Unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of

# **ROGERS SUGAR INC.**

Three and nine months ended June 29, 2019 and June 30, 2018

(Unaudited and not reviewed by the Company's external independent auditors)

(Unaudited)

Condensed consolidated interim statements of earnings and comprehensive income (In thousands of dollars except per share amounts)

	For the three	e mo	nths ended		ths ended		
Condensed consolidated interim statements of earnings	June 29, 2019		June 30, 2018		June 29, 2019		June 30, 2018
Revenues (note 19)	\$ 191,448	\$	199,056	\$	586,720	\$	593,394
Cost of sales	160,707		167,626		493,218		491,796
Gross margin	30,741		31,430		93,502		101,598
Administration and selling expenses	8,153		8,067		24,219		25,105
Distribution expenses	4,018		4,067		12,336		10,624
	12,171		12,134		36,555		35,729
Results from operating activities	18,570		19,296		56,947		65,869
Finance income (note 6)	(117)		(136)		(309)		(404)
Finance costs (note 6)	4,388		4,343		13,579		12,801
Net finance costs (note 6)	4,271		4,207		13,270		12,397
Earnings before income taxes	14,299		15,089		43,677		53,472
Income tax expense (recovery):							
Current	4,333		4,950		12,046		14,876
Deferred	(466)		(1,155)		(223)		(500)
	3,867		3,795		11,823		14,376
Net earnings	\$ 10,432	\$	11,294	\$	31,854	\$	39,096
Net earnings per share (note 14)							
Basic	\$ 0.10	\$	0.11	\$	0.30	\$	0.37
Diluted	\$ 0.10	\$	0.10	\$	0.30	\$	0.33

	For the thre	e mo	nths ended		For the nine months		ths ended
Condensed consolidated interim statements of comprehensive income	June 29, 2019		June 30, 2018		June 29, 2019		June 30, 2018
Net earnings	\$ 10,432	\$	11,294	\$	31,854	\$	39,096
Other comprehensive (loss) income Items that may or may not be reclassified subsequently to net earnings:							
Cash flow hedges (note 9)	(2,161)		(134)		(4,792)		(695)
Income tax on other comprehensive gain (loss) (note 9)	573		35		1,270		184
Foreign currency translation differences	(401)		333		190		804
	(1,989)		234		(3,332)		293
Net earnings and comprehensive income for the period	\$ 8,443	\$	11,528	\$	28,522	\$	39,389

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

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Condensed consolidated interim statements of financial position

(In thousands of dollars)

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		June 29, 2019		September 29, 2018		June 30, 2018
Assets						
Current assets:						
Cash	\$	1,270	\$	2,101	\$	2,230
Restricted cash (note 7)		-		846		1,475
Trade and other receivables		75,050		81,736		76,554
Inventories (note 8)		220,195		179,325		221,467
Prepaid expenses		4,814		5,304		4,107
Income taxes receivable		1,450		-		-
Derivative financial instruments (note 9)		3,064		4,011		1,379
Total current assets		305,843		273,323		307,212
Non-current assets:						
Property, plant and equipment		216,423		208,899		201,887
Intangible assets		36,178		38,947		40,252
Other assets		839		985		1,059
Deferred tax assets		14,265		12,976		14,309
Derivative financial instruments (note 9)		125		2,072		2,089
Goodwill		333,007		333,007		332,690
Total non-current assets		600,837		596,886		592,286
Total assets	\$	906,680	\$	870,209	\$	899,498
Current liabilities:  Bank overdraft  Revolving credit facility (note 10)  Trade and other payables Income taxes payable  Provisions  Finance lease obligations  Derivative financial instruments (note 9)  Current portion of other long-term liabilities (note 11)	\$	47,000 121,608 - 870 50 1,839	\$	5,469 12,000 113,777 3,506 1,006 50 1,847 773	\$	37,000 104,795 4,224 799 50 2,603 1,375
Total current liabilities		171,367		138,428		150,846
Non-current liabilities:						
Revolving credit facility (note 10)		160,000		160,000		175,000
Employee benefits		31,696		31,494		37,908
Provisions		1,140		1,199		1,446
Derivative financial instruments (note 9)		3,846		2,720		2,750
Finance lease obligations		864		64		76
Convertible unsecured subordinated debentures (note 12)		143,772		142,421		142,003
Deferred tax liabilities		44,037		44,238		42,974
Total non-current liabilities		385,355		382,136		402,157
Total liabilities	\$	556,722	\$	520,546	\$	553,003
Shareholder's equity: Share capital (note 13) Contributed surplus Equity portion of convertible unsecured subordinated		100,639 300,580 5,085		100,639 300,436 5,085		101,022 300,388 5,085
debentures (note 12)		(50.670)		(60 171)		(61 E0G)
Deficit  Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		(59,670) 3,324		(63,171)		(61,586) 1,586
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		3,324		6,656		1,586
Total shareholder's equity	\$		¢	349,645	¢	346,495
Total liabilities and shareholder's equity	Ф	906,680	\$	870,209	\$	899,498

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

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Condensed consolidated interim statements of changes in shareholders' equity (In thousands of dollars except number of shares)

							For the nine m	onths ended J	onths ended June 29, 2019		
	Number of shares	Common shares	Contributed surplus	Equity portion of convertible debentures	Accumulated unrealized gain on employee benefit plans	Accumulated cash flow hedge gain (loss)	Accumulated foreign currency translation differences	Deficit	Total		
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Balance, September 29, 2018	105,008,070	100,639	300,436	5,085	6,070	272	314	(63,171)	349,645		
Net earnings for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31,854	31,854		
Dividends (note 13)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(28,353)	(28,353)		
Share-based compensation (note 15) Cash flow hedges, net of tax	-	-	144	-	-	-	-	-	144		
(note 9)	-	-	-	-	-	(3,522)	-	-	(3,522)		
Translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	190	-	190		
Balance, June 29, 2019	105,008,070	100,639	300,580	5,085	6,070	(3,250)	504	(59,670)	349,958		

							For the nine	months ended J	une 30, 2018
	Number of shares	Common shares	Contributed surplus	Equity portion of convertible debentures	Accumulated unrealized gain on employee benefit plans	Accumulated cash flow hedge gain (loss)	Accumulated foreign currency translation differences	Deficit	Total
		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, September 30, 2017	105,743,582	101,335	300,247	3,141	1,190	295	(192)	(71,860)	334,156
Net earnings for the period	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	39,096	39,096
Dividends (note 13)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(28,521)	(28,521)
Purchase and cancellation of									
shares (note 13)	(336,900)	(323)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,489)	(1,812)
Share-based compensation									
(note 15)	-	-	141	-	-	-	-	-	141
Conversion of convertible									
debentures into common									
shares (note 12)	1,388	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	10
Repurchase of convertible									
debentures (note 12)	-	-	-	(1,188)	-	-	-	1,188	-
Issuance of convertible									
debentures, net of tax									
(note 12)	-	-	-	3,132	-	-	-	-	3,132
Cash flow hedges, net of tax						4			
(note 9)	-	-	-	-	-	(511)	-	-	(511)
Translation of foreign operations	-	-	-	-	-	-	804	-	804
Balance, June 30, 2018	105,408,070	101,022	300,388	5,085	1,190	(216)	612	(61,586)	346,495

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Condensed consolidated interim statements of cash flows

(In thousands of dollars)

	For the thr	ee months ended	For the n	ine months ended
	June 29,	June 30,	June 29,	June 30,
	2019	2018	2019	2018
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net earnings	\$ 10,432	\$ 11,294	\$ 31,854	\$ 39,096
Adjustments for:				
Depreciation of property, plant and equipment	2 700	2.064	11 462	11 042
(note 5)	3,788	3,964	11,462	11,042
Amortization of intangible assets (note 5)	943	982	2,828	2,836
Changes in fair value of derivative financial				
instruments included in cost of sales	(3,066)	(712)	(471)	(5,035)
Income tax expense	3,867	3,795	11,823	14,376
Pension contributions	(2,439)	(2,522)	(6,640)	(6,684)
Pension expense	2,306	2,495	6,842	5,423
Net finance costs (note 6)	4,271	4,207	13,270	12,397
Share-based compensation – equity settled (note 15)	46	55	144	141
Share-based compensation – cash settled				
(note 15)	(25)	-	85	-
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(17)	(16)	(17)
Other	(1)	(,	4	(,
	20,122	23,541	71,185	73,575
Changes in:				
Trade and other receivables	6,344	(3,763)	6,721	4,305
Inventories	(69,805)	(63,128)	(40,762)	(32,994)
Prepaid expenses	3,437	(2,179)	490	(1,118)
Trade and other payables	62,435	45,916	8,273	(29,828)
Provisions	(169)	(217)	(195)	(710)
	2,242	(23,371)	(25,473)	(60,345)
Cash flows from operating activities	22,364	170	45,712	13,230
Interest paid	(5,833)	(4,394)	(13,831)	(12,380)
Income taxes paid	(4,601)	(3,560)	(16,662)	(9,703)
Net cash from (used in) operating activities	11,930	(7,784)	15,219	(8,853)
Cash flows (used in) from financing activities:				
Dividends paid (note 13)	(9,451)	(9,517)	(28,353)	(28,551)
Decrease in bank overdraft	-	-	(5,469)	-
(Decrease) increase in revolving credit facility (note 12)	(1,000)	8,000	35,000	42,000
Issuance of convertible debentures (note 14)	-	12,067	-	93,267
Repurchase of convertible debentures (note 14)	-	-	-	(59,990)
Payment of financing fees	-	(150)	-	(272)
Purchase and cancellation of shares (note 15)	-	(1,812)	-	(1,812)
Stock options exercised	-	-	-	-
Cash flow (used in) from financing activities	(10,451)	8,588	1,178	44,642
Cash flows used in investing activities:				
Business combination, net of cash acquired				
(note 4)	-	-	-	(38,986)
Additions to property, plant and equipment,				,
net of proceeds on disposal	(7,349)	(4,645)	(17,235)	(11,570)
Additions to intangible assets	-	(36)	(2)	(267)
Cash flow used in investing activities	(7,349)	(4,681)	(17,237)	(50,823)
Effect of changes in exchange rate on each	(161)	60	9	224
Effect of changes in exchange rate on cash		(2.917)		(14 902)
Net decrease in cash	(6,031)	(3,817)	(831)	(14,803)
Cash, beginning of period	7,301	6,047	2,101	17,033
Cash, end of period	\$ 1,270	\$ 2,230	\$ 1,270	\$ 2,230

Supplemental cash flow information (note 16)
The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements (In thousands of dollars except as noted and amounts per share)

### 1. Reporting entity:

Rogers Sugar Inc. ("Rogers" or the "Company") is a company domiciled in Canada, incorporated under the *Canada Business Corporations Act*. The head office of Rogers is located at 123 Rogers Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V6B 3V2. The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of Rogers for the three and nine month periods ended June 29, 2019 and June 30, 2018 comprise Rogers and the directly and indirectly controlled subsidiaries, Lantic Inc. ("Lantic") and The Maple Treat Corporation ("TMTC", formerly known as L.B. Maple Treat Corporation ("LBMTC")), (together referred to as the "Company"). The principal business activities of the Company are the refining, packaging and marketing of sugar and maple products.

#### 2. Basis of presentation and statement of compliance:

#### (a) Statement of compliance:

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IAS 34 *Interim Financial Reporting* on a basis consistent with those accounting policies followed by the Company in the most recent audited consolidated annual financial statements other than the adoption of the amendments of IFRS 2, IFRS 15, IFRIC 22, and Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards (2014-2016) Cycle as described in note 3(b). Certain information, in particular the accompanying notes, normally included in the audited annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") has been omitted or condensed. Accordingly, these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include all the information required for full annual financial statements, and, therefore, should be read in conjunction with the audited annual consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto for the year ended September 29, 2018. The quarterly unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements were neither reviewed nor audited by our external auditors and were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on August 1, 2019.

#### (b) Basis of measurement:

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for the following material items in the unaudited condensed consolidated statements of financial position:

- (i) derivative financial instruments are measured at fair value,
- (ii) cash-settled share appreciation rights and cash-settled performance share units are measured at fair value.
- (iii) the defined benefit liability is recognized as the net total of the present value of the defined benefit obligation less the total of the fair value of the plan assets and the unrecognized past service costs; and
- (iv)assets and liabilities acquired in business combinations are measured at fair value at acquisition date.

#### 2. Basis of presentation and statement of compliance (continued):

(c) Functional and presentation currency:

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars since it is the Company's functional currency. All financial information presented in Canadian dollars has been rounded to the nearest thousands, except as noted and per share amounts.

(d) Use of estimates and judgements:

The preparation of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

In preparing these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements, the significant judgements made by management in applying the Company's accounting policies and key sources of estimation of uncertainty are as those applied and described in the Company's audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended September 29, 2018.

#### 3. Significant accounting policies:

- (a) Basis of consolidation:
  - (i) Subsidiaries:

The consolidated financial statements include the Company and the subsidiary it controls, Lantic Inc. ("Lantic") and its subsidiaries, TMTC, 9020-2292 Québec Inc. ("Decacer") and Highland Sugarworks Inc. ("Highland") (the latter three companies together referred to as "TMTC"). Control exists where the Company is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. The financial statements of subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date control commences until the date that control ceases. The accounting policies of subsidiaries are aligned with the policies adopted by the Company.

Inter-company balances and transactions, and any unrealized income and expenses arising from inter-company transactions, are eliminated in preparing the consolidated financial statements.

#### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued):

(b) New standards and interpretations adopted:

The significant accounting policies as disclosed in the Company's audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended September 29, 2018 have been applied consistently in the preparation of these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements, except as noted below:

(i) IFRS 2, Classification and Measurement of Share-based Payment Transactions:

On June 20, 2016, the IASB issued amendments to IFRS 2, *Share-based Payment*, clarifying how to account for certain types of share-based payment transactions. The amendments apply for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018. As a practical simplification, the amendments can be applied prospectively. Retrospective or early application is permitted if information is available without the use of hindsight.

The amendments provide requirements on the accounting for:

- The effects of vesting and non-vesting conditions on the measurement of cashsettled share-based payments;
- Share-based payment transactions with a net settlement feature for withholding tax obligations; and
- A modification to the terms and conditions of a share-based payment that changes the classification of the transaction from cash-settled to equity-settled.

The Company adopted the amendments to IFRS 2 in its consolidated interim financial statements for the annual period beginning on September 30, 2018. The adoption of the amendments did not have an impact on the consolidated interim financial statements.

(ii) IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers:

On May 28, 2014 the IASB issued IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers. IFRS 15 will replace IAS 11, Construction Contracts, IAS 18, Revenue, IFRIC 13, Customer Loyalty Programmes, IFRIC 15, Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate, IFRIC 18, Transfer of Assets from Customers, and SIC 31, Revenue – Barter Transactions Involving Advertising Services. The new standard is effective for years beginning on or after January 1, 2018. Earlier application is permitted.

The standard contains a single model that applies to contracts with customers and two approaches to recognizing revenue: at a point in time or over time. The model features a contract-based five-step analysis of transactions to determine whether, how much and when revenue is recognized. New estimates and judgmental thresholds have been introduced, which may affect the amount and/or timing of revenue recognized.

The new standard applies to contracts with customers. It does not apply to insurance contracts, financial instruments or lease contracts, which fall in the scope of other IFRSs.

#### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued):

- (b) New standards and interpretations adopted (continued):
  - (ii) IFRS 15, Revenue from Contracts with Customers (continued):

The Company adopted IFRS 15 in its consolidated interim financial statements for the year beginning on September 30, 2018. The adoption of the standard did not have an impact on the consolidated interim financial statements.

(iii) IFRIC 22, Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration:

On December 8, 2016, the IASB issued IFRIC Interpretation 22, *Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration*.

The Interpretation clarifies that the date of the transaction for the purpose of determining the exchange rate to use on initial recognition of the related asset, expense or income (or part of it) is the date on which an entity initially recognizes the non-monetary asset or non-monetary liability arising from the payment or receipt of advance consideration.

The Interpretation is applicable for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018. Earlier application is permitted.

The Company adopted the Interpretation in its consolidated interim financial statements for the annual period beginning on September 30, 2018. The adoption of the Interpretation did not have an impact on the consolidated interim financial statements.

(iv) Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards (2014-2016) Cycle:

On December 8, 2016 the IASB issued narrow-scope amendments to three standards as part of its annual improvements process. Each of the amendments has its own specific transition requirements and effective date.

Amendments were made to the following standard:

- Removal of out-dated exemptions for first-time adopters under IFRS 1, First-time Adoption of International Financial Reporting Standards, effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018; and
- Clarification that the election to measure an associate or joint venture at fair value under IAS 28, *Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures* for investments held directly, or indirectly, through a venture capital or other qualifying entity can be made on an investment-by-investment basis. The amendments are effective retrospectively for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018.

The Company adopted these amendments in its consolidated interim financial statements for the annual period beginning September 30, 2018. The adoption of the amendments did not have an impact on the consolidated interim financial statements.

#### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued):

(c) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted:

A number of new standards and amendments to standards and interpretations are not yet effective for the period ended June 29, 2019 and have not been applied in preparing these unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements. New standards and amendments to standards and interpretations that are currently under review include:

#### (i) IFRS 16, Leases:

On January 13, 2016 the IASB issued IFRS 16 *Leases*. The new standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. Earlier application is permitted for entities that apply IFRS 15 *Revenue from Contracts with Customers* at or before the date of initial adoption of IFRS 16. IFRS 16 will replace IAS 17 *Leases*.

This standard introduces a single lessee accounting model and requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. A lessee is required to recognize a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset and a lease liability representing its obligation to make lease payments.

This standard substantially carries forward the lessor accounting requirements of IAS 17, while requiring enhanced disclosures to be provided by the lessors. Other areas of the lease accounting model have been impacted, including the definition of a lease. Transitional provisions have been provided.

The Company intends to adopt IFRS 16 in its consolidated financial statements for the annual period beginning on September 29, 2019.

Based on the preliminary analysis, the Company expects the adoption of IFRS 16 will have a significant impact on its consolidated financial statements, as the Company will recognize new assets and liabilities for its operating leases of warehouses, operating properties, railcars and production equipment. In addition, the nature and timing of expenses related to those leases will change as IFRS 16 replaces the straight-line operating lease expense with a depreciation charge for right-of use assets and interest expense on lease liabilities. On a go-forward basis, there will be a decrease in operating lease expense and an increase in depreciation and amortization and interest expense.

The Company intends to adopt this standard using the modified retrospective approach measuring the right-of-use asset to be equal to the lease liability with no restatement of the comparative period. Under the modified retrospective approach, the Company has elected to use the following practical expedients permitted on adoption of IFRS 16:

 the Company will not reassess whether a contract is, or contains, a lease at the date of initial application and instead will apply IFRS 16 to contracts that were previously identified as leases applying IAS 17, Leases;

#### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued):

- (c) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted:
  - (i) IFRS 16, Leases (continued):
    - the Company will rely on the assessment of the onerous lease provisions under IAS 37, Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets, instead of performing an impairment review. The Company will adjust the right-of-use assets at the date of initial application by the amount of any provision for onerous leases recognized in the consolidated balance sheet immediately before the date of initial application;
    - the Company will account for leases for which the lease term ends within twelve months of September 28, 2019 as short-term leases; and
    - the Company will use hindsight in determining the lease term at the date of initial application.

Based on the information available as at August 1, 2019, the Company anticipates recognizing approximately \$16 million to \$18 million of right-of-use assets and lease liabilities on its consolidated balance sheet as at September 29 2019.

The actual impact of the initial application of IFRS 16 may vary from the estimates provided, as the Company has not finalized all its calculations.

(ii) IFRIC 23, Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments:

On June 7, 2017, the IASB issued IFRIC Interpretation 23, *Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments*.

The Interpretation provides guidance on the accounting for current and deferred tax liabilities and assets in circumstances in which there is uncertainty over income tax treatments.

The Interpretation is applicable for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. Earlier application is permitted.

The Interpretation requires an entity to:

- Contemplate whether uncertain tax treatments should be considered separately, or together as a group, based on which approach provides better predictions of the resolution;
- Reflect an uncertainty in the amount of income tax payable (recoverable) if it is probable that it will pay (or recover) an amount for the uncertainty; and
- Measure a tax uncertainty based on the most likely amount or expected value depending on whichever method better predicts the amount payable (recoverable).

#### 3. Significant accounting policies (continued):

- (c) New standards and interpretations not yet adopted:
  - (ii) IFRIC 23, Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments (continued):

The Company intends to adopt the Interpretation in its consolidated financial statements for the annual period beginning on September 29, 2019. The Company does not expect the amendments to have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

(iii) Annual Improvements to IFRS Standards (2015-2017) Cycle:

On December 12, 2017 the IASB issued narrow-scope amendments to three standards as part of its annual improvements process.

The amendments are effective on or after January 1, 2019, with early application permitted. Each of the amendments has its own specific transition requirements.

Amendments were made to the following standards:

- IFRS 3, Business Combinations and IFRS 11, Joint Arrangements to clarify how
  a company accounts for increasing its interest in a joint operation that meets the
  definition of a business;
- IAS 12, Income Taxes to clarify that all income tax consequences of dividends are recognized consistently with the transactions that generated the distributable profits – i.e. in profit or loss, OCI, or equity; and
- IAS 23, Borrowing Costs to clarify that specific borrowings i.e. funds borrowed specifically to finance the construction of a qualifying asset – should be transferred to the general borrowings pool once the construction of the qualifying asset has been completed.

The Company intends to adopt these amendments in its consolidated financial statements for the annual period beginning on September 29, 2019. The Company does not expect the amendments to have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

(iv) Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards:

On March 29, 2018 the IASB issued a revised version of its *Conceptual Framework* for *Financial Reporting* (the Framework), that underpins IFRS Standards. The IASB also issued *Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards* (the Amendments) to update references in IFRS Standards to previous versions of the Conceptual Framework.

Both documents are effective from January 1, 2020 with earlier application permitted.

The Company does not intend to adopt the Amendments in its consolidated financial statements before the annual period beginning on October 4, 2020. The Company does not expect the amendments to have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

#### 4. Business combinations:

On November 18, 2017, the Company acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of Decacer for a total consideration of \$43.0 million (\$42.1 million net of cash acquired) (the "Decacer Transaction"). The Company financed the acquisition, including transaction costs, with a draw-down on the Company's \$265.0 million amended credit facility (see Note 10, Revolving credit facility).

Decacer is a major bottler and distributor of branded and private label maple syrup and maple sugar based in Dégelis, Québec.

The Company has determined the fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on management's preliminary best estimate of their fair values and taking into account all relevant information available at that time. As of the reporting date, the Company had completed the purchase price allocation over the identifiable net assets and goodwill and no adjustment was made to the purchase price allocation as presented in the audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended September 29, 2018.

#### 5. Depreciation and amortization expense:

Depreciation and amortization expense were charged to the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statements of earnings as follows:

	For the three mor	nths ended	For the nine mo	months ended		
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018		
	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Depreciation of property, plant and equipme	nt:					
Cost of sales	3,659	3,865	11,071	10,730		
Administration and selling expenses	129	99	391	312		
	3,788	3,964	11,462	11,042		
Amortization of intangible assets:						
Administration and selling expenses	943	982	2,828	2,836		
Total depreciation and amortization expense	4,731	4,946	14,290	13,878		

#### Finance income and finance costs:

Recognized in net earnings:

	For the three mo	onths ended	For the nine mo	onths ended
	June 29,	June 30,	June 29,	June 30,
	2019	2018	2019	2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net change in fair value of interest rate swap	0			
(note 9)	117	136	309	404
Finance income	117	136	309	404
Interest expense on convertible unsecured subordinated debentures,				
including accretion expense (1)	2,093	2,077	6,257	5,619
Interest on revolving credit facility	1,317	1,291	3,895	4,094
Amortization of deferred financing fees	294	315	883	1,093
Other interest expense	684	660	2,544	1,995
Finance costs	4,388	4,343	13,579	12,801
Net finance costs recognized in net earnings	s <b>4,271</b>	4,207	13,270	12,397

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes accretion expense of \$205 and \$610 for the three and nine months ended June 29, 2019 (June 30, 2018 - \$197 and \$586, respectively)

#### 7. Restricted cash:

Restricted cash represents balances assumed by the Company as a result of having acquired all of the issued and outstanding shares of TMTC.

On December 1, 2016, TMTC acquired all issued and outstanding Class A shares of Great Northern with \$7.0 million cash consideration (which was placed in escrow), conditionally payable in quarterly installments contingent on achieving monthly and annual sales volume targets to a specific client for the twelve-month periods ending November 30, 2017 and November 30, 2018. The fair value of the contingent consideration was determined to be \$6.6 million and was calculated using a probability-weighted expectation of the payment of the contingent consideration and a discount rate of 3.45%. As at June 29, 2019, cash held in an escrow account and the fair value of the contingent consideration payable were nil (September 29, 2018 - \$0.8 million and \$0.8 million, respectively; June 30, 2018 - \$1.5 million and \$1.4 million, respectively) (See Note 11, Other long-term liabilities).

#### 8. Inventories:

During the three and nine months ended June 29, 2019, inventories recognized as cost of goods sold amounted to \$165.2 million and \$499.2 million respectively (\$171.4 million and \$499.8 million for the three and nine months ended June 30, 2018).

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#### 9. Financial instruments:

Disclosures relating to risks exposures, in particular credit risk, liquidity risk, foreign currency risk, interest rate risk and equity risk were provided in the September 29, 2018 annual consolidated financial statements and there have been no significant changes in the Company's risk exposures during the three and nine months ended June 29, 2019.

For its financial assets and liabilities measured at amortized cost as at June 29, 2019, the Company has determined that the carrying value of its short-term financial assets and liabilities approximates their fair value because of the relatively short periods to maturity of these instruments.

Details of recorded gains (losses) for the year, in marking-to-market all derivative financial instruments and embedded derivatives that are outstanding at quarter end, are noted below. For sugar futures contracts (derivative financial instruments), the amounts noted below are netted with the variation margins paid or received to/from brokers at the end of the reporting period. Natural gas forwards and sugar futures have been marked-to-market using published quoted values for these commodities, while foreign exchange forward contracts have been marked-to-market using rates published by the financial institution which is counterparty to these contracts.

The fair value of natural gas contracts, foreign exchange forward contracts and interest rate swap calculations include a credit risk adjustment for the Company's or counterparty's credit, as appropriate.

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## 9. Financial instruments (continued):

As at June 29, 2019, September 29, 2018 and June 30, 2018, the Company's financial derivatives carrying values were as follows:

	Financ	ial Assets	Financia	al Liabilities
	Current	Non-Current	Current	Non-Current
	June	29, 2019	June	29, 2019
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Derivative financial instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss:				
Sugar futures contracts	-	46	195	-
Foreign exchange forward contracts	2,856	79	-	157
Derivative financial instruments designated as effective cash flow hedging instruments:				
Natural gas forward contracts	-	-	1,644	2,307
Interest rate swap	208	-	-	1,382
	3,064	125	1,839	3,846

	Financia	l Assets	Financial L	_iabilities	Financial	Assets	Financial L	iabilities
	Current	Non- Current	Current	Non- Current	Current	Non- Current	Current	Non- Current
		September 29, 2018 Jun						
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Derivative financial instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss:								
Sugar futures contracts	364	-	-	135	-	-	32	74
Foreign exchange forward Contracts	3,187	58	-	-	1,151	403	-	-
Derivative financial instruments designated as effective cash flow hedging instruments:								
Natural gas <i>forward</i> contracts	-	-	1,847	2,585	-	-	2,571	2,676
Interest rate swap	460	2,014	-	-	228	1,686	-	-
	4,011	2,072	1,847	2,720	1,379	2,089	2,603	2,750

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### 9. Financial instruments (continued):

				For th	ne three mor	ths ended
	Charged to co	st of sales	Charge	d to finance	Other comprehensive gain / (loss)	
	Unrealized ga	ain / (loss)	_	income		
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Derivative financial instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss:						
Sugar futures contracts	(551)	886	-	-	-	-
Foreign exchange forward contracts	2,541	(761)	-	-	-	-
Embedded derivatives	-	-	-	-	-	-
Derivative financial instruments designated as effective cash flow hedging instruments:						
Natural gas forward contracts	510	759	-	-	(1,051)	(177)
Interest rate swap	-	-	117	136	(1,110)	43
	2,500	884	117	136	(2,161)	(134)

				For	the nine mon	ths ended	
	Charged to cost of sales Unrealized gain / (loss)		Charged to incor		Other comprehensive gain / (loss)		
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Derivative financial instruments measured at fair value through profit or loss:							
Sugar futures contracts	(1,565)	(1,258)	-	-	-	-	
Foreign exchange forward contracts	(237)	544	-	-	-	-	
Embedded derivatives	-	51	-	-	-	-	
Derivative financial instruments designated as effective cash flow hedging instruments:							
Natural gas forward contracts	1,315	2,133	-	-	(835)	(1,210)	
Interest rate swap	-	-	309	404	(3,957)	515	
	(487)	1,470	309	404	(4,792)	(695)	

The following table summarizes the Company's hedging components of other comprehensive income ("OCI") as at June 29, 2019 and June 30, 2018:

		June 29, 2019			June	30, 2018
	Natural gas forward contracts	Interest rate swap	Total	Natural gas forward contracts	Interest rate swap	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Opening OCI	(2,679)	3,049	370	(1,700)	2,101	401
Income taxes	712	(810)	(98)	450	(556)	(106)
Opening OCI – net of income taxes	(1,967)	2,239	272	(1,250)	1,545	295
Change in fair value of derivatives designated						
as cash flow hedges	480	(3,648)	(3,168)	922	920	1,842
Amounts reclassified to net earnings	(1,315)	(309)	(1,624)	(2,133)	(404)	(2,537)
Income taxes	221	1,049	1,270	319	(135)	184
Ending OCI – net of income taxes	(2,581)	(669)	3,250	(2,142)	1,926	(216)

For the three and nine months ended June 29, 2019, the derivatives designated as cash flow hedges were considered to be fully effective and no ineffectiveness has been recognized in net earnings.

#### 9. Financial instruments (continued):

Approximately \$0.6 million of net losses presented in accumulated other comprehensive income are expected to be reclassified to net earnings within the next twelve months.

To mitigate the risk in future cash flows due to interest rate fluctuations, in the second quarter of fiscal 2019, the Company entered into two interest rate swap agreements. The first is a five-year interest rate swap agreement with an effective date of March 12, 2019 at a rate of 2.08% for a notional amount of \$20.0 million. The second is a forward start interest rate swap agreement with an effective date of June 28, 2022 at a rate of 2.17% for a notional amount of \$80.0 million.

The aggregate notional amount of the all interest rate swap agreements is as follows:

Fiscal year contracted		Date	Total value \$
Fiscal 2014	June 30, 2014 to June 28, 2019 – 2.09%		10,000
Fiscal 2015	June 28, 2018 to June 28, 2020 - 1.959%		30,000
Fiscal 2017	May 29, 2017 to June 28, 2022 - 1.454%		20,000
Fiscal 2017	September 1, 2017 to June 28, 2022 - 1.94	-6%	30,000
Fiscal 2017	June 29, 2020 to June 29, 2022 - 1.733%		30,000
Fiscal 2019	March 12, 2019 to June 28, 2024 – 2.08%		20,000
Fiscal 2019	June 28, 2022 to June 28, 2024 – 2.17%		80,000

#### 10. Revolving credit facility:

As a result of the amended revolving credit facility, the Additional Accordion Borrowings and the Additional TMTC Accordion Borrowings, the Company has a total of \$265.0 million of available working capital from which it can borrow at prime rate, LIBOR rate or under bankers' acceptances, plus 20 to 250 basis points, based on achieving certain financial ratios.

Certain assets of the Company, including trade receivables, inventories and property, plant and equipment, have been pledged as security for the revolving credit facility. As at June 29, 2019, a total of \$442.0 million of assets are pledged as security (September 29, 2018 - \$376.7 million; June 30, 2018 - \$438.7 million).

The maturity date of the amended revolving credit facility is June 28, 2023.

The following amounts were outstanding as of:

	June 29, 2019	September 29, 2018	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$
Outstanding amount on revolving credit facility:			
Current	47,000	12,000	37,000
Non-current	160,000	160,000	175,000
	207,000	172,000	212,000

#### 10. Revolving credit facility (continued):

As at June 29, 2019, an amount of \$160.0 million is shown as non-current as we don't expect it to be repaid within the next 12 months.

The carrying value of the revolving credit facility approximates fair value as the borrowings bear interest at variable rates.

### 11. Other long-liabilities:

	June 29, 2019		Septeml	per 29, 2018	June 30, 2018	
		Balance of		Balance of	Balance of	
	Contingent	purchase	Contingent	purchase	Contingent	purchase
	consideration	price	consideration	price	consideration	price
	payable	payable	payable	payable	payable	payable
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Opening balance	773	-	4,469	822	4,469	822
Accretion expense	77	-	190	8	110	15
Foreign exchange						
adjustment	-	-	-	30	-	23
Payment made	(850)	-	(3,886)	(860)	(3,204)	(860)
Closing balance	-	-	773	-	1,375	-

#### 12. Convertible unsecured subordinated debentures:

The outstanding convertible debentures are as follows:

	June 29, 2019	September 29, 2018	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$
Sixth series	57,500	57,500	57,500
Seventh series	97,750	97,750	97,750
Total face value	155,250	155,250	155,250
Less deferred financing fees	(5,747)	(6,488)	(6,707)
Less equity component	(6,930)	(6,930)	(8,117)
Accretion expense on equity component	1,199	589	1,577
Total carrying value – non current	143,772	142,421	142,003

The fair value of the Sixth and Seventh series debentures as at June 29, 2019 were approximately \$158.2 million based on market quotes.

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#### 12. Convertible unsecured subordinated debentures (continued):

#### Fifth series:

On March 28, 2018, a portion of the net proceeds from the issuance of the Seventh series debentures were used to redeem the Fifth series 5.75% convertible unsecured subordinated debentures ("Fifth series debentures"). The total amount redeemed was \$59,990 as an amount of \$10 was converted to 1,388 common shares by holders of the convertible debentures.

#### Seventh series:

On March 28, 2018, in connection with a bought deal offering filed on March 21, 2018, the Company issued 85,000 seventh series, 4.75% convertible unsecured subordinated debentures ("Seventh series debentures"), maturing on June 30, 2025, with interest payable semi-annually in arrears on June 30 and December 31 of each year, commencing on June 30, 2018 for gross proceeds of \$85.0 million. The debentures may be converted at the option of the holder at a conversion price of \$8.85 per share (representing 9,604,519 common shares) at any time prior to maturity, and cannot be redeemed by the Company prior to June 30, 2021.

On or after June 30, 2021 and prior to June 30, 2023, the debentures will be redeemable in whole or in part from time to time at the option of the Corporation on not more than 60 days and not less than 30 days prior notice at a price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued and unpaid interest, provided that the weighted average trading price of the common shares, for the 20 consecutive trading days ending on the fifth trading day preceding the day prior to the date upon which the notice of redemption is given is at least 125% of the conversion price of \$8.85 per Debenture Share. On or after June 30, 2023 and prior to the maturity date, the debentures may be redeemed at a price equal to the principal amount thereof plus accrued and unpaid interest.

On redemption or on the maturity date, the Company may, at its option, elect to satisfy its obligation to pay the principal amount of the outstanding debentures by issuing and delivering to the holders of the debentures that number of debenture shares obtained by dividing the principal amount of the outstanding debentures which are to be redeemed or which have matured by 95% of the weighted average trading price of the RSI Shares on the Toronto Stock Exchange for the 20 consecutive trading days ending on the fifth trading day preceding the date fixed for redemption or on the maturity date, as the case may be.

On redemption or on the maturity date, the Company will repay the indebtedness of the convertible debentures by paying an amount equal to the principal amount of the outstanding debentures, together with accrued and unpaid interest thereon.

The Company allocated \$4.3 million (\$3.1 million net of tax) of the Seventh series debentures into an equity component.

The Company incurred underwriting fees and issuance costs of \$4.5 million, which are netted against the convertible debenture liability.

#### 13. Share capital and other components of equity:

As of June 29, 2019, a total of 105,008,070 common shares (September 29, 2018 - 105,008,070; June 30, 2018 - 105,408,070) were outstanding.

During the second quarter of fiscal 2018, a total of \$10 of the Fifth series debentures was converted during the period by holders of the securities for a total of 1,388 common shares. This conversion is a non-cash transaction and therefore not reflected in the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statement of cash flow.

On May 22, 2019, the Company received approval from the Toronto Stock Exchange to proceed with a Normal Course Issuer Bid ("2019 NCIB"), the Company may purchase up to 1,500,000 common shares. The 2019 NCIB commenced on May 24, 2019 and may continue to May 23, 2020. In addition, the Company entered into an automatic share purchase agreement with Scotia Capital Inc. in connection with the 2019 NCIB. Under the agreement, Scotia may acquire, at its discretion, common shares on the Company's behalf during certain "black-out" periods, subject to certain parameters as to price and number of shares.

During the third quarter of fiscal 2018, on May 22, 2018, the Company received approval from the Toronto Stock Exchange to proceed with a normal course issuer bid ("2018 NCIB"). Under the 2018 NCIB, the Company may purchase up to 1,500,000 common shares. The 2018 NCIB commenced on May 24, 2018 and ended on May 23, 2019. During the third quarter of fiscal 2018, the Company purchased 336,900 common shares having a book value of \$323 for a total cash consideration of \$1,812. The excess of the purchase price over the book value of the shares in the amount of \$1,489 was charged to deficit. All shares purchased were cancelled. In addition, the Company entered into an automatic share purchase agreement with Scotia Capital Inc. in connection with the 2018 NCIB. Under the agreement, Scotia may acquire, at its discretion, common shares on the Company's behalf during certain "black-out" periods, subject to certain parameters as to price and number of shares.

The Company declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.09 per share amounting to the following for the nine month period ending June 29, 2019 and June 30, 2018:

	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$
Dividends	28,353	28,521

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#### 14. Earnings per share:

Reconciliation between basic and diluted earnings per share is as follows:

	For the three r	nonths ended	For the nine m	nonths ended
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
Basic earnings per share:				
Net earnings	\$10,432	\$11,294	\$31,854	\$39,096
Weighted average number of shares outstanding	105,008,070	105,678,005	105,008,070	105,721,663
Basic earnings per share	\$0.10	\$0.11	\$0.30	\$0.37
Diluted earnings per share: Net earnings	\$10,432	\$11,294	\$31,854	\$39,096
Plus impact of convertible unsecured subordinated debentures and share options	1,529	861	4,570	4,160
	\$11,961	\$12,155	\$36,424	\$43,256
Weighted average number of shares outstanding: Basic weighted average number of shares outstanding	105,008,070	105,678,005	105,008,070	105,721,663
Plus impact of convertible unsecured subordinated debentures and share options	18,006,457	11,045,198	18,006,457	23,562,012
Substantated descritures and share options	123,014,527	116,723,203	123,014,527	129,283,675
Diluted earnings per share	\$0.10	\$0.10	\$0.30	\$0.33

For the three and nine months ended June 29, 2019, the share options were excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share as they were deemed anti-dilutive. For the three months ended June 30, 2018, the share options and the Sixth series debentures were excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share as they were deemed anti-dilutive. For the nine months ended June 30, 2018, the share options were excluded from the calculation of diluted earnings per share as they were deemed anti-dilutive.

#### 15. Share-based compensation:

#### (a) Equity-Settled Share-Based Compensation:

The Company has reserved and set aside for issuance an aggregate of 4,000,000 common shares (September 29, 2018 – 4,000,000 common shares, June 30, 2018 – 4,000,000 common shares) at a price equal to the average market price of transactions during the last five trading days prior to the grant date. Options are exercisable to a maximum of 20% of the optioned shares per year, starting after the first anniversary date of the granting of the options and will expire after a term of ten years. Upon termination, resignation, retirement, death or long-term disability, all share options granted under the Share Option Plan not vested shall be forfeited.

#### 15. Share-based compensation (continued):

(a) Equity-Settled Share-Based Compensation (continued):

On December 3, 2018, a total of 447,175 share options were granted at a price of \$5.58 per common share to certain executives.

On December 4, 2017, a total of 1,065,322 share options were granted at a price of \$6.23 per common share to certain executives and senior managers. During fiscal 2018, a total of 60,000 share options were forfeited following the departure of a senior manager.

Compensation expense is amortized over the vesting period of the corresponding optioned shares and is expensed in the administration and selling expenses with an offsetting credit to contributed surplus. An expense of \$46 and \$144 was recorded for the three and nine month periods ended June 29, 2019 (an expense of \$55 and \$141 for the three and nine months ended June 30, 2018).

The following tables summarize information about the Share Option Plan as of June 29, 2019:

	Outstanding	Options	Options	Options			
	number of	granted	exercised	forfeited	Outstanding	Weighted	
Exercise	options at	during the	during the	during the	number of options	average	Number of
price per	September 29,		nine month	nine month	at June 29,	remaining	
option	2018	period	period	period	2019	life	exercisable
\$4.59	830,000	-	-	-	830,000	5.90	660,000
\$5.58	-	447,175	-	-	447,175	9.43	-
\$5.61	80,000	-	-	-	80,000	2.72	80,000
\$6.23	1,005,322	-	-	-	1,005,322	8.43	201,064
\$6.51	360,000	-	-	-	360,000	7.43	144,000
	2,275,322	447,175	-	-	2,722,497	n/a	1,085,064

Options outstanding held by key management personnel amounted to 2,102,497 options as at June 29, 2019 and 1,655,322 options as at September 29, 2018 (see note 17, Key management personnel).

The measurement date fair values were measured based on the Black-Scholes option pricing model. Expected volatility is estimated by considering historic average share price volatility. The inputs used in the measurement of the fair values of the share-based payment plans granted in the first quarter of fiscal 2019 are the following:

Total fair value of options	\$141
Share price	\$5.75
Exercise price	\$5.58
Expected volatility (weighted average volatility)	15.688% to 17.066%
Option life (expected weighted average life)	4 to 6 years
Expected dividends	6.26%
Weighted average risk-free interest rate (based on government bonds)	1.842% to 1.853%

#### 15. Share-based compensation (continued):

(b) Cash-Settled Share-Based Compensation:

#### i) Share Appreciation Rights ("SAR"):

Compensation expense is amortized over the vesting period of the corresponding optioned shares and is expensed in the administration and selling expenses with an offsetting credit to liability. A gain of \$8 and an expense of \$2 was recorded for the three and nine month periods ended June 29, 2019 (a gain on fair value change of \$11 and \$10 was recorded for the three and nine months ended June 30, 2018). The liabilities arising from the SARs as at June 29, 2019 were \$12 (September 29, 2018 – \$10; June 30, 2018 – \$5).

The following table summarizes information about the SARs as of June 29, 2019:

				SARs	Outstanding	
	Outstanding	SARs	SARs	forfeited	number of	
Share	number of SARs	granted	exercised	during the	SARs	Number of
price per	at September 29,	during the nine	during the nine	nine month	at June 29,	SARs
unit	2018	month period	month period	period	2019	exercisable
\$6.51	125,000	-	-	-	125,000	50,000

The measurement date fair values were measured based on the Black-Scholes option pricing model. Expected volatility is estimated by considering historic average share price volatility. The inputs used in the measurement of the fair values of the SARs granted in the first quarter of fiscal 2018 are the following:

SARs granted December 5, 2016	Grant date	Measurement date as at June 29, 2019
Total fair value of SARs	\$53	\$15
Share price	\$6.63	\$5.61
Exercise price	\$6.51	\$6.51
Expected volatility (weighted average volatility)	16.520% to 18.670%	15.832% to 16.927%
Option life (expected weighted average life)	2 to 6 years	4 to 8 years
Expected dividends	5.43%	6.67%
Weighted average risk-free interest rate (based on government bonds)	0.740% to 1.160%	1.408% to 1.439%

The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility over a period similar to the life of the SARs is indicative of future trends, which may not necessarily be the actual outcome.

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#### 15. Share-based compensation (continued):

(b) Cash-Settled Share-Based Compensation (continued):

### ii) Performance Share Units ("PSU"):

On December 3, 2018, a total of 290,448 PSUs were granted at a share price of \$5.58 per common share to certain executives and senior managers. In addition, an aggregate of 9,060 PSUs at a weighted-average share price of \$5.83 were allocated as a result of the dividend paid during the quarters since inception. These PSUs will vest at the end of the 2019-2021 Performance Cycle based on the achievement of total shareholder returns set by the Human Resources and Compensation Committee ("HRCC") and the Board of Directors of the Company. Following the end of a Performance Cycle, the Board of Directors of the Company will determine, and to the extent only that the Vesting Conditions include financial conditions, concurrently with the release of the Company's financial and/or operational results for the fiscal year ended at the end of the Performance Cycle, whether the Vesting Conditions for the PSUs granted to a participant relating to such Performance Cycle have been achieved. Depending on the achievement of the Vesting Conditions, between 0% and 200% of the PSUs will become vested.

The Board of Directors of the Company has the discretion to determine that all or a portion of the PSUs granted to a participant for which the Vesting Conditions have not been achieved shall vest to such participant.

The value to be paid-out to each participant will be equal to the result of: the number of PSUs granted to the participant which have vested, multiplied by the volume weighted average closing price of the Common Shares on the Toronto Stock Exchange (the "TSX") for the five trading days immediately preceding the day on which the Company shall pay the value to the participant under the PSU Plan, and such date will in no event occur after December 31 of the third calendar year following the calendar year in which the PSUs are granted.

During the first quarter of fiscal 2018, a total of 224,761 PSUs were granted at a share price of \$6.31 per common share to executives. These shares will vest at the end of the 2018-2020 Performance Cycle. In addition, an aggregate of 21,620 PSUs at a weighted-average share price of \$5.86 were allocated as a result of the dividend paid during the quarters since inception, as the participants also receive dividend equivalents paid in the form of PSU's.

A gain of \$17 and an expense of \$83 was recorded for the three and nine month periods ending June 29, 2019 (June 30, 2018 – a credit of \$123 and an expense of \$75 respectively) in administration and selling expenses. The liabilities arising from the PSUs as at June 29, 2019 was \$83 (September 29, 2018 – nil; June 30, 2018 - \$75).

### 15. Share-based compensation (continued):

- (c) Cash-Settled Share-Based Compensation (continued):
  - ii) Performance Share Units ("PSU") (continued):

The following table summarizes information about the PSUs as of June 29, 2019:

Performance Cycle	Outstanding number of PSUs at September 29, 2018	•	PSUs exercised during the nine month period	PSUs forfeited during the nine month period	Outstanding number of PSUs at June 29, 2019
2018-2020	235,052	11,329	-	-	246,381
2019-2021	-	299,508	-	-	299,508
	235,052	310,837	-	-	545,889

#### 16. Supplementary cash flow information:

	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	September 29, 2018	September 30, 2017
Non-cash transactions:	\$	\$	\$	\$
Additions of property, plant and equipment and intangibles included in trade and other payables	1,967	2,033	1,041	247

### 17. Key management personnel:

The Board of Directors as well as the President and all the Vice-Presidents are deemed to be key management personnel of the Company. The following is the compensation expense for key management personnel:

	For the three mo	For the nine months ended		
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Salaries and short-term benefits	746	746	2,221	2,174
Fees for members of the Board of Directors	224	230	638	670
Post-retirement benefits	19	39	92	109
Share-based compensation	21	(81)	229	206
	1,010	934	3,180	3,159

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#### 18. Personnel expenses:

	For the three mo	For the three months ended		
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Wages, salaries and employee benefits	22,336	20,981	67,315	64,315
Expenses related to defined benefit plans (1)	751	1,051	3,023	1,792
Expenses related to defined contributions plans	1,556	1,444	3,820	3,631
Share-based compensation	21	(81)	229	206
	24,664	23,395	74,387	69,944

(1) On October 16, 2017, the Alberta Treasury Board and Finance approved an amendment to the Alberta Hourly Plan which led to the elimination of the reserve for future supplements, and investment earnings accumulated thereon, effective January 1, 2017. As a result, during the first quarter, a \$1.5 million pension income was recorded.

The personnel expenses were charged and capitalized to the unaudited condensed consolidated interim statements of earnings and statements of financial position, respectively, as follows:

	For the three months ended		For the nine m	onths ended
	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018	June 29, 2019	June 30, 2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Cost of sales	19,647	18,436	60,058	54,819
Administration and selling expenses	4,457	4,448	12,860	13,713
Distribution expenses	426	435	1,169	1,140
	24,530	23,319	74,087	69,672
Property, plant and equipment	134	76	300	272
	24,664	23,395	74,387	69,944

### 19. Segmented information:

The Company has two operating and reportable segments, sugar and maple products. The principal business activity of the sugar segment is the refining, packaging and marketing of sugar products. The Maple products segment processes pure maple syrup and related maple products. The reportable segments are managed independently as they require different technology and capital resources. Performance is measured based on the segments' gross margins and results from operating activities. These measures are included in the internal management reports that are reviewed by the Company's President and CEO, and management believes that such information is the most relevant in the evaluation of the results of the segments.

Notes to unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements (In thousands of dollars except as noted and amounts per share)

## 19. Segmented information (continued):

Transactions between reportable segments are interest receivable (payable), which are eliminated upon consolidation.

	For the three months ended June 29, 2019				
	Sugar	Maple products	Corporate and eliminations	Total	
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Revenues	146,240	45,208	-	191,448	
Cost of sales	121,780	38,927	-	160,707	
Gross margin	24,460	6,281	-	30,741	
Depreciation and amortization	3,414	1,317	-	4,731	
Results from operating activities	15,737	3,156	(323)	18,570	
Additions to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	6,611	348	-	6,959	

	F	or the nine r	nonths ended Jun	e 29, 2019
	Sugar	Maple	Corporate and	Total
	_	products	eliminations	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues	436,446	150,274	-	586,720
Cost of sales	360,789	132,429	-	493,218
Gross margin	75,657	17,845	-	93,502
Depreciation and amortization	10,366	3,924	-	14,290
Results from operating activities	50,078	7,857	(988)	56,947
Additions to property, plant and equipment and intangible assets	15,591	3,387	-	18,978

			As at June 29, 2019		
	Sugar	Maple	Corporate and	Total	
		products	eliminations		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Total assets	775,739	296,491	(165,550)	906,680	
Total liabilities	(928,959)	(254,958)	627,195	(556,722)	

	For the three months ended June 3			
	Sugar	Maple	Corporate and	Total
		products	eliminations	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues	148,720	50,336	-	199,056
Cost of sales	124,463	43,163	-	167,626
Gross margin	24,257	7,173	-	31,430
Depreciation and amortization	3,587	1,359	-	4,946
Results from operating activities Additions to property, plant and	15,936	3,713	(353)	19,296
equipment and intangible assets	4,667	447	-	5,114

### 19. Segmented information (continued):

		e months ended Jur	ne 30, 2018	
	Sugar	Maple	Corporate and	Total
		products	eliminations	
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues	440,918	152,476	-	593,394
Cost of sales	359,980	131,816	-	491,796
Gross margin	80,938	20,660	-	101,598
Depreciation and amortization	10,064	3,814	-	13,878
Results from operating activities Additions to property, plant and	57,788	9,102	(1,021)	65,869
equipment and intangible assets	12,458	1,184	-	13,642

			As at June 30, 2018		
	Sugar	Maple	Corporate and	Total	
		products	eliminations		
	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Total assets	773,492	290,879	(164,873)	899,498	
Total liabilities	(935,292)	(247,529)	629,818	(553,003)	

Revenues were derived from customers in the following geographic areas:

	For the three mo	For the three months ended		nths ended
	June 29, 2019	June 30,	June 29,	June 30,
		2018	2019	2018
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Canada	149,940	149,313	448,777	448,770
United States	24,762	26,186	81,355	85,328
Europe	8,132	13,291	28,506	30,086
Other	8,614	10,266	28,082	29,210
	191,448	199,056	586,720	593,394

### 20. Subsequent events:

On July 9, 2019, the Company exercised its option to extend the maturity date of its revolving credit facility to June 28, 2024 and made some minor amendments, which do not affect its outstanding borrowings nor its financial covenants. A total of \$0.1 million was paid in financing fees.