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**Return of Private Foundation**  
**or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust**  
**Treated as a Private Foundation**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

OMB No 1545-0052

Note. The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements

2009

For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning , 2009, and ending , 20

**G** Check all that apply:  Initial return  Initial return of a former public charity  Final return  
 Amended return  Address change  Name change

<b>Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions.</b>	<b>Name of foundation</b> <b>Acorn Investing, Inc.</b> <b>Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address)</b> <b>P. O. Box 622</b> <b>City or town, state, and ZIP code</b> <b>Lake Zurich, IL 60047-0622</b>	<b>A Employer identification number</b> <b>36 3905593</b>
		<b>B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)</b> <b>847 382 3787</b>

<b>H</b> Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		<b>C</b> If exemption application is pending, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> <b>D</b> 1. Foreign organizations, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation ► <input type="checkbox"/> <b>E</b> If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> <b>F</b> If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>I</b> Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ► <b>\$ 1447175</b>	<b>J</b> Accounting method: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) <b>modified cash</b> <small>(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)</small>		

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see page 11 of the instructions).)</b>		<b>(a) Revenue and expenses per books</b>	<b>(b) Net investment income</b>	<b>(c) Adjusted net income</b>	<b>(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)</b>
<b>Revenue</b>	<b>1</b> Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule) <b>2</b> Check ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B <b>3</b> Interest on savings and temporary cash investments <b>4</b> Dividends and interest from securities <b>5a</b> Gross rents <b>b</b> Net rental income or (loss) <b>0</b> <b>6a</b> Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 <b>b</b> Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a <b>803667</b> <b>7</b> Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) <b>8</b> Net short-term capital gain <b>9</b> Income modifications <b>10a</b> Gross sales less returns and allowances <b>0</b> <b>b</b> Less: Cost of goods sold <b>0</b> <b>c</b> Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule) <b>0</b> <b>11</b> Other income (attach schedule) <b>Schedule #1</b> <b>12</b> <b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11 <b>(238753)</b>	<b>2000</b>	<b>1248</b>	<b>1248</b>	<b>n/a</b>
		<b>15848</b>	<b>15848</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
		<b>(259465)</b>			
			<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
			<b>n/a</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
		<b>1616</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
		<b>(238753)</b>	<b>17096</b>	<b>n/a</b>	
<b>Operating and Administrative Expenses</b>	<b>13</b> Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc. <b>14</b> Other employee salaries and wages <b>RECEIVED</b> <b>15</b> Pension plans, employee benefits <b>16a</b> Legal fees (attach schedule) <b>17 MAY 17 2010</b> <b>b</b> Accounting fees (attach schedule) <b>c</b> Other professional fees (attach schedule) <b>17</b> Interest <b>#2 OGDEN, UT</b> <b>18</b> Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions) <b>19</b> Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion <b>#3</b> <b>20</b> Occupancy <b>21</b> Travel, conferences, and meetings <b>22</b> Printing and publications <b>23</b> Other expenses (attach schedule) <b>#4</b> <b>24</b> <b>Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23 <b>25</b> Contributions, gifts, grants paid <b>26</b> <b>Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25	<b>6800</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>6800</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>25</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>15</b>
		<b>64</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>2494</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>2494</b>
		<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>0</b>
		<b>1027</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>1027</b>
		<b>10410</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>10321</b>
		<b>103600</b>			<b>103600</b>
		<b>114010</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>n/a</b>	<b>113921</b>
<b>27</b>	<b>Subtract line 26 from line 12:</b> <b>a</b> <b>Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements</b> <b>b</b> <b>Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)</b> <b>c</b> <b>Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)</b>	<b>(352763)</b>			
			<b>17096</b>		
				<b>n/a</b>	

<b>Part II</b> <b>Balance Sheets</b>		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)	<b>Beginning of year</b>	<b>End of year</b>		
			<b>(a) Book Value</b>	<b>(b) Book Value</b>	<b>(c) Fair Market Value</b>	
<b>Assets</b>	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	243	43	43	
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .	415355	410052	410052	
	3	Accounts receivable ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
	4	Pledges receivable ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
	5	Grants receivable . . . . .	0	0	0	
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see page 16 of the instructions) . . . . .	0	0	0	
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
	8	Inventories for sale or use . . . . .	0	0	0	
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .	0	0	0	
	10a	Investments—U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule) . . . . .	0	0	0	
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) <i>Schedule 5</i> . . . . .	599637	362853	362853	
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) <i>Schedule 6</i> . . . . .	195453	395229	395229	
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment: basis ► . . . . .	0	0	0	
	Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ► . . . . .	0	0	0		
12	Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .	0	0	0		
13	Investments—other (attach schedule) <i>Schedule 7</i> . . . . .	148970	278998	278998		
14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ► . . . . .	195	131	131		
	Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ► <i>#3</i> . . . . .	64	0	0		
15	Other assets (describe ► . . . . . )	0	0	0		
16	<b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I) . . . . .	1359853	1447175	1447175		
<b>Liabilities</b>	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .	0	0	0	
	18	Grants payable . . . . .	0	0	0	
	19	Deferred revenue . . . . .	0	0	0	
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons . . . . .	0	0	0	
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule) . . . . .	0	0	0	
	22	Other liabilities (describe ► . . . . . )	0	0	0	
	23	<b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	0	0	0	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>					
	24	Unrestricted . . . . .	1359853	1447175		
	25	Temporarily restricted . . . . .	0	0		
	26	Permanently restricted . . . . .	0	0		
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>					
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	n/a	n/a		
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund . . . . .	n/a	n/a		
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds . . . . .	n/a	n/a		
	30	<b>Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see page 17 of the instructions) . . . . .	1359853	1447175		
	31	<b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see page 17 of the instructions) . . . . .	1359853	1447175		
	<b>Part III</b> <b>Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>					
1	Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return) . . . . .	1	1359853			
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	2	(352763)			
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ► <i>Schedule 8</i> . . . . .	3	440085			
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	4	1447175			
5	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ► . . . . .	5	0			
6	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	6	1447175			

## Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)			(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a Publicly Traded Securities. See schedule 9 for details.			n/a	n/a	n/a
b					
c					
d					
e					
(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)		
a 803667	0	1063132	(259465)		
b					
c					
d					
e					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))		
(i) F.M.V. as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any	n/a	n/a	n/a
a n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2	(259465)	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see pages 13 and 17 of the instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8			3	n/a	
<b>Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income</b>					
(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)					
If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.					
Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No					
If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e). Do not complete this part.					
1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see page 18 of the instructions before making any entries.					
(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))		
2008	180243	1821066	.0989766		
2007	175044	2085092	.0839502		
2006	106509	567782	.1875878		
2005	81147	665036	.1220189		
2004	195127	754474	.2586265		
2 Total of line 1, column (d)			2	.75116	
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years			3	.150232	
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5			4	1383828	
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3			5	4151484	
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)			6	171	
7 Add lines 5 and 6			7	4151655	
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4			8	113921	
If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions on page 18.					

**Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948—see page 18 of the instructions)**

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary—see instructions)	1	342		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b				
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b)				
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)				
3	Add lines 1 and 2	2	0		
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	3	342		
5	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-	4	0		
6	<b>Credits/Payments:</b>	5	342		
a	2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a	0		
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b	0		
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	n/a		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	0		
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	0		
8	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	0		
9	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b>	9	342		
10	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b>	10	0		
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2010 estimated tax ►	n/a	Refunded ►	11	0

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

1a	During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?	1a	✓
b	Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see page 19 of the instructions for definition)?	1b	✓
<i>If the answer is "Yes" to 1a or 1b, attach a detailed description of the activities and copies of any materials published or distributed by the foundation in connection with the activities.</i>			
c	Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?	1c	✓
d	Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ► \$ <u>0</u> (2) On foundation managers. ► \$ <u>0</u>		
e	Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ► \$ <u>0</u>		
2	Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? <i>If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.</i>	2	✓
3	Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? <i>If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes.</i>	3	✓
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	4a	✓
b	If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?	4b	✓
5	Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? <i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.</i>	5	✓
6	Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	6	✓
7	Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV</i>	7	✓
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) ► <u>Illinois</u>		
b	If the answer is "Yes" to line 7, has the foundation furnished a copy of Form 990-PF to the Attorney General (or designate) of each state as required by General Instruction G? <i>If "No," attach explanation</i>	8b	✓
9	Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2009 or the taxable year beginning in 2009 (see instructions for Part XIV on page 27)? <i>If "Yes," complete Part XIV</i>	9	✓
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses</i>	10	✓

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)**

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see page 20 of the instructions)	11	✓
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12	✓
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	✓
Website address ►	n/a		
14	The books are in care of ► Carol Eich Located at ► P. O. Box 622, Lake Zurich, IL	Telephone no. ► 8473823787 ZIP+4 ► 60047-0622	
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041—Check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year	► 15	n/a

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required**

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly): (1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? (2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? (3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? (4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? (5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? (6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
1b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see page 20 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ►		✓
1c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?		✓
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)): a At the end of tax year 2009, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2009? If "Yes," list the years ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
2b	b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see page 20 of the instructions.)		
3a	c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ► 20____, 20____, 20____, 20____		
3b	3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
4a	b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2009 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2009.)		✓
4b	4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2009?		✓

**Part VII-B Statements Regarding Activities for Which Form 4720 May Be Required (continued)**

5a	During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(1)	Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2)	Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3)	Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4)	Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see page 22 of the instructions)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5)	Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)–(5), did <b>any</b> of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see page 22 of the instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ► <input type="checkbox"/>		5b	
c	If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<i>If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945–5(d).</i>				
6a	Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? <i>If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.</i>		6b	✓
7a	At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?		7b	

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors****1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see page 22 of the instructions).**

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
Carol Eich P.O. Box 622, Lake Zurich, IL 60047-0622	Dir,Pres,Treas/40hr	6800	0	0
Beth Mann P.O. Box 622, Lake Zurich, IL 60047-0622	Dir,Sec/1 hr	0	0	0
Karen Schroeder P.O. Box 622, Lake Zurich, IL 60047-0622	Dir,AstSec,AstT/1hr	0	0	0
Lynne Walters P.O. Box 622, Lake Zurich, IL 60047-0622	Dir,VP/1 hr	0	0	0

**2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1—see page 23 of the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
None				0
<b>Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000</b>		►		0

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**
**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see page 23 of the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
None		0
<b>Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services</b>	►	<b>0</b>

**Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities**

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.		Expenses
1	None	0
2		
3		
4		

**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see page 24 of the instructions)**

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2		Amount
1	None	0
2		
3		
All other program-related investments. See page 24 of the instructions		
<b>Total. Add lines 1 through 3</b>	►	<b>0</b>

**Part X Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see page 24 of the instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	1084464
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	320438
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 24 of the instructions)	1c	0
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	1404902
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	0
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	1404902
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2 % of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions)	4	21074
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	1383828
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	69191

**Part XI Distributable Amount** (see page 25 of the instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here ►  and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	69191
2a	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	342
b	Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	0
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	342
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	68849
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	68849
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions)	6	0
7	<b>Distributable amount</b> as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	68849

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see page 25 of the instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	113921
b	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B	1b	0
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	0
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	0
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	0
4	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	113921
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see page 26 of the instructions)	5	n/a
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	113921

**Note.** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.

**Part XIII Undistributed Income (see page 26 of the instructions)**

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7 . . . . .				68849
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009:			0	
a Enter amount for 2008 only . . . . .		0		
b Total for prior years: 20 ____,20 ____,20 ____		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004 . . . . .	158185			
b From 2005 . . . . .	49315			
c From 2006 . . . . .	108382			
d From 2007 . . . . .	475168			
e From 2008 . . . . .	89574			
f Total of lines 3a through e . . . . .	880624			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ 113921			0	
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a . . . . .		0		
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions) . . . . .		0		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see page 26 of the instructions) . . . . .	0			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount . . . . .			68849	
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus . . . . .	45072			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2009 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)	0			0
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5 . . . . .	925696			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b . . . . .		0		
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed . . . . .		0		
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions . . . . .		0		
e Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions . . . . .			0	
f Undistributed income for 2009. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2010 . . . . .				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see page 27 of the instructions) . . . . .	0			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions) . . . . .	0			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .	925696			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2005 . . . . .	49315			
b Excess from 2006 . . . . .	108382			
c Excess from 2007 . . . . .	74075			
d Excess from 2008 . . . . .	89574			
e Excess from 2009 . . . . .	45072			

**Part XIV** **Private Operating Foundations** (see page 27 of the instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

1a	If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2009, enter the date of the ruling . . . . .				n/a
b	Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(3) or <input type="checkbox"/> 4942(j)(5)				
2a	Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed . . . . .				
b	85% of line 2a . . . . .				
c	Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .				
d	Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .				
e	Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .				
3	Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon.				
a	"Assets" alternative test—enter: (1) Value of all assets . . . . . (2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(I) . . . . .				
b	"Endowment" alternative test—enter $\frac{2}{3}$ of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed . . . . .				
c	"Support" alternative test—enter: (1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . . (2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(ii) . . . . . (3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . . (4) Gross investment income . . . . .				

**Part XV** **Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see page 28 of the instructions.)**

## 1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

a List any managers of the foundation who have contributed more than 2% of the total contributions received by the foundation before the close of any tax year (but only if they have contributed more than \$5,000). (See section 507(d)(2).)

n/a

**b** List any managers of the foundation who own 10% or more of the stock of a corporation (or an equally large portion of the ownership of a partnership or other entity) of which the foundation has a 10% or greater interest.

None

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here ►  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see page 28 of the instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

a The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

nla

**b. The form in which applications should be submitted and information and materials they should include:**

n/a

**c Any submission deadlines:**

n/a

d Any restrictions or limitations on awards, such as by geographical areas, charitable fields, kinds of institutions, or other factors:

n/a

**Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)****3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<i>a Paid during the year</i>				
See Schedule 10				
<b>Total</b>				► 3a 103600
<i>b Approved for future payment</i>				
None				
<b>Total</b>				► 3b 0

**Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities**

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

**1 Program service revenue:**

a n/a  
 b \_\_\_\_\_  
 c \_\_\_\_\_  
 d \_\_\_\_\_  
 e \_\_\_\_\_  
 f \_\_\_\_\_

**g Fees and contracts from government agencies****2 Membership dues and assessments****3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments****4 Dividends and interest from securities****5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:****a Debt-financed property****b Not debt-financed property****6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property****7 Other investment income****8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory****9 Net income or (loss) from special events****10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory****11 Other revenue: a tax refund****b****c****d****e****12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e)****13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e)**

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions on page 28 to verify calculations.)

**Part XVI-B Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes**

**Line No.** Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes). (See page 29 of the instructions.)

n/a

**Part XVII Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations**

1	Did the organization directly or indirectly engage in any of the following with any other organization described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3) organizations) or in section 527, relating to political organizations?	Yes	No
a	Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:		
(1)	Cash . . . . .	1a(1)	✓
(2)	Other assets . . . . .	1a(2)	✓
b	Other transactions:		
(1)	Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization . . . . .	1b(1)	✓
(2)	Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization . . . . .	1b(2)	✓
(3)	Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets . . . . .	1b(3)	✓
(4)	Reimbursement arrangements . . . . .	1b(4)	✓
(5)	Loans or loan guarantees . . . . .	1b(5)	✓
(6)	Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations . . . . .	1b(6)	✓
c	Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees . . . . .	1c	✓
d	If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," complete the following schedule. Column (b) should always show the fair market value of the goods, other assets, or services given by the reporting foundation. If the foundation received less than fair market value in any transaction or sharing arrangement, show in column (d) the value of the goods, other assets, or services received.		

**2a** Is the foundation directly or indirectly affiliated with, or related to, one or more tax-exempt organizations described in section 501(c) of the Code (other than section 501(c)(3)) or in section 527? . . . . .  Yes  No

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship
n/a		

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer or fiduciary) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

*Lyman J. Wallen*  
Signature of owner or trustee

5/8/10

Vice President/Director

Signature of officer or trustee		Date	Title	
<b>Paid Preparer's Use Only</b>	 Preparer's signature		Date	Check if self-employed ► <input type="checkbox"/>
	 Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code		EIN ►	Phone no.

DESCRIPTION	OTHER INCOME			SCHEDULE 1
	(A) REVENUE/ BOOK	(B) NET INVEST INCOME	(C) ADJ NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
TAX REFUND	1616	0	0	0

TO FORM 990-PF, PT 1, LINE 11

DESCRIPTION	TAXES			SCHEDULE 2
	(A) EXPENSES/ BOOK	(B) NET INVEST INCOME	(C) ADJ NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
SEC of STATE, filing fee	10	0	0	0
IL CHARITY BUREAU	15	0	0	0
TOTAL	25			

TO FORM 990-PF, PT I, LINE 18

DEPRECIATION OF ASSETS NOT HELD FOR INVESTMENT			SCHEDULE 3
DESCRIPTION	COST OR OTHER BASIS	ACCUMULATED DEPRECIATION	BOOK VALUE
OFFICE EQUIPMENT	195	64	131

TO FORM 990-PF, PT I, LN 19 AND PT II, LN 14

DESCRIPTION	OTHER EXPENSES			SCHEDULE 4
	(A) EXPENSES/ BOOK	(B) NET INVEST INCOME	(C) ADJ NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
OFFICE	937	0	0	0
PROF. MEMBERSHIP	90	0	0	0
TOTAL	1027			

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF PT I, LN23

<u>INV/CORPORATE STOCK</u>		<u>SCHEDULE 5</u>
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BOOK VALUE/FMV</u>	
Pepco Holdings, Inc., POM	7133	
Morgan Stanley, EFA	84117	
Vang. Total Stk Mkt Ind., Adm Shs, VTSAX	145190	
Emerging Markets, EMF	37335	
Templeton Dragon Fund, TDF	45177	
Matthew China Fund, MCHFX	<u>43901</u>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>362853</b>	

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PT II, LN 10b

<u>INV/CORPORATE BONDS</u>		<u>SCHEDULE 6</u>
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BOOK VALUE/FMV</u>	
Vang. Total Bd Mkt Ind., Adm Shs, VBTLX	142777	
Russell Strategic Bd, Cl S, RFCTX	68277	
Vang. Short Term Inv. Grade, Adm Shs, VFSUX	148835	
Vang. Short Term Treasury, VFISX	<u>35340</u>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>395229</b>	

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PT II, LN 10c

<u>OTHER INVESTMENTS</u>		<u>SCHEDULE 7</u>
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>BOOK VALUE/FMV</u>	
Rogers Intl Agr Comm Ind, RJA	61352	
Rogers Intl Comm Ind, RJI	88710	
Pimco Comm Real Return Strat, Cl D, PCRDX	<u>128936</u>	
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>278998</b>	

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PT II, LN 13

**NOTE: FOR PT II, LN 14, EQUIPMENT DEPRECIATION, SEE SCHEDULE 3**

<u>OTHER INCREASES</u>		<u>SCHEDULE 8</u>
<u>DESCRIPTION</u>		<u>BOOK VALUE/FMV</u>
UNREALIZED GAIN,SCHWAB & VANGUARD		440085

TO FORM 990-PF, PT III, LN 3

CAPITAL GAINS AND LOSSES FOR TAX ON INVESTMENT INCOME SCHEDULE 9

(a) PROPERTY SOLD	(e) GROSS SALES PRICE	(g) COST PLUS SALE EXPENSE	(h) GAIN OR (LOSS)
1000 shs EFA	\$ 56099	47050	9049
1808.521 shs FXI	75895	44544	31351
29595.248 shs Vang Ttl Intl Stk Ind	294221	476153	(181932)
7432,459 shs Vang Ttl Stk Mkt Ind	158008	254190	(96182)
1237.045 shs DODGX	95759	123530	(27771)
11520 shs PCRDX	82138	72000	10138
500 shs SPY	41547	45665	(4118)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$ 803667</b>	<b>1063132</b>	<b>(259465)</b>

TO FORM 990-PF, PT 14, LN 1

GRANTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS SCHEDULE 10  
PAID DURING THE YEAR

<u>RECIPIENT NAME AND ADDRESS</u>	<u>RECIPIENT STATUS</u>	<u>PURPOSE OF GRANT</u>	<u>RECIPIENT RELATIONSHIP</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
Ambassadors for Christ, Intl PO Box 470 Tucker, GA 30085	501c3	education of poor	none	2300
Arab Vision, Inc. 12727 Hillcrest Rd. Dallas, TX 75230	501c3	sign language program	none	4000
Biblica PO Box 35901 Colorado Springs, CO 80935	501c3	book distribution	none	3000
Christians for Biblical Equality 122 W. Franklin Ave, Suite 218 Minneapolis, MN 55404	501c3	youth curriculum development	none	2050

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Destiny Ministries Intl 2715 Ham Brown Rd Kissimmee, FL 34746	501c3	video development	none	6000
Doulos Community 3709 Bellevue Ave Kansas City, MO 64111	501c3	preventive health education	none	2000
Far East Broadcasting Co PO Box 1 La Mirada, CA 90637-0001	501c3	radio research	none	4000
Frontiers PO Box 60730 Phoenix, AZ 85082-0730	501c3	training of natl workers	none	3050
Global Giving 1816 12 <sup>th</sup> Street NW Washington D.C. 20009	501c3	rehabilitation of sex-trafficked children	none	1000
Intl Ministries PO Box 851 Valley Forge, PA 19482-0851	501c3	assistance to unwed mothers	none	4800
Intervarsity Christian Fellowship PO Box 7895 Madison, WI 53707-789511	501c3	TESL program	none	8300
JS Resources 844 Maraval Ct Longwood, FL 32750	501c3	church development	none	4500
Lighthouse Ministries 5115 Blue Hole Rd Antioch, TN 37013	501c3	book translation	none	5100
Middle East Media PO Box 4949 Wheaton, IL 60189-4949	501c3	AIDS/HIV video, web outreach	none	7500
Ministries Network 93 S. Jackson Street #88398 Seattle, WA 98104-2818	501c3	TV/radio programs	none	11000

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Noura Intl 1112 Glenmore Drive Cleveland, TN 37312	501c3	Medical care	none	5000
Operation Mobilization PO Box 444 Tyrone, GA 30290-0444	501c3	Caring for workers, lit. distribution, community dev.	none	11500
Partners International 1117 E. Westview Ct Spokane, WA 99218-1319	501c3	Community dev.	none	3000
Strategic Resource Group PO Box 1809 Easton, MD 21601	501c3	Advocacy	none	7500
TELOS, Intl PO Box 23292 Portland, OR 97281-3292	501c3	Marriage training project	none	3000
The Mustard Seed Foundation 200 Big Run Rd Lexington, KY 40503	501c3	Project to foster cultural understanding	none	5000
			TOTAL	\$103600

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PT XV, LN 3a