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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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OMB No 1545-0052  
**2015**  
**Open to Public Inspection**

**For calendar year 2015, or tax year beginning 01-01-2015 , and ending 12-31-2015**

Name of foundation PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION		<b>A Employer identification number</b> 56-2476116
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) PO BOX 2014	Room/suite	<b>B Telephone number (see instructions)</b> (858) 534-8947
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code LA JOLLA, CA 92037		<b>C</b> If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>G</b> Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		<b>D 1.</b> Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/>  <b>2.</b> Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/> <b>E</b> If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>H</b> Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		<b>F</b> If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>I</b> Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) <b>\$</b> 39,119	<b>J</b> Accounting method: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis )	

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses</b> <i>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions) )</i>		Revenue and expenses per books <b>(a)</b>	Net investment income <b>(b)</b>	Adjusted net income <b>(c)</b>	Disbursements for charitable purposes <b>(d)</b> (cash basis only)
<b>1</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule) . . . . .	250,000			
<b>2</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is <b>not</b> required to attach Sch B . . . . .				
<b>3</b>	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .				
<b>4</b>	Dividends and interest from securities . . . . .				
<b>5a</b>	Gross rents . . . . .				
<b>b</b>	Net rental income or (loss) _____				
<b>6a</b>	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10 _____				
<b>b</b>	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a _____				
<b>7</b>	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2) . . . . .		0		
<b>8</b>	Net short-term capital gain . . . . .			0	
<b>9</b>	Income modifications . . . . .				
<b>10a</b>	Gross sales less returns and allowances . . . . .				
<b>b</b>	Less Cost of goods sold . . . . .				
<b>c</b>	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>11</b>	Other income (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>12</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11 . . . . .	250,000	0	0	
<b>13</b>	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc . . . . .	0	0	0	0
<b>14</b>	Other employee salaries and wages . . . . .				
<b>15</b>	Pension plans, employee benefits . . . . .				
<b>16a</b>	Legal fees (attach schedule). . . . .	2,709	0	0	2,709
<b>b</b>	Accounting fees (attach schedule). . . . .	3,172	0	0	3,172
<b>c</b>	Other professional fees (attach schedule) . . . . .				
<b>17</b>	Interest . . . . .				
<b>18</b>	Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions) . . . . .	8,076	0	0	8,076
<b>19</b>	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion . . . . .	54	0	0	
<b>20</b>	Occupancy . . . . .	205	0	0	205
<b>21</b>	Travel, conferences, and meetings . . . . .	76,781	0	0	76,781
<b>22</b>	Printing and publications . . . . .				
<b>23</b>	Other expenses (attach schedule). . . . .	144,149	0	0	144,149
<b>24</b>	<b>Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23 . . . . .	235,146	0	0	235,092
<b>25</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants paid . . . . .	25,249			25,249
<b>26</b>	<b>Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25 . . . . .	260,395	0	0	260,341
<b>27</b>	Subtract line 26 from line 12				
<b>a</b>	<b>Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements</b>	-10,395			
<b>b</b>	<b>Net investment income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)		0		
<b>c</b>	<b>Adjusted net income</b> (if negative, enter -0-)			0	

<b>Part II Balance Sheets</b> 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
<b>Assets</b>	<b>1</b> Cash—non-interest-bearing . . . . .	49,460	39,119	39,119
	<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments . . . . .			
	<b>3</b> Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>4</b> Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>5</b> Grants receivable . . . . .			
	<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions). . . . .			
	<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use . . . . .			
	<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges . . . . .			
	<b>10a</b> Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)			
	<b>b</b> Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>c</b> Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>11</b> Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	<b>12</b> Investments—mortgage loans . . . . .			
	<b>13</b> Investments—other (attach schedule) . . . . .			
	<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 43,118 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ 43,118	54	0	0
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
<b>16 Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	49,514	39,119	39,119	
<b>Liabilities</b>	<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses . . . . .			
	<b>18</b> Grants payable . . . . .			
	<b>19</b> Deferred revenue . . . . .			
	<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule). . . . .			
	<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	<b>23 Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22) . . . . .	0	0	
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	<b>Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.</b>			
	<b>24</b> Unrestricted . . . . .			
	<b>25</b> Temporarily restricted . . . . .			
	<b>26</b> Permanently restricted . . . . .			
	<b>Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here</b> ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>and complete lines 27 through 31.</b>			
	<b>27</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds . . . . .	0	0	
	<b>28</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg, and equipment fund	0	0	
	<b>29</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	49,514	39,119	
<b>30 Total net assets or fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	49,514	39,119		
<b>31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b> (see instructions) . . . . .	49,514	39,119		

<b>Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>			
<b>1</b>	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) . . . . .	<b>1</b>	49,514
<b>2</b>	Enter amount from Part I, line 27a . . . . .	<b>2</b>	-10,395
<b>3</b>	Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>3</b>	0
<b>4</b>	Add lines 1, 2, and 3 . . . . .	<b>4</b>	39,119
<b>5</b>	Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	<b>5</b>	0
<b>6</b>	Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 . . . . .	<b>6</b>	39,119

**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)
<b>1a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

(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)
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

Complete only for assets showing gain in column (h) and owned by the foundation on 12/31/69			(i) Gains (Col (h) gain minus col (k), but not less than -0-) or Losses (from col (h))
(i) FMV as of 12/31/69	(j) Adjusted basis as of 12/31/69	(k) Excess of col (i) over col (j), if any	(l)
<b>a</b>			
<b>b</b>			
<b>c</b>			
<b>d</b>			
<b>e</b>			

<b>2</b> Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	<b>2</b>
<b>3</b> 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	<b>3</b>

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

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income )  
If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?  Yes  No  
If "Yes," the foundation does not qualify under section 4940(e) Do not complete this part

**1** Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year, see instructions before making any entries

(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col (b) divided by col (c))
2014	259,797	0	0.000000
2013	287,834	0	0.000000
2012	257,185	0	0.000000
2011	414,282	0	0.000000
2010	277,083	0	0.000000

<b>2</b> Total of line 1, column (d).	<b>2</b> 0.000000
<b>3</b> 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	<b>3</b> 0.000000
<b>4</b> Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2015 from Part X, line 5.	<b>4</b>
<b>5</b> Multiply line 4 by line 3.	<b>5</b> 0
<b>6</b> Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b).	<b>6</b> 0
<b>7</b> Add lines 5 and 6.	<b>7</b> 0
<b>8</b> Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4.	<b>8</b> 260,341

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 page 18 of the instructions)

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculations. Includes sub-rows 6a-6d for credits and payments. Total amount owed is 0.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows of activity statements and Yes/No columns. Includes questions about political activities, tax returns, and substantial contributors.

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

<b>11</b> 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). . . . .	<b>11</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>12</b> 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) . . . . .	<b>12</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>13</b> Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ► WWW.PACIFICBLUEFOUNDATION.ORG	<b>13</b>	<b>Yes</b>	
<b>14</b> The books are in care of ► THE FOUNDATION Telephone no ► (858) 534-8947 Located at ► PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA CA ZIP+4 ► 92037			
<b>15</b> 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 . . . . .	<b>15</b>		
<b>16</b> 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 instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR) If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country ► FJ	<b>16</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>

**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.**

		<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
<b>1a</b> During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly) <b>(1)</b> Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(2)</b> 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"/> No <b>(3)</b> Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>(4)</b> Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <b>(5)</b> 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"/> No <b>(6)</b> Agree to pay money or property to a government official? ( <b>Exception.</b> Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days ). . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
<b>b</b> If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)–(6), did <b>any</b> 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. . . . . ► <input type="checkbox"/>	<b>1b</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>c</b> 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? . . . . .	<b>1c</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>2</b> 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)) <b>a</b> 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"/> No If "Yes," list the years ► 20___, 20___, 20___, 20___ <b>b</b> Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> 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 <b>all</b> years listed, answer "No" and attach statement—see instructions ). . . . . <b>c</b> If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to <b>any</b> of the years listed in 2a, list the years here ► 20___, 20___, 20___, 20___	<b>2b</b>		
<b>3a</b> Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <b>b</b> If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2015 as a result of <b>(1)</b> any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969, <b>(2)</b> 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 <b>(3)</b> the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? ( <i>Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2015</i> ). . . . .	<b>3b</b>		
<b>4a</b> Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?	<b>4a</b>		<b>No</b>
<b>b</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?	<b>4b</b>		<b>No</b>

**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)?  Yes  No  
 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?  Yes  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?  Yes  No

**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	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation (If not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
See Additional Data Table				

**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	Title, and average hours per week (b) devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	Expense account, (e) other allowances
NONE				

**Total** number of other employees paid over \$50,000.  0

**Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors (continued)**

**Part VIII**

**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. . . . . ▶ 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
<b>1</b> PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION PROVIDES BASIC RESEARCH, EDUCATION, ENCOURAGEMENT AND DISSEMINATION OF SUSTAINABLE TECHNOLOGIES AND INDUSTRIES IN THE REGION OF THE ISLAND NATIONS OF THE SOUTH PACIFIC WITH THE ULTIMATE GOAL OF PRESERVING AND PROMOTING THE BIOLOGICAL AND CULTURAL DIVERSITY OF THE REGION	260,395
<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	
<b>4</b>	

**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
<b>1</b>	
<b>2</b>	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	
<b>3</b>	
<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . . <span style="float: right;">▶</span>	0

**Part X Minimum Investment Return**

(All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see instructions.)

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

**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.)

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

**Part XII Qualifying Distributions** (see instructions)

<b>1</b>	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc , purposes		
<b>a</b>	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc —total from Part I, column (d), line 26. . . . .	<b>1a</b>	260,341
<b>b</b>	Program-related investments—total from Part IX-B. . . . .	<b>1b</b>	0
<b>2</b>	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc , purposes. . . . .	<b>2</b>	
<b>3</b>	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the		
<b>a</b>	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required). . . . .	<b>3a</b>	
<b>b</b>	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule). . . . .	<b>3b</b>	
<b>4</b>	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	260,341
<b>5</b>	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). . . . .	<b>5</b>	0
<b>6</b>	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4. . . . .	<b>6</b>	260,341

**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
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2015 from Part XI, line 7				
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2015				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2014 only. . . . .				
<b>b</b> Total for prior years 20___, 20___, 20___				
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2015				
<b>a</b> From 2010. . . . .				
<b>b</b> From 2011. . . . .				
<b>c</b> From 2012. . . . .				
<b>d</b> From 2013. . . . .				
<b>e</b> From 2014. . . . .				
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e. . . . .				
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2015 from Part XII, line 4 ► \$ _____				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2014, but not more than line 2a				
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions). . . . .				
<b>d</b> Applied to 2015 distributable amount. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus				
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2015 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a) )				
<b>6</b> Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
<b>a</b> Corpus Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e Subtract line 5				
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b. . . . .				
<b>c</b> 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. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .				
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2014 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions . . . . .				
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2016 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2015 . . . . .				
<b>7</b> 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). . . . .				
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2010 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions). . . . .				
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2016. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .				
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2011. . . . .				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2012. . . . .				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2013. . . . .				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2014. . . . .				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2015. . . . .				

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. 2005-10-12

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

2a Enter the lesser of the adjusted net income from Part I or the minimum investment return from Part X for each year listed

Table with columns: Tax year, (a) 2015, (b) 2014, (c) 2013, (d) 2012, (e) Total. Rows for 2015 and 85% of line 2a.

b 85% of line 2a

c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed

Table row for Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4

d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities

Table row for 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

Table row for Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities

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)

Table rows for "Assets" alternative test (1) and (2)

b "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed

Table row for "Endowment" alternative test

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)

Table row for (1) Total support other than gross investment income

(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii)

Table row for (2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations

(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization

Table row for (3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization

(4) Gross investment income

Table row for (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 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) )

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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 [X] 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 email address of the person to whom applications should be addressed

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

c Any submission deadlines

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

**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
<b>a</b> <i>Paid during the year</i> MINISTRY OF ITAUKEI AFFAIRS PO BOX 2100 GOVERNMENT BUILDING 87 QUEEN ELIZABETH DRIVE SUVA FJ	NONE	NC	GENERAL PURPOSE	13,249
WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTION 266 WOODS HOLE RD MS25 WOODS HOLE, MA 02543	NONE	501 (C)(3)	GENERAL PURPOSE	12,000
<b>Total . . . . .</b>			▶ <b>3a</b>	25,249
<b>b</b> <i>Approved for future payment</i>				
<b>Total . . . . .</b>			▶ <b>3b</b>	0





**Form 990PF Part VIII Line 1 - List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation**

<b>(a)</b> Name and address	Title, and average hours per week <b>(b)</b> devoted to position	<b>(c)</b> Compensation <b>(If not paid, enter -0-)</b>	Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation <b>(d)</b>	Expense account, <b>(e)</b> other allowances
BRIAN G MITCHELL PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	PRESIDENT/DIRECTOR 0 25	0	0	0
DANIEL G MCNAMARA PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	SECRETARY/DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0
MICHAEL K MITCHELL PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	CFO/DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0
CHARLES R BOOTH PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0
DALE A KIEFER PHD PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0
MARK D MITCHELL PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0
RICHARD MURPHY PHD PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	DIRECTOR 0 10	0	0	0

**TY 2015 Accounting Fees Schedule****Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 56-2476116

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
ACCOUNTING FEES	3,172	0	0	3,172

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## TY 2015 Depreciation Schedule

Name: PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION

EIN: 56-2476116

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2004-09-01	11,372	11,372	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2005-01-02	1,081	1,081	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
DIVING EQUIPMENT	2005-01-02	1,203	1,203	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2005-02-01	263	263	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2005-03-01	615	615	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	2005-04-01	517	517	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER PELICAN	2005-04-01	258	258	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	2005-05-01	1,394	1,394	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2006-02-16	5,847	5,847	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2009-09-11	11,341	5,670	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2009-09-21	720	360	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2009-10-01	554	277	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	2009-09-18	6,458	3,229	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	2009-09-15	555	277	200DB	5 000000000000	0	0	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	2010-09-20	940	886	200DB	5 000000000000	54	0	54	

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## TY 2015 Expenditure Responsibility Statement

**Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 56-2476116

Grantee's Name	Grantee's Address	Grant Date	Grant Amount	Grant Purpose	Amount Expended By Grantee	Any Diversion By Grantee?	Dates of Reports By Grantee	Date of Verification	Results of Verification
MINISTRY OF ITAUKEI AFFAIRS	PO BOX 2100 GOVERNMENT BUILDING 87 QUEEN ELIZABET SUVA FJ	2013-06-28	29,200	TO PROVIDE FUNDING AND SUPPORT IN EMPLOYING A PROVINCIAL CONSERVATION OFFICER FOR THE SERUA AND LAU PROVINCES IN FIJI IN ORDER TO SUPPORT THE CONSERVATION OBJECTIVES AS OF 12/31/2015, THE ORIGINAL GRANT AMOUNT OF \$29,200 WAS FULFILLED WHEN \$13,249 OF THE REMAINING FUNDS WERE TRANSFERRED ON 7/30/2015 TO THE MINISTRY OF ITAUKEI TO CONTINUE TO CARRY OUT THE ORIGINAL GRANT OBJECTIVES	29,200				

**TY 2015 General Explanation Attachment****Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 56-2476116

Identifier	Return Reference	Explanation
	FORM 990-PF, PART VII-B, QUESTION 1A(4)	BRIAN G MITCHELL, A BOARD MEMBER OF PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION, PERSONALLY PAID EXPENSES WHICH WERE NECESSARY AND REASONABLE TO CARRYING OUT THE EXEMPT PURPOSE OF THE PRIVATE FOUNDATION THESE EXPENSES WERE REIMBURSED BY THE PRIVATE FOUNDATION THIS IS EXCEPTED FROM SELF-DEALING BY IRC SECTION 4941(D)

# TY 2015 Land, Etc. Schedule

**Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION

**EIN:** 56-2476116

Category / Item	Cost / Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	11,372	11,372	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	1,081	1,081	0	
DIVING EQUIPMENT	1,203	1,203	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	263	263	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	615	615	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	517	517	0	
COMPUTER PELICAN	258	258	0	
ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	1,394	1,394	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	5,847	5,847	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	11,341	11,341	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	720	720	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	554	554	0	
CAMERA EQUIPMENT	6,458	6,458	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	555	555	0	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	940	940	0	

**TY 2015 Legal Fees Schedule****Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 56-2476116

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
LEGAL FEES	2,709	0	0	2,709

**TY 2015 Other Expenses Schedule****Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 56-2476116

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ADVERTISING	4,625	0	0	4,625
BANK SERVICE CHARGES	991	0	0	991
BUSINESS LICENSE & FEES	75	0	0	75
INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS	108,051	0	0	108,051
MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSE	92	0	0	92
OUTREACH EXPENSES	29,101	0	0	29,101
POSTAGE AND DELIVERY	169	0	0	169
SUPPLIES	570	0	0	570
TELEPHONE AND FAX	475	0	0	475

**TY 2015 Taxes Schedule****Name:** PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION**EIN:** 56-2476116

<b>Category</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Net Investment Income</b>	<b>Adjusted Net Income</b>	<b>Disbursements for Charitable Purposes</b>
TAXES	8,076	0	0	8,076

Schedule B

(Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Schedule of Contributors

OMB No 1545-0047

2015

Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF Information about Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990

Name of the organization PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION

Employer identification number 56-2476116

Organization type (check one)

Filers of:

Section:

- Form 990 or 990-EZ [ ] 501(c)( ) (enter number) organization [ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation [ ] 527 political organization Form 990-PF [x] 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation [ ] 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust treated as a private foundation [ ] 501(c)(3) taxable private foundation

Check if your organization is covered by the General Rule or a Special Rule. Note. Only a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization can check boxes for both the General Rule and a Special Rule See instructions

General Rule

- [x] For an organization filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, contributions totaling \$5,000 or more (in money or other property) from any one contributor Complete Parts I and II See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions

Special Rules

- [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(3) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi), that checked Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ), Part II, line 13, 16a, or 16b, and that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on (i) Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h, or (ii) Form 990-EZ, line 1 Complete Parts I and II [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, total contributions of more than \$1,000 exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals Complete Parts I, II, and III [ ] For an organization described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) filing Form 990 or 990-EZ that received from any one contributor, during the year, contributions exclusively for religious, charitable, etc , purposes, but no such contributions totaled more than \$1,000 If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc , purpose Do not complete any of the parts unless the General Rule applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc , contributions totaling \$5,000 or more during the year . . . . . \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

Name of organization  
PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION

Employer identification number  
56-2476116

<b>Part I</b> <b>Contributors</b> (see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part I if additional space is needed			
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	BRIAN G MITCHELL PO BOX 2014 LA JOLLA, CA 92037	\$ 250,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions )
		\$	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II for noncash contributions )
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<b>Name of organization</b> PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION	<b>Employer identification number</b> 56-2476116
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**Part II** **Noncash Property**  
(see instructions) Use duplicate copies of Part II if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____
_____	_____ _____ _____	_____ \$	_____

<b>Name of organization</b> PACIFIC BLUE FOUNDATION	<b>Employer identification number</b> 56-2476116
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**Part III** Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions to organizations described in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$1,000 for the year from any one contributor. Complete columns (a) through (e) and the following line entry. For organizations completing Part III, enter the total of exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$1,000 or less for the year. (Enter this information once. See instructions.) ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional space is needed

(a) No. from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is held
-	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
_____ _____ --		_____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
_____ _____ --		_____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
_____ _____ --		_____ _____ _____	
-	_____ _____	_____ _____	_____ _____
(e) Transfer of gift			
Transferee's name, address, and ZIP 4		Relationship of transferor to transferee	
_____ _____ --		_____ _____ _____	