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Form **990-PF**Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service**Return of Private Foundation**

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

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For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning

, and ending

Name of foundation JAY VAN ANDEL TRUST U/A/D 8/28/78		A Employer identification number 20-6425186
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 3133 ORCHARD VISTA DRIVE SE	Room/suite	B Telephone number (616) 942-3267
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49546		C If exemption application is pending, check here ☐
G Check all that apply: ☒ Initial return ☐ Initial return of a former public charity ☐ Final return ☐ Amended return ☐ Address change ☐ Name change		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) \$ 416,844,048.	J Accounting method: ☒ Cash ☐ Accrual ☐ Other (specify) _____	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).)		(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				N/A	
2 Check ☒ if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments		3,606.	3,606.		STATEMENT 1
4 Dividends and interest from securities		9,011,888.	9,011,888.		STATEMENT 2
5a Gross rents		5,735.	5,735.		STATEMENT 3
b Net rental income or (loss) -10,142.					
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10		8,378,150.			
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a 316,834,689.					
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)			8,378,150.		
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) 1 2016					
11 Other income		-4,250,709.	-4,630,486.		STATEMENT 4
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11		13,148,670.	12,768,893.		
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 STMT 5		121,480.	60,740.		60,740.
c Other professional fees STMT 6		1,112,304.	1,112,304.		0.
17 Interest					
18 Taxes STMT 7		546,000.	221,680.		0.
19 Depreciation and depletion		564.	564.		
20 Occupancy					
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings					
22 Printing and publications					
23 Other expenses STMT 8		635,719.	634,769.		950.
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23		2,416,067.	2,030,057.		61,690.
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid		110,100,000.			110,100,000.
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25		112,516,067.	2,030,057.		110,161,690.
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12:					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements		-99,367,397.			
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)			10,738,836.		
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)				N/A	

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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	0.	2,211,509.	2,211,509.
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments		6,728,242.	6,728,242.
	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			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	0.	3,469.	3,469.
	10a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b Investments - corporate stock STMT 9	0.	3,428,689.	3,428,689.
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
Liabilities	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶			
	12 Investments - mortgage loans			
	13 Investments - other STMT 10	0.	404,462,690.	404,462,690.
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶ 277,577.			
	Less accumulated depreciation ▶ 268,128.	0.	9,449.	9,449.
	15 Other assets (describe ▶)			
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	0.	416,844,048.	416,844,048.
	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶)			
Net Assets or Fund Balances	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)	0.	0.	0.
	24 Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ☐ and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	25 Unrestricted			
	26 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.	0.
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	0.	0.	0.
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	0.	416,844,048.	416,844,048.
	30 Total net assets or fund balances	0.	416,844,048.	416,844,048.
Net Assets or Fund Balances	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	0.	416,844,048.	416,844,048.

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 0.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2 -99,367,397.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ BOOK TO TAX ADJUSTMENTS	3 516,211,445.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4 416,844,048.
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	6 416,844,048.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income SEE ATTACHED STATEMENTS

(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			
b			
c			
d			
e			

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e	316,834,689.	315,592,406.	8,378,150.

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			
b			
c			
d			
e			8,378,150.

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	8,378,150.
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.)

N/A

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 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))
2014			
2013			
2012			
2011			
2010			

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2
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
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5	4
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8

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.

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

c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b).

2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)

3 Add lines 1 and 2

4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)

5 **Tax based on investment income.** Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-

6 Credits/Payments:

a 2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015

b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source

c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)

d Backup withholding erroneously withheld

7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d

8 Enter any **penalty** for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here ☐ if Form 2220 is attached

9 **Tax due.** If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter **amount owed**

10 **Overpayment.** If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the **amount overpaid**

11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: **Credited to 2016 estimated tax** ☐

Refunded ☐

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?

b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes (see instructions for the 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

c Did the foundation file Form 1120-POL for this year?

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

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

4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?

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.

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?

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

8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered (see instructions) ☐

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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

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 2015 or the taxable year beginning in 2015 (see instructions for Part XIV)? If "Yes," complete Part XIV

10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses

N/A

	Yes	No
1a		X
1b		X
1c		X
2		X
3		X
4a		X
4b		
5		X
6	X	
7	X	
8b	X	
9		X
10		X

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities (continued)

	Yes	No
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)		X
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement (see instructions)		X
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► N/A	X	
14 The books are in care of ► MARK J. BUGGE Telephone no. ► (616) 942-3267 Located at ► 3133 ORCHARD VISTA DRIVE, S.E., GRAND RAPIDS, MI ZIP+4 ► 49546		
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		
16 At any time during calendar year 2015, 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? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ►		X

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 instructions)? Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here		X
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 2015?		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 2015, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2015? If "Yes," list the years ►	☐ Yes ☒ No	
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	
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 2015 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 2015.)		X
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?		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 2015?		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 4945(d)(4)(A)? (see 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 instructions)?

5b

X

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
DAVID VAN ANDEL	TRUSTEE			
3133 ORCHARD VISTA DRIVE SE				
GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49546	10.00	0.	0.	0.
MARK BUGGE	CFO			
3133 ORCHARD VISTA DRIVE SE				
GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49546	0.00	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

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

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
ADABELLE CAPITAL - 250 MONROE AVENUE, SUITE 600, GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49503	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	299,362.
MERRILL LYNCH - LORD ABBETT XX7238 - 250 MONROE AVENUE, SUITE 600, GRAND RAPIDS, MI	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	182,721.
MERRILL LYNCH - WESTFIELD XX2664 - 250 MONROE AVENUE, SUITE 600, GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49503	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	177,901.
MERRILL LYNCH - ADVISORY RESEARCH XX7392 - 250 MONROE AVENUE, SUITE 600, GRAND RAPIDS, CALAMOS GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES FUND	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	154,025.
2020 CALAMOS COURT, NAPERVILLE, IL 60563	INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT	149,677.

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	N/A	
2		
3		
4		

Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.

Amount

1	N/A	
2		
3	All other program-related investments. See instructions.	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3		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	414,438,719.
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	94,708,531.
c	Fair market value of all other assets	1c	44,689.
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	509,191,939.
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	509,191,939.
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4	7,637,879.
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	501,554,060.
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5	6	25,077,703.

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	25,077,703.
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a	
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	397,320.
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	397,320.
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	24,680,383.
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	0.
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	24,680,383.
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	24,680,383.

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	110,161,690.
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	110,161,690.
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	0.
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	110,161,690.

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 2014	(c) 2014	(d) 2015
1 Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				24,680,383.
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only			0.	
b Total for prior years:		0.		
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015:				
a From 2010				
b From 2011				
c From 2012				
d From 2013				
e From 2014				
f Total of lines 3a through e	0.			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4: \$110,161,690.				
a Applied to 2014, 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 2015 distributable amount				24,680,383.
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	85,481,307.			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (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:	85,481,307.			
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 2014. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
f Undistributed income for 2015. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2016				0.
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions)	0.			
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	85,481,307.			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011				
b Excess from 2012				
c Excess from 2013				
d Excess from 2014				
e Excess from 2015	85,481,307.			

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				
VAN ANDEL RESEARCH INSTITUTE 333 BOSTWICK AVE NE GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49503	NONE	SOIII FI	MEDICAL RESEARCH	110,100,000.
Total			3a	110,100,000.
b Approved for future payment				
NONE				
Total			3b	0.

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold, e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.		(b) How acquired P - Purchase D - Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo., day, yr.)	(d) Date sold (mo., day, yr.)
1a	PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
b	PUBLICLY TRADED SECURITIES	P	VARIOUS	VARIOUS
c	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - ML WINTON FUTURESACCE			
d	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - CALAMOS GLOBAL OPPORT			
e	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - SILVER CREEK LOW VOL			
f	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN POOLED VENT			
g	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN US POOLED C			
h	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - ADABELLE CAPITAL, L.P			
i	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - SILVER CREEK LOW VOL			
j	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - CALAMOS GLOBAL OPPORT			
k	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN EUROPEAN PO			
l	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN POOLED VENT			
m	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN US DIRECT C			
n	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - JP MORGAN US POOLED C			
o	FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - ADABELLE CAPITAL, L.P			

(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 258,500,623.		259,007,620.	-506,997.
b 58,329,784.		56,584,786.	1,744,998.
c			122,085.
d			-300,819.
e			147.
f			4,313.
g			10,565.
h			459,248.
i			-381,431.
j			600,219.
k			50,411.
l			389,968.
m			36,912.
n			428,250.
o			5,531,711.

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) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
a			-506,997.
b			1,744,998.
c			122,085.
d			-300,819.
e			147.
f			4,313.
g			10,565.
h			459,248.
i			-381,431.
j			600,219.
k			50,411.
l			389,968.
m			36,912.
n			428,250.
o			5,531,711.

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 }

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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

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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 FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - SUNOCO, LP				
b FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES - ML WINTON FUTURESACCE				
c CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS				
d				
e				
f				
g				
h				
i				
j				
k				
l				
m				
n				
o				

(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			-637.
b			184,925.
c 4,282.			4,282.
d			
e			
f			
g			
h			
i			
j			
k			
l			
m			
n			
o			

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) Losses (from col. (h)) Gains (excess of col. (h) gain over col. (k), but not less than "-0-")
a			-637.
b			184,925.
c			4,282.
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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	8,378,150.
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

FORM 990-PF INTEREST ON SAVINGS AND TEMPORARY CASH INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 1

SOURCE	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
MACATAWA BANK	2,899.	2,899.	
STATE OF MICHIGAN	707.	707.	
TOTAL TO PART I, LINE 3	3,606.	3,606.	

FORM 990-PF

DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES

STATEMENT 2

SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
ACTIVA HOLDINGS	700,000.	0.	700,000.	700,000.	
ADABELLE CAPITAL LLC	4,426,297.	0.	4,426,297.	4,426,297.	
CALAMOS GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES FUND	407,102.	0.	407,102.	407,102.	
JP MORGAN	23.	0.	23.	23.	
JP MORGAN EUROPEAN POOLED CORPORATE	44,192.	0.	44,192.	44,192.	
JP MORGAN POOLED VENTURE CAPITAL PRIVATE	7,220.	0.	7,220.	7,220.	
JP MORGAN US DIRECT CORPORATE FINANCE	8.	0.	8.	8.	
JP MORGAN US POOLED CORPORATE FINANCE	20,465.	0.	20,465.	20,465.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7230	151,896.	0.	151,896.	151,896.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7392	219,651.	1,593.	218,058.	218,058.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX2664	117,227.	1,743.	115,484.	115,484.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX2680	418,977.	0.	418,977.	418,977.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX2688	280,786.	0.	280,786.	280,786.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX2737	175,415.	0.	175,415.	175,415.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7210	21.	0.	21.	21.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7237	535,760.	0.	535,760.	535,760.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7238	1,343,542.	0.	1,343,542.	1,343,542.	
MERRILL LYNCH - XX7393	86,498.	10.	86,488.	86,488.	
ML WINTON FUTURES ACCESS, LLC	759.	0.	759.	759.	
NORTHERN TRUST	48,714.	936.	47,778.	47,778.	
NORTHERN TRUST - INTEREST ON US OBLIGATIONS	6,938.	0.	6,938.	6,938.	
SILVER CREEK LOW VOL STRATEGIES	2,105.	0.	2,105.	2,105.	
SUNOCO, LP	22,574.	0.	22,574.	22,574.	
TO PART I, LINE 4	9,016,170.	4,282.	9,011,888.	9,011,888.	

FORM 990-PF	RENTAL INCOME	STATEMENT 3
KIND AND LOCATION OF PROPERTY	ACTIVITY NUMBER	GROSS RENTAL INCOME
MICHIGAN - OTHER RENTALS	1	5,735.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 5A		5,735.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER INCOME		STATEMENT 4
DESCRIPTION	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
FROM PASSTHROUGH ENTITIES OTHER THAN CAPITAL GAINS	-4,641,159.	-4,641,159.	
STATE TAX REFUNDS	379,777.	0.	
MISCELLANEOUS INCOME	10,673.	10,673.	
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART I, LINE 11	-4,250,709.	-4,630,486.	

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES			STATEMENT 5
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
ACCOUNTING FEES	121,480.	60,740.		60,740.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	121,480.	60,740.		60,740.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER PROFESSIONAL FEES			STATEMENT 6
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
CUSTODIAL FEES	116,129.	116,129.		0.
MANAGER FEES	996,175.	996,175.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16C	1,112,304.	1,112,304.		0.

FORM 990-PF	TAXES		STATEMENT 7	
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
PROPERTY TAXES	3,860.	3,860.		0.
FOREIGN TAXES	217,820.	217,820.		0.
STATE TAX EXPENSE	214,207.	0.		0.
FEDERAL TAXES	110,113.	0.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	546,000.	221,680.		0.

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES		STATEMENT 8	
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVEST- MENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES
BANK SERVICE CHARGES	2,475.	2,475.		0.
DUES & SUBSCRIPTIONS	950.	0.		950.
INSURANCE EXPENSE	2,126.	2,126.		0.
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT FEES	564,926.	564,926.		0.
INVESTMENT OPERATING EXPENSES	56,332.	56,332.		0.
RENTAL EXPENSES	8,727.	8,727.		0.
UTILITIES	183.	183.		0.
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	635,719.	634,769.		950.

FORM 990-PF	CORPORATE STOCK		STATEMENT 9	
DESCRIPTION			BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
AMWAY EXPORT DV CO.			44,689.	44,689.
ACTIVA HOLDINGS CORPORATION			3,384,000.	3,384,000.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 10B			3,428,689.	3,428,689.

FORM 990-PF

OTHER INVESTMENTS

STATEMENT 10

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
MERRILL LYNCH - EQUITIES - SEE STATEMENT 11	FMV	219,878,187.	219,878,187.
MERRILL LYNCH - FIXED INCOME - SEE STATEMENT 11	FMV	87,498,494.	87,498,494.
MERRILL LYNCH - ALTERNATIVES - SEE STATEMENT 11	FMV	97,086,009.	97,086,009.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		404,462,690.	404,462,690.

Jay Van Andel Trust
Investment Portfolio Asset Mix
December 31, 2015

	<u>December</u>
<u>Fixed Income</u>	
Goldman Sachs Short Duration	40,445,595
Lord Abbett	47,052,899
subtotal	<u>87,498,494</u>
<u>Equities</u>	
Adabelle Capital, LP - Long/Short Equity	116,509,645
Advisory Research	13,231,109
Calamos	17,861,503
Donald Smith	16,400,407
Gardner Russo	7,994,434
Lazard	7,462,959
MD Sass	8,859,246
NFJ	15,402,721
Westfield	16,156,163
subtotal	<u>219,878,187</u>
<u>Alternatives</u>	
Adabelle Capital, LP - Absolute Return	82,117,331
JP Morgan Private Equity	4,949,735
Silver Creek	199,471
Winton	9,819,473
subtotal	<u>97,086,009</u>
Total	<u><u>\$ 404,462,690</u></u>

Jay Van Andel Trust U/A/D 8/28/78
Federal ID # 20-6425186
For the Tax Year Ended December 31, 2015
Tax under Section 511 as Domestic Section 4947(a)(1) Trust

Taxable Income			445,949
Qualified Dividends	807,781		
Smaller of Taxable Income or \$12,300		12,300	
Less amount tax at 0%		(2,500)	
Taxable Income at 15% Tax Bracket		<u>9,800</u>	
Tax			1,470
Taxable Income		445,949	
Taxable Income at 20% Tax Rate		<u>12,300</u>	
Tax		433,649	86,730
Total Tax Liability Under Section 511			<u><u>88,200</u></u>