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Return of Private Foundation

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

OMB No. 1545-0052

2009

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

For calendar year 2009, or tax year beginning

, and ending

G Check all that apply:

☐ Initial return☐ Initial return of a former public charity☐ Final return☐ Amended return☐ Address change☐ Name changeUse the IRS
label.
Otherwise,
print
— or type:
See Specific
Instructions.

Name of foundation

THE NEISSER FAMILY FUND

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)

20 S. CLARK STREET

Room/suite

1650

City or town, state, and ZIP code

CHICAGO, IL 60603

A Employer identification number

36-6054300

B Telephone number

312-568-5550

C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐D 1. Foreign organizations, check here ☐2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test,
check here and attach computation ☐E If private foundation status was terminated
under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ☐F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination
under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ☐

H Check type of organization:

☒ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust☐ Other taxable private foundationI Fair market value of all assets at end of year
(from Part II, col. (c), line 16)

\$ 9,888. (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

J Accounting method:

☒ Cash☐ Accrual☐ Other (specify)

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).)(a) Revenue and
expenses per books(b) Net investment
income(c) Adjusted net
income(d) Disbursements
for charitable purposes
(cash basis only)

1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received	446,320.		N/A	
2	Check ☐ If the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	6.	6.		STATEMENT 2
4	Dividends and interest from securities	62.	62.		STATEMENT 3
5a	Gross rents				
b	Net rental income or (loss)				
6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	566.			STATEMENT 1
b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	195,439.			
7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		117,485.		
8	Net short-term capital gain				
9	Income modifications				
10a	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b	Less: Cost of goods sold				
c	Gross profit or (loss)				
11	Other income	<1.>	<1.>		STATEMENT 4
12	Total. Add lines 1 through 11	446,953.	117,552.		
13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0.	0.		0.
14	Other employee salaries and wages				
15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
16a	Legal fees				
b	Accounting fees	3,460.	3,460.		0.
c	Other professional fees	4,882.	4,882.		0.
17	Interest	11.	11.		0.
18	Taxes	760.	0.		0.
19	Depreciation and depletion				
20	Occupancy				
21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
22	Printing and publications				
23	Other expenses	547.	547.		0.
24	Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	9,660.	8,900.		0.
25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	567,112.			567,112.
26	Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	576,772.	8,900.		567,112.
27	Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
a	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	<129,819.>			
b	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		108,652.		
c	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			N/A	

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Operating and Administrative Expenses

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Part II Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only	Beginning of year	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing	8,415.	<7.>	<7.>
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	8,637.	1,312.	1,312.
	3	Accounts receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	4	Pledges receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons	1,880.	6,442.	6,442.
	7	Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
		Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8	Inventories for sale or use			
	9	Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a	Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b	Investments - corporate stock STMT 9	118,553.	0.	0.
	c	Investments - corporate bonds			
Liabilities	11	Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12	Investments - mortgage loans			
	13	Investments - other STMT 10	2,222.	2,141.	2,141.
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶			
		Less: accumulated depreciation ▶			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶)			
	16	Total assets (to be completed by all filers)	139,707.	9,888.	9,888.
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18	Grants payable			
	19	Deferred revenue			
	20	Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21	Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
	23	Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	
Net Assets or Fund Balances		Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☐			
		and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24	Unrestricted			
	25	Temporarily restricted			
	26	Permanently restricted			
		Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here ▶ ☒			
		and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27	Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	0.	0.	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	139,707.	9,888.	
	30	Total net assets or fund balances	139,707.	9,888.	
	31	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	139,707.	9,888.	

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

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	139,707.
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	<129,819.>
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0.
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	9,888.
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	9,888.

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 SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b K-1: HALP LANDMARK	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
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 195,221.		77,954.	117,267.
b 218.			218.
c			
d			
e			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69

(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	(l) Gains (Col. (h) gain minus col. (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col. (h))
a			117,267.
b			218.
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	117,485.
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). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	N/A

Part V Qualification Under Section 4940(e) for Reduced Tax on Net Investment Income

(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?

☐ Yes ☒ 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 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	654,089.	193,297.	3.383855
2007	591,976.	55,366.	10.692049
2006	647,987.	96,698.	6.701142
2005	878,877.	163,017.	5.391321
2004	864,682.	655,574.	1.318969

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	27.487336
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	5.497467
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2009 from Part X, line 5	4	40,561.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	222,983.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	1,087.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	224,070.
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4. 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.	8	567,112.

Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see instructions)

1a Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here ☐ and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling or determination letter: _____ (attach copy of letter if necessary-see instructions)			
b Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here ☒ and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b.		1	1,087.
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-)		2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	1,087.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)		4	0.
5 Tax based on investment income. Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	1,087.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2009 estimated tax payments and 2008 overpayment credited to 2009	6a		
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b		
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c		
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d		
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7		0.
8 Enter any penalty for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☒ if Form 2220 is attached	8		32.
9 Tax due. If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter amount owed	9		1,119.
10 Overpayment. If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the amount overpaid	10		
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: Credited to 2010 estimated tax ☐ Refunded ☒	11		

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

	Yes	No
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?		X
b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for definition)? 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.		X
c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year: (1) On the foundation. ☐ \$ 0. (2) On foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. ☐ \$ 0.		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
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? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on Form 990-T for this year?		
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.		X
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?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV.	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☐ IL		
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? If "No," attach explanation	X	
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)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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 instructions).	11		X
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ N/A	13		
14	The books are in care of ▶ NATHAN GROSSMAN Located at ▶ 20 S. CLARK STREET, CHICAGO, IL	Telephone no. ▶ 312-568-5550 ZIP+4 ▶ 60603		
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? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(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)? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
(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.) ☐ Yes ☒ No		
b	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 ☐ N/A ☒	1b	
c	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?	1c	X
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? ☐ Yes ☒ No If "Yes," list the years ▶		
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 instructions.) N/A	2b	
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶		
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? ☐ Yes ☒ No		
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.) N/A	3b	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a	X
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?	4b	X

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:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive?

☐ Yes ☒ No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes?

☐ Yes ☒ 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)?

☐ Yes ☒ 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?

☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see instructions)?

N/A

5b

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here

☒**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?

N/A

☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?

6b

X

If "Yes" to 6b, file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?☐ Yes ☒ No**b** If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?

N/A

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.

(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
JUDITH E. NEISSER	DIRECTOR, PRESIDENT, TREAS			
132 E. DELAWARE PLACE #6201				
CHICAGO, IL 60611	1.08	0.	0.	0.
KATHERINE M. NEISSER	DIRECTOR, VICE-PRESIDENT			
359 W. BELDEN AVENUE				
CHICAGO, IL 60614	0.08	0.	0.	0.
SHERWIN A. ZUCKERMAN	DIRECTOR, SECRETARY			
191 N. WACKER DRIVE, #1500				
CHICAGO, IL 60606	0.08	0.	0.	0.
NATHAN M. GROSSMAN	DIRECTOR			
20 S. CLARK STREET, #1650				
CHICAGO, IL 60603	0.08	0.	0.	0.

2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). 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				

Total number of other employees paid over \$50,000

0

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Part X Minimum Investment Return (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see 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	4,576.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	34,028.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	2,575.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	41,179.
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	41,179.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	618.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	40,561.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	2,028.

Part XI Distributable Amount (see 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	2,028.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2009 from Part VI, line 5	2a	1,087.
b	Income tax for 2009. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	1,087.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	941.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	941.
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6	0.
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	941.

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see 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	567,112.
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	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	567,112.
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	5	1,087.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	566,025.

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 instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2008	(c) 2008	(d) 2009
1 Distributable amount for 2009 from Part XI, line 7				941.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2009				
a Enter amount for 2008 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2009:				
a From 2004	831,946.			
b From 2005	882,224.			
c From 2006	647,388.			
d From 2007	596,165.			
e From 2008	651,484.			
f Total of lines 3a through e	3,609,207.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2009 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$	567,112.			
a Applied to 2008, but not more than line 2a			0.	
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
d Applied to 2009 distributable amount				941.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	566,171.			
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:	4,175,378.			
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
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 instructions		0.		
e Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			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)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2004 not applied on line 5 or line 7	831,946.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2010. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	3,343,432.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2005	882,224.			
b Excess from 2006	647,388.			
c Excess from 2007	596,165.			
d Excess from 2008	651,484.			
e Excess from 2009	566,171.			

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)					
a Paid during the year SEE STATEMENT ATTACHED		NONE	PUBLIC CHARITIES	PUBLIC CHARITY SUPPORT	567,112.
Total					567,112.
b Approved for future payment NONE					
Total					0.

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

1 Program service revenue:

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 _____

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 to verify calculations.)

Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income
(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclu- sion code	(d) Amount	
		14	6.	
		14	62.	
		18	<1.>	
		18	566.	
	0.		633.	0.

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633.

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

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Information Regarding Transfers To and Transactions and Relationships With Noncharitable Exempt Organizations

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| <p>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?</p> <p>a Transfers from the reporting foundation to a noncharitable exempt organization of:</p> <p>(1) Cash</p> <p>(2) Other assets</p> <p>b Other transactions:</p> <p>(1) Sales of assets to a noncharitable exempt organization</p> <p>(2) Purchases of assets from a noncharitable exempt organization</p> <p>(3) Rental of facilities, equipment, or other assets</p> <p>(4) Reimbursement arrangements</p> <p>(5) Loans or loan guarantees</p> <p>(6) Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations</p> <p>c Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, other assets, or paid employees</p> <p>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.</p> | <p>Yes</p> |
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	Yes	No
1a(1)		X
1a(2)		X
1b(1)		X
1b(2)		X
1b(3)		X
1b(4)		X
1b(5)		X
1b(6)		X
1c		X

[illegible]

- 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

- b** If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(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.

Sign Here

and complete Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer or fiduciary) is based on all information of which preparer has knowledge.

 | 5/11/10

Signature of officer or trustee Date

Date _____

Title

Paid Preparer's Use Only	Preparer's signature 	Date 05/10/10	Check if self-employed ☐	Preparer's identifying number
	Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code NATHAN M GROSSMAN & ASSOCIATES 20 S. CLARK STREET, #1650 CHICAGO, IL 60603	EIN  Phone no. 312-568-5550		

Phone no. 312-568-5550

Form **990-PF** (2009)

Schedule B(Form 990, 990-EZ,
or 990-PF)Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Schedule of Contributors**

▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

OMB No 1545-0047

2009

Name of the organization

Employer identification number

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Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

☐ 501(c)() (enter number) organization☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust **not** treated as a private foundation☐ 527 political organization

Form 990-PF

☒ 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation☐ 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation☐ 501(c)(3) taxable private foundationCheck if your organization is covered by the **General Rule** or a **Special Rule**.**Note.** Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule. See instructions.**General Rule**

- ☒ For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

Special Rules

- ☐ For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions of more than \$1,000 for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.
- ☐ For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions for use *exclusively* for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an *exclusively* religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year. ▶ \$ _____

Caution. An organization that is not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules does not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but it **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of its Form 990, or check the box on line H of its Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of its Form 990-PF, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

LHA For Privacy Act and Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions
for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF.

Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2009)

Name of organization

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Part I Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	JUDITH E. NEISSER 132 E. DELAWARE PLACE #6201 CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$ 76,320.	Person ☐ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☒ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	JUDITH E. NEISSER 132 E. DELAWARE PLACE #6201 CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$ 370,000.	Person ☒ Payroll ☐ Noncash ☐ (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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Name of organization

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Part II Noncash Property (see instructions)[illegible]

FORM 990-PF GAIN OR (LOSS) FROM SALE OF ASSETS STATEMENT 1

(A) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	MANNER ACQUIRED	DATE ACQUIRED	DATE SOLD
SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE	PURCHASED	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
(B) GROSS SALES PRICE	(C) COST OR OTHER BASIS	(D) EXPENSE OF SALE	(E) DEPREC.
(F) GAIN OR LOSS			
195,221.	194,873.	0.	0.
			348.

(A) DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY	MANNER ACQUIRED	DATE ACQUIRED	DATE SOLD
6-1: HALP LANDMARK	PURCHASED	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
(B) GROSS SALES PRICE	(C) COST OR OTHER BASIS	(D) EXPENSE OF SALE	(E) DEPREC.
(F) GAIN OR LOSS			
218.	0.	0.	0.
			218.

CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS FROM PART IV 0.

TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 6A 566.

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	AMOUNT
6-1: HALP LANDMARK	6.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 3, COLUMN A	6.

FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES	STATEMENT	3
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SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	COLUMN (A) AMOUNT
BANK OF AMERICA ...4790	62.	0.	62.
TOTAL TO FM 990-PF, PART I, LN 4	62.	0.	62.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INCOME	STATEMENT	4
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DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
<-1: HALP LANDMARK	<1.>	<1.>	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	<1.>	<1.>	

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES	STATEMENT	5
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
BOOKKEEPING FEES	3,460.	3,460.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	3,460.	3,460.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES	STATEMENT	6
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
PROFESSIONAL FEES	4,882.	4,882.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	4,882.	4,882.		0.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES	STATEMENT	7
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
2008 EXCISE TAX	760.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	760.	0.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES	STATEMENT	8
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DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
BANK FEES	343.	343.		0.
IL FILING FEES	28.	28.		0.
FROM K-1 - H L PTRS II LLC:				
OTHER DEDUCTIONS	176.	176.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	547.	547.		0.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK	STATEMENT	9
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DESCRIPTION	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
STOCK	0.	0.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B	0.	0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INVESTMENTS	STATEMENT	10
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DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
VALP LANDMARK PARTNERS II LLC	COST	2,141.	2,141.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		2,141.	2,141.

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ATTACHMENT TO FORM 990-PF, PART XV, LINE 3A
2009 GRANTS PAID DURING THE YEAR

RECIPIENT	ADDRESS	CONTRIBUTION
Access Living	115 W. CHICAGO AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60610	\$600.00
AIDS Foundation of Chicago	200 W. JACKSON, CHICAGO, IL 60606	\$250.00
Alzheimer's Association	PO BOX 806457, CHICAGO, IL 60680	\$200.00
American Jewish Committtee	55 E. MONROE, SUITE 2930, CHICAGO, IL 60603	\$250.00
Anderson Ranch Festival	PO BOX 5598, SNOWMASS VILLAGE, CO 81614	\$1,500.00
Archeworks	625 N. KINGSBURY, CHICAGO, IL 60610	\$11,166.66
Art Institute of Chicago	111 S. MICHIGAN AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60605	\$28,890.00
Artists Space	38 GREENE STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10013	\$250.00
Arts Orange County	3750 S. SUSAN STREET, SANTA ANA, CA 92704	\$4,500.00
Aspen Art Museum	590 N. MILL STREET, ASPEN, CO 81611	\$16,550.00
Aspen Institute	1000 N. THIRD STREET, ASPEN, CO 81611	\$27,500.00
Aspen Music Festival & School	2 MUSIC SCHOOL ROAD, ASPEN, CO 81611	\$8,953.00
Aspen Public Radio	110 E. HALLAM ST, ASPEN, CO 81611	\$250.00
Barclay Theater	4199 CAMPUS DRIVE, IRVINE, CA 92612	\$1,000.00
Bowers Museum	2002 N. MAIN STREET, SANTA ANA, CA 92706	\$1,500.00
Breast Cancer Research Foundation	60 E. 56TH STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10022	\$500.00
Canyon Acres	PO BOX 68021, ANAHEIM, CA 92817	\$4,500.00
Center for Reproductive Rights	120 WALL ST, NEW YORK, NY 10005	\$250.00
Chicago Academy for the Arts	1010 W. CHICAGO AVE., CHICAGO, IL 60642	\$450.00
Chicago Public Radio WBEZ	135 S. LASALLE STREET, CHICAGO, IL 60674	\$250.00
Chicago Shakespeare Theater	800 EAST GRAND AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$2,000.00
Circesteem	1400 WEST DEVON AVENUE, CHICAGO, IL 60660	\$1,000.00
Erickson Institute	420 N. WABASH, CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$35,000.00
Facets Multi-Media	1517 W. FULLERTON AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60614	\$330.00
Familles Forward	9221 IRVINE BLVD, IRVINE, CA 92618	\$1,000.00
Francis Parker School	330 W. WEBSTER, CHICAGO, IL 60614	\$29,770.00
Fulcrum Point New Music Project	359 W. BELDEN, CHICAGO, IL 60614	\$200,000.00
Girls, Inc	13666 E. 14TH STREET, SAN LEANDRO, CA 94578	\$4,500.00
Golden Apple Foundation	8 S. MICHIGAN AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60603	\$500.00
Goodman Theatre	170 N. DEARBORN ST., CHICAGO, IL 60601	\$500.00
Green City Market	2732 CLARK STREET, CHICAGO, IL 60614	\$5,460.00
Harris Theater for Music & Dance	205 E. RANDOLPH, CHICAGO, IL 60601	\$27,500.00
Home Aid	20201 SW BIRCH ST., NEWPORT BEACH, CA, 92660	\$500.00
Jazz at Lincoln Center	33 W. 60TH STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10023	\$9,700.00
Judith N. Braman Philanthropic Fund	1250 BARDSTOWN ROAD, LOUISVILLE, KY, 40204	\$150.00
KOCE	17011 BEACH BLVD, HUNTINGTON BEACH, CA 92647	\$1,500.00
KUSC	PO BOX 77913, LOS ANGELES, CA 90007	\$250.00
Lupus Foundation of America	2000 L STREET, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20036	\$1,000.00
Marconi Foundation	PO BOX 777, MOUNTAINVIEW, CA 94024	\$500.00
Merit School of Music, Inc	38 S. PEORIA STREET, CHICAGO, IL 60607	\$1,500.00
MICDS Annual Fund	101 N. WARSON RD, ST. LOUIS, MO 63124	\$250.00
Midwest fund for UNICEF	500 N. MICHIGAN, CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$10,000.00
Moadon Kol Chadash	1535 N. DAYTON, CHICAGO, IL 60622	\$3,000.00
Museum of Contemporary Art	220 E. CHICAGO, CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$43,500.00
Museum of Modern Art	11 W. 53RD STREET, NEW YORK, NY 10019	\$808.00
Music Associates of Aspen	2 MUSIC SCHOOL ROAD, ASPEN, CO 81611	\$15,000.00
NARAL Pro-Choice America Foundation	1156 15TH STREET, NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005	\$500.00
National Resources Defense Council	101 N. WACKER DRIVE, CHICAGO, IL 60606	\$500.00
Natural Resources Defense Council	101 N. WACKER DRIVE, CHICAGO, IL 60606	\$2,500.00
Nature Conservancy	4245 N. FAIRFAX DRIVE, ARLINGTON, VA 22203	\$250.00
New Museum of Contemporary Art	235 BOWERY, NEW YORK, NY 10002	\$5,834.00
Newport Beach Library Foundation	1000 AVOCADO AVENUE, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	\$1,000.00
North Lawndale College Prep	1615 S. CHRISTIANA AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60623	\$650.00
Orange County Museum of Art	850 SAN CLEMENTE DRIVE, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	\$2,500.00
Ounce of Prevention	122 S. MICHIGAN AVENUE, SUITE 2050, CHICAGO, IL 60601	\$500.00
Pacific Arts Foundation	4110 MACARTHUR BLVD, NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	\$500.00
Pacific Symphony	3631 S. HARBOR BLVD, SANTA ANA, CA 92704	\$1,500.00
Parkinson's Disease Foundation	1359 BROADWAY, NEW YORK, NY 10018	\$250.00
Philharmonic Society of Orange County	1000 BUSINESS CENTER DRIVE, IRVINE, CA 92612	\$1,500.00
Renaissance Society	5811 S. ELLIS AVE, CHICAGO, IL 60637	\$7,000.00
Santa Ana Assitance League	1037 W. 1ST STREET, SANTA ANA, CA 92703	\$750.00
Skidmore College	815 N. BROADWAY, SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY 12866	\$3,000.00
Snow City Arts Foundation	1653 W. CONGRESS PKWY, CHICAGO, IL 60612	\$15,500.00
South Coast Repertory	655 TOWN CENTER DRIVE, COSTA MESA, CA 92626	\$3,000.00
The Casino Endowment Fund	195 E. DELAWARE PLACE, CHICAGO, IL 60611	\$100.00
University Of Illinois Foundation	5400 N. ST. LOUIS, CHICAGO, IL 60625	\$15,000.00
YWLCs	PO BOX 2038, NEW HAVEN, CT 06521	\$250.00

TOTAL

Asset Management Investors, LLC
REALIZED GAINS AND LOSSES
The Neisser Family Fund
From 01-01-09 Through 12-31-09

Open Date	Close Date	Quantity	Security	Cost Basis	Amort. or Accretion	Gain Or Loss		
						Proceeds	Short Term	Long Term
COMMON STOCK								
6/25/1993	1/2/2009	1100	Capital Southwest Corp.	42,196.00		119,298.51		77,102.51
11/10/2008	12/10/2009	5300	Motorola Inc.	23,890.28		44,710.18		20,819.90
11/21/2008	12/10/2009	3700	Motorola Inc.	11,867.75		31,212.76		19,345.01
				35,758.03	0.00	75,922.94	0.00	40,164.91
				77,954.03	0.00	195,221.45	0.00	117,267.42
TOTAL GAINS							0.00	117,267.42
TOTAL LOSSES							0.00	0.00
				77,954.03	0.00	195,221.45	0.00	117,267.42
TOTAL REALIZED GAIN/LOSS				117,267.42				

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ATTACHMENT TO FORM 990-PF, SCHEDULE B

STOCK CONTRIBUTIONS:

JUDITH NEISSER	# OF SHARES	DATE CONTRIBUTED	FAIR MARKET VALUE
MOTOROLA	5,300	12/10/2009	44,944
MOTOROLA	3,700	12/10/09	31,376
			76,320
CASH		2/27/2009	50,000
CASH		3/20/2009	50,000
CASH		4/14/2009	35,000
CASH		4/30/2009	35,000
CASH		5/11/2009	10,000
CASH		5/28/2009	45,000
CASH		6/30/2009	25,000
CASH		8/6/2009	15,000
CASH		8/28/2009	40,000
CASH		9/18/2009	5,000
CASH		9/23/2009	40,000
CASH		11/2/2009	5,000
CASH		12/28/2009	15,000
TOTAL CONTRIBUTIONS GIVEN			446,320