# First Quarter Earnings Call 

May 5, 2016

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Today's call includes financial information of which the Company's independent auditors have not completed their review. Although the Company believes that the assumptions upon which the financial information and its forward looking statements are based are reasonable, it can give no assurances that these assumptions will prove to be accurate.

This presentation and today's prepared remarks contain non-GAAP financial measures. Reconciliations of the non-GAAP to GAAP measures may be found within the financial tables of our earnings release. "Adjusted Pre-Tax Income Attributable to The Andersons" is our primary measure of period-over-period comparisons, and we believe it is a meaningful measure for investors to compare our results from period to period. We have excluded nonrecurring items and items that we believe are not representative of our ongoing operations when calculating this Adjusted Pre-Tax Income.

## Speakers

## Pat Bowe <br> Chief Executive Officer <br> John Granato <br> Chief Financial Officer <br> Jim Burmeister <br> Vice-President, Finance \& Treasurer

## Q1 Highlights

- Grain Group struggled due to carryover from poor 2016 crop production in the Eastern Corn Belt while affiliates hurt by DDGS
- Ethanol remained cash positive through quarter of seasonally low margins
- Plant Nutrient improved in Q1, overall volumes were up but margins were compressed
- Rail strategy of lease portfolio diversification continues to produce solid earnings
- Aggressive actions taken in Q1 to improve long-term performance
- Completed sale of underperforming assets in Northwest lowa
- Launched \$10 million cost reduction



## Key Financial Dała

| \$ in millions, except per share data | Q1 2016 | Q1 2015 | VPY | FY 2015 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Net Sales | $\$ 887.9$ | $\$ 918.2$ | $(\$ 30.3)$ | $\$ 4,198.5$ |
| Gross Profit | $\$ 67.8$ | $\$ 83.3$ | $(\$ 15.5)$ | $\$ 375.8$ |
| Operating and general expenses | $\$ 79.9$ | $\$ 78.6$ | $\$ 1.3$ | $\$ 338.1$ |
| Equity in earnings (loss) of affiliates | $\mathbf{( \$ 7 . 0 )}$ | $\$ 3.3$ | $(\$ 10.3)$ | $\$ 31.9$ |
| Pre-tax Income (loss) | $\mathbf{( \$ 2 2 . 9 )}$ | $\$ 5.0$ | $(\$ 27.9)$ | $(\$ 11.6)$ |
| Net income attributable to The Andersons | $\mathbf{( \$ 1 4 . 7 )}$ | $\$ 4.1$ | $(\$ 18.8)$ | $(\$ 13.1)$ |
| Adjusted net income attributable to The Andersons | - | - | - | $\$ 41.2$ |
| Diluted earnings per share (EPS) | $\mathbf{( \$ 0 . 5 2 )}$ | $\$ 0.14$ | $(\$ 0.66)$ | $(\$ 0.46)$ |
| Adjusted EPS (diluted) | - | - | - | $\$ 1.45$ |
| Depreciation and amortization | $\$ 20.9$ | $\$ 17.5$ | $\$ 3.4$ | $\$ 78.5$ |
| EBITDA | $\$ 6.0$ | $\$ 28.8$ | $(\$ 22.8)$ | $\$ 85.2$ |
| Corporate unallocated expenses | $\$ 10.9$ | $\$ 9.4$ | $\$ 1.5$ | $\$ 31.3$ |
| Long-term debt | $\$ 402.4$ | $\$ 323.3$ | $\$ 79.1$ | $\$ 436.2$ |
| Long-term debt-to-equity | $\mathbf{0 . 5 2}$ | 0.41 | 0.11 | 0.55 |

## Pre-Tax Income

## Pre-Tax Income Q1 2015 to Q1 2016 Bridge Graph



## Grain Group

## Q1 Performance

- Lack of basis appreciation in quarter contributed to $\$ 10$ million reduction in space income for base grain
- Chinese anti-dumping and countervailing duties significantly impacted DDGS trading for Lansing Trade Group
- Exited underperforming assets in lowa
- Construction of new space in Tennessee is on track to be completed for fall harvest


## Adjusted Five Year Performance



| \$ in millions, except margin | Q1'16 | Q1'15 | VPY | FY'15 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Base Grain |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues | $\$ 538.8$ | $\$ 558.7$ | $(\$ 19.9)$ | $\$ 2.483 .6$ |
| Gross Profit | $\$ 13.0$ | $\$ 27.1$ | $(\$ 14.1)$ | $\$ 119.0$ |
| Gross Profit Margin | $\mathbf{3 . 0 \%}$ | $5.1 \%$ | $(2.1 \%)$ | $4.8 \%$ |
| Pre-tax Income | $\mathbf{( \$ 1 3 . 3 )}$ | $(\$ 0.5)$ | $(\$ 12.8)$ | $(\$ 45.8)$ |
| Adj. Pre-Tax Income | - | - | - | $\$ 0.6$ |
| Affiliates Pre-Tax Income | $\mathbf{( \$ 4 . 1 )}$ | $\$ 1.2$ | $(\$ 5.3)$ | $\$ 13.3$ |
| Group Pre-tax Income | $\mathbf{( \$ 1 7 . 4 )}$ | $\$ 0.7$ | $(\$ 18.1)$ | $(\$ 9.4)$ |
| Group Adjusted Pre-tax Income | - | - | - | $\$ 13.9$ |

## Ełhanol Group

## Q1 Performance

- Group remained cash positive through challenging quarter
- Headwind from higher-than-normal corn basis in Eastern Corn Belt
- High industry supply during seasonally slow demand quarter impacted margins
- Albion expansion has begun and is on schedule

Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions | Q1 '16 | Q1'15 | VPY | FY '15 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Revenue | $\$ 114.7$ | $\$ 132.8$ | $(\$ 18.1)$ | $(13.6 \%)$ | $\$ 556.2$ |
| Equity Earnings of Affiliates | $\mathbf{( \$ 3 . 2 )}$ | $\$ 1.7$ | $(\$ 4.9)$ | $(288 \%)$ | $\$ 17.2$ |
| Consolidated Operations and Service Fees | $\$ 1.1$ | $\$ 4.5$ | $(\$ 3.4)$ | $(75.6 \%)$ | $\$ 11.3$ |
| Pre-tax Income | $\mathbf{( \$ 2 . 7 )}$ | $\$ 5.3$ | $(\$ 8.0)$ | $(152 \%)$ | $\$ 28.5$ |

## Plant Nutrient Group

## Q1 Performance

- Basic nutrients volume had slow start in Q1 due to falling nutrient prices, but ended higher than Q1 '15
- Majority of the Specialty tons increase was due to Nutra-Flo sales
- Lawn sales strong in the quarter, partially offset by lower Cob volume

Adjusted Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions except margin | Q1 '16 | Q1 '15 | VPY |  | FY '15 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | \$167.0 | \$154.0 | \$13.0 | 8.4\% | \$848.3 |
| Basic Nutrient Tons | 212 | 179 | 33 | 18.4\% | 1,234 |
| Specialty Nutrient Tons | 119 | 88 | 31 | $35.2 \%$ | 398 |
| Other (Lawn, Cob) Tons | 129 | 126 | 3 | 2.4\% | 603 |
| Gross Profit | \$26.7 | \$22.0 | \$4.7 | 21.4\% | \$119.5 |
| Gross Profit Margin | 16.0\% | 14.3\% | 1.7\% |  | 14.1\% |
| Pre-tax Income | \$1.7 | \$0.4 | \$1.3 | 325.0\% | \$0.1 |

Rail Group

## Q1 Performance

- Diverse portfolio and even spread of lease renewals sustaining utilization rates
- Lease rates were stable while cost of sales were higher due to increased depreciation
- Lower railcar sales in quarter due to timing
- Growth in repair revenue and earnings
- Redeemed investment in short-line

Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions, except margin | Q1 '16 | Q1'15 | VPY | FY '15 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Revenue | $\$ 39.6$ | $\$ 44.2$ | $(\$ 4.6)$ | $\$ 170.8$ |
| Gross Profit | $\$ 14.5$ | $\$ 17.3$ | $(\$ 2.8)$ | $\$ 67.7$ |
| Gross Profit Margin | $\mathbf{3 6 . 8 \%}$ | $39.2 \%$ | $(2.4 \%)$ | $39.6 \%$ |
| Lease Income | $\$ 4.4$ | $\$ 5.0$ | $(\$ 0.6)$ | $\$ 31.5$ |
| Railcar Sales Income | $\$ 2.4$ | $\$ 4.5$ | $(\$ 2.1)$ | $\$ 13.3$ |
| $\quad$ Service \& Other | $\$ 2.6$ | $\$ 0.8$ | $\$ 1.8$ | $\$ 5.9$ |
| Pre-tax Income | $\$ 9.4$ | $\$ 10.3$ | $(\$ 0.9)$ | $\$ 50.7$ |

## Retail Group

## Q1 Performance

- Early Easter offset lower sales of outerwear and snow removal items due to mild winter

Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions | Q1 '16 | Q1'15 | VPY | FY'15 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | :---: |
| Revenue | \$27.8 | \$28.6 | (\$0.8) | (2.8\%) |
| Pre-tax Income | $\mathbf{( \$ 2 . 1 )}$ | (\$2.2) | \$0.1 |  |

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## 2016 Outlook

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## ANDE Corporate

- Launched initiative to reduce annual run rate costs by at least \$10 million over the next two years


## Grain Group

- Impact from poor Eastern Corn Belt crop is expected to continue until fall harvest
- Increasing carryout in U.S. grain supply chain can provide upside in the fourth quarter and next year


## Ethanol Group

- Margins improving as we enter summer driving season
- Stable U.S. export volumes are being supported by surge in exports to China, should support pricing in low gas price environment


## Plant Nutrient Group

- High corn acres should support strong basic nutrient sales
- Specialty Products are off to good start in second quarter


## Rail Group

- Softness in railcar traffic is expected to put some pressure on utilization and lease rates


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## Q8A

Thank you for joining us.
Our next earnings call is scheatrieed for Thursalay, August $4^{\text {th }}$ at 11:00 a.m.

## Appendix

## Definitions

EBITDA: Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation, and amortization, is a non-GAAP measure. It is one of the measures the company uses to evaluate liquidity and leverage.
Base Grain: Grain operations owned and operated by The Andersons (does not include affiliates).
Ethanol Margin Hedging: From time-to-time we establish hedge positions with futures and derivative contracts that lock in prices for purchases of corn and sales of ethanol, as well as purchases of natural gas with the intent of securing portions our future sales margins.
LT Debt to Capital: Ratio of long-term debt (including current maturities) to total capital defined as LT debt plus total equity.
Bushels Shipped: Includes shipments from our facilities, farm-to-market(F2M) and origination services for corn, soybeans, wheat, and oats.
F2M: Bushels that The Andersons, Inc. purchases from the farm and are delivered directly to an Andersons' customer. The bushels are never delivered to an Andersons' facility.
Bushels Owned: Bushels delivered to an Andersons' elevator or storage facility rented by The Andersons, Inc. where title to the grain is transferred to The Andersons, Inc.
Bushels Stored for Others: The bushels are stored by The Andersons, Inc. for the owner of the grain for which a storage fee is charged the bushels' owner.
Railcar Fleet Utilization: Percentage of railcars and locomotives in leased service.
CAGR: Compounded annual growth rate.

## The erers <br> US Corn Planting Progress

Actual percentages completed by state

May 1, 2016
45\%

May 1, 2015 45\%

Five-Year Average 30\%


## Grain Group

## Grain Storage Capacity



Grain Inventory

| In millions | Q1'14 | Q1'15 | Q1'16 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Bushels owned | 83.9 | 99.8 | $\mathbf{1 0 1 . 4}$ |
| Bushels stored for others | 5.6 | 1.8 | $\mathbf{2 . 8}$ |
| Total bushel inventory | 89.4 | 101.6 | $\mathbf{1 0 4 . 2}$ |

## Bushels Sold


U.S. Planted Acres


## Ełhanol Group

Ethanol Gallons Produced


DDGS Tons Shipped


## E-85 Gallons Shipped



## Corn Oil Pounds Shipped



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## Ełhanol Group



## Plant Nutrient Group

Plant Nutrient Fertilizer Tons


Basic NPK = nitrogen, phosphorous, potassium
Specialty = value added nutrients, low-salt liquid starter fertilizers, micro-nutrients Other $=$ other farm centers, lawn, cob

## Rail Group Earnings Power

## Lease Income

| \$ in millions | Q1'14 | Q2 '14 | Q3'14 | Q4'14 | Q1'15 | Q2 '15 | Q3'15 | Q4'15 | Q1'16 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Average \# of Assets | 22,295 | 22,148 | 22,066 | 22,285 | 22,789 | 22,972 | 23,301 | 22,916 | 23,026 |
| Beginning \$ on BS | $\$ 240.6$ | $\$ 237.5$ | $\$ 242.1$ | $\$ 245.8$ | $\$ 297.7$ | $\$ 313.1$ | $\$ 330.8$ | $\$ 347.1$ | $\$ 338.1$ |
| Average \% Utilization | $88.4 \%$ | $89.3 \%$ | $89.9 \%$ | $90.3 \%$ | $91.8 \%$ | $93.5 \%$ | $91.6 \%$ | $92.7 \%$ | $91.5 \%$ |
| Lease Income | $\$ 4.2$ | $\$ 3.7$ | $\$ 1.8$ | $\$ 3.9$ | $\$ 5.0$ | $\$ 15.6$ | $\$ 6.4$ | $\$ 4.5$ | $\$ 4.3$ |

## Remarketing Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '14 | Q2 '14 | Q3 '14 | Q4 '14 | Q1'15 | Q2 '15 | Q3 '15 | Q4'15 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Asset Sale Income | $\$ 10.8$ | $\$ 2.5$ | $\$ 1.4$ | $\$ 1.2$ | $\$ 4.5$ | $\$ 4.7$ | $\$ 3.2$ | $\$ 0.8$ |

## Service \& Other Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '14 | Q2 '14 | Q3 '14 | Q4 '14 | Q1 '15 | Q2 '15 | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Pre-Tax Income | \$0 | \$0.5 | \$1.0 | \$0.5 | \$0.8 | \$1.4 | \$2.3 | \$1.5 | \$2.7 |

Total Rail Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '14 | Q2 '14 | Q3 '14 | Q4 '14 | Q1'15 | Q2 '15 | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | \$52.3 | \$33.4 | \$32.0 | \$31.2 | \$44.2 | \$45.5 | \$44.8 | \$36.4 | \$39.6 |
| Gross Profit | \$21.9 | \$13.9 | \$10.8 | \$13.2 | \$17.3 | \$18.2 | \$17.5 | \$14.6 | \$14.6 |
| Gross Profit Margin | 41.9\% | 41.6\% | 33.8\% | 42.2\% | $39.2 \%$ | 40.1\% | $39.1 \%$ | 40.1\% | 36.8\% |
| Pre-tax Income | \$15.0 | \$6.7 | \$4.2 | \$5.6 | \$10.3 | \$21.7 | \$23.2 | \$6.8 | \$9.4 |

## Ruck Rail Group Earnings Power - Five Year

## Lease Income

## Sources of Income

- Generate lease income from long-lived assets
- Maximize value by remarketing assets opportunistically
- Provide repair services embedded in leases and to third parties

| \$ in millions | 2011 | $\mathbf{2 0 1 2}$ | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Average \# of Assets | 22,265 | 23,019 | 22,990 | 22,199 | 23,017 |
| Beginning \$ on BS | $\$ 168.5$ | $\$ 197.1$ | $\$ 228.3$ | $\$ 240.6$ | $\$ 297.7$ |
| Average \% <br> Utilization | $84.6 \%$ | $84.6 \%$ | $86.1 \%$ | $89.5 \%$ | $92.4 \%$ |
| Lease Income | $(\$ 1.8)$ | $\$ 13.4$ | $\$ 18.9$ | $\$ 13.6$ | $\$ 31.5$ |

Remarketing Income

| \$ in millions | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Asset Sale Income | $\$ 8.4$ | $\$ 23.7$ | $\$ 19.4$ | $\$ 15.8$ | $\$ 13.3$ |

Service \& Other Income

| \$ in millions | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  <br> Other | $\$ 3.2$ | $\$ 5.7$ | $\$ 4.5$ | $\$ 2.0$ | $\$ 5.9$ |

Total Rail Income

| \$ in millions | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Revenue | $\$ 107.4$ | $\$ 156.4$ | $\$ 164.8$ | $\$ 149.0$ | $\$ 170.8$ |
| Gross Profit | $\$ 24.8$ | $\$ 56.7$ | $\$ 58.9$ | $\$ 59.8$ | $\$ 67.7$ |
| Gross Profit \% | $23.1 \%$ | $36.3 \%$ | $35.7 \%$ | $40.1 \%$ | $39.6 \%$ |
| Pre-tax Income | $\$ 9.8$ | $\$ 42.8$ | $\$ 42.8$ | $\$ 31.4$ | $\$ 50.7$ |


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