PILGRIMS PRIDE CORP Form 10-Q July 31, 2007

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

X QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2007

OR

Commission File number 1-9273

PILGRIM'S PRIDE CORPORATION

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

75-1285071

(I.R.S. Employer

Identification No.)

<u>Delaware</u>
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

4845 US Hwy 271 N, Pittsburg, TX
(Address of principal executive offices)

75686-0093
(Zip code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (903) 434-1000

Not Applicable

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.)

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 x No."

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one): Large accelerated filer x Accelerated filer Non-accelerated filer "

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). $^{\circ}$ No x	Yes
Number of shares outstanding of the issuer's common stock, as of July 30, 2007, was 66,555,733.	
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PART I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

Pilgrim's Pride Corporation Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited)

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	June 30,			eptember
	2007 30, 2006		*	
	(In thousands, except			
	share and	share and per share data)		
Assets				
Current Assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 57,39		\$	156,404
Investments in available for sale securities	13,78			21,246
Trade accounts and other receivables, less allowance for doubtful accounts	450,63			263,149
Inventories	944,59			585,940
Income taxes receivable	37,72			39,167
Current deferred income taxes	92,83			7,288
Prepaid expenses	22,99			10,307
Other current assets	29,96			22,173
Total Current Assets	1,649,92	0.		1,105,674
Investment in Available for Sale Securities	44,00			115,375
Other Assets	87,76			50,825
Goodwill	509,05	9		
Property, Plant and Equipment:				
Land	107,92	:7		52,493
Buildings, machinery and equipment	2,439,25	0		1,702,949
Autos and trucks	54,12	1.1		57,177
Construction-in-progress	143,95	8		63,853
	2,745,25	6		1,876,472
Less accumulated depreciation	(848,45	(3)		(721,478)
	1,896,80	13		1,154,994
	\$ 4,187,55	60	\$ 2	2,426,868
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
Current Liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$ 405,03	3	\$	293,685
Accrued expenses	540,10	12		272,830
Current maturities of long-term debt	3,13	34		10,322
Total Current Liabilities	948,26	9		576,837
Long-Term Debt, Less Current Maturities	1,718,77	' 4		554,876
Deferred Income Taxes	308,79	17		175,869
Other Long-Term Liabilities	79,74	17		
Minority Interest in Subsidiary	1,92	29		1,958
Commitments and Contingencies				
Stockholders' Equity:				
Preferred stock, \$.01 par value, 5,000,000 authorized shares; none issued				
Common stock, \$.01 par value, 160,000,000 authorized shares; 66,555,733 issued	66	55		665
Additional paid-in capital	469,77	9		469,779
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Retained earnings	656,086	646,750
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	3,504	134
Total Stockholders' Equity	1,130,034	1,117,328
	\$ 4,187,550	\$ 2,426,868

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

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Pilgrim's Pride Corporation and Subsidiaries Consolidated Statements of Operations (Unaudited)

	Three Mont	Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended				
	June 30, 2007	July 1, 2006	June 30, 2007	July 1, 2006				
	(in thousands, except share and per share data)							
Net sales	\$ 2,118,386	\$ 1,287,646	\$ 5,449,483	\$ 3,897,167				