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## Return of Private Foundation

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

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2015

Open to Public Inspection

For calendar year 2015 or tax year beginning

, 2015, and ending

, 20

Name of foundation

Ricoh Americas Foundation

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

Room/suite

A Employer identification number

23-7378726

70 Valley Stream Parkway

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code

610-296-8000

Malvern, PA 19355

G Check all that apply.



Initial return



Final return



Address change

Initial return of a former public charity

Amended return

Name change

H Check type of organization



Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation

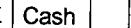
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust Other taxable private foundation

I Fair market value of all assets at

J Accounting method



Cash



Accrual

end of year (from Part II, col (c), line

 Other (specify)

16) ► \$

1,527,841

(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)

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 instructions))

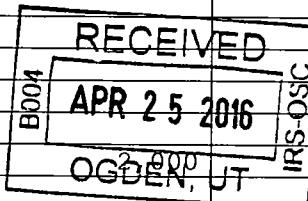
(a) Revenue and expenses per books

(b) Net investment income

(c) Adjusted net income

(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)

1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)			
2 Check ► <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B. . . . .			
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments. . . . .			
4 Dividends and interest from securities . . . . .	39,935	39,935	
5a Gross rents . . . . .			
b Net rental income or (loss) . . . . .			
6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 . . . . .	73,918		
b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a . . . . .	193,000		
7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . . . .		73,791	
8 Net short-term capital gain. . . . .			127
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) . . . . .			
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11 . . . . .	113,853	113,726	127
13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc . . . . .			
14 Other employee salaries and wages . . . . .			
15 Pension plans, employee benefits . . . . .			
16a Legal fees (attach schedule) . . . . .			
b Accounting fees (attach schedule) . . . . .			
c Other professional fees (attach schedule) . . . . .			
17 Interest . . . . .			
18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .			
19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion. . . . .			
20 Occupancy . . . . .			
21 Travel, conferences, and meetings . . . . .			
22 Printing and publications . . . . .			
23 Other expenses (attach schedule) . . . . .			
24 Total operating and administrative expenses. . . . .			
Add lines 13 through 23. . . . .	2,000	0	0
25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid . . . . .	185,388		185,388
26 Total expenses and disbursements Add lines 24 and 25	187,388	0	185,388
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12			
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements . . . . .	-73,535		
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-) . . . . .		113,726	
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-) . . . . .			127



3 P

Assets	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	End of year	
			(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value
	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing . . . . .		332	5,943	5,943
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .				
	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 (attach schedule) (see 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) . . . . .		289,045	261,952	662,855
	c Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .		901,079	849,026	859,043
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation ►				
	12 Investments - mortgage loans. . . . .				
	13 Investments - other (attach schedule) . . . . .				
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ►				
	Less accumulated depreciation ►				
	15 Other assets (describe ► )				
	16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I) . . . . .		1,190,456	1,116,921	1,527,841
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 ► )				
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .				
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here ► <input type="checkbox"/> 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 . . . . .				
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund. . . . .				
	29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds . . . . .		1,190,456	1,116,921	
	30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions) . . . . .		1,190,456	1,116,921	
	31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) . . . . .		1,190,456	1,116,921	

## 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	1,190,456
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a. . . . .	2	-73,535
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	4	1,116,921
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ►	5	
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	6	1,116,921

**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					
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					
Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69				(l) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))	
	(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col. (i) over col. (j), if any		
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }		2	73,791	
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 instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 . . . . .	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8 . . . . . }		3	127	

**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 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	171,260	1,725,166	0.0993
2013	203,822	1,755,956	0.1161
2012	194,635	1,832,001	0.1062
2011	265,489	1,915,203	0.1386
2010	272,416	2,001,784	0.1361
2 Total of line 1, column (d) . . . . .			2 0.5963
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 0.1193
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5 . . . . .			4 1,614,479
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3 . . . . .			5 192,607
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b) . . . . .			6 1,137
7 Add lines 5 and 6 . . . . .			7 193,744
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			8 185,388

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 ► <input type="checkbox"/> 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 ► <input type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b . . . . .	1 2,275
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
3	Add lines 1 and 2 . . . . .	3 2,275
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only Others enter -0-) . . . . .	4
5	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3 If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .	5 2,275
6	<b>Credits/Payments</b>	
a	2015 estimated tax payments and 2014 overpayment credited to 2015. . . . .	6a 4,256
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 4,256
8	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached . . . . .	8
9	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> . . . . .	9
10	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> . . . . .	10 1,981
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be <b>Credited to 2016 estimated tax</b> ►	11 1,981 Refunded

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	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

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? . . . . .

1b 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*

1c 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 ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (2) On foundation managers ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers ► \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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) ►  
PENNSYLVANIA

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 . . . . .

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

11	Yes	No
11		X
12		X
13	X	
Website address ► <u>none</u>		
14	The books are in care of ► <u>Ricoh Americas Foundation</u> Telephone no ► <u>610-296-8000</u>	
	Located at ► <u>70 Valley Stream Parkway, Malvern, PA</u> ZIP+4 ► <u>19355</u>	
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - Check here ► <u>15</u>	
16	Yes	No
16		X
See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114. If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country ► <u></u>		

**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.

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? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> No
	(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> No
	(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> No
	(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> 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)? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> 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) . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> 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 ► <u></u>	
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? . . . . .	
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? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> No
	If "Yes," list the years ► <u></u>	
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) . . . . .	
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► <u></u>	
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? . . . . .	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X <input type="checkbox"/> 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) . . . . .	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? . . . . .	
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2015? . . . . .	

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

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

**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 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
See Attached Listing				

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

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

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

**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments (see 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 instructions	
3	
<b>Total. Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . . ►</b>	

**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 1,625,434
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b 13,631
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions)	1c
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d 1,639,065
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3 1,639,065
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	4 24,586
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5 1,614,479
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6 80,724

**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 80,724
2a	Tax on investment income for 2015 from Part VI, line 5	2a 2,275
b	Income tax for 2015. (This does not include the tax from Part VI)	2b
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c 2,275
3	Distributable amount before adjustments Subtract line 2c from line 1	3 78,449
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5 78,449
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	6
7	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5 Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7 78,449

**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 185,388
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b
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	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4 185,388
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 instructions)	5
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	6 185,388

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 . . . . .				78,449
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
a Enter amount for 2014 only. . . . .				
b Total for prior years 20 . . . . ., 20 . . . . .				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015				
a From 2010 . . . . .	176,291			
b From 2011 . . . . .	173,165			
c From 2012 . . . . .	105,913			
d From 2013 . . . . .	118,576			
e From 2014 . . . . .	85,946			
f Total of lines 3a through e . . . . .	659,891			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ . . . . .	185,388			
a Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a . . . . .				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions) . . . . .				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions) . . . . .				
d Applied to 2015 distributable amount. . . . .				78,449
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus. . . . .	106,939			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 . . . . . (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:	766,830			
a Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .				
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 . . . . .				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount - see instructions. . . . .				
e Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount - see instructions . . . . .				
f Undistributed income for 2015 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2016. . . . .				
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) . . . . .				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions) . . . . .	176,291			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .	590,539			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2011 . . . . .	173,165			
b Excess from 2012 . . . . .	105,913			
c Excess from 2013 . . . . .	118,576			
d Excess from 2014 . . . . .	85,946			
e Excess from 2015 . . . . .	106,939			

**Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see 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 2015, enter the date of the ruling ►																																					
b	Check box to indicate whether the foundation is a private operating foundation described in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5)																																					
2a	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th rowspan="2">Tax year</th> <th colspan="3">Prior 3 years</th> <th rowspan="2">(e) Total</th> </tr> <tr> <th>(a) 2015</th> <th>(b) 2014</th> <th>(c) 2013</th> <th>(d) 2012</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table>				Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total	(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013	(d) 2012																									
Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total																																		
	(a) 2015	(b) 2014	(c) 2013		(d) 2012																																	
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)(ii) . . . . .																																					
(3)	Largest amount of support from an exempt organization. . . . .																																					
(4)	Gross investment income . . . . .																																					

**Part XV Supplementary Information (Complete this part only if the foundation had \$5,000 or more in assets at any time during the year - see instructions.)****1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

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

N/A

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

N/A

**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 instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d

a The name, address, and telephone number or e-mail address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

N/A

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

N/A

c Any submission deadlines

N/A

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

N/A

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

Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
<b>Name and address (home or business)</b>				
<b>a Paid during the year</b>				
See Attached Statement				185,388
<b>Total</b> .....			► 3a	185,388
<b>b Approved for future payment</b>				
N/A				
<b>Total</b> .....			► 3b	

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 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 .					
4 Dividends and interest from securities . . . . .			14	39,935	
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			18	73,918	
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) . . . . .				113,853	
13 Total Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) . . . . .			13		113,853

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

Part XVI-B	Relationship of Activities to the Accomplishment of Exempt Purposes
Line No. ▼	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes) (See instructions )
	N/A

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

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

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

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

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) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Sign  
Here

► Michael T. Rush

4/15/16

**Assistant Secretary**

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below (see instructions)?  Yes  No

<b>Paid Preparer Use Only</b>	Print/Type preparer's name	Preparer's signature	Date	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if self-employed	PTIN
	Firm's name ►			Firm's EIN ►	
	Firm's address ►			Phone no	

Document Num	Payment Date	Trading Partner	Trading Partner Address	Payment Amount
102118	3/11/2015	RICOH USA INC ***	70 VALLEY STREAM PKWY ATTN DAN NERO MALVERN PA 19335-0989	5,360 00
102119	3/11/2015	UNITED WAY OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA	AND SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY 1709 BEN FRANKLIN PKWY PHILADELPHIA PA 19103	5,208 00
102120	6/12/2015	AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY INC - MI	20450 CIVIC CENTER DR SOUTHFIELD MI 48076	3,000 00
102121	6/12/2015	COVENANT HOUSE GEORGIA INC	1559 JOHNSON RD NW ATLANTA GA 30318	3,000 00
102122	6/12/2015	HABITAT FOR HUMANITY INTERNATIONAL INC	824 MEMORIAL DR SE ATLANTA GA 30316	3,000 00
102123	6/12/2015	NATIONAL MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS SOCIETY PA	30 S 17TH ST #800 PHILADELPHIA PA 19103	3,000 00
102124	6/12/2015	PHILADELPHIA RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE	3925 CHESTNUT ST PHILADELPHIA PA 19104	500 00
102125	6/12/2015	SAN FRANCISCO AIDS FOUNDATION	1035 MARKET ST #400 SAN FRANCISCO CA 94103	500 00
102126	7/1/2015	NATIONAL MERIT SCHOLARSHIP CORP	PO BOX 99389 CHICAGO IL 60693-9389	24,390 00
102127	7/1/2015	SCHOLARSHIP AMERICA INC	C/O FIRST NATIONAL BANK PO BOX 240 SAINT PETER MN 56082	65,430 00
102128	8/7/2015	CRISTO REY PHILADELPHIA HIGH SCHOOL	WORK STUDY PROGRAM 5218 N BROAD ST PHILADELPHIA PA 19141	15,000 00
102129	9/14/2015	SCHOLARSHIP AMERICA INC	C/O FIRST NATIONAL BANK PO BOX 240 SAINT PETER MN 56082	2,000 00
102130	9/21/2015	ATLANTA UNION MISSION CORPORATION	2353 BOLTON ROAD ATLANTA GA 30318	3,000 00
102131	9/21/2015	BRIDGE STEPS	ATTN TERESA HISER PO BOX 710100 DALLAS TX 75371-0100	500 00
102132	9/21/2015	HOUSTON FOOD BANK	535 PORTWALL HOUSTON TX 77029	3,000 00
102133	9/21/2015	MILFORD YOUTH CENTER	27 CONGRESS ST MILFORD MA 01757	3,000 00
102134	9/21/2015	VOICE FOR CHILDREN INC	2305 CANYON BLVD #101 BOULDER CO 80302	500 00
102135	10/16/2015	TRIDENT UNITED WAY	6296 RIVERS AVE #200 NORTH CHARLESTON SC 29406	2,500 00
102136	10/16/2015	UNITED WAY OF THE MIDLANDS	ATTN DISASTER RELIEF FUND 1800 MAIN ST #100 COLUMBIA SC 29201	2,500 00
102137	12/23/2015	UNITED WAY OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA	AND SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY 1709 BEN FRANKLIN PKWY PHILADELPHIA PA 19103	40,000 00

\*\*\* NOTE This payment was a reimbursement to an affiliated corporation for a contribution made to Scholarship America, One Scholarship Way, St. Peter, MN 56082

185,388 00

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Part IV Detail

(a) Property Sold	(b) How acquired	(c) Date acquired	(d) Date sold	(e) Gross sales price	(g) Cost basis	(h) Gain or (loss)
Vanguard Institutional Index Fund	P	Various	06/05/15	26,000	9,753	16,247
Vanguard Institutional Index Fund	P	Various	06/29/15	90,000	34,714	55,286
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst	P	Various	03/04/15	12,000	11,571	429
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst	P	Various	08/06/15	10,000	9,771	229
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst	P	Various	09/17/18	15,000	14,685	315
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst	P	Various	12/22/15	40,000	39,458	542
				193,000	119,952	
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst		LONG-TERM CAPITAL GAIN	03/31/15			153
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst		LONG-TERM CAPITAL GAIN	12/22/15			590
<b>Part IV, line 2</b>	<b>Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)</b>					<b>73,791</b>
Vanguard Total Bond Mkt Index Inst		SHORT-TERM CAPITAL GAIN	03/31/15			127
<b>Part IV, line 3</b>	<b>Net short-term capital gain or (loss)</b>					<b>127</b>

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Contribution</u>		
		<u>Compensatio</u>	<u>to Employee</u>	<u>Expense Account</u>
		<u>n</u>	<u>Benefit</u>	<u>Other</u>
			<u>Plans</u>	<u>Allowances</u>
Gary Crowe	President	None	None	None
Greg Weixel	Vice President & Treasurer	None	None	None
William LaSalle	Secretary	None	None	None
Michael T. Rush	Assistant Secretary	None	None	None

Ricoh Americas Foundation  
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Part XV, Line 3  
December 31, 2015

Purpose of grant or contribution

Ricoh Americas Foundation was created by Ricoh Americas, Inc

Ricoh Americas Foundation makes appropriate contributions to charitable, educational scientific and other similar non-profit organizations

The Foundation also acts in support of Ricoh Americas' matching gift program, making contributions equal to the contributions of Ricoh Americas' employees to universities, colleges, schools and other exempt organizations prescribed in the Foundation contribution guidelines

No contribution recipients are individuals, nor do any recipients have any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor