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Form **990-PF**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

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

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

OMB No 1545-0052

2010

For calendar year 2010, or tax year beginning 01-01-2010 , and ending 12-31-2010

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

Name of foundation
BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

A Employer identification number
38-6066333

Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address)
1901 ST ANTOINE STREET 6TH FLOOR

Room/suite

B Telephone number (see page 10 of the instructions)
(313) 259-7777

City or town, state, and ZIP code
DETROIT, MI 48226

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 ▶ ☐

H Check type of organization ☑ Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation
☐ Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust ☐ Other taxable private foundation

E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here ▶ ☐

I Fair market value of all assets at end of year *(from Part II, col. (c), line 16)*▶$ 31,300,950

J Accounting method ☑ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _
(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here ▶ ☐

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))*

			(a) Revenue and expenses per books	**(b)** Net investment income	**(c)** Adjusted net income	**(d)** Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc , received (attach schedule)				
	2	Check ▶ ☑ if the foundation is **not** required to attach Sch B				
	3	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	195,584	195,584		
	4	Dividends and interest from securities	300,319	300,319		
	5a	Gross rents				
	b	Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	3,319,486			
	b	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 83,900,986				
	7	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		3,319,486		
	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) (attach schedule)				
	11	Other income (attach schedule)	5,620	5,620		
	12	**Total.** Add lines 1 through 11	3,821,009	3,821,009		
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	0	0		0
	14	Other employee salaries and wages				
	15	Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a	Legal fees (attach schedule)	7,989	3,995		3,994
	b	Accounting fees (attach schedule)	37,500	18,750		18,750
	c	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
	17	Interest				
	18	Taxes (attach schedule) (see page 14 of the instructions)	44,650	7,605		0
	19	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
	20	Occupancy				
	21	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22	Printing and publications				
	23	Other expenses (attach schedule)	86,153	86,143		10
	24	**Total operating and administrative expenses.** Add lines 13 through 23	176,292	116,493		22,754
	25	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	1,647,500			1,647,500
	26	**Total expenses and disbursements.** Add lines 24 and 25	1,823,792	116,493		1,670,254
	27	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
	a	**Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements**	1,997,217			
	b	**Net investment income** (if negative, enter -0-)		3,704,516		
	c	**Adjusted net income** (if negative, enter -0-)				

Part II Balance Sheets Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only (See instructions)

			Beginning of year (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value	End of year (c) Fair Market Value
Assets	1	Cash—non-interest-bearing			
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments	53,455	1,434,171	1,434,171
	3	Accounts receivable ▶			
		Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶	10,015		
	4	Pledges receivable ▶			
		Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	5	Grants receivable			
	6	Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see page 15 of the instructions)			
	7	Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶			
		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 (attach schedule)			
	b	Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	22,096,386	15,941,751	19,435,948
	c	Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	2,604,151	2,934,553	2,992,039
	11	Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
		Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	12	Investments—mortgage loans			
	13	Investments—other (attach schedule)	533,464	6,994,758	7,438,792
	14	Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
		Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶			
	15	Other assets (describe ▶)	3,737	0	0
	16	**Total assets** (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	25,301,208	27,305,233	31,300,950
Liabilities	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 (attach schedule)			
	22	Other liabilities (describe ▶)	0	6,808	
	23	**Total liabilities** (add lines 17 through 22)	0	6,808	
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	37,595,835	40,915,321	
	28	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund	0	0	
	29	Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	-12,294,627	-13,616,896	
	30	**Total net assets or fund balances** (see page 17 of the instructions)	25,301,208	27,298,425	
	31	**Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances** (see page 17 of the instructions)	25,301,208	27,305,233	

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	25,301,208
2	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	1,997,217
3	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	0
4	Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	27,298,425
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	27,298,425

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)
1 a	COMERICA BANK - RHB (PUBLICALY TRADED SECURITIES)	P		
b	COMERICA BANK - RHB (PUBLICALY TRADED SECURITIES)	P		
c	FROM K-1 - PACIFIC FUND I, LP	P		
d	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	P		
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	75,918,779		74,221,126	1,697,653
b	7,979,235		6,352,962	1,626,273
c				-7,412
d	2,972			2,972
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				1,697,653
b				1,626,273
c				-7,412
d				2,972
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	3,319,486
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	

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 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))
2009	2,279,336	27,634,097	0 082483
2008	2,592,406	35,965,827	0 072080
2007	551,336	38,107,586	0 014468
2006	1,934,701	34,869,689	0 055484
2005	1,799,968	35,592,053	0 050572

2	**Total** of line 1, column (d).	2	0 275087
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	0 055017
4	Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2010 from Part X, line 5.	4	29,600,629
5	Multiply line 4 by line 3.	5	1,628,538
6	Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	6	37,045
7	Add lines 5 and 6.	7	1,665,583
8	Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	8	1,670,254

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 ▶ ☐ 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	37,045
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	37,045
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	37,045
6	Credits/Payments				
a	2010 estimated tax payments and 2009 overpayment credited to 2010	6a	30,237		
b	Exempt foreign organizations—tax withheld at source	6b			
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	10,600		
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d			
7	Total credits and payments Add lines 6a through 6d			7	40,837
8	Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax Check here ☑ if Form 2220 is attached			8	
9	**Tax due.** If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter **amount owed** ▶			9	
10	**Overpayment.** If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the **amount overpaid** ▶			10	3,792
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be **Credited to 2011 estimated tax** ▶ 3,792	**Refunded** ▶		11	0

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?	1a		No
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		No
	*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.*			
c	Did the foundation file **Form 1120-POL** for this year?	1c		No
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?	2		No
	If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.			
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*	3		No
4a	Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of $1,000 or more during the year?	4a		No
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?	5		No
	If "Yes," attach the statement required by General Instruction T.			
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	Yes	
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*	7	Yes	
8a	Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see page 19 of the instructions) ▶ MI			
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*	8b	Yes	
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 2010 or the taxable year beginning in 2010 (see instructions for Part XIV on page 27)? *If "Yes," complete Part XIV*	9		No
10	Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? *If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses*	10		No

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		No
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008?	12		No
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application?	13	Yes	

Website address ▶N/A

14 The books are in care of ▶RODNEY P WOOD Telephone no ▶(313) 961-0500

Located at ▶2000 BRUSH STREET STE 440 DETROIT MI ZIP+4 ▶482262229

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 | |

16	At any time during calendar year 2010, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country?	16		No

See page 20 of the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for Form TD F 90-22 1 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ▶

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

			Yes	No
	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)?	1b		No
	Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here ▶ ☐			
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 2010?	1c		No
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 2010, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2010? ☐ Yes ☑ No			
	If "Yes," list the years ▶ 20____ , 20____ , 20____ , 20____			
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)	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 ▶ 20____ , 20____ , 20____ , 20____			
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 2010 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 2010.)*	3b		No
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	4a		No
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 2010?	4b		No

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)? (see page 22 of the instructions). ☐ 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 page 22 of the instructions)?	**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? ☐ 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**		No
	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?	**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
LYNN F ALANDT 2000 BRUSH STREET SUITE 440 DETROIT, MI 48226	PRESIDENT, TRUSTEE & MEMBER 0 25	0	0	0
BENSON FORD JR 2000 BRUSH STREET SUITE 440 DETROIT, MI 48226	VICE-PRESIDENT, TRUSTEE & MEMBER 0 25	0	0	0
RODNEY P WOOD 2000 BRUSH STREET SUITE 440 DETROIT, MI 48226	TREASURER 0 25	0	0	0
DAVID M HEMPSTEAD 1901 ST ANTOINE ST 6TH FLOOR DETROIT, MI 48226	SECRETARY, TRUSTEE & MEMBER 0 25	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				

Total number of other employees paid over $50,000 ▶ 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		
Total number of others receiving over $50,000 for professional services. . . . . ▶		0

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	
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	
2	
All other program-related investments See page 24 of the instructions	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3. . . . . ▶	0

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	29,741,434
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	309,966
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see page 24 of the instructions)	1c	0
d	**Total** (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	30,051,400
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	30,051,400
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see page 25 of the instructions)	4	450,771
5	**Net value of noncharitable-use assets.** Subtract line 4 from line 3 Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	29,600,629
6	**Minimum investment return.** Enter 5% of line 5	6	1,480,031

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	1,480,031
2a	Tax on investment income for 2010 from Part VI, line 5 — 2a: 37,045		
b	Income tax for 2010 (This does not include the tax from Part VI) — 2b:		
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	37,045
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	1,442,986
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	1,442,986
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see page 25 of the instructions)	6	0
7	**Distributable amount** as adjusted Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	1,442,986

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	1,670,254
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	1,670,254
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	37,045
6	**Adjusted qualifying distributions.** Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	1,633,209

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 2009	(c) 2009	(d) 2010
1 Distributable amount for 2010 from Part XI, line 7				1,442,986
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2010				
a Enter amount for 2009 only.			0	
b Total for prior years 20___, 20___, 20___		0		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2010				
a From 2005.				
b From 2006.				
c From 2007.				
d From 2008.				
e From 2009. 846,761				
f **Total** of lines 3a through e.	846,761			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2010 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ $ 1,670,254				
a Applied to 2009, 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 2010 distributable amount.				1,442,986
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	227,268			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2010 *(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	1,074,029			
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 2009 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see page 27 of the instructions			0	
f Undistributed income for 2010 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2011				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 2005 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see page 27 of the instructions)	0			
9 **Excess distributions carryover to 2011.** Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	1,074,029			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2006. . . .				
b Excess from 2007. . . .				
c Excess from 2008. . . .				
d Excess from 2009. . . . 846,761				
e Excess from 2010. . . . 227,268				

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 2010, enter the date of the ruling. . . . . . . ▶

b Check box to indicate whether the organization is a private operating foundation described in section ☐ 4942(j)(3) or ☐ 4942(j)(5)

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2010	(b) 2009	(c) 2008	(d) 2007	
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 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)(iii)					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the organization had $5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year—see page 27 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))

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

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

DAVID M HEMPSTEAD
1901 ST ANTOINE STREET 6TH FLOOR
DETROIT, MI 48226
(313) 259-7777

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

BRIEF LETTER, FINANCIAL STATEMENT, COPY OF IRS LETTER DETERMINING TAX STATUS (UNLESS ALREADY LISTED IN CUMULATIVE LIST)

c Any submission deadlines

NONE

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

AWARDS ARE GENERALLY LIMITED TO CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS ALREADY FAVORABLY KNOWN TO, AND OF INTEREST TO, THE SUBSTANTIAL CONTRIBUTORS OF THIS FOUNDATION NO GRANTS TO INDIVIDUALS

Part XV Supplementary Information (continued)

3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a *Paid during the year* See Additional Data Table				
Total			▶ 3a	1,647,500
b *Approved for future payment*				
COLLEGE FOR CREATIVE STUDIES 201 EKIRBY DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	ARGONAUT PROJECT	4,500,000
HENRY FORD HEALTH SYSTEM ONE FORD PLACE 5B DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	DETROIT CAMPUS PROJECTS	4,290,000
Total			▶ 3b	8,790,000

Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See page 28 of the instructions)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
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			14	195,584	
4 Dividends and interest from securities			14	300,319	
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			14	5,620	
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory			18	3,319,486	
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)		0		3,821,009	0

13 **Total.** Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) . . . 13 3,821,009

(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 organization's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See page 28 of the instructions)

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

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

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

(a) Line No	**(b)** Amount involved	**(c)** Name of noncharitable exempt organization	**(d)** Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements

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

Sign Here

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

******	2011-11-09	******
Signature of officer or trustee	Date	Title

Paid Preparer's Use Only

		Date	Check if self-employed ☐	PTIN
Preparer's Signature	W MICHAEL PERKINS			
Firm's name	FORD ESTATES LLC		Firm's EIN	
Firm's address	2000 BRUSH STREET SUITE 440 DETROIT, MI 482262229		Phone no (313) 961-0500	

TY 2010 Accounting Fees Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	37,500	18,750		18,750

TY 2010 General Explanation Attachment

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
	PART VII-B, QUESTION 1A(3)	FORD ESTATES, LLC (2000 BRUSH ST , SUITE 440, DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48226-2229), IS A BUSINESS OFFICE MAINTAINED FOR, AND AT THE EXPENSE OF, VARIOUS MEMBERS OF THE FORD FAMILY WHO, WITH RESPECT TO THIS FUND, ARE "DISQUALIFIED PERSONS", INCLUDING PARTICULARLY THE FOLLOWING LYNN F ALANDT AND BENSON FORD, JR FORD ESTATES, LLC SUPPLIES ACCOUNTING SERVICES AND OFFICE SERVICES (COLLECTING INCOME, DISTRIBUTION OF CONTRIBUTIONS, MAINTENANCE OF ACCOUNTS AND RECORDS, HANDLING CORRESPONDENCE, PREPARATION OF TAX RETURNS AND ANNUAL REPORTS, AND SIMILAR MATTERS PERTAINING TO THE OFFICE OF TREASURER) SUCH SERVICES ARE PERFORMED BY RODNEY P WOOD AND BY OTHERS IN FORD ESTATES, LLC UNDER HIS SUPERVISION NO COMPENSATION IS PAID BY BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND DIRECTLY RODNEY P WOOD AS COMPENSATION FOR HIS SERVICES IN ANY OF THE CAPACITIES LISTED ABOVE OR OTHERWISE IN 2010, BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND PAID TO FORD ESTATES, LLC $37,500 FOR FEES (AND EXPENSES) FOR ALL THE SERVICES REFERRED TO IN THIS PARAGRAPH
	PART VII-B, QUESTION 1A(4)	DAVID M HEMPSTEAD, LISTED AS TRUSTEE, SECRETARY AND MEMBER, IS A PARTNER IN THE LAW FIRM OF BODMAN LLP, 1901 ST ANTOINE STREET, 6TH FLOOR, DETROIT, MICHIGAN 48226, WHICH FIRM ACTS AS THE ATTORNEYS FOR BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND MR HEMPSTEAD IS THE PERSON IN THE FIRM PRINCIPALLY CONCERNED WITH SUCH LEGAL SERVICES TO THE FUND, BUT OTHERS IN THE FIRM ALSO RENDER LEGAL SERVICES TO THE FUND UNDER HIS SUPERVISION THE TIME SPENT BY MR HEMPSTEAD STRICTLY IN THE LISTED OFFICIAL CAPACITIES CANNOT READILY BE SEPARATED FROM THAT SPENT IN PERFORMING THE LEGAL SERVICES REFERRED TO IN 2010, BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND PAID TO SAID ATTORNEYS $7,989 40 FOR FEES (AND EXPENSES) FOR ALL THE SERVICES REFERRED TO IN THIS PARAGRAPH
		THE PURPOSE OF EACH GRANT OR CONTRIBUTION IS TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO CORPORATIONS, TRUSTS, COMMUNITY CHESTS, FUNDS OR FOUNDATIONS, ORGANIZED AND OPERATED SOLELY FOR RELIGIOUS, CHARITABLE, SCIENTIFIC, LITERARY OR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES, OR FOR THE PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO CHILDREN OR ANIMALS

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TY 2010 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
500,000 UNITS GENENTECH INC 4.400% DUE 07-15-10	0	0
500,000 UNITS WAL-MART STORES INC 4.25% 04/15/2013 4.250% DUE 04-15-13	0	0
250,000 UNITS COLGATE PALMOLIVE CO MEDIUM 4.2% 05/15/2013 4.200% DUE 05-15-1	0	0
250,000 UNITS IBM CORP NT DTD 10/15/2008 6.5% 10/15/2013 6.500% DUE 10-15-13	0	0
250,000 UNITS PFIZER INC 4.5% 02/15/2014 4.500% DUE 02-15-14	0	0
100,000 UNITS LILLY ELI & CO NT 4.2% 03/06/2014 4.200% DUE 03-06-14	0	0
100,000 UNITS BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY 4.85% 01/15/2015 4.850% DUE 01-15-15	0	0
500,000 UNITS MEDTRONIC INC 4.75% 09/15/2015 4.750% DUE 09-15-15	0	0
1,000,000 UNITS FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO 7.25% 10/25/20117.250% DUE 10-25-11	1,017,631	1,033,550
1,000,000 UNITS FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO 7.8% 06/01/20127.800% DUE 06-01-12	1,070,547	1,063,130
800,000 UNITS FORD MOTOR CREDIT CO 7.5% 08/01/20127.500% DUE 08-01-12	846,375	850,567
ACCRUED INTEREST	0	44,792

TY 2010 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
680 UNITS FORD COMMON	49	11,417
5,000 UNITS 3M COMPANY	433,817	431,500
13,000 UNITS A123 SYSTEMS INC	0	0
3,500 UNITS ALCON INC	0	0
3,250 UNITS ALLERGAN INC	238,417	223,178
2,000 UNITS AMERICAN EXPRESS CR	72,573	85,840
2,600 UNITS ANADARKO PETE CORP	0	0
2,000 UNITS APPLE COMPUTER INC	93,783	645,120
33,500 UNITS APPLIED MATERIALS INC	0	0
13,500 UNITS ARCHER DANIELS MIDLAND CO	0	0
4,000 UNITS AUTOLIV INC	324,315	315,760
9,000 UNITS BARRICK GOLD CORP	491,205	478,620
5,200 UNITS BOEING CO	0	0
14,000 UNITS BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB CO	314,205	370,720
10,000 UNITS CATERPILLAR INC	473,335	936,600
4,000 UNITS CELGENE CORP	183,244	236,560
10,000 UNITS CHESAPEAKE ENERGY CORP	0	0
5,000 UNITS CHURCH & DWIGHT CO INC	339,362	345,100
10,000 UNITS CISCO SYSTEMS INC	168,229	202,300
3,000 UNITS CITRIX SYS INC	200,934	205,230
4,100 UNITS CLOROX CO	0	0
6,500 UNITS COCA COLA CO	362,919	427,504
8,000 UNITS CONOCOPHILLIPS	0	0
18,000 UNITS CORNING INCORPORATED	279,747	347,760
8,000 UNITS COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP	443,346	577,680
4,000 UNITS CUMMINS INC.	0	0
3,800 UNITS DEERE & CO	219,076	315,590
5,000 UNITS DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION	349,029	392,550
6,000 UNITS DIRECTV - CLASS A	221,927	239,580
12,000 UNITS DISNEY WALT CO	435,764	450,120

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
1,000 UNITS DUN & BRADSTREET CORP	81,478	82,090
3,000 UNITS EBAY INC	90,715	83,490
5,750 UNITS EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORP	461,498	464,830
5,000 UNITS FEDEX CORP	303,220	465,050
6,000 UNITS FMC TECHNOLOGIES INC	285,244	533,460
5,000 UNITS FREEPORT-MCMORAN COPPER-B	327,067	600,450
5,000 UNITS GENERAL ELEC CO	91,850	91,450
4,000 UNITS GILEAD SCIENCES INC	117,343	144,960
3,000 UNITS GIVEN IMAGING LTD	54,502	43,920
650 UNITS GOOGLE INC-CL A	344,166	386,081
14,000 UNITS HESS CORP	0	0
4,500 UNITS IBM CORP	0	0
4,000 UNITS ITC HOLDINGS CORP	223,321	247,920
4,000 UNITS JOHNSON & JOHNSON	238,004	247,400
5,000 KANSAS CITY S0UTHERN INDUSTRIES	0	0
5,000 UNITS LEUCADIA NATIONAL CORP	142,085	145,900
8,000 UNITS MCDONALDS CORP	467,747	614,080
8,500 UNITS MONSANTO CO	541,399	591,940
3,000 UNITS MOSAIC COMPANY	224,125	229,080
3,000 UNITS MURPHY OIL CORP	227,359	223,650
13,800 UNITS NATIONAL OILWELL VARCO	725,127	928,050
1,400 UNITS NETFLIX INC	234,048	245,980
5,000 UNITS NEWMONT MINING CORP	310,125	307,150
5,000 UNITS NRG ENERGY INC	0	0
16,500 UNITS NUCOR CORP	0	0
25,000 UNITS ORACLE CORPORATION	0	0
10,000 UNITS PEABODY ENERGY CORP	563,410	639,800
3,000 UNITS PROCTER & GAMBLE CO	128,293	192,990
5,000 UNITS REPUBLIC SERVICES INC	145,018	149,300
4,000 UNITS SOTHEBY'S	179,811	180,000

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
3,000 UNITS SOUTHERN COPPER CORP	137,432	146,220
5,000 UNITS STANLEY BLACK & DECKER INC	0	0
6,000 UNITS UNION PACIFIC CORP	394,085	555,960
12,000 UNITS US BANCORP	300,743	323,640
5,200 UNITS VISA INC - CLASS A SHARES	0	0
5,000 UNITS WAL MART STORES INC	0	0
17,000 UNITS WEYERHAEUSER CO	0	0
8,000 UNITS WHOLE FOODS MARKET INC	0	0
3,000 UNITS WHIRLPOOL CORP	270,535	266,490
6,000 UNITS ANHEUSER-BUSCH INBEV SPN ADR	245,050	342,540
500 UNITS BHP BILLITON LTD	0	0
15,000 UNITS BOMBARDIER INC-B	72,260	75,300
1,000 UNITS CADBURY PLC-SPONS ADR	0	0
4,000 UNITS CANADIAN NATL RAILWAY CO	269,543	265,880
5,000 UNITS DIAGEO PLC SPNSRD ADR NEW	371,748	371,650
6,500 UNITS HSBC HLDG PLC SP ADR	339,648	331,760
14,000 UNITS INTERBREW	0	0
2,000 UNITS IVANHOE MINES LIMITED	47,375	45,840
6,000 UNITS NESTLE SA REP RG SH ADR	230,629	352,428
2,000 UNITS RIO TINTO PLC	140,866	143,320
7,100 UNITS ROCHE HLDG LTD SPN ADR	0	0
8,000 UNITS SCHLUMBERGER LTD	533,602	668,000
9,000 UNITS TEVA PHARMACEUTICAL INDS LTD ADR	436,004	469,170
10,000 UNITS TRANSOCEAN LTD	0	0
20,000 UNITS VALE SA - SP ADR	0	0

TY 2010 Investments - Other Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
10,000 UNITS PROSHARES ULTRASHORT S&P500	AT COST	0	0
1,000,000 UNITS CANADA GOVT 1% = CAD RATE .974659% 09/01/20110.975% DUE 09-0	AT COST	969,080	1,007,960
FORD MOTOR MONEY MARKET	AT COST	24,764	24,763
2,000 UNITS IVANHOE MINES LTD RTS	AT COST	3,042	2,100
PACIFIC FUND I, LP - 3.3864% INTEREST	AT COST	5,997,872	6,403,969

TY 2010 Legal Fees Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL FEES	7,989	3,995		3,994

TY 2010 Other Assets Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
OVERPAYMENT OF FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	3,737	0	0

TY 2010 Other Expenses Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT FEES (ICIA)	90	90		0
INVESTMENT FEES (RHB)	86,043	86,043		0
FILING FEE	20	10		10

TY 2010 Other Income Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
OTHER INCOME (RHB)	336	336	336
FROM K-1 - PACIFIC FUND I, LP	5,284	5,284	5,284

TY 2010 Other Liabilities Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX ACCRUED	0	6,808

TY 2010 Taxes Schedule

Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

EIN: 38-6066333

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
FEDERAL EXCISE TAX	37,045	0		0
FOREIGN TAX	7,605	7,605		0

Additional Data

Software ID:
Software Version:
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Name: BENSON & EDITH FORD FUND

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Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a *Paid during the year*				
ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE ASSN-DET 20300 CIVIC CENTER DR STE 100 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48076	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	25,000
AUSTIN CATHOLIC ACADEMY 18201 23 MILE RD MACOMB TWP, MI 48042	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	25,000
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA-DET AREA 1776 W WARREN AVE DETROIT, MI 48208	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
CAPUCHIN SOUP KITCHEN 1820 MT ELLIOTT ST DETROIT, MI 48207	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
CHRIST CHURCH GROSSE POINTE 61 GROSSE POINTE BLVD GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI 48236	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	3,000
COLLEGE FOR CREATIVE STUDIES 201 EAST KIRBY DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	590,000
DEA SURVIVORS BENEFIT FUND 2020 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW PMB 659 WASHINGTON, DC 20006	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
DET SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA HALL 3711 WOODWARD AVE DETROIT, MI 48201	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
DETROIT ARTISTS MARKET 4719 WOODWARD AVE DETROIT, MI 48201	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
DETROIT EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION FOUNDATION 1 CLOVER COURT WIXOM, MI 48393	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
DETROIT EXECUTIVE SERVICE CORPS 16250 NORTHLAND DR SUITE 390 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48075	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
DETROIT HISTORICAL SOCIETY 5401 WOODWARD AVE DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	2,000
GLEANER'S COMMUNITY FOOD BANK 2131 BEAUFAIT DETROIT, MI 48207	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
GREENING OF DETROIT 1418 MICHIGAN AVE DETROIT, MI 48216	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	2,000
GROSSE POINTE ACADEMY 171 LAKE SHORE ROAD GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI 48236	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
Total . . . . ▶ **3a**				1,647,500

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Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a *Paid during the year*				
GROSSE POINTE WAR MEMORIAL 32 LAKE SHORE DRIVE GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI 48236	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	500
HENRY FORD HEALTH SYSTEM ONE FORD PLACE 5B DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	755,000
INTERLOCHEN CENTER FOR ARTS PO BOX 199 INTERLOCHEN, MI 49643	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	8,000
JARC 30301 NORTHWESTERN HWY SUITE 100 FARMINGTON HILLS, MI 48334	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	15,000
JEWISH FAMILY SERVICE 6555 W MAPLE RD WEST BLOOMFIELD, MI 48322	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
JEWISH FEDERATION OF METRO DET 6735 TELEGRAPH RD PO BOX 2030 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48303	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	25,000
KEYS CHILDREN'S FOUNDATION 24 DOCKSIDE LANE BOX 139 KEY LARGO, FL 33037	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
MICH METRO GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL 500 FISHER BLDG 3011 W GRAND BLVD DETROIT, MI 48202	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
MICHIGAN HUMANE SOCIETY 30300 TELEGRAPH RD SUITE 220 BINGHAM FARMS, MI 48025	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
NORTHERN MICHIGAN HOSPITAL FOUNDATION 360 CONNABLE AVE PETOSKEY, MI 49770	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
OLD NEWSBOYS' GOODFELLOW FUND PO BOX 44444 DETROIT, MI 48244	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	2,000
PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF MID AND SOUTH MICHIGAN 3100 PROFESSIONAL DR PO BOX 3673 ANN ARBOR, MI 48106	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
RACING FOR KIDS 93 KERCHEVAL SUITE 4 GROSSE POINTE FARMS, MI 48236	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
SHAKE-A-LEG MIAMI INC 2620 SOUTH BAYSHORE DR COCONUT GROVE, FL 33133	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
ST JOHN HEALTH SYSTEM HOLLEY EAR INSTITUTE - BLDG 1 22151 MOROSS RD STE 223 DETROIT, MI 48236	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	25,000
Total . . . . ▶ **3a**				1,647,500

Form 990PF Part XV Line 3 - Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	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
a *Paid during the year*				
THE CHILDREN'S CENTER 79 WEST ALEXANDRINE DETROIT, MI 48201	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
THE HENRY FORD 20900 OAKWOOD BLVD DEARBORN, MI 48124	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	25,000
UNITED JEWISH FOUNDATION JEWISH WOMENS FNDTN METRO DET PO BOX 2030 BLOOMFIELD HILLS, MI 48303	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
UNITED WAY COMMUNITY SERVICES 606 WOOD AVENUE SUITE 300 DETROIT, MI 48226	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	5,000
UTICA COMM SCHOOLS FND EDUC EX 7600 18 MILE RD STERLING HEIGHTS, MI 48314	NO INDIVIDUALS	PUBLIC CHARITY	PROGRAM SERVICES	10,000
Total . . . . ▶ **3a**				1,647,500