

Form 990-PF

Return of Private Foundation

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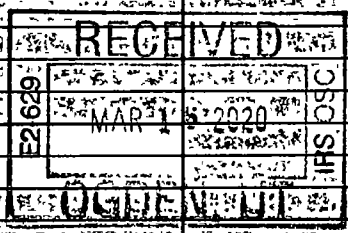
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For calendar year 2019 or tax year beginning , and ending

Name of foundation BRENTON FOUNDATION C/O J.C. BRENTON
A Employer identification number 42-1330275
B Telephone number 515-237-5121
C If exemption application is pending, check here
D 1. Foreign organizations, check here
2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test check here and attach computation
E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here
F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here
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
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year \$ 1,761,273.
J Accounting method: Cash

Table with 5 columns: (a) Revenue and expenses per books, (b) Net investment income, (c) Adjusted net income, (d) Disbursements for charitable purposes. Rows include Revenue (1-12) and Operating and Administrative Expenses (13-26). Total revenue 94,847, total expenses 83,851, net investment income 92,829.

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<b>Part II</b> Balance Sheets		Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of year amounts only		
		Beginning of year (a) Book Value	End of year (b) Book Value (c) Fair Market Value	
<b>Assets</b>	1 Cash - non-interest-bearing			
	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			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable ▶			
	Less: allowance for doubtful accounts ▶			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments - U.S. and state government obligations			
	b Investments - corporate stock			
	c Investments - corporate bonds			
	11 Investments - land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶			
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
12 Investments - mortgage loans				
13 Investments - other	STMT 6	966,452.	1,014,223.	1,761,273.
14 Land, buildings, and equipment: basis ▶				
Less: accumulated depreciation ▶				
15 Other assets (describe ▶ )				
16 <b>Total assets</b> (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)		966,452.	1,014,223.	1,761,273.
<b>Liabilities</b>	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶ )			
	23 <b>Total liabilities</b> (add lines 17 through 22)		0.	0.
<b>Net Assets or Fund Balances</b>	Foundations that follow FASB ASC 958, check here ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>			
	and complete lines 24, 25, 29, and 30			
	24 Net assets without donor restrictions			
	25 Net assets with donor restrictions			
	Foundations that do not follow FASB ASC 958, check here ▶ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
	and complete lines 26 through 30			
	26 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds	1.	1.	
	27 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund	123,268.	123,268.	
28 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	843,183.	890,954.		
29 <b>Total net assets or fund balances</b>	966,452.	1,014,223.		
30 <b>Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances</b>	966,452.	1,014,223.		

**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 29 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	966,452.
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	10,996.
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	3	36,775.
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	1,014,223.
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 29	6	1,014,223.

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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 (for example, 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>BESSEMER ACCOUNTS</b>	P		
b <b>BESSEMER ACCOUNTS</b>	P		
c <b>CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS</b>			
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 17,442.		17,135.	307.
b 128,835.		93,888.	34,947.
c 22,089.			22,089.
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			307.
b			34,947.
c			22,089.
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	57,343.
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6). If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	N/A

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

(For optional use by domestic private foundations subject to the section 4940(a) tax on net investment income.)

If section 4940(d)(2) applies, leave this part blank.

Was the foundation liable for the section 4942 tax on the distributable amount of any year in the base period?

Yes  No

If "Yes," the foundation doesn't 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))
2018	80,919.	1,645,671.	.049171
2017	102,076.	1,714,744.	.059528
2016	117,260.	1,645,219.	.071273
2015	32,082.	1,741,045.	.018427
2014	65,300.	1,773,753.	.036815

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	.235214
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5.0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	.047043
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2019 from Part X, line 5	4	1,648,151.
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	77,534.
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	928.
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	78,462.
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	80,342.

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**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b		1	928.
c All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations, enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b)			
2 Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only, others, enter -0-)		2	0.
3 Add lines 1 and 2		3	928.
4 Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only; others, enter -0-)		4	0.
5 <b>Tax based on investment income</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0-		5	928.
6 Credits/Payments:			
a 2019 estimated tax payments and 2018 overpayment credited to 2019	6a	800.	
b Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source	6b	0.	
c Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868)	6c	0.	
d Backup withholding erroneously withheld	6d	0.	
7 Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d	7	800.	
8 Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached	8	0.	
9 <b>Tax due</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b>	9	128.	
10 <b>Overpayment</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b>	10		
11 Enter the amount of line 10 to be: <b>Credited to 2020 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Refunded</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	11		

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

	Yes	No
1a During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?		X
1b Did it spend more than \$100 during the year (either directly or indirectly) for political purposes? See the 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.		X
c Did the foundation file <b>Form 1120-POL</b> for this year?		X
d Enter the amount (if any) of tax on political expenditures (section 4955) imposed during the year. (1) On the foundation. $\$$ <u>0.</u> (2) On foundation managers $\$$ <u>0.</u>		
e Enter the reimbursement (if any) paid by the foundation during the year for political expenditure tax imposed on foundation managers. $\$$ <u>0.</u>		
2 Has the foundation engaged in any activities that have not previously been reported to the IRS? If "Yes," attach a detailed description of the activities.		X
3 Has the foundation made any changes, not previously reported to the IRS, in its governing instrument, articles of incorporation, or bylaws, or other similar instruments? If "Yes," attach a conformed copy of the changes		X
4a Did the foundation have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?		X
b If "Yes," has it filed a tax return on <b>Form 990-T</b> for this year?	N/A	
5 Was there a liquidation, termination, dissolution, or substantial contraction during the year? If "Yes," attach the statement required by <i>General Instruction T</i>		X
6 Are the requirements of section 508(e) (relating to sections 4941 through 4945) satisfied either: • By language in the governing instrument, or • By state legislation that effectively amends the governing instrument so that no mandatory directions that conflict with the state law remain in the governing instrument?	X	
7 Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year? If "Yes," complete Part II, col. (c), and Part XV	X	
8a Enter the states to which the foundation reports or with which it is registered. See instructions. <u>IA</u>		
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 <i>General Instruction G</i> ? If "No," attach explanation	X	
9 Is the foundation claiming status as a private operating foundation within the meaning of section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5) for calendar year 2019 or the tax year beginning in 2019? See the instructions for Part XIV. If "Yes," complete Part XIV		X
10 Did any persons become substantial contributors during the tax year? If "Yes," attach a schedule listing their names and addresses		X

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11 At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity... 12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund... 13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements... Website address N/A... 14 The books are in care of J.C. BRENTON Telephone no. 515-237-5121 Located at 2916 SW 14TH STREET, DES MOINES, IA ZIP+4 50315... 15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 - check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15 N/A... 16 At any time during calendar year 2019, 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

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? (2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? (3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? (4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? (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)? (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.) 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 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 2019? 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 2019, did the foundation have any undistributed income (Part XIII, lines 6d and 6e) for tax year(s) beginning before 2019? If "Yes," list the years b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see instructions.) 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? b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2019 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 Form 4720, Schedule C, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2019.) 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 2019?

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

		Yes	No
<b>5a</b> 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))?	<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>b</b> If the answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions	N/A	5b	
Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance, check here	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
<b>c</b> 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		
If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>6a</b> 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		
<b>b</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.			
<b>7a</b> 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		
<b>b</b> If "Yes," did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction?	N/A	7b	
<b>8</b> Is the foundation subject to the section 4960 tax on payment(s) of more than \$1,000,000 in remuneration or excess parachute payment(s) during the year?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		

**Part VIII Information About Officers, Directors, Trustees, Foundation Managers, Highly Paid Employees, and Contractors**

**1 List all officers, directors, trustees, and 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
JUNIUS C. BRENTON 2916 SW 14TH STREET DES MOINES, IA 50315	DIRECTOR/CHAIRMAN	0.00	0.	0.

**2 Compensation of five highest-paid employees (other than those included on line 1). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each employee paid more than \$50,000	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
NONE				

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

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**Part 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
NONE		

Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services ▶ 0

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

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 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.)

<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>	1,648,289.
<b>b</b>	Average of monthly cash balances	<b>1b</b>	24,961.
<b>c</b>	Fair market value of all other assets	<b>1c</b>	
<b>d</b>	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c)	<b>1d</b>	1,673,250.
<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>	1,673,250.
<b>4</b>	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions)	<b>4</b>	25,099.
<b>5</b>	Net value of noncharitable-use assets Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	<b>5</b>	1,648,151.
<b>6</b>	Minimum investment return Enter 5% of line 5	<b>6</b>	82,408.

**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>	82,408.
<b>2a</b>	Tax on investment income for 2019 from Part VI, line 5	<b>2a</b>	928.
<b>b</b>	Income tax for 2019. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	<b>2b</b>	
<b>c</b>	Add lines 2a and 2b	<b>2c</b>	928.
<b>3</b>	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	<b>3</b>	81,480.
<b>4</b>	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	<b>4</b>	0.
<b>5</b>	Add lines 3 and 4	<b>5</b>	81,480.
<b>6</b>	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions)	<b>6</b>	0.
<b>7</b>	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	<b>7</b>	81,480.

**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>	80,342.
<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>	Qualifying distributions Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8; and Part XIII, line 4	<b>4</b>	80,342.
<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	<b>5</b>	928.
<b>6</b>	Adjusted qualifying distributions Subtract line 5 from line 4	<b>6</b>	79,414.

**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.

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**Part XIII Undistributed Income** (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2018	(c) 2018	(d) 2019
<b>1</b> Distributable amount for 2019 from Part XI, line 7				81,480.
<b>2</b> Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2019				
<b>a</b> Enter amount for 2018 only			5,505.	
<b>b</b> Total for prior years:		0.		
<b>3</b> Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2019:				
<b>a</b> From 2014				
<b>b</b> From 2015				
<b>c</b> From 2016				
<b>d</b> From 2017				
<b>e</b> From 2018				
<b>f</b> Total of lines 3a through e	0.			
<b>4</b> Qualifying distributions for 2019 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ <b>80,342.</b>				
<b>a</b> Applied to 2018, but not more than line 2a			5,505.	
<b>b</b> Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see instructions)		0.		
<b>c</b> Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see instructions)	0.			
<b>d</b> Applied to 2019 distributable amount				74,837.
<b>e</b> Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	0.			
<b>5</b> Excess distributions carryover applied to 2019 (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a))	0.			0.
<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	0.			
<b>b</b> Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b		0.		
<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		0.		
<b>d</b> Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see instructions		0.		
<b>e</b> Undistributed income for 2018. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see instr.			0.	
<b>f</b> Undistributed income for 2019. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2020				6,643.
<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)	0.			
<b>8</b> Excess distributions carryover from 2014 not applied on line 5 or line 7	0.			
<b>9</b> Excess distributions carryover to 2020 Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	0.			
<b>10</b> Analysis of line 9:				
<b>a</b> Excess from 2015				
<b>b</b> Excess from 2016				
<b>c</b> Excess from 2017				
<b>d</b> Excess from 2018				
<b>e</b> Excess from 2019				

Part XIV Private Operating Foundations (see instructions and Part VII-A, question 9)

N/A

1 a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2019, 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)

2 a 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 5 columns: (a) 2019, (b) 2018, (c) 2017, (d) 2016, (e) Total. Rows include 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 3, 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 3e.

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).)

NONE

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.

NONE

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., 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:

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3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment				
Recipient	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
Name and address (home or business)				
<b>a Paid during the year</b>				
PEN AMERICA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
ACCESS FUND	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
HAITI REFORESTATION PARTNERSHIP	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
MINNESOTA LANDSCAPE ARBORETUM	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
REFORMED CHURCH OF BRONXVILLE DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
<b>Total</b>	<b>SEE CONTINUATION SHEET(S)</b>			<b>80,342.</b>
<b>b Approved for future payment</b>				
NONE				
<b>Total</b>				<b>0.</b>

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**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)**

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
BLANK PARK ZOO FOUNDATION DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
BRENTON ARBORETUM DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	15,000.
COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF DES MOINES DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	2,000.
DALLAS CENTER CELEBRATIONS DALLAS CENTER, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	250.
DES MOINES ART CENTER DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	3,000.
DES MOINES METRO OPERA DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	3,500.
DES MOINES PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
DES MOINES SYMPHONY DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,250.
FRIENDS OF IOWA PUBLIC RADIO DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
GREATER DES MOINES BOTANCIAL GARDEN DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
<b>Total from continuation sheets</b>				<b>76,842.</b>

**Part XV** Supplementary Information

**3** Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year (Continuation)

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
PACEM IN TERRIS ISANTI, MN	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	100.
PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF THE HEARTLAND DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
SAILDC DALLAS CENTER, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
SCIENCE CENTER OF IOWA DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
SPURGEON MANOR DALLAS CENTER, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	5,000.
THE BRENTON ARBORETUM DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	35,242.
THE MILLBROOK SCHOOL MILLBROOK, NY	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
WAZATA SAILING SCHOOL DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	3,000.
TAFT SCHOOL	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	1,000.
JDRF DES MOINES, IA	N/A	501(C)(3)	CHARITABLE	500.
<b>Total from continuation sheets</b>				





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

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Contains questions 1a through 1c regarding transfers and transactions.

Table with 4 columns: (a) Line no, (b) Amount involved, (c) Name of noncharitable exempt organization, (d) Description of transfers, transactions, and sharing arrangements.

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

Table with 3 columns: (a) Name of organization, (b) Type of organization, (c) Description of relationship.

Sign Here Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than taxpayer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge.

Paid Preparer Use Only section containing fields for name, signature, date, firm name, address, and EIN.

May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown below? See instr. Yes No

FORM 990-PF	DIVIDENDS AND INTEREST FROM SECURITIES				STATEMENT 1
SOURCE	GROSS AMOUNT	CAPITAL GAINS DIVIDENDS	(A) REVENUE PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME
BESSEMER TRUST	59,593.	22,089.	37,504.	37,504.	37,504.
TO PART I, LINE 4	59,593.	22,089.	37,504.	37,504.	37,504.

FORM 990-PF	ACCOUNTING FEES				STATEMENT 2
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
TAX PREPARATION	790.	0.	0.	0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 16B	790.	0.	0.	0.	

FORM 990-PF	TAXES				STATEMENT 3
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
FOREIGN TAX	12.	12.	0.	0.	
FEDERAL TAXES	701.	0.	0.	0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 18	713.	12.	0.	0.	

FORM 990-PF	OTHER EXPENSES				STATEMENT 4
DESCRIPTION	(A) EXPENSES PER BOOKS	(B) NET INVESTMENT INCOME	(C) ADJUSTED NET INCOME	(D) CHARITABLE PURPOSES	
INVESTMENT FEES	2,006.	2,006.	0.	0.	
TO FORM 990-PF, PG 1, LN 23	2,006.	2,006.	0.	0.	

FORM 990-PF OTHER INCREASES IN NET ASSETS OR FUND BALANCES STATEMENT 5

DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
UNREALIZED GAIN ON STOCK CONTRIBUTION	36,775.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART III, LINE 3	36,775.

FORM 990-PF OTHER INVESTMENTS STATEMENT 6

DESCRIPTION	VALUATION METHOD	BOOK VALUE	FAIR MARKET VALUE
BESSEMER TRUST	COST	1,014,223.	1,761,273.
TOTAL TO FORM 990-PF, PART II, LINE 13		1,014,223.	1,761,273.