	( ,,	( -//	(-/- /	( //	-,
Turkey Sales	-27.29%	-24.68%	-15.12%	-13.14%	-7.32%	-10.47%	4.73%
U.S. Turkey Net Pounds Produced (000's)	109,252	110,024	104,321	99,165	104,946	116,074	112,896
U.S. Summary	,	· ·	· ·	· ·	,	,	,
U.S. Sales (000's)	557,956	537,701	532,936	553,065	552,311	520,377	565,114
U.S. Cost of Sales (000's)	522,326	522,291	517,183	531,360	517,671	0	522,513
U.S. Gross Margin (000's)	35,630	15,410	15,753	21,705	34,640	23,081	42,601
U.S. Gross Margin as a percent of U.S. Sales	6.39%	2.87%	2.96%	3.92%	6.27%	4.44%	7.54%
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	28,622	29,185	26,013	28,146	27,116	26,939	27,743
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses as a							
percent of U.S Sales	5.13%	5.43%	4.88%	5.09%	4.91%	5.18%	4.91%
U.S. Operating Income (000's)	7,008	(13,775)	(10,260)	(6,441)	7,524	(3,858)	14,858
U.S. Operating Income as a percent of U.S. Sales	1.26%	-2.56%	-1.93%	-1.16%	1.36%	-0.74%	2.63%
Mexico							
Chicken Operations:							
Mexico Chicken Sales (000's)(C)	88,600	90,247	88,092	81,260	80,307	75,674	86,528
Mexico Chicken Sales divided by Mexico Chicken Net Pounds							
Produced	\$ 0.6175	\$ 0.5759	\$ 0.5898	\$ 0.5984	\$ 0.6177	\$ 0.5820	\$ 0.5812
Mexico Other Operations:							
Mexico Other Sales (000's) (c)	5,321	2,644	6,377	5,494	4,498	4,702	4,388
Mexico Chicken Operating Income (000's)	8,830	3,872	6,214	3,276	5,831	(514)	8,471
Mexico Operating Income as a percent of Mexico Chicken		1			,	, ,	,
Sales	9.40%	4.17%	6.58%	3.78%	6.88%	-0.64%	9.32%

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	09/29/01	06/30/01	03/31/01(a)	12/30/00	09/30/00	07/01/00	04/01/00
United States							
Chicken Operations:							
U.S. Chicken Sales (000's)	\$427,191	\$422,985	\$356,341	\$265,824	\$263,549	\$282,973	\$253,687
U.S. Chicken Sales divided by U.S Chicken Net Pounds	4,	<b>+</b> ,	4000,012	4-00,0-	4_00,010	4-0-,0:0	4200,000
Produced	\$ 0.7470	\$ 0.7232	\$ 0.7096	\$ 0.7221	\$ 0.7173	\$ 0.7187	\$ 0.6624
U.S. Chicken Net Pounds Produced (000's)	571,867	584,896	502,173	368,143	367,431	393,755	382,955
Other Operations:							
Other Sales (000's)	45,843	45,719	46,568	41,725	36,706	27,940	42,843
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales Totals:							
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales (000's)	473,034	468,704	402,909	307,552	300,255	310,913	296,530
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income (000's)	27,700	26,822	1,795	18,436	8,411	12,909	3,502
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income as a percent of							
U.S. Chicken & Other Sales	5.86%	5.72%	0.45%	5.99%	2.80%	4.15%	1.18%
Turkey							
U.S. Turkey Sales (000's)	88,615	87,380	62,840	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Sales divided by U.S Turkey Net Pounds							
Produced	\$ 0.7896	\$ 0.7875	\$ 0.8282	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Operating Income (000's)	2,406	3,750	(1,867)	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Operating Income as a percent of U.S.							
Turkey Sales	2.72%	4.29%	-2.97%	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Net Pounds Produced (000's)	112,233	110,958	75,879	_	_	_	_
U.S. Summary							
U.S. Sales (000's)	561,649	556,084	465,749	307,552	300,255	310,913	296,530
U.S. Cost of Sales (000's)	507,112	501,065	436,038	270,315	273,604	282,676	276,987
U.S. Gross Margin (000's)	54,537	55,019	29,711	37,237	26,651	28,237	19,543
U.S. Gross Margin as a percent of U.S. Sales	9.71%	9.89%	6.38%	12.11%	8.88%	9.08%	6.59%
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	24,431	24,448	29,783	18,801	18,240	15,328	16,041
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses as a							
percent of U.S Sales	4.35%	4.40%	6.39%	6.11%	6.07%	4.93%	5.41%
U.S. Operating Income (000's)	30,106	30,571	(72)	18,436	8,411	12,909	3,502
U.S. Operating Income as a percent of U.S. Sales	5.36%	5.50%	-0.02%	5.99%	2.80%	4.15%	1.18%
Mexico							

Chicken Operations:							
Mexico Chicken Sales (000's)(C)	76,054	84,078	70,447	72,853	73,176	75,686	71,804
Mexico Chicken Sales divided by Mexico Chicken Net Pounds							
Produced	\$ 0.5455	\$ 0.6411	\$ 0.5039	\$ 0.5222	\$ 0.5634	\$ 0.6585	\$ 0.6309
Mexico Other Operations:							
Mexico Other Sales (000's) (c)	3,548	5,674	5,397	5,627	5,945	5,380	4,926
Mexico Chicken Operating Income (000's)	1,011	13,767	(5,201)	2,580	7,225	13,439	9,779
Mexico Operating Income as a percent of Mexico Chicken							
Sales	1.27%	15.34%	-6.86%	3.29%	9.13%	16.58%	12.74%

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Mexico Net Pounds Produced (000's)	143,474	156,717	149,356	135,789	130,012	130,027	148,876
Consolidated Operations	2.0,	200,121	2 10,000	200,100	,	,	- 10,0.0
Chicken Operations:							
Chicken Sales from all Divisions (000's)	524,448	512,740	478,126	498,647	507,632	474,282	492,266
Chicken Sales from all divisions divided by Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all							
Divisions	\$ 0.6785	\$ 0.6937	\$ 0.6472	\$ 0.6719	\$ 0.6802	\$ 0.6679	\$ 0.6815
Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all Divisions (000's)	772,970	739,100	738,789	742,172	746,286	710,064	722,340
Other Operations:							
Other Sales (000's)(C)	55,140	55,445	54,900	58,340	52,828	54,245	47,360
Totals All Operations:							
Total Net Sales (000's)	651,877	630,592	627,405	639,819	637,116	600,753	656,030
Total Cost of Sales (000's)	600,932	604,919	599,406	608,213	590,808	572,122	598,166
Gross Margin from all operations (000's)	50,945	25,673	27,999	31,606	46,308	28,631	57,864
Gross Margin from all operations as a							
percent of Total Net Sales	7.82%	4.07%	4.46%	4.94%	7.27%	4.77%	8.82%
Total Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	35,107	35,576	32,045	34,771	32,953	33,003	34,535
Total Selling, General and Administrative							
Expenses as a percent of Total Net Sales	5.39%	5.64%	5.11%	5.43%	5.17%	5.49%	5.26%
Operating Income from all operations (000's)	15,838	(9,903)	(4,046)	(3,165)	13,355	(4,372)	23,329
Operating Income from all operations as							
a percent of Total Net Sales	2.43%	1.57%	-0.64%	-0.49%	2.10%	-0.73%	3.56%
Avian Influenza Reimbursement (000's)	67	1,749	14,301	_	_	_	_
Vitamin Settlements (000's)	10,235	9,564	86	65	691	_	_
Total Adjustments (000'S)	10,302	11,313	14,387	65	691	_	_
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey Operating							
Income (000's)	26,140	1,410	10,341	(3,100)	14,046	(4,372)	23,329
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey							
Income as a percent of Total Net Sales	4.01%	0.22%	1.65%	-0.48%	2.20%	-0.73%	3.56%
(a) The acquisition of WLR Foods has been accounted for as acquisition date.	a purchase, and the i	results of operations for	or this acquisition hav	e been included in ou	r consolidated results	of operations since Ja	nuary 27, 2001, the
(b) 14 week Quarter.							
(c) Certain item previously classified under Mexico have been Amounts reclassified by quarter were:	n reclassified under s	sale of other products-	Mexico.	\$ 123	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —

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Amounts reclassified by quarter were:

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#### Quarters Ended

	09/29/01	06/30/01	03/31/01(a)	12/30/00	09/30/00	07/01/00	04/01/00
Mexico Net Pounds Produced (000's)	139,415	131,152	139,799	139,510	129,877	114,931	113,805
Consolidated Operations	100,110	101,102	100,700	100,010	120,077	11 ,,001	115,005
Chicken Operations:							
Chicken Sales from all Divisions (000's)	503,245	507,063	426,788	338,677	336,725	358,659	325,491
Chicken Sales from all divisions divided by Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all	,	ŕ	ŕ	,	,	,	Í
Divisions	\$ 0.7075	\$ 0.7081	\$ 0.6648	\$ 0.6671	\$ 0.6771	\$ 0.7051	\$ 0.6552
Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all Divisions (000's)	711,282	716,048	641,972	507,653	497,308	508,686	496,760
Other Operations:							
Other Sales (000's)(C)	49,391	51,393	51,965	47,352	42,651	33,320	47,769
Totals All Operations:							
Total Net Sales (000's)	641,251	645,836	541,593	386,032	379,375	391,979	373,260
Total Cost of Sales (000's)	579,307	571,360	512,377	341,061	339,718	345,314	339,231
Gross Margin from all operations (000's)	61,944	74,476	29,216	44,971	39,658	46,665	34,029
Gross Margin from all operations as a							
percent of Total Net Sales	9.66%	11.53%	5.39%	11.65%	10.45%	11.90%	9.12%
Total Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	30,827	30,138	34,488	23,955	24,022	20,316	20,747
Total Selling, General and Administrative							
Expenses as a percent of Total Net Sales	4.81%	4.67%	6.37%	6.21%	6.33%	5.18%	5.56%
Operating Income from all operations (000's)	31,117	44,338	(5,272)	21,016	15,636	26,349	13,282
Operating Income from all operations as							
a percent of Total Net Sales	4.85%	6.87%	-0.97%	5.44%	4.12%	6.72%	3.56%
Avian Influenza Reimbursement (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Vitamin Settlements (000's)	_	1,149	_	2,195	_	_	_
Total Adjustments (000'S)	_	1,149	_	2,195	_	_	_
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey Operating							
Income (000's)	31,117	45,487	(5,272)	23,211	15,636	26,349	13,282
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey							
Income as a percent of Total Net Sales	4.85%	7.04%	-0.97%	6.01%	4.12%	6.72%	3.56%
(a) The acquisition of WLR Foods has been accounted for as acquisition date.	a purchase, and the	results of operations	for this acquisition hav	e been included in ou	r consolidated results	of operations since Ja	nuary 27, 2001, the

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	01/01/00	10/02/99	07/03/99	04/03/99	01/02/99(b)	06/26/98	06/27/98
United States							
Chicken Operations:							
U.S. Chicken Sales (000's)	\$250,178	\$249,181	\$254,794	\$236,673	\$222,848	\$243,772	\$228,719
U.S. Chicken Sales divided by U.S Chicken Net Pounds	,, -	· -, -	, - , -	,,	, ,	, -,	, -, -
Produced	\$ 0.7140	\$ 0.7220	\$ 0.7317	\$ 0.6953	\$ 0.6517	\$ 0.7828	\$ 0.7196
U.S. Chicken Net Pounds Produced (000's)	350,409	345,141	348,232	340,387	341,931	311,428	317,849
Other Operations:	000,	0.0,2.2	0.0,202	0.10,000	0.1,001	0-2, 1-0	02.,010
Other Sales (000's)	34,201	32,151	26,461	36,690	44,105	34,391	32,656
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales Totals:	5 1,201	02,101	20,101	50,050	. 1,100	5 1,551	52,050
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales (000's)	284,379	281,332	281,255	273,363	266.953	278.163	261,375
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income (000's)	21,106	25,619	22,076	21,741	18,741	22,266	8,434
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income as a percent of	21,100	25,015	22,070	21,771	10,741	22,200	0,404
U.S. Chicken & Other Sales	7.42%	9.11%	7.85%	7.95%	7.02%	8.00%	3.23%
Turkey	7.4270	5.1170	7.0570	7.5570	7.0270	0.0070	5.2570
U.S. Turkey Sales (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Sales divided by U.S Turkey Net Pounds							
Produced	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Operating Income (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	
U.S. Turkey Operating Income as a percent of U.S.							
Turkey Sales	_						
U.S. Turkey Net Pounds Produced (000's)							
U.S. Summary							
U.S. Sales (000's)	284,379	281,332	281,255	273,363	266,953	278,163	261,375
U.S. Cost of Sales (000's)	247,149	242,313	243,018	234,533	234.667	244.055	241,956
U.S. Gross Margin (000's)	37,230	39.019	38,236	38,830	32,287	34,108	19.419
U.S. Gross Margin (600 s) U.S. Gross Margin as a percent of U.S. Sales	13.09%	13.87%	13.59%	14.20%	12.09%	12.26%	7.43%
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	16.124	13,399	16,160	17,089	13,545	11,842	10,985
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (600 s)	10,124	13,399	10,100	17,009	13,343	11,042	10,903
percent of U.S Sales	5.67%	4.76%	5.75%	6.25%	5.07%	4.26%	4.20%
U.S. Operating Income (000's)	21.106	25.619	22.076	21.741	18.741	22.266	8.434
U.S. Operating Income as a percent of U.S. Sales	7.42%	9.11%	7.85%	7.95%	7.02%	8.00%	3,23%
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Chicken Operations:							
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Mexico Chicken Sales (000's)(C)	64,939	60,244	57,870	51,805	63,613	55,508	59,945
Mexico Chicken Sales divided by Mexico Chicken Net Pounds Produced	C 0 5141	¢ 0.4740	¢ 0.5505	¢ 0.5000	¢ 0 =022	¢ 0.000E	Ø 0.C401
	\$ 0.5141	\$ 0.4746	\$ 0.5505	\$ 0.5290	\$ 0.5022	\$ 0.6025	\$ 0.6491
Mexico Other Operations:	E E0E	E COE	E 02E	4.50.0	E E00	E 0.40	E 400
Mexico Other Sales (000's) (c)	5,507	5,685	5,035	4,726	5,522	7,040	7,180
Mexico Chicken Operating Income (000's)	4,116	3,195	7,136	3,551	7,445	9,178	10,608
Mexico Operating Income as a percent of Mexico Chicken Sales	5.84%	4.85%	11.34%	6.28%	10.77%	14.67%	15.80%
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	3/28/98	12/27/97	09/27/97	6/28/97	03/29/97	12/28/96
United States						
Chicken Operations:						
U.S. Chicken Sales (000's)	\$218,268	\$218,634	\$233,779	\$227,111	\$204,128	\$193,147
U.S. Chicken Sales divided by U.S Chicken Net Pounds						
Produced	\$ 0.6908	\$ 0.6816	\$ 0.7017	\$ 0.6926	\$ 0.7090	\$ 0.7163
U.S. Chicken Net Pounds Produced (000's)	315,948	320,773	333,184	327,928	287,915	269,655
Other Operations:						
Other Sales (000's)	36,074	40,942	34,382	33,619	38,095	38,391
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales Totals:						
U.S. Chicken Sales & Other Sales (000's)	254,342	259,576	268,161	260,730	242,223	231,538
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income (000's)	3,104	2,473	10,300	4,622	4,031	10,369
U.S. Chicken & Other Operating Income as a percent of U.S.						
Chicken & Other Sales	1.22%	0.95%	3.84%	1.77%	1.66%	4.48%
Turkey						
U.S. Turkey Sales (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Sales divided by U.S Turkey Net Pounds						
Produced	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Operating Income (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Operating Income as a percent of U.S. Turkey						
Sales	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Turkey Net Pounds Produced (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_
U.S. Summary						
U.S. Sales (000's)	254,342	259,576	268,161	260,730	242,223	231,538
U.S. Cost of Sales (000's)	239,915	246,985	253,014	244,820	227,462	210,213
U.S. Gross Margin (000's)	14,427	12,591	15,147	15,910	14,761	21,325
U.S. Gross Margin as a percent of U.S. Sales	5.67%	4.85%	5.65%	6.10%	6.09%	9.21%
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	11,323	10,118	4,847	11,288	10,730	10,956
U.S. Selling, General and Administrative Expenses as a percent of U.S Sales	4.45%	3.90%	1.81%	4.33%	4.43%	4.73%
U.S. Operating Income (000's)	3,104	2,473	10,300	4,622	4,031	10,369
U.S. Operating Income as a percent of U.S. Sales	1.22%	0.95%	3.84%	1.77%	1.66%	4.48%
Mexico						
Chicken Operations:						

Mexico Chicken Sales (000's)(C)	63,333	78,311	73,113	74,438	61,178	66,268
Mexico Chicken Sales divided by Mexico Chicken Net Pounds						
Produced	\$ 0.6253	\$ 0.6803	\$ 0.6612	\$ 0.6916	\$ 0.5959	\$ 0.6538
Mexico Other Operations:						
Mexico Other Sales (000's) (c)	6,771	7,823				
Mexico Chicken Operating Income (000's)	8,294	12,898	14,993	8,005	5,630	5,945
Mexico Operating Income as a percent of Mexico Chicken Sales	11.83%	16.47%	20.51%	10.75%	9.20%	8.97%

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	01/01/00	10/02/99	07/03/99	04/03/99	U1/U2/99(b)	09/26/98	06/27/98
Mexico Net Pounds Produced (000's)	126,313	126,948	105,117	97,927	126,657	92,135	92,350
Consolidated Operations	-/	-/	,	- /-	-,	- ,	- /
Chicken Operations:							
Chicken Sales from all Divisions (000's)	315,117	309,425	312,664	288,478	286,461	299,280	288,664
Chicken Sales from all divisions divided by Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all							
Divisions	\$ 0.6610	\$ 0.6554	\$ 0.6897	\$ 0.6582	\$ 0.6113	\$ 0.7416	\$ 0.7037
Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all Divisions (000's)	476,722	472,089	453,349	438,314	468,588	403,563	410,199
Other Operations:							
Other Sales (000's)(C)	39,708	37,836	31,496	41,416	49,627	41,431	39,836
Totals All Operations:							
Total Net Sales (000's)	354,825	347,261	344,160	329,894	336,088	340,711	328,500
Total Cost of Sales (000's)	309,348	301,131	294,745	283,632	292,187	293,586	295,764
Gross Margin from all operations (000's)	45,477	46,131	49,415	46,262	43,900	47,125	32,736
Gross Margin from all operations as a							
percent of Total Net Sales	12.82%	13.28%	14.36%	14.02%	13.06%	13.83%	9.97%
Total Selling, General and Administrative Expenses (000's)	20,255	17,316	20,203	20,970	17,715	15,681	13,694
Total Selling, General and Administrative							
Expenses as a percent of Total Net Sales	5.71%	4.99%	5.87%	6.36%	5.27%	4.60%	4.17%
Operating Income from all operations (000's)	25,222	28,814	29,212	25,292	26,186	31,444	19,042
Operating Income from all operations as							
a percent of Total Net Sales	7.11%	8.30%	8.49%	7.67%	7.79%	9.23%	5.80%
Avian Influenza Reimbursement (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Vitamin Settlements (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Total Adjustments (000'S)	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey Operating							
Income (000's)	25,222	28,814	29,212	25,292	26,186	31,444	19,042
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey							
Income as a percent of Total Net Sales	7.11%	8.30%	8.49%	7.67%	7.79%	9.23%	5.80%
(a) The acquisition of WLR Foods has been accounted for as acquisition date.	a purchase, and the	results of operations	for this acquisition ha	ave been included in o	ur consolidated results	of operations since Ja	nuary 27, 2001, the
(b) 14 week Quarter.							
(c) Certain item previously classified under Mexico have bee	n reclassified under	sale of other products	s-Mexico.				
Amounts reclassified by quarter were:	\$ 135	\$ _	\$ —	s —	s —	s —	\$ —

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	03/28/98	12/27/97	09/27/97	6/28/97	03/29/97	12/28/96	
Mexico Net Pounds Produced (000's)	101,276	115,118	110,570	107,635	102,663	101,357	
Consolidated Operations							
Chicken Operations:	201 201	200 422	200.000	204 = 40	0.05 0.00	0=0.44=	
Chicken Sales from all Divisions (000's)  Chicken Sales from all divisions divided by  Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all	281,601	289,122	306,892	301,549	265,306	259,415	
Divisions	\$ 0.6749	\$ 0.6633	\$ 0.6916	\$ 0.6923	\$ 0.6793	\$ 0.6992	
Chicken Net Pounds Produced from all Divisions (000's)	417,224	435,891	443,754	435,563	390,578	371,012	
Other Operations:							
Other Sales (000's)(C)	42,845	48,765	34,382	33,619	38,095	38,391	
Totals All Operations:	,	-,	- /	,-	,	,	
Total Net Sales (000's)	324,446	337,887	341,274	335,168	303,401	297,806	
Total Cost of Sales (000's)	297,585	308,507	307,414	307,883	280,316	267,539	
Gross Margin from all operations (000's)	26,861	29,380	33,860	27,285	23,085	30,267	
Gross Margin from all operations as a	,	,		,		,	
percent of Total Net Sales	8.28%	8.70%	9.92%	8.14%	7.61%	10.16%	
Total Selling, General and Administrative Expenses	0.2070	21. 070	0.02.0				
(000's)	15,463	14,009	8,567	14,658	13,425	13,953	
Total Selling, General and Administrative	-5,	,	3,00	,	,	,	
Expenses as a percent of Total Net Sales	4.77%	4.15%	2.51%	4.37%	4.42%	4.69%	
Operating Income from all operations (000's)	11,398	15,371	25,293	12,627	9,660	16,314	
Operating Income from all operations as	,000	,		,	-,	,	
a percent of Total Net Sales	3.51%	4.55%	7.41%	3.77%	3.18%	5.48%	
Avian Influenza Reimbursement (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Vitamin Settlements (000's)	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Total Adjustments (000'S)	_	_	_	_	_	_	
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey Operating							
Income (000's)	11,398	15,371	25,293	12,627	9,660	16,314	
Consolidated Adjusted Chicken and Turkey	,	,	,	,	-,	,	
Income as a percent of Total Net Sales	3.51%	4.55%	7.41%	3.77%	3.18%	5.48%	
(a) The acquisition of WLR Foods has been accounted for as a purchase, and the results of operations for this acquisition have been included in our consolidated results of operations since							
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