



Winpak Ltd.  
Interim Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements  
Fourth Quarter Ended: December 25, 2016

These interim condensed consolidated financial statements have not been audited or reviewed by the Company's independent external auditors, KPMG LLP.



Winpak Ltd.  
 Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets  
*(thousands of US dollars) (unaudited)*

	Note	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current assets:</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents		211,225	165,027
Trade and other receivables	12	124,148	107,805
Income taxes receivable		564	2,050
Inventories	5	103,516	96,498
Prepaid expenses		3,024	3,411
Derivative financial instruments		308	40
		<u>442,785</u>	<u>374,831</u>
<b>Non-current assets:</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	7	409,147	369,436
Intangible assets	7	14,501	14,745
Employee benefit plan assets		6,721	5,723
Deferred tax assets		1,060	1,408
		<u>431,429</u>	<u>391,312</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>874,214</u>	<u>766,143</u>
<b>Equity and Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current liabilities:</b>			
Trade payables and other liabilities		71,448	68,534
Income taxes payable		6,226	10,569
Derivative financial instruments		348	1,683
		<u>78,022</u>	<u>80,786</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities:</b>			
Employee benefit plan liabilities		9,253	8,885
Deferred income		15,424	14,071
Provisions		760	760
Deferred tax liabilities		43,486	38,250
		<u>68,923</u>	<u>61,966</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u>146,945</u>	<u>142,752</u>
<b>Equity:</b>			
Share capital		29,195	29,195
Reserves		(29)	(1,208)
Retained earnings		676,478	576,359
<b>Total equity attributable to equity holders of the Company</b>		<u>705,644</u>	<u>604,346</u>
<b>Non-controlling interests</b>		<u>21,625</u>	<u>19,045</u>
<b>Total equity</b>		<u>727,269</u>	<u>623,391</u>
<b>Total equity and liabilities</b>		<u>874,214</u>	<u>766,143</u>

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.



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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Income

(thousands of US dollars, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

	Note	Quarter Ended		Year Ended	
		December 25 2016	December 27 2015	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Revenue		215,550	205,746	822,532	797,169
Cost of sales		(146,100)	(136,803)	(553,233)	(539,347)
Gross profit		69,450	68,943	269,299	257,822
Sales, marketing and distribution expenses		(16,262)	(15,101)	(63,247)	(59,823)
General and administrative expenses		(5,924)	(8,445)	(27,979)	(32,236)
Research and technical expenses		(4,244)	(3,856)	(17,168)	(15,362)
Pre-production expenses		(301)	(368)	(1,439)	(1,158)
Other expenses	6	(66)	(1,006)	(1,669)	(1,916)
<b>Income from operations</b>		<b>42,653</b>	<b>40,167</b>	<b>157,797</b>	<b>147,327</b>
Finance income		236	69	670	342
Finance expense		(94)	(84)	(453)	(392)
Income before income taxes		42,795	40,152	158,014	147,277
Income tax expense		(13,184)	(11,775)	(49,813)	(45,474)
<b>Net income for the period</b>		<b>29,611</b>	<b>28,377</b>	<b>108,201</b>	<b>101,803</b>
<b>Attributable to:</b>					
Equity holders of the Company		28,578	27,635	104,344	99,248
Non-controlling interests		1,033	742	3,857	2,555
		29,611	28,377	108,201	101,803
<b>Basic and diluted earnings per share - cents</b>	9	<b>44</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>161</b>	<b>153</b>

Condensed Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Income

(thousands of US dollars) (unaudited)

	Note	Quarter Ended		Year Ended	
		December 25 2016	December 27 2015	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
<b>Net income for the period</b>		<b>29,611</b>	<b>28,377</b>	<b>108,201</b>	<b>101,803</b>
<u>Items that will not be reclassified to the statements of income:</u>					
Cash flow hedge losses recognized		-	(162)	(3)	(652)
Cash flow hedge losses transferred to property, plant and equipment		-	-	19	4
Employee benefit plan remeasurements		2,516	1,743	2,516	1,743
Income tax effect		(847)	(470)	(847)	(470)
		1,669	1,111	1,685	625
<u>Items that are or may be reclassified subsequently to the statements of income:</u>					
Cash flow hedge (losses) gains recognized		(668)	(818)	961	(3,728)
Cash flow hedge (gains) losses transferred to the statements of income	6	(178)	1,109	626	2,976
Income tax effect		226	(78)	(424)	201
		(620)	213	1,163	(551)
<b>Other comprehensive income for the period - net of income tax</b>		<b>1,049</b>	<b>1,324</b>	<b>2,848</b>	<b>74</b>
<b>Comprehensive income for the period</b>		<b>30,660</b>	<b>29,701</b>	<b>111,049</b>	<b>101,877</b>
<b>Attributable to:</b>					
Equity holders of the Company		29,627	28,959	107,192	99,322
Non-controlling interests		1,033	742	3,857	2,555
		30,660	29,701	111,049	101,877

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Winpak Ltd.  
 Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity  
 (thousands of US dollars) (unaudited)

	Attributable to equity holders of the Company						
	Note	Share capital	Reserves	Retained earnings	Total	Non-controlling interests	Total equity
<b>Balance at December 29, 2014</b>		29,195	(641)	555,697	584,251	17,136	601,387
<b>Comprehensive (loss) income for the period</b>							
Cash flow hedge losses, net of tax		-	(2,752)	(632)	(3,384)	-	(3,384)
Cash flow hedge losses transferred to the statements of income, net of tax		-	2,181	-	2,181	-	2,181
Cash flow hedge losses transferred to property, plant and equipment		-	4	-	4	-	4
Employee benefit plan remeasurements, net of tax		-	-	1,273	1,273	-	1,273
<b>Other comprehensive (loss) income</b>		-	(567)	641	74	-	74
<b>Net income for the period</b>		-	-	99,248	99,248	2,555	101,803
<b>Comprehensive (loss) income for the period</b>		-	(567)	99,889	99,322	2,555	101,877
<b>Dividends</b>	8	-	-	(79,227)	(79,227)	(646)	(79,873)
<b>Balance at December 27, 2015</b>		29,195	(1,208)	576,359	604,346	19,045	623,391
<b>Balance at December 28, 2015</b>		29,195	(1,208)	576,359	604,346	19,045	623,391
<b>Comprehensive income for the period</b>							
Cash flow hedge gains, net of tax		-	745	-	745	-	745
Cash flow hedge losses transferred to the statements of income, net of tax		-	415	-	415	-	415
Cash flow hedge losses transferred to property, plant and equipment		-	19	-	19	-	19
Employee benefit plan remeasurements, net of tax		-	-	1,669	1,669	-	1,669
<b>Other comprehensive income</b>		-	1,179	1,669	2,848	-	2,848
<b>Net income for the period</b>		-	-	104,344	104,344	3,857	108,201
<b>Comprehensive income for the period</b>		-	1,179	106,013	107,192	3,857	111,049
<b>Dividends</b>	8	-	-	(5,894)	(5,894)	(1,277)	(7,171)
<b>Balance at December 25, 2016</b>		29,195	(29)	676,478	705,644	21,625	727,269

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.



Winpak Ltd.  
 Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows  
 (thousands of US dollars) (unaudited)

	Note	Quarter Ended		Year Ended	
		December 25 2016	December 27 2015	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
<b>Cash provided by (used in):</b>					
<b>Operating activities:</b>					
Net income for the period		29,611	28,377	108,201	101,803
Items not involving cash:					
Depreciation		9,059	8,452	35,054	32,836
Amortization - deferred income		(372)	(366)	(1,536)	(1,559)
Amortization - intangible assets		168	154	666	602
Employee defined benefit plan expenses		604	696	3,219	3,190
Multiemployer defined benefit pension plan withdrawal liability settlement gain	6	-	-	-	(1,815)
Net finance (income) expense		(142)	15	(217)	50
Income tax expense		13,184	11,775	49,813	45,474
Other		(2,075)	(120)	(3,552)	(1,565)
Cash flow from operating activities before the following		50,037	48,983	191,648	179,016
Change in working capital:					
Trade and other receivables		(3,026)	(537)	(16,343)	4,649
Inventories		1,787	1,135	(7,018)	4,088
Prepaid expenses		953	1,472	387	933
Trade payables and other liabilities		(3,582)	2,860	2,874	(294)
Provisions		-	-	-	(4,467)
Employee defined benefit plan contributions		(394)	(427)	(1,532)	(1,681)
Income tax paid		(6,654)	(6,675)	(44,491)	(26,456)
Interest received		203	46	549	253
Interest paid		(3)	(5)	(67)	(21)
Net cash from operating activities		39,321	46,852	126,007	156,020
<b>Investing activities:</b>					
Acquisition of plant and equipment - net		(24,077)	(16,859)	(72,240)	(53,678)
Acquisition of intangible assets		(259)	(77)	(430)	(303)
Net cash used in investing activities		(24,336)	(16,936)	(72,670)	(53,981)
<b>Financing activities:</b>					
Dividends paid	8	(1,481)	(75,318)	(5,862)	(80,127)
Dividend paid to non-controlling interests in subsidiary		-	-	(1,277)	(646)
Net cash used in financing activities		(1,481)	(75,318)	(7,139)	(80,773)
Change in cash and cash equivalents		13,504	(45,402)	46,198	21,266
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		197,721	210,429	165,027	143,761
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period		211,225	165,027	211,225	165,027

See accompanying notes to condensed consolidated financial statements.

## 1. General

Winpak Ltd. is incorporated under the Canada Business Corporations Act. The Company manufactures and distributes high-quality packaging materials and related packaging machines. The Company's products are used primarily for the packaging of perishable foods, beverages and in healthcare applications. The address of the Company's registered office is 100 Saulteaux Crescent, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada R3J 3T3.

## 2. Basis of Presentation

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements were prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), using the same accounting policies as those used in the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 27, 2015, except as disclosed in note 3. The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements are in compliance with IAS 34. Accordingly, certain information and note disclosure normally included in annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) have been omitted or condensed. These unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 27, 2015, which are included in the Company's 2015 Annual Report.

The fiscal year of the Company ends on the last Sunday of the calendar year. As a result, the Company's fiscal year is usually 52 weeks in duration, but includes a 53<sup>rd</sup> week every five to six years. The 2016 and 2015 fiscal years are both comprised of 52 weeks and each quarter of 2016 and 2015 are comprised of 13 weeks.

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors on February 16, 2017.

## 3. Accounting Standards Implemented in 2016

### (a) *Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangibles:*

The amendments to IAS 16 "Property, Plant and Equipment" and IAS 38 "Intangible Assets" prohibit the use of revenue-based depreciation for plant and equipment and significantly limits the use of revenue-based amortization for intangible assets. These amendments were implemented in the first quarter of 2016 with prospective application and had no impact on the Company's unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

### (b) *Financial Statement Presentation:*

The amendments to IAS 1 "Presentation of Financial Statements" were issued as part of the IASB's major initiative to improve presentation and disclosure in financial reports. These amendments were implemented in the first quarter of 2016 and had no impact on the Company's unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements.

## 4. Future Accounting Standards

### (a) *Financial Instruments:*

IFRS 9 "Financial Instruments" was issued in November 2009, introducing new requirements for the classification and measurement of financial assets. IFRS 9 was amended in October 2010 to include requirements for the classification and measurement of financial liabilities and for derecognition. IFRS 9, which has yet to be adopted, retains but simplifies the mixed measurement model and establishes two primary measurement categories for financial assets: amortized cost and fair value. The basis of classification depends on an entity's business model and the contractual cash flow of the financial asset. Classification is made at the time the financial asset is initially recognized, namely when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. With regard to the measurement of financial liabilities designated as fair value through profit or loss, IFRS 9 requires that the amount of the change in the fair value of the financial liability, that is attributable to changes in the credit risk of that liability, is presented in other comprehensive income, unless the recognition of the effects of changes in the liability's credit risk in other comprehensive income would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in the statement of income. Changes in fair value attributable to a financial liability's credit risk are not subsequently reclassified to the statement of income. Previously, the entire amount of the change in the fair value of the financial liability designated as fair value through profit or loss was presented in the statement of income. In November 2013, a new general hedge accounting standard was issued, forming part of IFRS 9. It will more closely align with risk management. This new standard does not fundamentally change the types of hedging relationships or the requirement to measure and recognize ineffectiveness, however it will provide more hedging strategies that are used for risk management to qualify for hedge accounting and introduce more judgment to assess the effectiveness of a hedging relationship. Another revised version of IFRS 9 was issued in July 2014 mainly to include i) impairment requirements for financial assets and ii) limited amendments to the classification and measurement requirements by introducing a fair value through other comprehensive income measurement category for certain simple debt instruments.

IFRS 9 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018 with early adoption permitted. The Company is currently assessing the impact of this new standard and does not intend to early adopt IFRS 9 in its consolidated financial statements.

**(b) Revenue From Contracts With Customers:**

IFRS 15 "Revenue From Contracts With Customers" was issued in May 2014, specifying the steps and timing for recognizing revenue. The new standard also requires more informative, relevant disclosures. IFRS 15 supersedes IAS 11 "Construction Contracts" and IAS 18 "Revenue", as well as various IFRIC and SIC interpretations regarding revenue. IFRS 15 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018 and is to be applied retrospectively. Early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently assessing the impact of this new standard and does not intend to early adopt IFRS 15 in its consolidated financial statements.

**(c) Leases:**

IFRS 16 "Leases" was issued in January 2016, providing a single model for leases. The new standard introduces a balance sheet recognition and measurement model for lessees, eliminating the distinction between operating and finance leases. As a result, most leases will be recognized on the statement of financial position. Certain exemptions will apply for short-term leases and leases for low-value assets. Lessors will continue to classify leases as operating and finance leases. IFRS 16 replaces IAS 17 "Leases" and the related interpretations. IFRS 16 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019 and is to be applied retrospectively. Early adoption is permitted under certain conditions. The Company is currently assessing the impact of this new standard and does not intend to early adopt IFRS 16 in its consolidated financial statements.

**(d) Statements of Cash Flows:**

In January 2016, amendments to IAS 7 "Statement of Cash Flows" were issued to improve information provided to users of financial statements about an entity's changes in liabilities arising from financing activities. These amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2017 with early adoption permitted. While the Company is currently assessing the impact of the amended standard, management does not expect the amendments to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements. The amended standard will be adopted by the Company in 2017.

**(e) Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration:**

In December 2016, IFRIC Interpretation 22 "Foreign Currency Transactions and Advance Consideration" was issued to clarify the date that should be used for translation when a foreign currency transaction involves an advance receipt or payment. 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 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 effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018 with early adoption permitted. The Interpretation will be adopted by the Company in 2018. While the Company is currently assessing the impact of the Interpretation, management does not expect IFRIC 22 to have a significant impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements.

**5. Inventories**

	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Raw materials	27,559	27,263
Work-in-process	18,113	16,267
Finished goods	49,254	46,092
Spare parts	8,590	6,876
	103,516	96,498

During the fourth quarter of 2016, the Company recorded, within cost of sales, inventory write-downs for slow-moving and obsolete inventory of \$1,973 (2015 - \$1,428) and reversals of previously written-down items of \$156 (2015 - \$183). During 2016, the Company recorded, within cost of sales, inventory write-downs for slow-moving and obsolete inventory of \$7,593 (2015 - \$7,905) and reversals of previously written-down items of \$2,466 (2015 - \$2,112).

**6. Other Expenses**

	Quarter Ended		Year Ended	
	December 25 2016	December 27 2015	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Amounts shown on a net basis				
Foreign exchange (loss) gain	(244)	103	(1,043)	(613)
Cash flow hedge gains (losses) transferred from other comprehensive income	178	(1,109)	(626)	(2,976)
Multiemployer defined benefit pension plan withdrawal liability settlement gain	-	-	-	1,815
Multiemployer defined benefit pension plan withdrawal liability expense - change in discount rates	-	-	-	(142)
	(66)	(1,006)	(1,669)	(1,916)

## 7. Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets

At December 25, 2016, the Company has commitments to purchase plant and equipment of \$26,766 (2015 - \$16,445). No impairment losses or impairment reversals were recognized during 2016 or 2015.

## 8. Dividends

During the fourth quarter of 2016, dividends in Canadian dollars of 3 cents per common share were declared (2015 - 3 cents) and on a year-to-date basis, 12 cents per common share were declared (2015 - 12 cents). In addition, the Company paid a special dividend in Canadian dollars of \$1.50 per common share on October 15, 2015.

## 9. Earnings Per Share

	Quarter Ended		Year Ended	
	December 25 2016	December 27 2015	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Net income attributable to equity holders of the Company	28,578	27,635	104,344	99,248
Weighted average shares outstanding (000's)	65,000	65,000	65,000	65,000
Basic and diluted earnings per share - cents	44	43	161	153

## 10. Determination of Fair Values

The Company measures assets and liabilities under the following fair value hierarchy in accordance with IFRS. The different levels have been defined as follows:

Level 1 - unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 - inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly; and

Level 3 - inputs that are not based on observable market data.

The fair value of cash and cash equivalents, trade and other receivables, trade payables and other liabilities approximate their carrying value because of the short-term maturity of these instruments. The fair value of foreign currency forward contracts, designated as cash flow hedges, has been determined by valuing those contracts to market against prevailing forward foreign exchange rates as at the reporting date.

The following table presents assets and liabilities within the fair value hierarchy:

Financial Assets (Liabilities)	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<u>At December 25, 2016</u>				
Foreign currency forward contracts - net	-	(40)	-	(40)
<u>At December 27, 2015</u>				
Foreign currency forward contracts - net	-	(1,643)	-	(1,643)

## 11. Financial Instruments

When the Company has a legally enforceable right to set off supplier rebates receivable against supplier trade payables and intends to settle the amount on a net basis or simultaneously, the balance is presented as an offset within Trade Payables and Other Liabilities on the condensed consolidated balance sheet. At December 25, 2016, the supplier rebate receivable balance that was offset was \$5,064 (2015 - \$5,073).

## 12. Financial Risk Management

In the normal course of business, the Company has risk exposures consisting primarily of foreign exchange risk, interest rate risk, commodity price risk, liquidity risk, and credit risk. The Company manages its risks and risk exposures through a combination of derivative financial instruments, insurance, a system of internal and disclosure controls and sound business practices. The Company does not purchase any derivative financial instruments for speculative purposes.

Financial risk management is primarily the responsibility of the Company's corporate finance function. Significant risks are regularly monitored and actions are taken, when appropriate, according to the Company's approved policies, established for that purpose. In addition, as required, these risks are reviewed with the Company's Board of Directors.



**Foreign Exchange Risk**

Translation differences arise when foreign currency monetary assets and liabilities are translated at foreign exchange rates that change over time. These foreign exchange gains and losses are recorded in other expenses. As a result of the Company's CDN dollar net asset monetary position as at December 25, 2016, a one-cent change in the period-end foreign exchange rate from 0.7388 to 0.7288 (CDN to US dollars) would have decreased net income by \$6 for 2016. Conversely, a one-cent change in the period-end foreign exchange rate from 0.7388 to 0.7488 (CDN to US dollars) would have increased net income by \$6 for 2016.

The Company's Foreign Exchange Policy requires that between 50 and 80 percent of the Company's net requirement of CDN dollars for the ensuing 9 to 15 months will be hedged at all times with a combination of cash and cash equivalents and forward or zero-cost option foreign currency contracts. The Company may also enter into forward foreign currency contracts when equipment purchases and special dividend payments will be settled in foreign currencies. Transactions are only conducted with certain approved Schedule I Canadian financial institutions. All foreign currency contracts are designated as cash flow hedges. Certain foreign currency contracts matured during the fourth quarter of 2016 and the Company realized pre-tax foreign exchange gains of \$178 (year-to-date - realized foreign exchange losses of \$645). Of these foreign exchange differences, gains of \$178 were recorded in other expenses (year-to-date losses - \$626) and \$0 was recorded in plant and equipment (year-to-date losses - \$19). During the fourth quarter of 2015, the Company realized pre-tax foreign exchange losses of \$1,741 (year-to-date - realized pre-tax foreign exchange losses of \$3,612). Of these foreign exchange differences, losses of \$1,109 were recorded in other expenses (year-to-date losses - \$2,976), \$0 was recorded in plant and equipment (year-to-date losses - \$4), and losses of \$632 were recorded directly to equity (year-to-date losses - \$632).

As at December 25, 2016, the Company had US to CDN dollar foreign currency forward contracts outstanding with a notional amount of US \$23.0 million at an average exchange rate of 1.3500 maturing between January and June 2017. The fair value of these financial instruments was negative \$40 US and the corresponding unrealized loss has been recorded in other comprehensive income.

**Interest Rate Risk**

The Company's interest rate risk arises from interest rate fluctuations on the finance income that it earns on its cash invested in money market accounts and short-term deposits. The Company developed and implemented an investment policy, which was approved by the Company's Board of Directors, with the primary objective to preserve capital, minimize risk and provide liquidity. Regarding the December 25, 2016 cash and cash equivalents balance of \$211.2 million, a 1.0 percent increase/decrease in interest rate fluctuations would increase/decrease income before income taxes by \$2,112 annually.

**Commodity Price Risk**

The Company's manufacturing costs are affected by the price of raw materials, namely petroleum-based and natural gas-based plastic resins and aluminum. In order to manage its risk, the Company has entered into selling price-indexing programs with certain customers. Changes in raw material prices for these customers are reflected in selling price adjustments but there is a slight time lag. For the year ended December 25, 2016, 69 percent of revenue was generated from customers with selling price-indexing programs. For all other customers, the Company's preferred practice is to match raw material cost changes with selling price adjustments, albeit with a slight time lag. This matching is not always possible, as customers react to selling price pressures related to raw material cost fluctuations according to conditions pertaining to their markets.

**Liquidity Risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company would not be able to meet its financial obligations as they come due. Management believes that the liquidity risk is low due to the strong financial condition of the Company. This risk assessment is based on the following: (a) cash and cash equivalents amounts of \$211.2 million, (b) no outstanding bank loans, (c) unused credit facilities comprised of unsecured operating lines of \$38 million, (d) the ability to obtain term-loan financing to fund an acquisition, if needed, (e) an informal investment grade credit rating, and (f) the Company's ability to generate positive cash flows from ongoing operations. Management believes that the Company's cash flows are more than sufficient to cover its operating costs, working capital requirements, capital expenditures and dividend payments in 2017. The Company's trade payables and other liabilities and derivative financial instrument liabilities are virtually all due within twelve months.

**Operating Leases**

The Company rents premises and equipment under operating leases that expire at various dates until April 30, 2020. The aggregate minimum rentals payable for these leases are as follows:

Year	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	Thereafter	Total
Amount	973	624	468	157	-	-	2,222

**Credit Risk**

The Company is exposed to credit risk from its cash and cash equivalents held with banks and financial institutions, derivative financial instruments (foreign currency forward contracts), as well as credit exposure to customers, including outstanding trade and other receivable balances.



Notes to Condensed Consolidated Financial Statements  
For the periods ended December 25, 2016 and December 27, 2015  
(thousands of US dollars, unless otherwise indicated) (Unaudited)

The following table details the maximum exposure to the Company's counterparty credit risk which represents the carrying value of the financial asset:

	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Cash and cash equivalents	211,225	165,027
Trade and other receivables	124,148	107,805
Foreign currency forward contracts	308	40
	335,681	272,872

Credit risk on cash and cash equivalents and other financial instruments arises in the event of non-performance by the counterparties when the Company is entitled to receive payment from the counterparty who fails to perform. The Company has established an investment policy to manage its cash. The policy requires that the Company manage its risk by investing its excess cash on hand on a short-term basis, up to a maximum of six months, with several financial institutions and/or governmental bodies that must be rated 'AA' or higher for CDN financial institutions and 'A-1' or higher for US financial institutions by recognized international credit rating agencies or insured 100 percent by the US government or a 'AAA' rated CDN federal or provincial government. The Company manages its counterparty risk on its financial instruments by only dealing with CDN Schedule I financial institutions.

In the normal course of business, the Company is exposed to credit risk on its trade and other receivables from customers. To mitigate such risk, the Company performs ongoing customer credit evaluations and assesses their credit quality by taking into account their financial position, past experience and other pertinent factors. Management regularly monitors customer credit limits, performs credit reviews and, in certain cases insures trade and other receivables against credit losses.

As at December 25, 2016, the Company believes that the credit risk for trade and other receivables is mitigated due to the following: a) a broad customer base which is dispersed across varying market sectors and geographic locations, b) 98 percent of the gross trade and other receivables balance is within 30 days of the agreed upon payment terms with customers, and c) 37 percent of the trade and other receivables balance is insured against credit losses. The Company's exposure to the ten largest customer balances, on aggregate, accounted for 45 percent of the total trade and other receivables balance.

The carrying amount of trade and other receivables is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognized in the statement of income within general and administrative expenses. When a receivable balance is considered uncollectible, it is written off against the allowance for doubtful accounts. Subsequent recoveries of amounts previously written off are credited against general and administrative expenses in the statement of income.

The following table sets out the aging details of the Company's trade and other receivables balances outstanding based on the status of the receivable in relation to when the receivable was due and payable and related allowance for doubtful accounts:

	December 25 2016	December 27 2015
Current - neither impaired nor past due	107,044	86,268
<u>Not impaired but past the due date:</u>		
Within 30 days	15,658	18,877
31 - 60 days	1,492	2,797
Over 60 days	749	819
	124,943	108,761
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	(795)	(956)
Total trade and other receivables, net	124,148	107,805

The following table details the continuity of the allowance for doubtful accounts:

	2016	2015
Balance, beginning of year	(956)	(700)
Provisions for the year, net of recoveries	82	(536)
Uncollectible amounts written off	78	280
Foreign exchange impact	1	-
Balance, end of year	(795)	(956)



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### 13. Segment Reporting

The Company operates in one reportable segment being the manufacture and sale of packaging materials. The Company operates principally in Canada and the United States. The following summary presents key information by geographic segment:

	United States	Canada	Other	Consolidated
<b>Revenue</b>				
Quarter ended December 25, 2016	173,950	29,703	11,897	215,550
Quarter ended December 27, 2015	167,914	25,324	12,508	205,746
Year ended December 25, 2016	676,262	104,151	42,119	822,532
Year ended December 27, 2015	648,953	97,716	50,500	797,169
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment and Intangible Assets</b>				
As at December 25, 2016	204,178	218,235	1,235	423,648
As at December 27, 2015	175,883	207,031	1,267	384,181

### 14. Seasonality

The Company experiences seasonal variation in revenue, with revenue typically being the highest in the second and fourth quarters, and lowest in the first quarter.