

Hain Celestial Announces Record Fourth Quarter And Fiscal Year 2015 Net Sales And Earnings Per Diluted Share

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Fourth Quarter Net Sales Reach \$698.1 Million, a 20% Increase
Fiscal Year Net Sales Reach \$2.69 Billion, a 25% Increase
Adjusted Fiscal Year Net Sales Reach \$2.71 Billion, a 26% Increase
Fourth Quarter Earnings Per Diluted Share \$0.68, a 94% Increase
Adjusted Fourth Quarter Earnings Per Diluted Share \$0.55, a 22% Increase
Fiscal Year Earnings Per Diluted Share \$1.62, a 16% Increase
Adjusted Fiscal Year Earnings Per Diluted Share \$1.88, an 18% Increase
Fiscal Year 2016 Guidance
Net Sales of \$2.97 Billion to \$3.11 Billion
\$2.11 to \$2.26 Earnings Per Diluted Share

LAKE SUCCESS, N.Y., Aug. 18, 2015 /PRNewswire/ -- The Hain Celestial Group, Inc. (NASDAQ: HAIN), a leading organic and natural products company with operations in North America, Europe and India providing consumers with A Healthier Way of Life™, today reported results for its fourth quarter and fiscal year ended June 30, 2015.



PERFORMANCE HIGHLIGHTS

Fourth Quarter Fiscal Year 2015

- Record fourth quarter net sales of \$698.1 million, a 20% increase over the prior year period;
- Earnings per diluted share of \$0.68, a 94% increase; adjusted earnings per diluted share of \$0.55, a 22% increase;
- Operating income of \$74.7 million, 11% of net sales; adjusted operating income of \$90.3 million, 13% of net sales.

- Record net sales of \$2.69 billion, a 25% increase; adjusted net sales of \$2.71 billion, adjusted for the nut butter voluntary recall in August 2014, a 26% increase over the prior year period;
- Earnings per diluted share of \$1.62, a 16% increase; adjusted earnings per diluted share of \$1.88, an 18% increase;
- Operating income of \$237.7 million, 9% of net sales; adjusted operating income of \$314.1 million, 12% of net sales.

"We ended the year with record net sales and earnings growth fueled by strong worldwide demand for our diverse portfolio of leading organic and natural brands across many product categories, sales channels and geographies," said Irwin D. Simon, Founder, President and Chief Executive Officer of Hain Celestial. "We achieved these results while overcoming numerous challenges during the year including the largest voluntary recall in the Company's history, a fire that limited production for one of our largest brands and disruptions with some of our distributor and retail customers. Our global team did a tremendous job in both the fourth quarter and fiscal year with product innovation, controlling expenses, improving productivity and successfully integrating acquisitions by leveraging our infrastructure."

Fourth Quarter 2015

Hain Celestial US reported record fourth quarter net sales of \$332.8 million. In the United Kingdom, net sales were \$184.9 million, and the Rest of the World segment reported net sales of \$62.0 million, which also includes the recently acquired Belvedere International, Inc. in Canada with its Live Clean® brand. The Hain Pure Protein segment (HPPC) reported net sales of \$118.5 million, which includes the recently acquired Empire® brand of kosher foods. The Company had strong brand sales in constant currency led by certain global brands including Terra®, Tilda®, Imagine®, Earth's Best®, Avalon Organics® and Alba Botanica® with strong performance from Frank Cooper's®, Bearitos®, Rosetto®, Danival®, Lima®, Sensible Portions®, Hain Pure Foods® and Spectrum®. Net sales of Rudi's Organic Bakery®, Plainville Farms®, FreeBird®, Empire®, Kosher Valley® and Live Clean® brands acquired during or after the fourth quarter of fiscal year 2014 also contributed to the growth.

The Company earned net income from continuing operations of \$71.1 million, a 99% increase, and adjusted net income of \$57.2 million, a 24% increase, compared to the prior year fourth quarter. Earnings per diluted share for the fourth quarter were \$0.68, a 94% increase versus the prior year period, which includes a \$20.7 million tax benefit resulting from an election made during the quarter to change the tax status of one of the Company's international subsidiaries. On an adjusted basis earnings per diluted share for the fourth quarter were \$0.55, a 22% increase. Refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures in this press release for adjustments.

Fiscal Year 2015

Hain Celestial US reported record net sales of \$1.367 billion. In the United Kingdom, net sales were \$736.0 million, and the Rest of World segment reported net sales of \$226.5 million. Rest of World includes the recently acquired Live Clean® brand. HPPC, which includes the recently acquired Empire® brand of kosher foods, reported net sales of \$358.6 million. The Company had strong brand sales in constant currency led by global brands including Sensible Portions®, Natumi®, Terra®, Danival®, Garden of Eatin'®, Earth's Best®, Avalon Organics®, Alba Botanica® and Jason® with strong performance from Bearitos®, Westbrae® Earth's Best® and Frank Cooper's®. Net sales of Plainville Farms®, FreeBird®, Empire®, Kosher Valley® and Live Clean® brands acquired after fiscal year 2014 also contributed to the growth.

The Company earned net income from continuing operations of \$167.9 million, a 19% increase, and adjusted net income of \$193.9 million, a 22% increase, for the fiscal year. Earnings per diluted share for the fiscal year were \$1.62, a 16% increase, and on an adjusted basis were \$1.88, an 18% increase. Refer to Non-GAAP Financial Measures in this press release for adjustments.

Fiscal Year 2015 Achievements

The Company highlighted several of its accomplishments during fiscal year 2015:

- Completed three strategic acquisitions:
 - Hain Pure Protein Corporation (Plainville Farms® and FreeBird® brands);
 - EK Holdings, Inc. (Empire® Kosher and Kosher Valley® brands);
 - Belvedere International, Inc. (Live Clean® brand);
- Worldwide sales reached a record \$2.7 billion;
- Achieved record adjusted EBITDA of \$375 million;
- Hain Celestial US consumption measured by Nielsen of top 200 SKUs was up 11% with distribution up 5%;
- Introduced over 200 new innovative products worldwide;
- Delivered in excess of \$55 million in worldwide productivity savings.

"Our outlook for growth in fiscal 2016 and beyond remains robust. We believe Hain Celestial is well-positioned as the consumption of branded organic and natural products continues to rise and our distribution footprint further evolves on a global basis in both new and existing markets across our broad network of sales channels," concluded Irwin Simon.

Fiscal Year 2016 Guidance

The Company provided annual guidance for fiscal year 2016:

- Total net sales range of \$2.97 billion to \$3.11 billion, an increase of approximately 10% to 15% as compared to fiscal year 2015;
- Earnings range of \$2.11 to \$2.26 per diluted share, an increase of 12% to 20% as compared to fiscal year 2015.

Guidance is provided for continuing operations on a non-GAAP basis and excludes acquisition-related expenses, integration and restructuring charges, start-up costs, unrealized net foreign currency gains or losses, reserves for litigation matters and other non-recurring items, including any product recalls or market withdrawals, that have been or may be incurred during the Company's fiscal year 2016, which the Company will continue to identify as it reports its future financial results. Guidance excludes the impact of any future acquisitions.

Segment Results

The Company's operations are managed into the following segments: United States, United Kingdom, HPPC and Rest of World (comprised of Canada and Continental Europe).

The following is a summary of three months and twelve months results by reportable segment:

(dollars in thousands) NET SALES		United States	۲	United (ingdom		ain Pure Protein		Rest of World	Corporate Other	/		Total
Net sales -												
Three months ended 6/30/15	\$	332,776	\$	184,852	\$	118,504	\$	62,004	\$	-	\$	698,136
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Three months ended 6/30/14	\$	322,984	\$	200,469	\$	-	\$	60,375	\$	-	\$	583,828
% change - FY'15 net sales vs. FY'14 net sales *		3.0%		-7.8%				2.7%				19.6%

^{*} The calculated % change does not reflect the impact of the nut butter recall or foreign currency translation as compared to the prior period.

OPERATING INCOME Three months ended 6/30/15							
						\$	
Operating income	\$	58,870	\$ 16,604	\$ 9,974	\$ 5,778	(16,514)	\$ 74,712
Non-GAAP Adjustments (1)	\$	3,364	\$ 3,256	\$ 119	\$ -	\$ 8,869	\$ 15,608
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Adjusted operating income	\$	62,234	\$ 19,860	\$ 10,093	\$ 5,778	(7,645)	\$ 90,320
Adjusted operating income margin	-	18.7%	10.7%	8.5%	9.3%	<u> </u>	12.9%
Three months ended 6/30/14							
						\$	
Operating income	\$	46,286	\$ 20,383	\$ -	\$ 5,387	(12,033)	\$ 60,023
Non-GAAP Adjustments (1)	\$	6,000	\$ 7,302	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 583	\$ 13,885
•						\$	
Adjusted operating income	\$	52,286	\$ 27,685	\$ -	\$ 5,387	(11,450)	\$ 73,908

13.8%

8.9%

12.7%

16.2%

Adjusted operating income margin

(dollars in thousands)		United States		United (ingdom	ain Pure Protein	Rest of World		Corporate/ Other		Total	
NET SALES Net sales -		\$					\$			\$	
Twelve months ended 6/30/15		1,367,388	\$	735,996	\$ 358,582		226,549	\$	-	2,688,515	
Non-GAAP Adjustments (1)	\$	15,773	\$, -	\$ · -	\$	928	\$	-	\$ 16,701	
Adjusted net sales - Twelve months		\$					\$			\$	
ended 6/30/15		1,383,161	\$	735,996	\$ 358,582		227,477	\$	-	2,705,216	
Net sales - Twelve months ended		\$					\$				
6/30/14 ⁽²⁾		1,282,175	\$	637,454	\$ -		233,982	\$	-	\$ 2,153,611	
% change - FY'15 adjusted net sales vs. FY'14 net sales		7.9%		15.5%			-2.8%			25.6%	
OPERATING INCOME Twelve months ended 6/30/15									\$		
Operating income	\$	199,901	\$	46,222	\$ 26.479	\$	16,438		φ (51,295)	\$ 237,745	
Non-GAAP Adjustments (1)	\$	36,910	\$	15,258	\$ 259	\$	2,187	\$	21,690	\$ 76,304	
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Adjusted operating income	\$	236,811	\$	61,480	\$ 26,738	\$	18,625		(29,605)	\$ 314,049	
Adjusted operating income margin		17.1%		8.4%	7.5%		8.2%			11.6%	
Twelve months ended 6/30/14									¢		
Operating income	\$	205,864	\$	52,661	\$ _	\$	16,931		\$ (47,719)	\$ 227,737	
Non-GAAP Adjustments (1)	\$	6,482	\$	9,510	\$ -	\$	866	\$	11,449	\$ 28,307	
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Adjusted operating income	\$	212,346	\$	62,171	\$ -	\$	17,797		(36,270)	\$ 256,044	

⁽¹⁾ See accompanying table of "Reconciliation of GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Measures"

11.9%

- (1) See accompanying table of "Reconciliation of GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Measures"
- (2) There were no non-GAAP adjustments to net sales for the twelve months ended 6/30/14

Webcast

Hain Celestial will host a conference call and webcast at 8:30 AM Eastern Time today to review its fourth quarter and fiscal year 2015 results. The conference call will be webcast and available under the Investor Relations section of the Company's website at www.hain.com.

The Hain Celestial Group, Inc.

The Hain Celestial Group (NASDAQ: HAIN), headquartered in Lake Success, NY, is a leading organic and natural products company with operations in North America, Europe and India. Hain Celestial participates in many natural categories with well-known brands that include Celestial Seasonings®, Earth's Best®, Ella's Kitchen®, Terra®, Garden of Eatin'®, Sensible Portions®, Health Valley®, Arrowhead Mills®, MaraNatha®, SunSpire®, DeBoles®, Casbah®, Rudi's Organic Bakery®, Gluten Free Café[™], Hain Pure Foods®, Spectrum®, Spectrum Essentials®, Walnut Acres Organic®, Imagine®, Almond Dream®, Rice Dream®, Soy Dream®, WestSoy®, The Greek Gods®, BluePrint®, FreeBird®, Plainville Farms®, Empire®, Kosher Valley®, Yves Veggie Cuisine®, Europe's Best®, Cully & Sully®, New Covent Garden Soup Co.®, Johnson's Juice Co.®, Farmhouse Fare®, Hartley's®, Sun-Pat®, Gale's®, Robertson's®, Frank Cooper's®, Linda McCartney®, Lima®, Danival®, Joya®, Natumi®, GG UniqueFiber®, Tilda®, JASON®, Avalon Organics®, Alba Botanica®, Live Clean® and Queen Helene®. Hain Celestial has been providing A Healthier Way of Life[™] since 1993. For more information, visitwww.hain.com.

Safe Harbor Statement

Certain statements contained in this press release constitute "forward-looking statements" under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Words such as "plan," "continue," "expect," "expected," "anticipate," "intend", "estimate," "believe," "seek", "may," "potential," "can," "positioned," "should," "future," "look forward", "outlook", and similar expressions, or the negative of those expressions, may identify forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements include the Company's beliefs or expectations relating to (i) the Company's guidance for net sales and earnings per diluted share for fiscal year 2016 and (ii) growth trends and distribution opportunities. Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties, and other factors which may cause the Company's actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements of the Company, or industry results, to be materially different from any future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements. Such factors include, among others, the Company's ability to achieve its guidance for net sales and earnings per diluted share in fiscal year 2016 given the economic environment in the U.S. and other markets that it sells products as well as economic, political and business conditions generally and their effect on the Company's customers and consumers' product preferences, and the Company's business, financial condition and results of operations; changes in estimates or judgments related to the Company's impairment analysis of goodwill and other intangible assets, as well as with respect to the Company's valuation allowances of its deferred tax assets; the Company's ability to implement its business and acquisition strategy; the ability of the Company's joint venture investment to successfully execute its business plan; the Company's ability to realize sustainable growth generally and from investments in core brands, offering new products and its focus on cost containment, productivity, cash flow and margin enhancement in particular; the Company's ability to effectively integrate its acquisitions; the Company's ability to successfully consummate its proposed divestitures; the effects on the Company's results of operations from the impacts of foreign exchange; competition; the success and cost of introducing new products as well as the Company's ability to increase prices on existing products; availability and retention of key personnel; the Company's reliance on third party distributors, manufacturers and suppliers; the Company's ability to maintain existing customers and secure and integrate new customers; the Company's ability to respond to changes and trends in customer and consumer demand, preferences and consumption; risks associated with international sales and operations; changes in fuel, raw material and commodity costs; changes in, or the failure to comply with, government laws and regulations; the availability of organic and natural ingredients; the loss of one or more of the Company's manufacturing facilities; independent co-packers or distribution centers; the ability to manage the Company's supply chain effectively; the ability to use the Company's trademarks; reputational damage; product liability; outbreaks of diseases or food-borne illnesses; product recall or market withdrawal; seasonality; litigation; the Company's reliance on its information technology systems; and the other risks detailed from time-to-time in the Company's reports filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including the annual report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2014. As a result of the foregoing and other factors, no assurance can be given as to future results, levels of activity and achievements and neither the Company nor any person assumes responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of these statements.

Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This press release and the accompanying tables include non-GAAP financial measures, including adjusted operating income, adjusted income from continuing operations, adjusted income per diluted share from continuing operations, adjusted EBITDA (defined below) and operating free cash flow. The reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures to the comparable GAAP financial measures are presented in the tables "Reconciliation of GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Measures" for the three and twelve months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014 and in the paragraphs below. Management believes that the non-GAAP financial measures presented provide useful additional information to investors about current trends in the Company's operations and are useful for period-over-period comparisons of operations. These non-GAAP financial measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for the comparable GAAP measures. In addition, these non-GAAP measures may not be the same as similar measures provided by other companies due to potential differences in methods of calculation and items being excluded. They should be read only in connection with the Company's Consolidated Statements of Income presented in accordance with GAAP.

The Company defines adjusted EBITDA as net income (a GAAP measure) before income taxes, net interest expense, depreciation and amortization, impairment of long lived assets, equity in the earnings of non-consolidated affiliates, stock based compensation, acquisition-related expenses, including integration and restructuring charges, and other non-recurring items. The Company's management believes that this presentation provides useful information to management, analysts and investors regarding certain additional financial and business trends relating to its results of operations and financial condition. In addition, management uses this measure for reviewing the financial results of the Company and as a component of performance-based executive compensation.

For the three and twelve months ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, adjusted EBITDA was calculated as follows:

	6/30/20	<u>015</u>	6/30/2	<u>014</u>	6/30/2	015	6/30/2	<u>014</u>
				(dollars in tho	usands)			
Net Income	\$	71,072	\$	35,724	\$	167,896	\$	139,851
Income taxes		2,739		21,851		47,883		70,098
Interest expense,								
net		5,726		5,791		23,369		21,985
Depreciation and								
amortization		13,523		13,443		56,587		48,040
Impairment of long								
lived assets		-		-		6,514		-
Equity in earnings								
of affiliates		(174)		(1,857)		(489)		(3,985)
Stock based								
compensation _		3,263		2,792		12,197		12,449
Subtotal		96,149		77,744		313,957		288,438
Adjustments (a)		15,608		13,885		61,536		29,937
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	111,757	\$	91,629	\$	375,493	\$	318,375

⁽a) The adjustments include all adjustments in the table "Reconciliation of GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Measures" except for unrealized currency impacts, gain on disposal of investment held for sale, interest accretion, other items, net and taxes.

The Company defines Operating Free Cash Flow as cash provided from or used in operating activities (a GAAP measure) less capital expenditures. The Company views operating free cash flow as an important measure because it is one factor in evaluating the amount of cash available for discretionary investments. For the fiscal years ended June 30, 2015 and 2014, operating free cash flow was calculated as follows:

		Fiscal \	ea/	r E	nded			
	6/30/2015 6/30/2014							
	(dollars in thousands)							
Cash flow provided by operating activities	\$	185,482		\$	184,768			
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(51,217)			(41,611)			
Operating free cash flow	\$	134,265	_	\$	143,157			

Operating free cash flow for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2015 was \$134.3 million, compared to \$143.2 million in the prior year period. Our current period operating free cash flow was impacted primarily by the effects of the nut butter voluntary recall and higher capital expenditures.

THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP, INC. **Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(In thousands)

	June 30 2015), 	June 30, 2014
	(Unaudite	ed)	
ASSETS			
Current assets:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 166	5.922 \$	123,751
Accounts receivable, net	320	,197	287,915
Inventories	382	2,211	320,251
Deferred income taxes	20	,758	23,780
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	42	2,931	47,906
Total current assets	933	3,019	803,603
Property plant and aguinment, not	244	262	210 661
Property, plant and equipment, net Goodwill, net	344 1,136	,262	310,661
Trademarks and other intangible assets, net		,079 ',754	1,134,368 651,482
Investments and joint ventures		,734 2,305	36,511
Other assets		3,851	28,692
Total assets	\$ 3,097		
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LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY			
Current liabilities:			
Accounts payable	\$ 251	,999 \$	239,162
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities	79	,167	84,906
Current portion of long-term debt	31	,275	100,096
Total current liabilities	362	2,441	424,164
Long-term debt, less current portion	812	2,608	767,827
Deferred income taxes		,297	148,439

Other noncurrent liabilities	5,237	5,020
Total liabilities	1,325,583	1,345,450
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Stockholders' equity:		
Common stock *	1,058	1,031
Additional paid-in capital *	1,073,671	969,182
Retained earnings	797,514	629,618
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(42,406)	60,128
Subtotal	1,829,837	1,659,959
Treasury stock	(58,150)	(40,092)
Total stockholders' equity	1,771,687	1,619,867
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Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$ 3,097,270	\$ 2,965,317

^{*} Amounts as of June 30, 2014 have been retroactively adjusted to reflect a two-for-one stock split of our common stock in the form of a 100% stock dividend.

THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP, INC. Consolidated Statements of Income

(in thousands, except per share amounts)

	Three Months Ended Ju			June 30,	Tw	elve Months	Ende	d June 30,		
		2015		2014		2015		2014		
	(U	naudited)	(U	naudited)	(L	Inaudited)				
Net sales Cost of sales	\$	698,136 530,439	\$	583,828 431,628	\$	2,688,515 2,069,898	\$	2,153,611 1,586,418		
Gross profit		167,697		152,200		618,617	-	567,193		
Selling, general and administrative expenses Amortization/impairment of acquired intangibles Acquisition related expenses including integration and		85,903 4,494		84,195 4,352		348,517 23,495		311,288 15,600		
restructuring charges, net		2,588		3,630		8,860		12,568		
Operating income		74,712		60,023		237,745		227,737		
Interest expense and other expenses, net Income before income taxes and equity in earnings of		1,075		4,304		22,455		20,143		
equity-method investees Income tax provision		73,637 2,739		55,719 21,852		215,290 47,883		207,594 70,099		
(Income) of equity-method investees, net of tax		(174)		(1,857)		(489)		(3,985)		
(income) of equity-method investees, her of tax		(174)		(1,007)		(400)		(3,303)		
Income from continuing operations		71,072		35,724		167,896		141,480		
Loss from discontinued operations, net of tax						<u>-</u> _		(1,629)		
Net income	\$	71,072	\$	35,724	\$	167,896	\$	139,851		
Basic net income per share *: From continuing operations	\$	0.69	\$	0.36	\$	1.65	\$	1.45		
From discontinued operations	Φ	0.09	Φ	0.30	Φ	1.00	Φ	(0.02)		
Net income per share - basic	\$	0.69	\$	0.36	\$	1.65	\$	1.43		
Diluted net income per share *: From continuing operations	\$	0.68	\$	0.35	\$	1.62	\$	1.42		
From discontinued operations		<u> </u>		<u> </u>		-		(0.02)		
Net income per share - diluted	\$	0.68	\$	0.35	\$	1.62	\$	1.40		
Weighted average common shares outstanding *:										
Basic	102,610		102,610		100,158		101,703		97,75	

THE HAIN CELESTIAL GROUP, INC. Reconciliation of GAAP Results to Non-GAAP Measures

(in thousands, except per share amounts)

_	Three Months Ended June 30,									
_	2015 (SAAP	Adjus	tments	2015 A	djusted	2014	Adjusted		
				(Unau	ıdited)					
Net sales	\$	698,136	\$	-	\$	698,136	\$	583,828		
Cost of sales		530,439		(6,343)		524,096		421,764		
Gross profit		167,697		6,343		174,040		162,064		
Selling, general and administrative expenses		85,903		(6,677)		79,226		83,804		
Amortization/impairment of acquired intangibles		4,494		-		4,494		4,352		
Acquisition related expenses including integration and restructuring charges, net		2,588		(2,588)		-				
Operating income		74,712		15,608		90,320		73,908		
Interest expense and other expenses, net		1,075		5,559		6,634		5,651		
Income before income taxes and equity in earnings of equity-method investees		73,637		10,049		02.606		60.057		
Income tax provision		2,739		23,920		83,686 26,659		68,257 23,189		
•		2,739 (174)		23,920		(174)		(976)		
(Income) of equity-method investees, net of tax		(174)		<u> </u>		(174)		(976)		
Income from continuing operations	\$	71,072	\$	(13,871)	\$	57,201	\$	46,044		
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Income per share from continuing operations - basic *	\$	0.69	\$	(0.13)	\$	0.56	\$	0.46		
Income per share from continuing operations - diluted *	\$	0.68	\$	(0.13)	\$	0.55	\$	0.45		
Weighted average common shares outstanding *:										
Basic		102,610				102,610		100,158		
Diluted		104,005				104,005		102,288		

		FY 20)15		FY 2014				
	Impact on Befor Income 1	e	Impact on I Tax Provisi		Impact on Income Before Income Taxes		Impact on Tax Provis	(
				(Unau	dited)				
Nut butter recall	\$	2,004	\$	761	\$	6,000	\$	2,179	
UK factory start-up costs BluePrint and other integration costs		2,900 1,439		602 548		2,882 982		656 223	
Cost of sales		6,343		1,911	-	9,864		3,058	
Litigation expenses		6,312		2,399		391		148	
Other integration costs		365		81		-			
Selling, general and administrative expenses		6,677		2,480		391		148_	
Acquisition related fees and expenses, integration and restructuring charges		2,588		768		5,310		1,477	

^{*} Share and per share amounts for the three and twelve months ended June 30, 2014 have been retroactively adjusted to reflect a two-for-one stock split of our common stock in the form of a 100% stock dividend.

Contingent consideration income	-	-		(1,680)	(638)
Acquisition related expenses including integration and restructuring charges, net	2,588	768		3,630	839
Unrealized currency impacts	(5,559)	(1,909)		(570)	(182)
Gain on disposal of investment held for sale	-	-		(809)	(307)
Interest accretion and other items, net	-			32	7
Interest expense and other expenses, net	(5,559)	(1,909)		(1,347)	(482)
Net loss from Hutchison Hain Organic Holdings Limited discontinued operation		<u>-</u>		(881)	
(Income) of equity-method investees, net of tax	-			(881)	
Gain on tax restructuring	-	20,670		-	-
Valuation allowances due to factory start-up costs	-	-		-	(2,226)
Income tax provision		20,670		-	(2,226)
Total adjustments	\$ 10,049	\$ 23,920	<u> </u>	\$ 11,657	\$ 1,337

^{*} Share and per share amounts for the three months ended June 30, 2014 have been retroactively adjusted to reflect a two-for-one stock split of our common stock in the form of a 100% stock dividend.

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(in thousands, except per share amounts)

	201	15 GAAP	Adju	ıstments	2015	Adjusted	2014	4 Adjusted
				(Unau	idited)			
Net sales Cost of sales	\$	2,688,515 2,069,898	\$	16,701 (31,402)	\$	2,705,216 2,038,496	\$	2,153,611 1,572,517
Gross profit		618,617		48,103		666,720		581,094
Selling, general and administrative expenses Amortization/impairment of acquired intangibles		348,517 23,495		(13,831) (5,510)		334,686 17,985		309,450 15,600
Acquisition related expenses including integration and restructuring charges, net		8,860		(8,860)		-		
Operating income		237,745		76,304		314,049		256,044
Interest expense and other expenses, net Income before income taxes and equity in earnings of		22,455		3,093		25,548		24,575
equity-method investees Income tax provision		215,290 47,883		73,211 47,177		288,501 95,060		231,469 76,153
(Income) of equity-method investees, net of tax		(489)		-		(489)		(3,262)
Income from continuing operations	\$	167,896	\$	26,034	\$	193,930	\$	158,578
Income per share from continuing operations - basic *	\$	1.65	\$	0.26	\$	1.91	\$	1.62
Income per share from continuing operations - diluted *	\$	1.62	\$	0.26	\$	1.88	\$	1.59
Weighted average common shares outstanding *:								
Basic		101,703				101,703		97,750
Diluted		103,421				103,421		100,006
		FY 20)15			FY 20	014	

	Impact on Income Before Income Taxes		Impact on Income Tax Provision		Impact on Income Before Income Taxes		Impact on Income Tax Provision	
		(Unaudited)						
Nut butter recall	\$	15,773	\$	5,994	\$	-	\$	-
European non-dairy beverage withdrawal		928		316		-		
Net sales		16,701		6,310		-		
Nut butter recall		13,574		5,158		6,000		2,179
European non-dairy beverage withdrawal		1,259		428		-		-
Fakenham allowance for fire		900		187		4 400		1 027
Acquisition related integration costs UK factory start-up costs		4,236 11,433		1,365 2,372		4,102 3,362		1,037 765
Co-pack contract termination costs		-		2,572		437		166
Cost of sales		31,402		9,510	-	13,901		4,147
Nut butter recall		4,909		1,864		-		-
Litigation expenses Tilda insurance consultancy and other start-up/integration costs		7,203 1,719		2,751 420		1,614		613
Expenses related to third party sale of common stock		1,713		-		224		85
Selling, general and administrative expenses		13,831		5,035		1,838		698
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Tradename impairment charge	-	5,510 5,510		1,102 1,102	-	<u>-</u>		
Amortization/impairment of acquired intangibles	-	3,310		1,102	-	<u> </u>		
Acquisition related fees and expenses, integration and								
restructuring charges		8,579		2,868		16,184		5,272
Contingent consideration (income) expense, net		281				(3,616)		(1,755)
Acquisition related expenses including integration and restructuring charges, net		8,860		2,868		12,568		3,517
-		-				,		
Unrealized currency impacts		5,398		1,652		(3,511)		(1,442)
Gain on pre-existing investments in HPPC and Empire Kosher		(8,256)		-		(4.540)		(570)
Gain on disposal of investment held for sale		(314) 79		30		(1,510) 589		(573) 191
Interest accretion and other items, net	-	(3,093)		1,682	-	(4,432)		(1,824)
Interest expense and other expenses, net	-	(3,093)		1,002	-	(4,432)		(1,024)
Net income from Hutchison Hain Organic Holdings Limited						(004)		
discontinued operation		-		-		(881)		-
Hain Pure Protein Corporation mortality losses	-	-			-	158 (723)		
(Income) of equity-method investees, net of tax	-	-				(723)		
Gain on tax restructuring		-		20,670		-		-
Change in valuation allowance		-		-		-		(2,226)
Discrete tax benefit resulting from enacted tax rate change		-		-		-		3,777
Change in unrecognized tax benefits		-		-		-		(550) (1,485)
Nondeductible acquisition related transaction expenses Income tax provision	-			20,670		<u>-</u>		(484)
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Total adjustments	\$	73,211	\$	47,177	\$	23,152	\$	6,054

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