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### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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FORM 10-Q

Quarterly Report Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Quarterly Period Ended March 31, 2016

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Green Plains Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

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Iowa	84-1652107
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
450 Regency Parkway, Suite 400, Omaha, NE 68114	(402) 884-8700
(Address of principal executive offices, including zip code)	(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer

Accelerated filer N

Non-accelerated filer

Smaller reporting company

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Yes No

The number of shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, outstanding as of May 2, 2016, was 38,464,374 shares.

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Commonly Used Defined Terms

Green Plains Inc. and Subsidiaries:

Green Plains; the company	Green Plains Inc. and its subsidiaries
Green Plains Cattle	Green Plains Cattle Company LLC
Green Plains Grain	Green Plains Grain Company LLC
Green Plains Fairmont	Green Plains Fairmont LLC
Green Plains Hereford	Green Plains Hereford LLC
Green Plains Holdings II	Green Plains Holdings II LLC
Green Plains Hopewell	Green Plains Hopewell LLC
Green Plains Obion	Green Plains Obion LLC
Green Plains Otter Tail	Green Plains Otter Tail LLC
Green Plains Partners; the partnership	Green Plains Partners LP
Green Plains Processing	Green Plains Processing LLC and its subsidiaries
Green Plains Superior	Green Plains Superior LLC
Green Plains Trade	Green Plains Trade Group LLC
Green Plains Wood River	Green Plains Wood River LLC

Accounting Defined Terms:

ASC	Accounting Standards Codification
EBITDA	Earnings before interest, income taxes, depreciation and amortization
EPS	Earnings per share
Exchange Act	Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended
GAAP	U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
IPO	Initial public offering of Green Plains Partners LP
LIBOR	London Interbank Offered Rate
LTIP	Green Plains Partners LP 2015 Long-Term Incentive Plan
Nasdaq	The Nasdaq Global Market
SEC	Securities and Exchange Commission
Securities Act	Securities Act of 1933, as amended

# Industry Defined Terms:

BTU	British Thermal Units
EIA	U.S. Energy Information Administration
Mmg	Million gallons
Mmgy	Million gallons per year
Reform Act	Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act
U.S.	United States
USDA	U.S. Department of Agriculture
WASDE	World Agriculture Supply and Demand Estimates

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#### GREEN PLAINS INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

#### CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

(in thousands, except share amounts)

	March 31, 2016	December 31, 2015
	(unaudited)	
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 383,442	\$ 384,867
Restricted cash	17,263	27,018
Accounts receivable, net of allowances of \$388 and \$285, respectively	106,083	96,150
Income taxes receivable	5,627	9,104
Inventories	363,519	353,957
Prepaid expenses and other	9,748	10,941
Derivative financial instruments	32,485	30,540
Total current assets	918,167	912,577
Property and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of		
\$357,795 and \$338,558, respectively	920,451	922,070
Goodwill	40,877	40,877
Other assets	39,917	,
Total assets	\$ 1,919,412	\$ 1,917,920
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 104,513	\$ 166,963
Accrued and other liabilities	51,253	40,271
Short-term notes payable and other borrowings	277,355	226,928
Current maturities of long-term debt	4,513	4,507
Total current liabilities	437,634	438,669
Long-term debt	484,004	