Overview

We make great food, and we make a difference. It’s our passion and our purpose at Tyson Foods. We grew from humble beginnings into a company that sells around the world. We know sustainability touches every aspect of our company and operations, and we strive to do what’s right for our company and stakeholders.

In addition to the fresh and frozen chicken, beef, and pork products for which we’re known, we also make a variety of prepared foods. In August 2014, we completed our merger with The Hillshire Brands Company. The combination of Tyson Foods and Hillshire Brands creates a portfolio that includes recognized brands such as Tyson®, Jimmy Dean®, Hillshire Farm®, Sara Lee®, Ball Park®, Wright®, Aidells® and State Fair®.

As we continue with the integration of our two companies, we will delay publishing a sustainability report for fiscal year 2014. We do, however, offer these summaries for each of our sustainability pillars for fiscal year 2014 (September 29, 2013 – September 27, 2014), with select highlights from September 28, 2014 through April 30, 2015, a portion of the company’s fiscal year 2015. We will develop a comprehensive report for fiscal year 2015 that will introduce you to our new and exciting company. We will also share the results of the sustainability materiality assessment we recently completed, and report the progress we are making toward meeting our goal of eliminating antibiotics from our broiler chickens by 2017. We anticipate releasing this report in the winter of 2016 and invite you to come back and learn about the sustainable progress we’re making.

Sales
$37.6 Billion

Team Members
113,000

Company Highlights
One of the largest food companies in the world
Sell products in approximately 130 countries
Multi-protein business serving multiple retail and foodservice channels
Innovative food experiences for all snacking and meal times throughout the day, for all meal occasions
Produce approximately 1 out of every 5 pounds of chicken, beef, and pork in the United States
#1 or #2 brands in 13 core categories such as fresh chicken, breakfast sausage, and corn dogs
Total Fiscal Year 2014 Sales by Segment

9% increase in sales from $34.4 billion in fiscal year 2013 to $37.6 billion in fiscal year 2014

- **Beef**: 42%
- **Chicken**: 30%
- **Pork**: 14%
- **International**: 4%
- **Prepared Foods**: 10%

**Ranked 81st** on Corporate Responsibility Magazine’s 100 Best Corporate Citizens List in 2015

**Fortune Magazine** named Tyson Foods among “America’s Most Admired Companies” for the second consecutive year

**48** Kid Tested, Kid Approved™ chicken, beef, and pork products produced for school lunches
People

**Nearly $7.7 million**
donated to charitable organizations in fiscal year 2014

**11,000 farmers**
supply our company

**10% reduction**
in the Total OSHA Recordable Incident Rate since fiscal year 2013

**300 team members**
took advantage of the company’s Education Assistance Program in FY 2014, with the company’s investment totaling nearly $700,000

**53% of U.S. team members**
have been with us for five years or more, and 12% of those have 20 years or more experience with the company

**Almost 100 million**
pounds of protein donated to hunger relief agencies since 2000

300 team members took advantage of the company’s Education Assistance Program in FY 2014, with the company’s investment totaling nearly $700,000.
Nearly $500,000 invested in a pilot process to help quantify and validate how energy and water are managed across the enterprise.

Two awards bestowed on the Lexington and Dakota City, Neb., wastewater treatment plants—one for plant operations, another for safety.

Almost 60 million over-the-road truck miles eliminated in fiscal year 2014.

Six plants with covered anaerobic lagoons; four of them are capable of returning biogas to plant boilers to offset our natural gas use.

98,000 pounds of paperboard fiber reduced by modifying the size and style of the carton for the Jimmy Dean® 12-count sausage, egg, and cheese croissants.

250,000 pounds of CO₂ emissions reduced by modifying the material of State Fair® Corn Dog paperboard cartons.

Nearly $500,000 invested in a pilot process to help quantify and validate how energy and water are managed across the enterprise.

114 trucks off the road.

979,702 pounds of packaging reduced and 22 environmental awards received.
$52 million spent on research and development in fiscal year 2014, a 4% increase over fiscal year 2013

35 of our hatcheries no longer use antibiotics as of October 2014, and we have reduced human antibiotics in broiler chickens by more than 80%

100% beef, no artificial preservatives and no nitrates or nitrites in Ball Park’s Finest™ premium beef franks

617 audits were conducted in calendar year 2014 at independent swine, cattle, and chicken farms as part of our FarmCheck® program

More than 2,400 team members dedicated to developing, improving, and monitoring our food safety and quality policies and procedures

17 grams of protein in Ball Park® Flame Grilled Turkey Patties, launched in February 2014

All natural* ingredients, no antibiotics ever, 100% vegetarian feed, and no added hormones in our NatureRaised Farms® products**

1 Except for those naturally occurring in the celery juice powder. *Minimally processed. No artificial ingredients. **Federal regulations prohibit the use of added hormones in chicken and pork.
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