

JBS S.A. Announces its Consolidated Results for the First Quarter of 2008

São Paulo, May 14, 2008 – JBS S.A. ("JBS") (Bovespa: JBSS3), the world's largest producer and exporter of beef announces today its results for the first quarter of 2008 (1Q08). For purposes of comparison and analysis, this report also references the results for the periods ending December 31, 2007 (4Q07) and March 31, 2007 (1Q07).

JBS's consolidated results are presented in accordance with BR GAAP (Brazilian Corporation Law accounting practices) and in Reais (R\$), including those of its American subsidiary, JBS USA, which includes its operations in Australia, for the 13-week period ending March 30, 2008. When isolated for analysis these results are presented according to US GAAP and in USD. A 44.36% portion of the results from INALCA JBS in Italy was also consolidated for the entire period of the 1Q08 as set forth in the contract regulating the acquisition of the company which JBS acquired by purchasing 50% of its capital stock (JBS's share of INALCA will cap at 50% with completion of the integralization of capital set for June of 2008). The financial and operating data are consolidated in BR GAAP and in Reais (R\$), unless analyzed in isolation, in which case they are presented Euros (€).

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HIGHLIGHTS

- In the 1Q08 JBS's net revenue grew by 439.4% when compared to the 1Q07, from R\$1,086.1 (1Q07) to R\$5,859.1 million (1Q08).
- JBS's consolidated EBITDA margin for the 1Q08 was 3.0%, a 85.9% jump compared to the previous quarter.
- JBS USA's gross margin (including JBS Australia) increased by 3.2% to 5.0% in the 1Q08, compared with the 4Q07.
- JBS USA (including JBS Australia) had an EBITDA margin of 0.6% in the 1Q08, up from the -1.4% margin on the 4Q07.
- JBS USA (including JBS Australia) had a 20.3% gain in net revenue in the 1Q08 versus the 1Q07 figure.
- JBS MERCOSUL's result was negatively impacted by the European Union restrictions on its activities and by the economic conjuncture in Argentina.
- With operations in four important production and distribution platforms (USA, MERCOSUL, Australia and Europe), JBS shall capture strong advantages in comparison to its regional competitors, taking into consideration the current momentum of increase in demand and low protein offer, in addition to the scenario of convergence of margins due to the highest globalization of the industry.













PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We are beginning 2008 with improved results thanks to Company's strategy of ensuring a sustainable platform for the slaughter, production, and sale of beef in the United States, Australia, MERCOSUL, and Italy.

JBS's strategy of global diversification of its production platform protected the Company from the negative results that were seen in some of its business units.

Today we participate in a globalized market, which presents a tendency toward the convergence of prices of raw materials and margins in the countries where we have operations. This comes ahead of a movement to reduce margins in the MERCOSUL, converging with an increase in margins for our operations in the United States and Australia, since Brazil and Argentina have been decreasing their competitive advantage in relation to raw materials prices.

The global beef market is going through a particularly favorable period due to reduction of production in major consuming countries, the growth and increase of consumption in emerging countries, and the opening and expansion of important markets. Through its operational structure distributed throughout the leading producing and exporting countries, JBS will extract in a positive and relevant way the best results possible from these opportunities in the remaining periods of this year.

Joesley Mendonça Batista President

ANALYSIS OF RESULTS

Consolidated Analysis of Main Operating Indicators - JBS

Net Revenue (Million R\$) **Business Units** 1Q08 1Q07 4Q07 JBS MERCOSUL 1,271.3 1,086.1 1,319.1 JBS USA 4,282.9 5,331.6 **INALCA JBS** 304.9 **Total** 5,859.1 1,086.1 6,650.7

	EBIT	DA (Million R\$)		EBITDA Margin %			
Business Units	1Q08	1Q07	4Q07	1Q08	1Q07	4Q07	
JBS MERCOSUL	132.7	156.2	199.1	10.4%	14.4%	15.1%	
JBS USA	26.6	-	-104.3	0.6%	-	-1.4%	
INALCA JBS	17.0	-	-	5.6%	-	0.0%	
Total	176.3	156.2	94.8	3.0%	14.4%	1.4%	

JBS's 1Q08 consolidated EBITDA margin was 3.0%, up from the 4Q07's 1.4%, comprised of the results presented above.



The consolidated result was negatively impacted by the operations of JBS Argentina, which had an EBITDA margin of -6.1% for the first quarter of this year, offset by the 13.8% EBITDA margin of JBS Brasil, the 5.6% EBITDA margin of INALCA JBS, and that of the JBS USA (including JBS Australia) which was 0.6%.

R\$ million	1Q08	%	1Q07	%	Var.% 1Q08/1Q07	4Q07	%	Var.% 1Q08/4Q07
Net Sales Revenue	5,859.1	100.0%	1,086.1	100.0%	439.4%	6,650.7	100.0%	-11.9%
Cost of Goods Sold	-5,348.8	-91.3%	-828.5	-76.3%	-545.6%	-6,145.8	-92.4%	13.0%
Gross Margin	510.2	8.7%	257.6	23.7%	98.0%	504.9	7.6%	1.1%
Selling Expenses	-305.1	-5.2%	-99.9	-9.2%	-205.5%	-322.6	-4.9%	5.4%
General and Adm. Expenses	-79.8	-1.4%	-20.6	-1.9%	-288.1%	-126.2	-1.9%	36.7%
Net Financial Income*	-76.8	-1.3%	-57.0	-5.2%	-34.8%	-84.4	-1.3%	9.0%
Amortization of Goodwill*	-44.3	-0.8%	0.0	0.0%	-	-73.6	-1.1%	39.8%
Non-recurring Expenses	0.0	0.0%	-50.6	-4.7%	-	-14.8	-0.2%	- [
Operating Income	4.1	0.1%	29.6	2.7%	-86.0%	-116.8	-1.8%	103.5%
Non-Operating Income	-0.5	0.0%	0.1	0.0%	-973.3%	5.4	0.1%	-109.7%
Taxes and Social Contribution	-10.6	-0.2%	-19.6	-1.8%	45.7%	-24.1	-0.4%	55.8%
Minority Interest	0.4	0.0%	0.5	0.0%	-23.8%	-0.7	0.0%	161.5%
Net Income (Loss)	-6.6	-0.1%	10.6	1.0%	-162.2%	-136.1	-2.0%	95.1%
EBITDA	176.3	3.0%	156.2	14.4%	12.8%	94.8	1.4%	85.9%

^(*) In the 1Q08 net financial result and, consequently, the net loss were positively impacted by exchange variation on investments made in foreign currency in the amount of R\$39.0 million. The loss was also negatively affected by the amortization of goodwill in the amount of R\$44.3 million. Currency variations do not have a cash effect on the Company, and as such, did not impact the EBITDA for the period. Excluding this effect, the Company would have registered a net loss of approximately R\$1.3 million.

In the 1Q08 the Company's net revenue declined by 16.5% when compared to the 4Q07, dropping from R\$6,650.7 million in the 4Q07 to R\$5,554.2 million (excluding INALCA JBS's revenue) in the 1Q08. Contributing factors were:

JBS Brasil

• A R\$63.0 million decline in Brazil, mainly caused by the reduction in trade with the European Union and the decreased availability of raw material.

JBS Argentina

• The drop in net revenue in the Argentine operation was R\$37.0 million due to restrictions on the beef exports in that country.

JBS USA (including JBS Australia)

- Revenue decline of R\$350.0 million due to there being one less week in the period.
- A loss of R\$281.0 million due to the 7% devaluation of the USD in relation to the Brazilian Real.
- Seasonal effects in the American market following a period of holidays resulting in a R\$330.0 million reduction in revenues.

Compared to the 1Q07, JBS net revenue grew by 439.4% in the 1Q08, showing the solid growth of the company during this period and its strong leadership in global beef market.



Consolidated Debt

R\$ million	3/31/08	12/31/07	Var.%
Total Debt Cash and Marketable Securities	4,766.8 2,684.2	3,749.6 1,381.7	27.1% 94.3%
Total Net Debt	2,082.6	2,367.9	-12.0%
Net Debt/EBITDA	2.9X	3.7X	

The Company's gross debt is primarily composed of financing facilities, export financing contracted with financial institutions, and Notes (Reg. S and 144A) with face value of US\$575 million, maturing in 2011 and 2016 (US\$275 million issued at an interest rate of 9.375% per annum payable on a quarterly basis, and US\$300 million at an interest rate of 10.50% per annum payable on a semiannual basis).

JBS MERCOSUL Business Unit

Argentina operations are going through a difficult phase because of the economic conjuncture in that country. During the second half of the 1Q08 no regulations regarding Argentine exports were established, so the Company operated with limits on its exports, following its normal production rate, which caused an increase in inventory and also caused an increase in the need for working capital.

Because of these problems, JBS Argentina's EBITDA margin decrease from 3.2% in the 4Q07 to -6.1% in the 1Q08, due mainly to a 19.1% drop in gross margin in the 4Q07 to 8% in the 1Q08, without reductions in fixed costs.

Considering that what Argentina is facing is a temporary difficulty, in a normalized evaluation, with an EBITDA margin of 3.0% more in line with its 4Q07 result, JBS MERCOSUL'S EBITDA margin would be 11.3%.

In Brazil, the main factor contributing to the drop in margins was strong pressure on the costs of raw materials, caused by a lower supply of cattle during the period, which was manifested directly in lower volumes of fresh beef in the domestic market and in the sales prices of beef sold to the Company's clients, which rose an average of 2.8%.

Brazilian export sales saw an impact due to a loss in sales to the European Union, which, when allocated to other export markets and the domestic market, produced margins losses.

INALCA JBS Business Unit

INALCA JBS added a net revenue in the amount of €117.1 million (R\$304.9 million) and EBITDA margin of 5.6% to the 1Q08 result. With this operation the Company has greater penetration in western Europe, providing opportunities in new markets and with new clients, including large multinationals in the fast food sector, producers of industrialized foods, large retail chains and food service companies, as well as access to INALCA's latest-generation technology widely recognized and to products with greater value added sold under the Montana brand.



JBS USA (including JBS Australia) Business Unit

JBS USA, including its Australian operations, showed signs of recovery and proved the operational capacity of JBS's management in terms of implementing turnarounds of companies in this sector.

The 1Q08 had a week less than the previous quarter for operations in the U.S. and in Australia, which caused a drop in the revenues and in the volume of these units during the period.

EBITDA margin for the beef division of JBS USA saw an important recovery of 4.0 p.p., climbing from -5.3% in the 4Q07 to -1.3% in the 1Q08, reflecting a US\$77.5 million improvement in the EBITDA of this quarter, due mostly to an 8.3% decline in the costs of raw materials. In addition, various cost categories also presented significant improvements for the quarter, including packaging, storage, and supplements costs, as well as payroll costs, due to a significant reduction in overtime hours now that employers have been regained their production abilities and are able to produce during normal hours of production, returning close to pre-ICE raid levels. Also, selling, general, and administrative expenses were lower during this first quarter due to having one less week and to improvements that include reductions in third-party contracting for repairs and maintenance.

EBITDA was down on pork production in the United States, when compared to the 4Q07, due to a 9.6% decline in sales volumes, initially impacted by the quarter's having one week less and compounded by a 1.0% average decrease in sales prices, which was attributed to strong seasonality in the production of pork, in addition to raw-materials prices that were 3.2% higher than last quarter.

JBS Australia had its largest EBITDA margin in the last 5 years. We point out that this business unit has been improving continually since JBS assumed its management. As usual, plants closed during January due to national holidays, which causes a reduction in revenues, volume, and slaughtering, as well as higher maintenance costs. On the other hand, in line with global beef prices, there was a 7.0% increase in sales prices, new markets in the European Union and Russia were exploited, and the Australian dollar was up approximately 1.8% against the USD, all between the 4Q07 and the 1Q08.



1Q08 CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

In the 1Q08, the Company's total capital expenditure on property, plant and equipment, not including acquisitions, was R\$202.6 million.

JBS Brasil

- Increasing the slaughtering and deboning capacity of the unit in Barra do Garças, Mato Grosso, from 1,300 heads/day to 2,500 heads/day. The first phase of the expansion has already been concluded and its current capacity is 2,000 heads/day.
- Increasing the slaughtering and deboning capacity of the unit in Campo Grande, Mato Grosso do Sul from 1,300 heads/day to 3,000 heads/day.
- Increasing the slaughtering and deboning capacity of the unit in Vilhena, Rondônia, from 900 heads/day to 2,200 heads/day. Deboning operations are already under way.
- Other investments, such as the acquisition of new equipment and maintenance of production facilities.

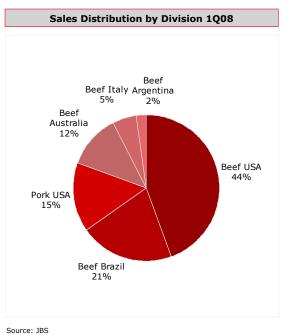
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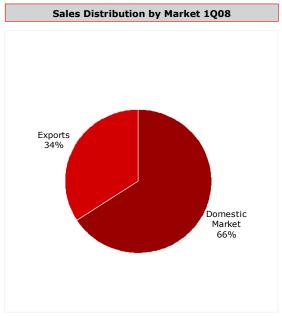
- Investments on a new factory in Odinzovo (Moscow, Russia) dedicated to food service operations and the production of hamburgers for Mc Donald's.
- Enlargement of capacity of the Piacenza production facility used for deboning and platform services for Italian retail companies.
- Increase capacity for slicing ham and cured meets at the Gazoldo Degli Ippoliti (Mantova) plant, which is owned by the subsidiary Montana Alimentari S.p.A..
- Increasing production capacity at the Busseto (Parma) facility.
- Small investments in logistics facilities in Angola (Luanda) and in the Democratic Republic of Congo (Kinshasa).
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TABLES AND CHARTS

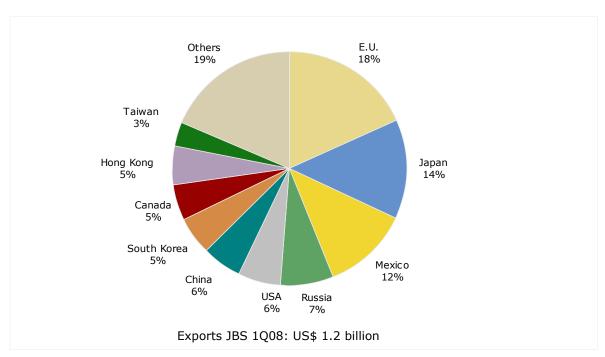
JBS Consolidated Sales Distribution





Source: JBS

JBS 1Q08 Consolidated Exports Distribution



Source: JBS



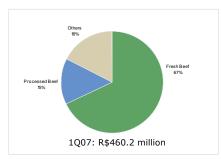
Consolidated Comparison of Heads Slaughtered and Volumes – JBS 1Q08

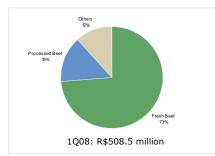
	1Q08	%	1Q07	%	Var.% 1Q08/1Q07	4Q07	%	Var.% 1Q08/4Q07
Slaughtered Cattle ¹	2,228.3		886.4		151.4%	2,460.2		-9.4%
Sales Volumes ²	1,052.4	100.0%	292.8	100.0%	259.4%	1,087.5	100.0%	-3.2%
Domestic Market	703.6	66.9%	189.2	64.6%	271.9%	718.8	66.1%	-2.1%
Exports	348.8	33.1%	103.6	35.4%	236.7%	368.7	33.9%	-5.4%

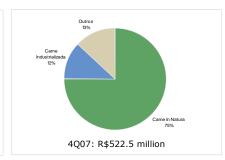
¹In thousands of heads

Source: JBS

Domestic Market - Net Revenue Distribution - JBS MERCOSUL

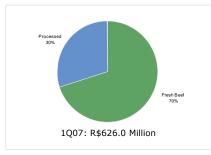


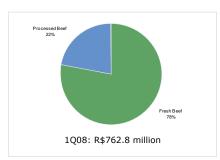


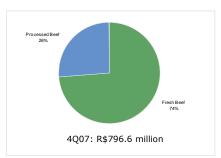


Source: JBS

Export Market - Net Revenue Distribution - JBS MERCOSUL





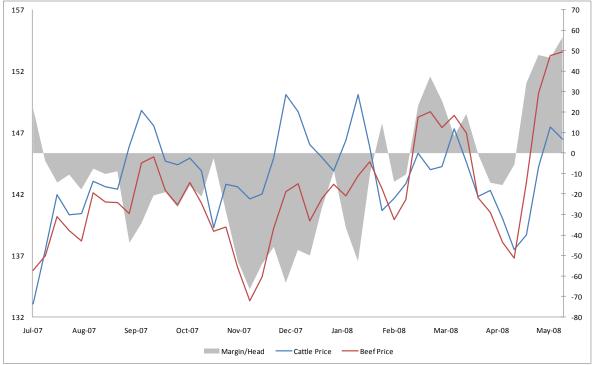


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²In thousands of tons

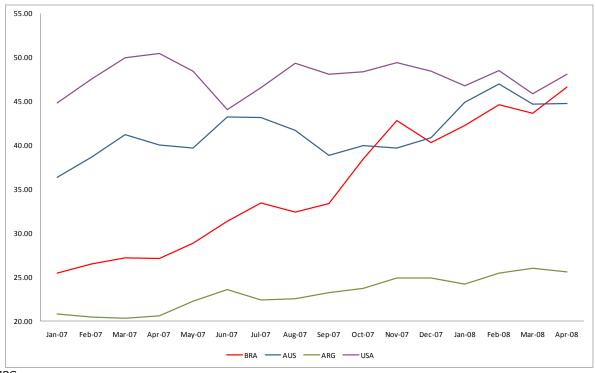


Beef Price vs. Cattle Price in the U.S.



Source: Bloomberg

Global Cattle Prices US\$/@ - Converging Prices, Converging Margins



Source: JBS



RECENT EVENTS

Acquisition and Purchase of the Tasman Group

On May 2, 2008, JBS confirmed acquisition and purchase of the Tasman Group in Australia. With the addition of this acquisition, JBS's Australian operations now have more than 5,000 employees and 15 facilities, including slaughtering facilities for cattle and small animals (sheep and calves) with a capacity of 8,500 head/day and 16,500 small animals/day.

Reopening of South Korea to American Beef

On April 18, 2008, South Korea announced that it would again begin to accept beef imports from the United States. With its strong production base it the U.S., JBS is in a good position to supply this market. Up until 2003, South Korea was one of the principal strategic markets for American beef exports.

JBS Share Capital Increase

As approved at the General Shareholders' Meeting held April 11, 2008, JBS will increase its share capital from R\$1.95 billion to R\$4.49 billion. The period from April 11 through May 13, 2008, was set aside to exercise preferential buying rights. The details concerning this operation can be found in the *Subscription of New Shares* document, published April, 11, 2008, on the Company's IR website (http://www.jbs.com.br/ir).

JBS Included in the Ibovespa and the IBrX-50

After just one year as a listed company, JBS has been included in the Ibovespa index, considered the Brazilian stock market's most important average performance indicator. The company has also been included in the IBrX-50 index, which measures the total return on a theoretical portfolio comprising 50 stocks selected from among the Bovespa's most actively traded securities in terms of liquidity. Both portfolios are in force between May and August of 2008.

Payment of Dividends

The General Shareholders' Meeting held April 30, 2008, approved payment of dividends to JBS shareholders in the amount of R\$17,465 million, equivalent to R\$0.016464 per share. The dividend payment will be effected without monetary correction, through Banco Bradesco S.A., on May 19th 2008, and its calculation will be based on the share ownership held on April 30th 2008, it being understood that, as of May 1st 2008, JBS's shares will be traded ex-dividend.



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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - JBS S.A. CONSOLIDATED

JBS S.A. Balance sheets as of March 31, 2008 and December 31, 2007								
	March, 2008	December, 2007	March, 2008	December, 2007				
ASSETS								
CURRENT ASSETS								
Cash and cash equivalents	1,818,412	109,221	1,999,129	323,709				
Short-term investments	589,452	760,563	685,093	1,057,994				
Trade accounts receivable, net	537,890	444,218	1,412,286	1,236,148				
Inventories	652,904	604,225	1,922,830	1,511,595				
Recoverable taxes	363,198	351,677	513,188	482,918				
Prepaid expenses	1,973	4,388	48,342	44,468				
Other current assets	14,822	30,612	101,810	102,910				
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	3,978,651	2,304,904	6,682,678	4,759,742				
NON-CURRENT ASSETS								
Long-term assets								
Credits with related parties	18,396	60,306	19,272	17,461				
Judicial deposits and others	8,405	8,249	51,073	41,443				
Deferred income taxes	16,529	16,251	35,171	23,758				
Recoverable taxes	30,521	31,442	44,221	44,205				
Total long-term assets	73,851	116,248	149,737	126,867				
Permanent assets								
Investments in subsidiaries	3,514,823	2,149,919	1,081,822	829,975				
Other investments	10	10	5,370	10				
Property, plant and equipment, net	1,427,685	1,328,015	3,202,305	2,536,098				
Intangible assets, net	9,615	9,615	223,619	193,917				
Deferred charges	1,400	-	3,172	1,596				
Total Permanent assets	4,953,533	3,487,559	4,516,288	3,561,596				
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS	5,027,384	3,603,807	4,666,025	3,688,463				
TOTAL ASSETS	9,006,035	5,908,711	11,348,703	8,448,205				

The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements



JBS S.A.

Balance sheets as of March 31, 2008 and December 31, 2007 In thousands of Reais Company Consolidated							
In thousands of Reais		pany December, 2007	March, 2008				
	March, 2008	December, 2007	March, 2006	December, 2007			
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY							
CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Trade accounts payable	216,434	355,510	995,446	1,099,385			
Loans and financings	1,414,759	858,975	2,396,607	2,384,836			
Payroll, social charges and tax obligation	69,022	93,158	197,530	203,613			
Declared dividends	17,465	17,465	17,465	17,465			
Other current liabilities	119,160	50,294	155,931	70,536			
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES	1,836,840	1,375,402	3,762,979	3,775,835			
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES							
Loans and financings	2,186,048	1,341,313	2,370,172	1,364,800			
Deferred income taxes	58,848	59,642	146,063	99,755			
Provision for contingencies	45,979	45,979	57,246	55,681			
Debit with third parties for investment	179,439	-	179,439	-			
Other non-current liabilities	22,612	31,787	157,784	101,702			
TOTAL NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES	2,492,926	1,478,721	2,910,704	1,621,938			
MINORITY INTEREST			(1,249)	(4,156)			
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY							
Capital stock	3,676,132	1,945,581	3,676,132	1,945,581			
Capital reserve	883,410	985,664	883,410	985,664			
Revaluation reserve	123,113	123,343	123,113	123,343			
Retained earnings	(6,386)		(6,386)	-			
	4,676,269	3,054,588	4,676,269	3,054,588			
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Statements of income for the period of three months ended March 31, 2008 and 2007								
In thousands of Reais	Comp	any 2007	2008	Consolidated 2007				
GROSS OPERATING REVENUE Sales of products: Domestic Sales	523,540	494,980	3,949,104	550,766				
Foreign Sales	581,131 1,104,671	522,879 1,017,859	2,056,417 6,005,521	651,607 1,202,373				
SALES DEDUCTIONS								
Returns and discounts Sales taxes	(33,450) (62,184)	(37,973) (62,196)	(72,100) (74,356)	(46,267) (69,968)				
	(95,634)	(100,169)	(146,456)	(116,235)				
NET SALE REVENUE	1,009,037	917,690	5,859,065	1,086,138				
Cost of goods sold	(764,336)	(670,046)	(5,348,839)	(828,495)				
GROSS INCOME	244,701	247,644	510,226	257,643				
OPERATING INCOME (EXPENSE)								
General and administrative expenses Selling expenses Financial income (expense), net Equity in subsidiaries Goodwill amortization Initial Public Offering expenses	(20,602) (100,159) (4,600) (78,218) (44,313)	(14,853) (89,073) (39,857) (21,711) - (50,564)	(79,822) (305,146) (76,802) - (44,313)	(20,567) (99,894) (56,983) - (50,564)				
	(247,892)	(216,058)	(506,083)	(228,008)				
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	(3,191)	31,586	4,143	29,635				
NON-OPERATING INCOME (EXPENSE), NET	438	68	(524)	60				
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE TAXES	(2,753)	31,654	3,619	29,695				
Current income taxes Deferred income taxes	(4,141) 278	(21,814) 803	(15,590) 4,949	(22,074) 2,489				
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE MINORITY INTEREST	(3,863) (6,616)	(21,011) 10,643	(10,641) (7,022)	(19,585) 10,110				
Minority interest (expense) income	-	_	406	533				
NET INCOME (LOSS)	(6,616)	10,643	(6,616)	10,643				
NET INCOME (LOSS) PER SHARE	(5.07)	12.52						
Statement of EBITDA (Earnings before income taxe interest, depreciation and amortization and non-operatin income (expense), net								
Income (loss) before taxes Financial income (expense), net Depreciation and amortization Non-operating income (expense), net Equity in subsidiaries	(2,753) 4,600 15,391 (438) 78,218	31,654 39,857 13,873 (68) 21,711	3,619 76,802 51,007 524	29,695 56,983 19,047 (60)				
Initial Public Offering expenses Goodwill Amortization	44,313	50,564	44,313	50,564				
AMOUNT OF EBITDA	139,331	157,591	176,265	156,229				



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