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Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)

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Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Α	For th	e 2014 calendar year, or tax year beginning and	ending	_	
в	Check if applicab	C Name of organization		D Employer identifie	cation number
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	lchang Name	e ACOMEN FOND, INC.		1 12 /	166000
]chang]Initial	e Doing business as			166228
	return Final	Number and street (or P.O. box if mail is not delivered to street address)	Room/suite		
	return termir	_	315		566-8821
	ated Amen	City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code MEW YORK, NY 10011		G Gross receipts \$	19,573,555.
F	lreturn Applie	NEW IORK, NI IOUII	ጦ7	H(a) Is this a group re	
	tiòh pendi	F Name and address of principal officer. OACQUEDTINE NOVOGICA	12	for subordinates	
-	T		or 527	H(b) Are all subordinates in	
		empt status: $\[\] \] 501(c)(3) \[\] 501(c)(\] \] (insert no.) \[\] 4947(a)(1)$	0r 527		list. (see instructions)
		organization: X Corporation Trust Association Other	L Voor	H(c) Group exemption	State of legal domicile: NY
	art I	Summary			State of legal dofficile. IN I
		Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities: OUR	MTSSTO	N TS TO CRE	
Se	1	BEYOND POVERTY BY INVESTING IN SOCIAL EN	TERPR	ISES EMERGI	NG
Governance	2	Check this box			
ver	3				15
		Number of independent voting members of the governing body (rait vi, interva)			14
ა ა	5	Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2014 (Part V, line 2a)			78
Activities &	6	Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)			17
cti	7 2	Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12			0.
Ă	b	Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34			0.
				Prior Year	Current Year
đ	8	Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)		15,276,219.	18,371,359.
Revenue	9	Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)		1,321,335.	743,453.
eve	10	Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)		67,410.	-393,477.
£	11	Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)		87,421.	10,595.
	12	Total revenue - add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)		16,752,385.	18,731,930.
	13	Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)		1,006,749.	975,304.
	14	Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)		0.	0.
ŝ	15	Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)		6,081,615.	7,452,108.
Expenses	16a	Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)		0.	0.
xpe	b	Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) 1,814,5	19.		
Ű	17	Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)		8,367,258.	
	18	Total expenses. Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)		15,455,622.	16,871,549.
	19	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 18 from line 12		1,296,763.	1,860,381.
S OL			В	eginning of Current Year	End of Year
Net Assets or	20	Total assets (Part X, line 16)	L	94,568,107.	96,563,935.
at As	21	Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	∟	761,160.	1,246,537.
Ž	22	Net assets or fund balances. Subtract line 21 from line 20		93,806,947.	95,317,398.
	art II	Signature Block			
		Ities of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedule			y knowledge and belief, it is
true	e, corre	t, and complete. Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of w	hich prepare	r has any knowledge.	

Sign		Signature of officer	Date							
Here		AMRITA BHANDARI, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER								
		Type or print name and title								
	Prir	t/Type preparer's name Preparer's signature Date	Check PTIN							
Paid	GΑ	RRETT M. HIGGINS GARRETT M. HIGGINS 08/17	7/15 self-employed P00543209							
Preparer		r's name ► O'CONNOR DAVIES, LLP	Firm's EIN 27-1728945							
Use Only	Firn	i's address 665 FIFTH AVENUE								
NEW YORK, NY 10022 Phone no. (212) 286-2600										
May the IRS discuss this return with the preparer shown above? (see instructions)										
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SEE SCHEDULE O FOR ORGANIZATION MISSION STATEMENT CONTINUATION

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Pai	t III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments		
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III	<u></u>	[
1	Briefly describe the organization's mission: <u>ACUMEN FUND IS WORKING TO CREATE A WORLD BEYOND POVER</u> <u>IN SOCIAL ENTERPRISES, EMERGING LEADERS AND BREAKTHRO</u>		NG
	INVEST PATIENT CAPITAL IN BUSINESSES THAT DELIVER CRI	TICAL, AFFORD	ABLE
	GOODS AND SERVICES TO THE POOR, IMPROVING THE LIVES C	F MILLIONS IN	
2	Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ?	Ye:	s XI
3	If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O. Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program servi	ces?	s XI
	If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O.		
4	Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program service Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to revenue, if any, for each program service reported.		
4a		Revenue \$ 293	,970
	ACUMEN INVESTS PATIENT CAPITAL IN BUSINESS MODELS THA		
	CRITICAL, AFFORDABLE GOODS AND SERVICES TO THE WORLD'		VINC
	THE LIVES OF MILLIONS. SINCE 2001, ACUMEN HAS INVESTE		
	THAT PROVIDE ACCESS TO WATER, HEALTH, ENERGY, HOUSING		
	AGRICULTURAL SERVICES TO LOW-INCOME CUSTOMERS. IN ADD		
	WORK IN INDIA, PAKISTAN, EAST AND WEST AFRICA, ACUMEN		
	EXPANDED ITS WORK INTO LATIN AMERICA. ACUMEN HAS CUMU		
	\$88 MILLION IN 82 BUSINESSES SERVING THE POOR.	TVITATI TUAT	JIBD
	200 THE FOUL TH OF DECEMPTOR SERVICE THE FOOL		
	POST-INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT HAS CONTINUED TO BE A KEY		
4b	(Code:) (Expenses \$ 2,560,608. IMPACT AND COMMUNICATIONS: including grants of \$ 111,860.	Revenue \$	
	THE GOAL OF THE IMPACT AND COMMUNICATIONS TEAMS AT AC	UMEN IS TO SU	PPOR
	ITS MISSION OF CHANGING THE WAY THE WORLD TACKLES POW	ERTY BY SHARI	NG
	THE INSIGHTS FROM OUR PORTFOLIO TO STRENGTHEN APPROAC	HES THAT ADDR	ESS
	POVERTY THROUGH ENTREPRENEURIAL SOLUTIONS.		
	ACUMEN'S IMPACT TEAM CONTINUES TO ADVANCE THE ORGANIZ		
	LEADING AND MEASURING IMPACT IN THE IMPACT-INVESTING		2014
	THE IMPACT TEAM REFINED THE FRAMEWORK WE HAD DEVELOPE		
	MEASURE AND ASSESS IMPACT AT ACUMEN. THE FRAMEWORK OU		
	ASPECTS OF OUR IMPACT RATIONALE INCLUDING: BREADTH, E		MOUS
łc	(Code:) (Expenses \$ 1,238,530. including grants of \$) (FELLOWS AND LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS:	Revenue \$	
	AT THE END OF Q4 2014, 183 FELLOWS WERE A PART OF ACU REGIONAL FELLOWS PROGRAMS AND GROWTH CONTINUED WITH T		
	PAKISTAN AND INDIA FELLOWS PROGRAM AS WELL AS THE RAF		
	THE +ACUMEN ONLINE LEADERSHIP WORK.		
	ACUMEN RECEIVED MORE THAN 700 APPLICATIONS FROM 110 C	OUNTRIES FOR (OUR
	NINTH CLASS OF 2015 GLOBAL FELLOWS. OUR CLASS OF 2015	HAS FIVE FEL	LOWS
	FROM NORTH AMERICA; ONE FROM SOUTH AMERICA, TWO FROM		
	EUROPE EACH; AND ONE FROM AUSTRALIA. THE CLASSES OF E	AST AFRICAN,	
	PAKISTANI AND INDIAN REGIONAL FELLOWS ARE EQUALLY DIV		
4d	Other program services (Describe in Schedule O.)		
	(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)	
4e	Total program service expenses ► 12,963,074.		
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Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

ACUMEN FUND, INC.

			Yes	No
1	Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)?			
	If "Yes," complete Schedule A	1	Х	
2	Is the organization required to complete Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors?	2	Х	
3	Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule C, Part I</i>	3		x
4	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect	4		x
5	during the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II \sim 10 the exception that receives membership dues, accessments, or	4		
5	Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule C, Part III</i>	5		x
6	Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to			
	provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I	6		X
7	Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space,			37
-	the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II	7		X
8	Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i>	8		x
9	Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability; serve as a custodian for			
	amounts not listed in Part X; or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV	9		x
10	Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent			
	endowments, or quasi-endowments? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V	10		X
11	If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable.			
а	Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? If "Yes," complete Schedule D,			
	Part VI	11a	Х	
b	Did the organization report an amount for investments - other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total			
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII	11b		Х
с	Did the organization report an amount for investments - program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total			
	assets reported in Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII	11c	Х	
d	Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in			
	Part X, line 16? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX	11d		X
е	Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X	11e		X
f	Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses		37	
	the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule D, Part X</i>	11f	Х	
12a	Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII	12a		x
b	Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year?			
	If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional	12b	Х	
13	Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? If "Yes," complete Schedule E	13		Х
14a	Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	14a	Х	
b	Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business,			
	investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000			
	or more? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV	14b	Х	
15	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any		v	
	foreign organization? If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV	15	Х	<u> </u>
16	Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to	10		x
17	or for foreign individuals? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i> Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX,	16		
17	column (A), lines 6 and 11e? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I	17		x
18	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines	- 17		<u> </u>
10	1c and 8a? If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II	18		x
19	Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? If "Yes,"			<u> </u>
-	complete Schedule G, Part III	19		x
20a	Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? If "Yes," complete Schedule H	20a		х
	If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?	20b		

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04	Did the eventiation we get more than Φ 000 of events or other assistance to any demostic eventiation or		Yes	No
21	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	21	х	
22	Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on	21	21	
22	Part IX, column (A), line 2? If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III	22		x
23	Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current	22		- 23
20	and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule J	23	х	
24a	Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the			
	last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete			
	Schedule K. If "No", go to line 25a	24a		x
b	Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?	24b		
с	Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease			
	any tax-exempt bonds?	24c		
d	Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?	24d		
25a	Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit			
	transaction with a disqualified person during the year? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I	25a		X
b	Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and			
	that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule L, Part I	25b		X
26	Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or			
	former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? If "Yes,"			
	complete Schedule L, Part II	26		X
27	Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial			
	contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member			
	of any of these persons? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III	27		X
28	Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV			
	instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions):			x
	A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28a		X
b	A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV	28b		
C	An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>	28c		x
29	Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	200	х	- 23
30	Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation	23		
00	contributions? If "Yes," complete Schedule M	30		x
31	Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations?			
•••	If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I	31		x
32	Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? If "Yes," complete			
	Schedule N, Part II	32		х
33	Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations			
	sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I	33		Х
34	Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and			
	Part V, line 1	34	Х	
35a	Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	35a	Х	
b	If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity	1		
	within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	35b	Х	
36	Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization?	1		
	If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2	36		X
37	Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization	1		37
•-	and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>	37		X
38	Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19?		х	
	Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	38	Δ	

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	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V			X
			Yes	No
1a	Enter the number reported in Box 3 of Form 1096. Enter -0- if not applicable 1a 30			
b	Enter the number of Forms W-2G included in line 1a. Enter -0- if not applicable 1b 0			
с	Did the organization comply with backup withholding rules for reportable payments to vendors and reportable gaming			
	(gambling) winnings to prize winners?	1c		
2a	Enter the number of employees reported on Form W-3, Transmittal of Wage and Tax Statements,			
	filed for the calendar year ending with or within the year covered by this return 2a 78			
b	If at least one is reported on line 2a, did the organization file all required federal employment tax returns?	2b	Х	
	Note. If the sum of lines 1a and 2a is greater than 250, you may be required to <i>e-file</i> (see instructions)			
3a	Did the organization have unrelated business gross income of \$1,000 or more during the year?	3a		X
b	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 990-T for this year? If "No," to line 3b, provide an explanation in Schedule O	3b		
	At any time during the calendar year, did the organization have an interest in, or a signature or other authority over, a			
	financial account in a foreign country (such as a bank account, securities account, or other financial account)?	4a	х	
b	If "Yes," enter the name of the foreign country: ► SEE SCHEDULE O			
	See instructions for filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114, Report of Foreign Bank and Financial Accounts (FBAR).			
5a	Was the organization a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction at any time during the tax year?	5a		X
	Did any taxable party notify the organization that it was or is a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction?	5b		X
	If "Yes," to line 5a or 5b, did the organization file Form 8886-T?	5c		
	Does the organization have annual gross receipts that are normally greater than \$100,000, and did the organization solicit			
	any contributions that were not tax deductible as charitable contributions?	6a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization include with every solicitation an express statement that such contributions or gifts			
	were not tax deductible?	6b		
7	Organizations that may receive deductible contributions under section 170(c).			
a	Did the organization receive a payment in excess of \$75 made partly as a contribution and partly for goods and services provided to the payor?	7a		X
	If "Yes," did the organization notify the donor of the value of the goods or services provided?	7b		
	Did the organization sell, exchange, or otherwise dispose of tangible personal property for which it was required			
	to file Form 8282?	7c		x
d	If "Yes," indicate the number of Forms 8282 filed during the year 7d			
	Did the organization receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract?	7e		X
f	Did the organization, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract?	7f		X
g	If the organization received a contribution of qualified intellectual property, did the organization file Form 8899 as required?	7g		
-	If the organization received a contribution of cars, boats, airplanes, or other vehicles, did the organization file a Form 1098-C?	7h		
8	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds. Did a donor advised fund maintained by the			
-	sponsoring organization have excess business holdings at any time during the year?	8		
9	Sponsoring organizations maintaining donor advised funds.			
a	Did the sponsoring organization make any taxable distributions under section 4966?	9a		
b	Did the sponsoring organization make a distribution to a donor, donor advisor, or related person?	9b		
10	Section 501(c)(7) organizations. Enter:			
a	Initiation fees and capital contributions included on Part VIII, line 12			
b	Gross receipts, included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, for public use of club facilities 10b	-		
11	Section 501(c)(12) organizations. Enter:			
a	Gross income from members or shareholders			
b	Gross income from other sources (Do not net amounts due or paid to other sources against	-		
-	amounts due or received from them.) 11b			
12a	Section 4947(a)(1) non-exempt charitable trusts. Is the organization filing Form 990 in lieu of Form 1041?	12a		
	If "Yes," enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year			
13	Section 501(c)(29) qualified nonprofit health insurance issuers.	-		
	Is the organization licensed to issue qualified health plans in more than one state?	13a		
u	Note. See the instructions for additional information the organization must report on Schedule O.	100		
h	Enter the amount of reserves the organization is required to maintain by the states in which the			
5	organization is licensed to issue qualified health plans			
~	Enter the amount of reserves on hand 13c			
14a		14a		X
	If "Yes," has it filed a Form 720 to report these payments? If "No," provide an explanation in Schedule O	14b		<u> </u>
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Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to line 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O. See instructions.

Sec	tion A. Governing Body and Management						
			1	4 - F		Yes	Ν
1 a	Enter the number of voting members of the governing body at the end of the tax year	1 a		15			
	If there are material differences in voting rights among members of the governing body, or if the governing						
	body delegated broad authority to an executive committee or similar committee, explain in Schedule O.						
b	Enter the number of voting members included in line 1a, above, who are independent	1b		14			
2	Did any officer, director, trustee, or key employee have a family relationship or a business relationsh	ip with	any other				
	officer, director, trustee, or key employee?				2	Х	
3	Did the organization delegate control over management duties customarily performed by or under the	ne dire	ct supervision	Г			Γ
	of officers, directors, or trustees, or key employees to a management company or other person?				3	Х	
4	Did the organization make any significant changes to its governing documents since the prior Form				4	Х	Γ
5	Did the organization become aware during the year of a significant diversion of the organization's as	sets?		···· [5		
6	Did the organization have members or stockholders?				6		
	Did the organization have members, stockholders, or other persons who had the power to elect or a			····	-		F
	more members of the governing body?				7a		
h	Are any governance decisions of the organization reserved to (or subject to approval by) members,			···· -	10		H
D					7b		
0	Did the organization contemporaneously document the meetings held or written actions undertaken during the year			····	10		H
8		-	-		0-	Х	
a	The governing body?	•••••		···· -	8a	X	⊢
	Each committee with authority to act on behalf of the governing body?			···· -	8b	Δ	┢
9	Is there any officer, director, trustee, or key employee listed in Part VII, Section A, who cannot be re				•		
	organization's mailing address? If "Yes," provide the names and addresses in Schedule O				9		
ec	tion B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal F	levenu	e Code.)				-
_				г		Yes	
	Did the organization have local chapters, branches, or affiliates?				10a	Х	┡
b	If "Yes," did the organization have written policies and procedures governing the activities of such of	•					
	and branches to ensure their operations are consistent with the organization's exempt purposes? $\ .$				10b	<u>X</u>	
1 1 a	Has the organization provided a complete copy of this Form 990 to all members of its governing boo	dy befo	ore filing the form	1?	11a	Х	
b	Describe in Schedule O the process, if any, used by the organization to review this Form 990.						
2a	Did the organization have a written conflict of interest policy? If "No," go to line 13			L	12a	Х	
	Were officers, directors, or trustees, and key employees required to disclose annually interests that could give ris			L	12b	Х	
с	Did the organization regularly and consistently monitor and enforce compliance with the policy? If "	Yes," a	escribe				
	in Schedule O how this was done			L	12c	Х	
13	Did the organization have a written whistleblower policy?				13	Х	
4	Did the organization have a written document retention and destruction policy?			[14	Х	
15	Did the process for determining compensation of the following persons include a review and approv						
	persons, comparability data, and contemporaneous substantiation of the deliberation and decision						
а	The organization's CEO, Executive Director, or top management official			- 1	15a	Х	
	Other officers or key employees of the organization				15b	Х	F
~	If "Yes" to line 15a or 15b, describe the process in Schedule O (see instructions).			····			F
62	Did the organization invest in, contribute assets to, or participate in a joint venture or similar arrange	ment	with a				
-u	taxable entity during the year?			- 1	16a		
h	If "Yes," did the organization follow a written policy or procedure requiring the organization to evaluate			····	104		
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	in joint venture arrangements under applicable federal tax law, and take steps to safeguard the orga				104		
00	exempt status with respect to such arrangements?				16b		L
		гт т	יד				
17	List the states with which a copy of this Form 990 is required to be filed \blacktriangleright CA , NY , MA , DC ,						
18	Section 6104 requires an organization to make its Forms 1023 (or 1024 if applicable), 990, and 990-	I (Sec	tion 501(c)(3)s oi	nly) av	ailab	le	
	for public inspection. Indicate how you made these available. Check all that apply.						
	X Own website Another's website Upon request Other (explain						
9	Describe in Schedule O whether (and if so, how) the organization made its governing documents, co	onflict	of interest policy	, and	finan	cial	
	statements available to the public during the tax year.						
20	State the name, address, and telephone number of the person who possesses the organization's b						
	AMRITA BHANDARI, CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER - 646-74	/-36	87				
	76 NINTH AVENUE, SUITE 315, NEW YORK, NY 10011						
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Part VII	Compensation of Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, Highest Compensated	
	Employees, and Independent Contractors	

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VII

Section A. Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees

1a Complete this table for all persons required to be listed. Report compensation for the calendar year ending with or within the organization's tax year.

• List all of the organization's **current** officers, directors, trustees (whether individuals or organizations), regardless of amount of compensation. Enter -0- in columns (D), (E), and (F) if no compensation was paid.

• List all of the organization's current key employees, if any. See instructions for definition of "key employee."

• List the organization's five current highest compensated employees (other than an officer, director, trustee, or key employee) who received reportable compensation (Box 5 of Form W-2 and/or Box 7 of Form 1099-MISC) of more than \$100,000 from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former** officers, key employees, and highest compensated employees who received more than \$100,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

• List all of the organization's **former directors or trustees** that received, in the capacity as a former director or trustee of the organization, more than \$10,000 of reportable compensation from the organization and any related organizations.

List persons in the following order: individual trustees or directors; institutional trustees; officers; key employees; highest compensated employees; and former such persons.

(A)	(B)	(C)					(D)	(E)	(F)	
Name and Title	Average	(do		Posi			one	Reportable	Reportable	Estimated
	hours per	box	(do not check mor box, unless persor					compensation	compensation	amount of
	week			uau	reciu	n/uus	(ee)	. from	from related	other
	(list any	Individual trustee or director						the	organizations	compensation
	hours for related	e or d	tee			sated		organization (W-2/1099-MISC)	(W-2/1099-MISC)	from the organization
	organizations	truste	al trus		yee	mpen		(** 2/ 1000 10100)		and related
	below	id ual 1	Institutional trustee	ar	Key employee	est co o yee	er			organizations
	line)	Indiv	In stit	Officer	Keye	Highest compensated employee	Former			-
(1) JACQUELINE NOVOGRATZ	40.00									
CEO & DIRECTOR	1.00	Х		Х				302,727.	0.	25,186.
(2) ROBERT H. NIEHAUS	1.00									
BOARD CHAIR		Х		Х				0.	0.	0.
(3) ALI J. SIDDIQUI	1.00									
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(4) ANDREA SOROS COLOMBEL, DIRECTOR	1.00									
THROUGH JULY 2014		Х						0.	0.	0.
(5) DAVID HELLER	1.00									
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(6) GV PRASAD	1.00									
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(7) JOSEPH E. STIGLITZ	1.00									_
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(8) JULIUS GAUDIO	1.00									-
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(9) KEN OFORI-ATTA	1.00									•
DIRECTOR		Х						0.	0.	0.
(10) MICHAEL E. NOVOGRATZ	1.00									•
DIRECTOR	1 00	X						0.	0.	0.
(11) NAVEED RIAZ	1.00									•
DIRECTOR	1 00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(12) PAT MITCHELL	1.00	37						0		0
DIRECTOR	1 00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(13) SHAIZA RIZAVI	1.00	v						0.	0.	0
DIRECTOR	1 00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(14) STUART DAVIDSON	1.00	v						0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR	1.00	Х						0.	0.	0.
(15) THULASIRAJ RAVILLA	1.00	x						0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR (16) WILLIAM E MAYER	1.00	^						0.	0.	0.
	1.00	x						0.	0.	0.
DIRECTOR (17) CARLYLE JONES	40.00	^						0.	0.	0.
(17) CARLYLE JONES CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	1.00			х				236,885.	0.	16,689.
	L T.00			Δ				20,000.	0.	Form 990 (2014)
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Part VII Section A. Officers, Directors, Trus		ploy	/ees			ighe	st C						
(A)	(B)			•	C)			(D)	(E)			(F)	
Name and title	Average hours per	(do	not c	heck	itior more	than	one	Reportable Reportable				imateo	
	week					is bot pr/trus		compensation from	compensatio from related			ount c ther	1Ť
	(list any	to						the	organization		comp		ion
	hours for	direc				p			(W-2/1099-MIS			m the	
	related	tee or	istee			ensate		(W-2/1099-MISC)	,	,	orga	nizatio	on
	organizations	Individual trustee or director	Institutional trustee		oyee	Highest compensated employee					and	relate	; d
	below	vidua	itutio	Officer	ƙey employee	hest c oloyee	ner				orgar	nizatio	ns
	line)	Indi	Inst	0Ħi	Key	Hig	For						
(18) ALEXANDER DICHTER	40.00	4						000 640			~ ~ ~		
CHIEF INNOVATION OFFICER	1.00			X				200,643.		0.	29	,84	12.
(19) AMRITA BHANDARI	40.00	4						150 200					. 4
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	40.00			X				150,388.		0.	4	,88	34.
(20) SACHINDRA RUDRA	40.00	4						122 517			-	0	די
CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER				X				133,517.		0.	/	,90)/.
(21) LYNN ROLAND	40.00	4				37		175 000					12
GENERAL COUNSEL	1.00					X		175,022.		0.	3	,62	<u> </u>
(22) MARIBETH CARROLL	40.00	4						165 120			1 0	61	. ^
DIRECTOR OF TALENT	10 00					X		165,138.		0.	12	,61	<u> </u>
(23) YASMINA ZAIDMAN	40.00	4				x		162 246		ο.		20	- 0
DIRECTOR OF STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS	40.00					<u> </u>		163,246.		0.	2	,26	
(24) SHUAIB SIDDIQUI DIRECTOR OF PORTFOLIO	40.00	-				x		154,797.		ο.	1 0	,78	20
(25) BATOOL HASSAN	40.00							134,191.		<u> </u>	12	,,,,	
DIRECTOR OF FELLOWS	40.00	1				x		135,892.		ο.	13	,11	8
DIRECTOR OF FEILIOWS								135,052.		<u> </u>		,	
		1											
1b Sub-total								1,818,255.		0.	133	,91	6.
c Total from continuation sheets to Part V								0.		0.		15-	0.
d Total (add lines 1b and 1c)								1,818,255.		0.	133	,91	
2 Total number of individuals (including but r									000 of reportabl	-		70-	
compensation from the organization		1000		Juu		0,	10 1			0			13
												Yes	No
3 Did the organization list any former officer,	director, or tru	uste	e, ke	ey er	mplo	oyee	, or	highest compensated er	mployee on				
line 1a? If "Yes," complete Schedule J for s	such individual				•			• •			3		Х
4 For any individual listed on line 1a, is the su													
and related organizations greater than \$15	0,000? If "Yes,	" cc	mple	ete S	Sche	edule	ə J i	for such individual	-		4	X	
5 Did any person listed on line 1a receive or a	accrue compe	nsat	ion f	rom	n any	/ unr	elat	ted organization or indivi	dual for services				
rendered to the organization? If "Yes," corr	plete Schedul	e J i	for si	uch	pers	son .					5		Х
Section B. Independent Contractors													
1 Complete this table for your five highest co	mpensated in	dep	ende	ent c	cont	racto	ors	that received more than	\$100,000 of com	ipensa	ation fr	om	
the organization. Report compensation for	the calendar y	ear	endi	ng v	with	or w	ithi	n the organization's tax y	/ear.				
(A)								(B)		-	(C)		
Name and business			~ = /					Description of s	ervices	C	ompen	sation	í
CAMBRIDGE LEADERSHIP ASS		•			NE:	ST					4		
30TH STREET, 16TH FLOOR,	NEW YOR	ĸκ	, ſ	NΥ			_	LEADERSHIP T	RAINING		155	,67	17.
O'CONNOR DAVIES, LLP		1 0	• • •	`							100		•••
665 FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YO	RK, NY .		0 4 4	2			_	AUDIT/TAX SE	RVICES		102	,40	10.
							_						
							_						
2 Total number of independent contractors (including but p	not li	mito	d to	tho	وم اند	ster	d above) who received m	ore than				
\$100,000 of compensation from the organi				0		2 2							

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Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII (B) (C) (D) Revenue excluded (A) Unrelated Related or Total revenue from tax under exempt function business sections 512 - 514 revenue revenue Contributions, Gifts, Grants and Other Similar Amounts **1** a Federated campaigns 1a b Membership dues 1b c Fundraising events 1c d Related organizations 1d 1e е Government grants (contributions) f All other contributions, gifts, grants, and similar amounts not included above 18,371,359 1,741,950 **g** Noncash contributions included in lines 1a-1f: \$ 18,371,359 h Total. Add lines 1a-1f ► Business Code 2 a PGM RELATED LOAN INC Program Service Revenue 900099 482,257 482,257 PORTFOLIO MGMT FEE 900099 261,196 261,196 b С d е f All other program service revenue 743,453, g Total. Add lines 2a-2f ► Investment income (including dividends, interest, and 3 56,006 56,006. other similar amounts) ► 4 Income from investment of tax-exempt bond proceeds 5,513. 5,513. 5 Royalties ► (i) Real (ii) Personal 6 a Gross rents b Less: rental expenses c Rental income or (loss) ► d Net rental income or (loss) . 7 a Gross amount from sales of (i) Securities (ii) Other 392,142 assets other than inventory b Less: cost or other basis 841,625 and sales expenses -449,483. **c** Gain or (loss) -449,483. -449,483 d Net gain or (loss) ► 8 a Gross income from fundraising events (not Revenue of including \$ contributions reported on line 1c). See Part IV, line 18a Other **b** Less: direct expenses b c Net income or (loss) from fundraising events 9 a Gross income from gaming activities. See Part IV, line 19 a **b** Less: direct expenses c Net income or (loss) from gaming activities ► 10 a Gross sales of inventory, less returns and allowances **b** Less: cost of goods sold b c Net income or (loss) from sales of inventory ► Miscellaneous Revenue Business Code 11 a LOAN CLOSING FEES 900099 4,739 4,739, 900099 OTHER INCOME 343 343. b С d All other revenue 5,082 e Total. Add lines 11a-11d ► 18,731,930, 66,601. Total revenue. See instructions. 293,970, 0 12 432009 11-07-14 Form 990 (2014)

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Sect	ion 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must com	plete all columns. All oth	ner organizations must co	omplete column (A).	
	Check if Schedule O contains a respor	nse or note to any line in			X
Do 1 7b,	not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1	Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21	124,995.	124,995.		
2	Grants and other assistance to domestic	124,555.	124,555.		
	individuals. See Part IV, line 22				
3	Grants and other assistance to foreign				
	organizations, foreign governments, and foreign				
	individuals. See Part IV, lines 15 and 16	850,309.	850,309.		
4	Benefits paid to or for members				
5	Compensation of current officers, directors,	1 100 666	600 070	212 069	21E C20
	trustees, and key employees	1,108,666.	680,070.	212,968.	215,628.
6	Compensation not included above, to disqualified				
	persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B)				
7	Other salaries and wages	5,118,742.	3,092,211.	1,075,715.	950,816.
8	Pension plan accruals and contributions (include	-,,,	-,	_, , , ±0 •	2007010
5	section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions)	81,822.	44,309.	24,117.	13,396.
9	Other employee benefits	689,983.		238,080.	79,197.
10	Payroll taxes	452,895.	276,127.	89,404.	87,364.
11	Fees for services (non-employees):				
а	Management				
b	Legal	127,609.		68,938.	47.
с	Accounting	130,286.	68,954.	36,146.	25,186.
d	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,				
е	Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17				
f	Investment management fees				
g	Other. (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25,	2 000 407	2 640 024	94,983.	72,580.
	column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Sch O.)	2,808,487. 13,360.		1,762.	4,171.
12	Advertising and promotion	357,553.		27,680.	99,313.
13 14	Office expenses Information technology	107,444.	27,181.	77,394.	2,869.
14	Royalties	10771110	2772020		270050
16	Occupancy	155,093.	116,520.	19,373.	19,200.
17	Travel	714,637.	539,140.	74,916.	100,581.
18	Payments of travel or entertainment expenses				
	for any federal, state, or local public officials				
19	Conferences, conventions, and meetings	331,944.	167,592.	36,000.	128,352.
20	Interest				
21	Payments to affiliates		41 605	14 405	4 4 4 4 4 4
22	Depreciation, depletion, and amortization	70,082.	41,697.	14,195.	14,190.
23		21,964.	19,984.	351.	1,629.
24	Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above. (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule 0.)				
а	PROV FOR PORTFOLIO LOSS	3,596,364.	3,596,364.		
a b	CORPORATE TAXES	7,380.			
c	FOREIGN CURRENCY LOSS	1,934.	,	1,934.	
d					
е	All other expenses				
25	Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e	16,871,549.	12,963,074.	2,093,956.	1,814,519.
26	Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization				
	reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined				
	educational campaign and fundraising solicitation.				
	Check here if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				Earm 990 (2014)

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					Beginning of year		End of year
	1	Cash - non-interest-bearing			3,394,792.	1	53,572.
	2	Savings and temporary cash investments			41,517,716.	2	41,646,098.
	3	Pledges and grants receivable, net			13,085,600.	3	16,536,895.
	4	Accounts receivable, net			698,924.	4	1,263,102.
	5	Loans and other receivables from current and for			-		
		trustees, key employees, and highest compensation					
		Part II of Schedule L		5			
	6	Loans and other receivables from other disqualit					
	ľ	section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section	-				
		employers and sponsoring organizations of sect					
ß		employees' beneficiary organizations (see instr).				6	
Assets	7	Notes and loans receivable, net				7	
As	8	Inventories for sale or use				8	
	9				117,325.	9	105,951.
		Land, buildings, and equipment: cost or other				5	100,0011
	IUa	basis. Complete Part VI of Schedule D	102	834,513.			
	h	Less: accumulated depreciation			158,842.	10c	116,343.
	11	Investments - publicly traded securities				11	
	12	Investments - other securities. See Part IV, line 1			500,959.	12	500,959.
	13	Investments - program-related. See Part IV, line			34,702,645.	13	35,872,479.
	14	Intangible assets			51,702,0130	14	33707271731
	15				391,304.	15	468,536.
	16	Other assets. See Part IV, line 11 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equa			94,568,107.	16	96,563,935.
	17	Accounts payable and accrued expenses			761,160.	17	1,246,537.
	18	Grants payable			,01,1000	18	1/210/00/1
	19					19	
	20	Deferred revenue				20	
	20	Tax-exempt bond liabilities Escrow or custodial account liability. Complete F				20	
	21					21	
tie	~~	Loans and other payables to current and former					
Liabilities		key employees, highest compensated employee				22	
Lia	22	Complete Part II of Schedule L Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrela				22	
	23 24	Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated		F		23	
	24 25	Other liabilities (including federal income tax, pa				24	
	25	parties, and other liabilities not included on lines					
						25	
	26	Schedule D Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25			761,160.	26	1,246,537.
	20	Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958		ok horo X and	,01,1000	20	1/210/00/1
s		complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 an					
lce	27	Unrestricted net assets			71,068,330.	27	70,062,897.
alar	28	Temporarily restricted net assets			22,738,617.	28	25,254,501.
Fund Balances	29					29	
oun	25	Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (A		8) check here		25	
or F		and complete lines 30 through 34.	50 55				
ts c	30	Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds				30	
sse	31	Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building, or eq				31	
Net Assets	32	Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated in				32	
Ne	33	Total net assets or fund balances			93,806,947.	33	95,317,398.
	34	Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances			94,568,107.		96,563,935.
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(A) Beginning of year **(B)** End of year

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Part X Balance Sheet Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part X

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Pa	rt XI Reconciliation of Net Assets				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI				X
1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	18,73		
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	16,871		
3	Revenue less expenses. Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	1,860		
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	93,800	5,9	47.
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5			
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	-360),4	62.
7	Investment expenses	7			
8	Prior period adjustments	8			
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	10),5	32.
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year. Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33,				
_	column (B))	10	95,31	7,3	98.
Pa	rt XII Financial Statements and Reporting				
	Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII				X
				Yes	No
1	Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990: Cash X Accrual Other		_		
	If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule				
2a	Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant?		2a		X
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed	d on a			
	separate basis, consolidated basis, or both:				
	Separate basis Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis				
b	Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant?		2b	Х	
	If "Yes," check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separat	e basis,			
	consolidated basis, or both:				
	Separate basis X Consolidated basis Both consolidated and separate basis				
С	If "Yes" to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the				
	review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant?		2c	X	
	If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Sch				
3a	As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Si	ngle Audit			
	Act and OMB Circular A-133?		3a		X
b	If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the requ				
	or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits				

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Public Charity Status and Public Support Complete if the organization is a section 501(c)(3) organization or a section

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust. Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.

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Information about Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Nai	ne of t	the organization						Employer	identification number
			EN FUND, I						3-4166228
Pa	irt I	Reason for Public (Charity Status (/	All organizations must c	omplete th	is part.) Se	e instructions	6.	
The	organ	ization is not a private found	lation because it is: ((For lines 1 through 11,	check only	one box.)			
1		A church, convention of ch	urches, or associatio	on of churches describe	d in sectio	n 170(b)(1	I)(A)(i).		
2		A school described in sect	ion 170(b)(1)(A)(ii).	Attach Schedule E.)					
3		A hospital or a cooperative			ection 170)(b)(1)(A)(ii	ii).		
4		A medical research organiz)(iii). Enter	the hospital's name,
		city, and state:	·						• •
5		An organization operated for	or the benefit of a co	llege or university owne	d or opera	ted by a g	overnmental u	unit descrit	bed in
		section 170(b)(1)(A)(iv). (C		0 ,		, ,			
6		A federal, state, or local gov		mental unit described in	section 17	70(b)(1)(A)	(v).		
7	X	An organization that norma						he general	public described in
•		section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi). (C			lioni a gov	ommonitai		no genera	
8		A community trust describe			+ 11)				
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		income and unrelated busir							
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11	\square	An organization organized a	-	•	•			arry out the	purposes of one or
•••		more publicly supported or	-	-	-			•	
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Part II Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Sections 170(b)(1)(A)(iv) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 5, 7, or 8 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part III. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part III.)

Se	ction A. Public Support						
Cale	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 2014	(f) Total
1	Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")	12,948,757.	18,154,356.	9,171,604.	15,276,219.	18,371,359.	73,922,295.
2	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
3	The value of services or facilities						
-	furnished by a governmental unit to						
	the organization without charge						
4	Total. Add lines 1 through 3	12,948,757.	18,154,356.	9,171,604.	15,276,219.	18,371,359.	73,922,295.
	The portion of total contributions	, , -	, , -	, , , -	, , -	, , , -	, , -
Ŭ	by each person (other than a						
	governmental unit or publicly						
	supported organization) included						
	on line 1 that exceeds 2% of the						
	amount shown on line 11,						
	a a lumana (f)						11,873,925.
6	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						62,048,370.
	Public support. Subtract line 5 from line 4. ction B. Total Support						02,040,370.
	indar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2010	(b) 0011	(a) 2012	(4) 2012	(a) 2014	
	Amounts from line 4	(a) 2010 12,948,757.	(b) 2011 18,154,356.	(c)2012 9,171,604.	(d) 2013 15,276,219.	(e) 2014 18,371,359.	(f) Total 73,922,295.
		12,540,757.	10,134,330.	5,171,004.	15,270,215.	10,371,335.	15,522,255.
8	Gross income from interest,						
	dividends, payments received on						
	securities loans, rents, royalties	156 721	194,871.	116,788.	75,451.	61,519.	605,350.
	and income from similar sources	130,721.	194,071.	110,700.	/J,4JI.	01,319.	005,550.
9	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities, whether or not the						
	business is regularly carried on						
10	Other income. Do not include gain						
	or loss from the sale of capital	20.020		100 104		F 000	000 1 6 1
	assets (Explain in Part VI.)	38,230.	27,645.	122,124.	79,080.	5,082.	272,161.
	Total support. Add lines 7 through 10						74,799,806.
	Gross receipts from related activities,	· ·	,				,729,018.
13	First five years. If the Form 990 is for	-	s first, second, thir	d, fourth, or fifth ta	x year as a sectio	n 501(c)(3)	
0-	organization, check this box and stor	here					
	ction C. Computation of Publ						00.05
	Public support percentage for 2014 (14	82.95 %
	Public support percentage from 2013					15	87.72 %
16 a	33 1/3% support test - 2014. If the c	organization did no	t check the box or	n line 13, and line ⁻	14 is 33 1/3% or n	nore, check this bo	
	stop here. The organization qualifies	. ,	•				► X
b	33 1/3% support test - 2013. If the c						
	and stop here. The organization qual						
17a	10% -facts-and-circumstances tes	t - 2014. If the org	anization did not c	heck a box on line	13, 16a, or 16b, a	and line 14 is 10%	or more,
	and if the organization meets the "fac	ts-and-circumstan	ces" test, check th	nis box and stop h	ere. Explain in Pa	t VI how the organ	ization
	meets the "facts-and-circumstances"	test. The organiza	tion qualifies as a	publicly supported	l organization		▶□
b	10% -facts-and-circumstances tes	t - 2013. If the org	anization did not c	heck a box on line	13, 16a, 16b, or ⁻	17a, and line 15 is	10% or
	more, and if the organization meets the	ne "facts-and-circu	mstances" test, cł	neck this box and s	stop here. Explain	in Part VI how the	
	organization meets the "facts-and-cire	cumstances" test.	The organization o	qualifies as a public	cly supported orga	anization	
18	Private foundation. If the organization	n did not check a	box on line 13, <u>16</u>	a, 16b, 17a, or 17b	, check this box a	nd see instruction	s ►
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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

Part III Support Schedule for Organizations Described in Section 509(a)(2)

(Complete only if you checked the box on line 9 of Part I or if the organization failed to qualify under Part II. If the organization fails to qualify under the tests listed below, please complete Part II.)

1	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) ►	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 201	4 (f) Total
	Gifts, grants, contributions, and						
	membership fees received. (Do not						
	include any "unusual grants.")						
	Gross receipts from admissions, merchandise sold or services per-						
	formed, or facilities furnished in any activity that is related to the organization's tax-exempt purpose						
3	Gross receipts from activities that						
	are not an unrelated trade or bus-						
	iness under section 513						
4	Tax revenues levied for the organ-						
	ization's benefit and either paid to						
	or expended on its behalf						
5	The value of services or facilities						
	furnished by a governmental unit to						
	the organization without charge						
	Total. Add lines 1 through 5						
	Amounts included on lines 1, 2, and					1	
	3 received from disgualified persons						
b	Amounts included on lines 2 and 3 received						
	from other than disqualified persons that exceed the greater of \$5,000 or 1% of the amount on line 13 for the year						
с	Add lines 7a and 7b						
	Public support (Subtract line 7c from line 6.)						
Sec	tion B. Total Support						
	ndar year (or fiscal year beginning in) 🕨	(a) 2010	(b) 2011	(c) 2012	(d) 2013	(e) 201	4 (f) Total
	Amounts from line 6						
	Gross income from interest, dividends, payments received on securities loans, rents, royalties and income from similar sources						
b	Unrelated business taxable income						
	(less section 511 taxes) from businesses						
	acquired after June 30, 1975						
	Add lines 10a and 10b						
	Net income from unrelated business						
	activities not included in line 10b, whether or not the business is regularly carried on						
12	whether or not the business is regularly carried on Other income. Do not include gain or loss from the sale of capital						
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Part IV Supporting Organizations

(Complete only if you checked a box on line 11 of Part I. If you checked 11a of Part I, complete Sections A and B. If you checked 11b of Part I, complete Sections A and C. If you checked 11c of Part I, complete Sections A, D, and E. If you checked 11d of Part I, complete Sections A and D, and complete Part V.)

Section A. All Supporting Organizations

- 1 Are all of the organization's supported organizations listed by name in the organization's governing documents? If "No" describe in *Part VI* how the supported organizations are designated. If designated by class or purpose, describe the designation. If historic and continuing relationship, explain.
- 2 Did the organization have any supported organization that does not have an IRS determination of status under section 509(a)(1) or (2)? If "Yes," explain in *Part VI* how the organization determined that the supported organization was described in section 509(a)(1) or (2).
- **3a** Did the organization have a supported organization described in section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6)? *If* "Yes," *answer* (*b*) *and* (*c*) *below.*
- **b** Did the organization confirm that each supported organization qualified under section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) and satisfied the public support tests under section 509(a)(2)? If "Yes," describe in *Part VI* when and how the organization made the determination.
- c Did the organization ensure that all support to such organizations was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)
 (B) purposes? If "Yes," explain in *Part VI* what controls the organization put in place to ensure such use.
- **4a** Was any supported organization not organized in the United States ("foreign supported organization")? *If* "Yes" *and if you checked 11a or 11b in Part I, answer (b) and (c) below.*
- **b** Did the organization have ultimate control and discretion in deciding whether to make grants to the foreign supported organization? *If* "Yes," *describe in* **Part VI** *how the organization had such control and discretion despite being controlled or supervised by or in connection with its supported organizations.*
- **c** Did the organization support any foreign supported organization that does not have an IRS determination under sections 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(1) or (2)? *If* "Yes," *explain in Part VI what controls the organization used to ensure that all support to the foreign supported organization was used exclusively for section 170(c)(2)(B) purposes.*
- 5a Did the organization add, substitute, or remove any supported organizations during the tax year? If "Yes," answer (b) and (c) below (if applicable). Also, provide detail in Part VI, including (i) the names and EIN numbers of the supported organizations added, substituted, or removed, (ii) the reasons for each such action, (iii) the authority under the organization's organizing document authorizing such action, and (iv) how the action was accomplished (such as by amendment to the organizing document).
- **b Type I or Type II only.** Was any added or substituted supported organization part of a class already designated in the organization's organizing document?
- c Substitutions only. Was the substitution the result of an event beyond the organization's control?
- 6 Did the organization provide support (whether in the form of grants or the provision of services or facilities) to anyone other than (a) its supported organizations; (b) individuals that are part of the charitable class benefited by one or more of its supported organizations; or (c) other supporting organizations that also support or benefit one or more of the filing organization's supported organizations? *If* "Yes," *provide detail in Part VI.*
- 7 Did the organization provide a grant, Ioan, compensation, or other similar payment to a substantial contributor (defined in IRC 4958(c)(3)(C)), a family member of a substantial contributor, or a 35-percent controlled entity with regard to a substantial contributor? *If* "Yes," *complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).*
- 8 Did the organization make a loan to a disqualified person (as defined in section 4958) not described in line 7? *If "Yes," complete Part I of Schedule L (Form 990).*
- **9a** Was the organization controlled directly or indirectly at any time during the tax year by one or more disqualified persons as defined in section 4946 (other than foundation managers and organizations described in section 509(a)(1) or (2))? *If* "*Yes*," *provide detail in Part VI.*
- **b** Did one or more disqualified persons (as defined in line 9(a)) hold a controlling interest in any entity in which the supporting organization had an interest? *If* "Yes," *provide detail in* **Part VI.**
- **c** Did a disqualified person (as defined in line 9(a)) have an ownership interest in, or derive any personal benefit from, assets in which the supporting organization also had an interest? *If* "Yes," *provide detail in* **Part VI**.
- **10a** Was the organization subject to the excess business holdings rules of IRC 4943 because of IRC 4943(f) (regarding certain Type II supporting organizations, and all Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations)? *If* "Yes," *answer* (*b*) *below.*
 - **b** Did the organization have any excess business holdings in the tax year? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine whether the organization had excess business holdings.)

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			Yes	No
11	Has the organization accepted a gift or contribution from any of the following persons?			110
	A person who directly or indirectly controls, either alone or together with persons described in (b) and (c)			
· ·	below, the governing body of a supported organization?	11a		
F	A family member of a person described in (a) above?	11b		
	A 35% controlled entity of a person described in (a) or (b) above? If "Yes" to a, b, or c, provide detail in Part VI.	11c		
	tion B. Type I Supporting Organizations			
000			Yes	No
1	Did the directors, trustees, or membership of one or more supported organizations have the power to		103	
•	regularly appoint or elect at least a majority of the organization's directors or trustees at all times during the			
	tax year? If "No," describe in Part VI how the supported organization(s) effectively operated, supervised, or			
	controlled the organization's activities. If the organization had more than one supported organization,			
	describe how the powers to appoint and/or remove directors or trustees were allocated among the supported			
•	organizations and what conditions or restrictions, if any, applied to such powers during the tax year.	1		
2	Did the organization operate for the benefit of any supported organization other than the supported			
	organization(s) that operated, supervised, or controlled the supporting organization? If "Yes," explain in			
	Part VI how providing such benefit carried out the purposes of the supported organization(s) that operated,			
_	supervised, or controlled the supporting organization.	2		
Se	ction C. Type II Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Were a majority of the organization's directors or trustees during the tax year also a majority of the directors			
	or trustees of each of the organization's supported organization(s)? If "No," describe in Part VI how control			
	or management of the supporting organization was vested in the same persons that controlled or managed			
	the supported organization(s).	1		
Se	ction D. Type III Supporting Organizations			
			Yes	No
1	Did the organization provide to each of its supported organizations, by the last day of the fifth month of the			
	organization's tax year, (1) a written notice describing the type and amount of support provided during the prior tax			
	year, (2) a copy of the Form 990 that was most recently filed as of the date of notification, and (3) copies of the			
	organization's governing documents in effect on the date of notification, to the extent not previously provided?	1		
2	Were any of the organization's officers, directors, or trustees either (i) appointed or elected by the supported			
	organization(s) or (ii) serving on the governing body of a supported organization? If "No," explain in Part VI how			
	the organization maintained a close and continuous working relationship with the supported organization(s).	2		
3	By reason of the relationship described in (2), did the organization's supported organizations have a			
	significant voice in the organization's investment policies and in directing the use of the organization's			
	income or assets at all times during the tax year? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role the organization's			
	supported organizations played in this regard.	3		
Se	ction E. Type III Functionally-Integrated Supporting Organizations			
1	Check the box next to the method that the organization used to satisfy the Integral Part Test during the year(see instructions)	:		
a	The organization satisfied the Activities Test. Complete line 2 below.			
b	The organization is the parent of each of its supported organizations. Complete line 3 below.			
c	E L The organization supported a governmental entity. Describe in Part VI how you supported a government entity (see ins	tructions	;).	
2	Activities Test. Answer (a) and (b) below.		Yes	No
a	Did substantially all of the organization's activities during the tax year directly further the exempt purposes of			
	the supported organization(s) to which the organization was responsive? If "Yes," then in Part VI identify			
	those supported organizations and explain how these activities directly furthered their exempt purposes,			
	how the organization was responsive to those supported organizations, and how the organization determined			
	that these activities constituted substantially all of its activities.	2a		
b	Did the activities described in (a) constitute activities that, but for the organization's involvement, one or more			
	of the organization's supported organization(s) would have been engaged in? If "Yes," explain in Part VI the			
	reasons for the organization's position that its supported organization(s) would have engaged in these			
	activities but for the organization's involvement.	2b		
3	Parent of Supported Organizations. Answer (a) and (b) below.			
a	Did the organization have the power to regularly appoint or elect a majority of the officers, directors, or			
	trustees of each of the supported organizations? Provide details in <i>Part VI</i> .	3a		
b	Did the organization exercise a substantial degree of direction over the policies, programs, and activities of each			
	of its supported organizations? If "Yes," describe in Part VI the role played by the organization in this regard.	Зb		
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Part V Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509(a)(3) Supporting Organizations Check here if the organization satisfied the Integral Part Test as a qualifying trust on Nov. 20, 1970. See instructions. All other Type III non-functionally integrated supporting organizations must complete Sections A through E.

ection A - Adjusted Net Income		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Net short-term capital gain	1		
2 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	2		
3 Other gross income (see instructions)	3		
4 Add lines 1 through 3	4		
5 Depreciation and depletion	5		
6 Portion of operating expenses paid or incurred for produ	uction or		
collection of gross income or for management, conserva	tion, or		
maintenance of property held for production of income (see instructions) 6		
7 Other expenses (see instructions)	7		
8 Adjusted Net Income (subtract lines 5, 6 and 7 from line	e 4) 8		
Section B - Minimum Asset Amount		(A) Prior Year	(B) Current Year (optional)
1 Aggregate fair market value of all non-exempt-use assets	s (see		
instructions for short tax year or assets held for part of y	rear):		
a Average monthly value of securities	1a		
b Average monthly cash balances	1b		
c Fair market value of other non-exempt-use assets	1c		
d Total (add lines 1a, 1b, and 1c)	1d		
e Discount claimed for blockage or other			
factors (explain in detail in Part VI):			
2 Acquisition indebtedness applicable to non-exempt-use	assets 2		
3 Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3		
4 Cash deemed held for exempt use. Enter 1-1/2% of line	3 (for greater amount,		
see instructions).	4		
5 Net value of non-exempt-use assets (subtract line 4 from	n line 3) 5		
6 Multiply line 5 by .035	6		
7 Recoveries of prior-year distributions	7		
8 Minimum Asset Amount (add line 7 to line 6)	8		
Section C - Distributable Amount			Current Year
1 Adjusted net income for prior year (from Section A, line 8	3, Column A) 1		
2 Enter 85% of line 1	2		
3 Minimum asset amount for prior year (from Section B, lir	ne 8, Column A) 3		
4 Enter greater of line 2 or line 3	4		
5 Income tax imposed in prior year	5		
6 Distributable Amount. Subtract line 5 from line 4, unles	s subject to		
emergency temporary reduction (see instructions)	6		
7 Check here if the current year is the organization's	first as a non-functionally-integra	ated Type III supporting or	ganization (see

instructions).

Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

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Par	Type III Non-Functionally Integrated 509	9(a)(3) Supporting Orga	anizations (continued)	
Sect	ion D - Distributions		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Current Year
1	Amounts paid to supported organizations to accomplish exe	empt purposes		
2	Amounts paid to perform activity that directly furthers exem			
	organizations, in excess of income from activity			
3	Administrative expenses paid to accomplish exempt purpos			
4	Amounts paid to acquire exempt-use assets			
5	Qualified set-aside amounts (prior IRS approval required)			
6	Other distributions (describe in Part VI). See instructions.			
7	Total annual distributions. Add lines 1 through 6.			
8	Distributions to attentive supported organizations to which t	the organization is responsive	9	
	(provide details in Part VI). See instructions.			
9	Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6			
10	Line 8 amount divided by Line 9 amount			
		(i)	(ii)	(iii)
Secti	ion E - Distribution Allocations (see instructions)	Excess Distributions	Underdistributions	Distributable
			Pre-2014	Amount for 2014
1	Distributable amount for 2014 from Section C, line 6			
2	Underdistributions, if any, for years prior to 2014			
	(reasonable cause required-see instructions)			
3	Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2014:			
a				
b				
C				
d				
	From 2013			
-	Total of lines 3a through e			
	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
	Applied to 2014 distributable amount			
	Carryover from 2009 not applied (see instructions)			
	Remainder. Subtract lines 3g, 3h, and 3i from 3f.			
4	Distributions for 2014 from Section D,			
	line 7: \$			
-	Applied to underdistributions of prior years			
	Applied to 2014 distributable amount Remainder. Subtract lines 4a and 4b from 4.			
-	Remaining underdistributions for years prior to 2014, if			
5	any. Subtract lines 3g and 4a from line 2 (if amount			
	greater than zero, see instructions).			
6	Remaining underdistributions for 2014. Subtract lines 3h			
0	and 4b from line 1 (if amount greater than zero, see			
	instructions).			
7	Excess distributions carryover to 2015. Add lines 3j			
	and 4c.			
8	Breakdown of line 7:			
a				
b				
 C				
-	Excess from 2013			
	Excess from 2014			
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Schedule A (Form 990 or 990-EZ) 2014

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Image: A from 990 or 990 E2/ 2014 ACUMEN FUND, INC. Image: A from 990 or 990 E2/ 2014 ACUMEN Fund. Also complete this part for any additional information. (See instructions). EDULE A, PART II, LINE 10, EXPLANATION FOR OTHER INCOM SR INCOME D AMOUNT: \$ 38,230. 1 AMOUNT: \$ 1,770. 2 AMOUNT: \$ 10,140. 3 AMOUNT: \$ 450. 4 AMOUNT: \$ 343. AKER FEE 1 AMOUNT: \$ 25,875. 2 AMOUNT: \$ 42,658. BIGIN CURRENCY GAIN/LOSS 2 AMOUNT: \$ 78,004. 3 AMOUNT: \$ 4,739.		
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Schedule of Contributors

 Attach to Form 990, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF.
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Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF)
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization

Organization type (check one):

ACUMEN FUND, INC.

Section:
\fbox 501(c)(3) (enter number) organization
4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation
527 political organization
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

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 property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II. See instructions for determining a contributor's total contributions.

Special Rules

X 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.

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 990-PF, Part I, line 2, to certify that it does not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).

LHA For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF. Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF) (2014)

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Name of organization

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ACUMEN FUND, INC.

Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if addition	nal space is needed.	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1		\$ <u>375,000.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
2		\$ <u>500,000.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
3		\$410,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
4		\$500,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
5		\$ <u>666,667.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
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Name of organization

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Part I	Contributors (see instructions). Use duplicate copies of Part I if addition	al space is needed.	
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
7		\$ <u>1,000,000.</u>	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
8		\$1,000,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
9		\$1,200,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$ 1,527,766.	Person Payroll Noncash X (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
		\$5,000,000.	Person X Payroll Noncash (Complete Part II for noncash contributions.)
(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Total contributions	(d) Type of contribution
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(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
10 2	35,000 SHARES OF ESOKO-SERIES SEED AND 218,000 SHARES OF ESOKO I SERIES A-1	\$1,527,766.	12/08/14
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
- 		\$	
(a) No. from Part I	(b) Description of noncash property given	(c) FMV (or estimate) (see instructions)	(d) Date received
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art III	Exclusively religious, charitable, etc., contri	butions to organizations describe	ed in section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) that total more than \$ lowing 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 info. once.)				
a) No.	Use duplicate copies of Part III if additional	space is needed.					
from Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is hel				
		(e) Transfer of g	jift				
	Transferee's name, address, and	d ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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	(e) Transfer of gift						
	Transferee's name, address, and	d ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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Part I	(b) Purpose of gift	(c) Use of gift	(d) Description of how gift is hel				
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		(e) Transfer of g	aift				
	Transferee's name, address, and	d ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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		(e) Transfer of g	jift				
	Transferee's name, address, and	d ZIP + 4	Relationship of transferor to transferee				
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(Forr	SCHEDULE D (Form 990) Department of the Treasury SCHEDULE D (Form 990) Department of the Treasury SCHEDULE D Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b. Attach to Form 990.					OMB No. 1545-0047 2014 Open to Public		
	ment of the Treasury I Revenue Service	Information about Schedule D (For	Attach to Form 990. m 990) and its instructions is at _{www.irs.c}	ov/form	1990.	Inspec	tion	
Nam	e of the organizati	on			mploy	er identificatio		ər
		ACUMEN FUND, INC.				13-4166		_
Pa		-	d Funds or Other Similar Funds o	or Acc	ounts	Complete if t	he	
	organizatio	n answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line	e 6. (a) Donor advised funds	(b) F	- unds a	nd other acco	unts	
1	Total number at or	ad of year		(0)	unus a		unto	—
2		nd of year f contributions to (during year)						—
3		f grants from (during year)						_
4		t end of year						—
5			writing that the assets held in donor advised	l funds				_
	are the organizatio	on's property, subject to the organization's	exclusive legal control?			🗌 Yes	N	0
6	Did the organization	on inform all grantees, donors, and donor a	dvisors in writing that grant funds can be us	sed only	/			
	for charitable purp	ooses and not for the benefit of the donor o	or donor advisor, or for any other purpose co	onferring	9			
Dec	impermissible priv					Yes	N	0
Pa			ganization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Par	t IV, line	e7.			
1		servation easements held by the organizati	· _ / · · · ·	oolly im	nortont	land area		
		n of land for public use (e.g., recreation or e If natural habitat	education) Preservation of a histori	-				
		n of open space			no struc	sture		
2		• •	ied conservation contribution in the form of	a conse	ervation	easement on	the last	
-	day of the tax year	a b 1		u 00110	orvation			
					Hel	d at the End of t	he Tax Ye	ar
а	Total number of co	onservation easements		2	a			_
b					b			
с	Number of conser	vation easements on a certified historic str	ucture included in (a)	2	с			
d	Number of conser	vation easements included in (c) acquired	after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure	e				
3		vation easements modified, transferred, re	leased, extinguished, or terminated by the o	organiza	tion du	ring the tax		
	year ►							
4		where property subject to conservation ea						
5	0	tion have a written policy regarding the per forcement of the conservation easements i	0 , 1 , 0			Yes		
6	,		and enforcing conservation easements duri			🖂 Tes		0
7			enforcing conservation easements during th					
8			ve satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)		· · _			
	and section 170(h))(4)(B)(ii)?				Yes	N	0
9			on easements in its revenue and expense s		nt, and I	balance sheet,	and	
	include, if applicat	ble, the text of the footnote to the organiza	tion's financial statements that describes the	e organ	ization'	s accounting f	or	
	conservation ease					-		
Pa		_	f Art, Historical Treasures, or Oth	ier Sir	nilar /	Assets.		
		f the organization answered "Yes" to Form						
па	-		SC 958), not to report in its revenue stateme					
		s, or other similar assets held for public exit	hibition, education, or research in furtheranc	e of pu	olic ser	vice, provide, i	n Part XII	Ι,
h			SC 958), to report in its revenue statement a	nd hala	nce she	et works of ar	t historic	-al
D.			ducation, or research in furtherance of publi					
	relating to these it				o, p. o .		.9	
	-				▶ \$			
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2			asures, or other similar assets for financial g		vide			
	the following amou	unts required to be reported under SFAS 1	16 (ASC 958) relating to these items:					
а								
b	Assets included in	Form 990, Part X		🕨	▶ \$			
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Sche	dule D (Form 990) 2014 ACUMEN	FUND, INC.						13-41	6622	8 Pa	age 2
Par	t III Organizations Maintaining C	Collections of A	rt, Hist	orical Tr	easures,	or Oth	er Simila	ar Asse	ts (contir	nued)	
3	Using the organization's acquisition, accessi	ion, and other record	ls, check	any of the	following that	at are a s	ignificant u	use of its	collectio	n item	s
	(check all that apply):										
а	Public exhibition	d			hange progr						
b	Scholarly research	e		Other							
с	Preservation for future generations										
4	Provide a description of the organization's co							ose in Par	t XIII.		
5	During the year, did the organization solicit o								7		1
Da	to be sold to raise funds rather than to be ma t IV Escrow and Custodial Arran								Yes		No
Fai	t IV Escrow and Custodial Arran reported an amount on Form 990, Pa		ete ir the	organizatio	n answered	res to	Form 990,	, Part IV, I	ine 9, or		
12	Is the organization an agent, trustee, custod		liany for c	contribution	s or other as	seats not	included				
Ia	on Form 990, Part X?								Yes		No
h	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII							······ <u> </u>	103		1110
			liowing a	2010.					Amoun		
с	Beginning balance						1c			-	
	Additions during the year										
	Distributions during the year										
	Ending balance										
	Did the organization include an amount on F								Yes		No
b	If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII.	. Check here if the ex	planatio	n has been	provided in	Part XIII]
Par	t V Endowment Funds. Complete i	if the organization ar	swered '	'Yes" to Fo	rm 990, Part	IV, line	10.				
		(a) Current year	(b) Pr	ior year	(c) Two yea	rs back	(d) Three y	ears back	(e) Four	years	back
	Beginning of year balance										
	Contributions										
	Net investment earnings, gains, and losses										
	Grants or scholarships										
е	Other expenditures for facilities										
	and programs										
	Administrative expenses										
g 2	End of year balance Provide the estimated percentage of the cur		o (lino 1 c)) hold as:						
	Board designated or quasi-endowment	•	יפ (וווופ דע %	y, column (a	a)) Heiu as.						
	Permanent endowment	%									
	Temporarily restricted endowment										
Ū	The percentages in lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should be a should be should be a should be a should be a should be should be a should										
3a	Are there endowment funds not in the posse		ation tha	t are held a	nd administe	ered for t	he organiz	ation			
	by:	0					U		[Yes	No
	(i) unrelated organizations								3a(i)		
	(ii) related organizations								3a(ii)		
b	If "Yes" to 3a(ii), are the related organizations	s listed as required o	n Sched	ule R?					3b		
	Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the	<u>v</u>	wment f	unds.							
Par	t VI Land, Buildings, and Equipm	nent.									
	Complete if the organization answere										
	Description of property	(a) Cost or o basis (investr			or other (other)		ccumulate preciation	d	(d) Boo	k value	÷
	Land										
	Buildings				<u> </u>		000 54				
	Leasehold improvements				3,717.		223,71		4.4	~ ~	0.
	Equipment			61	0,796.	· · ·	494,49	53.	11	6,3	¥3.
	Other								11	<u> </u>	42
Tota	. Add lines 1a through 1e. (Column (d) must e	equal Form 990, Part	X, colum	n (B), line 1	UC.)				<u> </u>	6,3	±3.

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes"			
(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or	end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives			
(2) Closely-held equity interests			
(3) Other			
(A)			
(B)			
(C)			
(D)			
(E)			
(F)			
(G)			
(H)			
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 12.) ► Part VIII Investments - Program Related.			
Complete if the organization answered "Yes"		11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.	
(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or	end-of-year market value
(1) PROGRAM RELATED EQUITY			
(2) INVESTMENTS - S.ASIA	15,925,519.	COST	
(3) PROGRAM RELATED EQUITY			
(4) INVESTMENTS - SUB-SAHARAN			
(5) AFRICA	9,931,667.	COST	
(6) PROGRAM RELATED EQUITY			
(7) INVESTMENTS - USA	1,050,000.	COST	
(8)	_,,		
(9)	35,872,479.		
Total. (Col. (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col. (B) line 13.) ►	00707272790		
Part IX Other Assets.			
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes"		11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes"	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" (a)	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	I1d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" (1)	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" (a) (1) (2)	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" (a) (1) (2) (3) (4)	to Form 990, Part IV, line 1	11d. See Form 990, Part X, line 15.	(b) Book value
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Pa	t XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statem	ents Wi	th Revenue per F		
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.				
1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements			1	15,609,128.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12:				
а	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	. 2a			
b	Donated services and use of facilities	_ 2b	1,455,032.		
с	Recoveries of prior year grants	. 2c			
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2d	-4,577,834.		
е	Add lines 2a through 2d			2e	-3,122,802.
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1			3	18,731,930.
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1:				
а	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	. 4a			
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	4b			_
с	Add lines 4a and 4b			4c	0.
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c. (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12.)			5	18,731,930.
Pa	rt XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statem		ith Expenses per	Retu	irn.
	Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.				
1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements			1	15,563,629.
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25:				
а	Donated services and use of facilities		1,815,494.	4	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b			
				4	
С	Other losses	2c			
d	Other losses Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2c 2d	465,586.		0 001 000
d	Other losses	2c 2d		2e	2,281,080.
d	Other losses Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2c 2d			2,281,080. 13,282,549.
d e	Other losses Other (Describe in Part XIII.) Add lines 2a through 2d Subtract line 2e from line 1 Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:	2c 2d			
d e 3	Other losses	2c 2d 4a		2e 3	
d e 3 4	Other losses Other (Describe in Part XIII.) Add lines 2a through 2d Subtract line 2e from line 1 Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1:	2c 2d 4a		2e 3	13,282,549.
d e 3 4 a	Other losses	2c 2d 4a 4b	3,589,000.	2e 3 4c	13,282,549. 3,589,000.
d e 3 4 a b c 5	Other losses Other (Describe in Part XIII.) Add lines 2a through 2d Subtract line 2e from line 1 Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1: Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b Other (Describe in Part XIII.)	2c 2d 4a 4b	3,589,000.	2e 3	13,282,549.

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9; Part III, lines 1a and 4; Part IV, lines 1b and 2b; Part V, line 4; Part X, line 2; Part XI, lines 2d and 4b; and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART X, LINE 2:

ACUMEN RECOGNIZES THE EFFECT OF INCOME TAX POSITIONS ONLY WHEN	I THEY ARE
MORE THAN LIKELY THAN NOT OF BEING SUSTAINED. MANAGEMENT HAS	DETERMINED
THAT ACUMEN HAD NO UNCERTAIN TAX POSITIONS THAT WOULD REQUIRE	FINANCIAL
STATEMENT RECOGNITION. ACUMEN IS NO LONGER SUBJECT TO AUDITS E	BY THE UNITED
STATES TAXING JURISDICTIONS FOR PERIODS PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31,	2011.
PART XI, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:	
CHANGE IN VALUE OF CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST	10,532.
RELATED PARTY REVENUE INCLUDED PER AUDIT-ACUMEN FUND INDIA	1,342,151.
RELATED PARTY REVENUE INCLUDED PER AUDIT-ACUMEN FUND	
PAKISTAN	651,573.

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Part XIII Supplemental Information (continued)	
RELATED PARTY REVENUE INCLUDED PER AUDIT-ACUMEN CAPITAL	
MARKETS I LP	-1,151,393.
RELATED PARTY REVENUE INCLUDED PER AUDIT-ACUMEN FUND CANADA	32,739.
ELIMINATING/CONSOLIDATING ENTRIES PER AUDIT	-1,874,436.
PROVISION FOR PORTFOLIO LOSSES RECLASSIFICATION	-3,596,364.
RECLASS OF FOREIGN TAXES PAID NETTED WITH PORTFOLIO INCOME	7,364.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XI, LINE 2D	-4,577,834.
PART XII, LINE 2D - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:	
RELATED PARTY EXPENSES INCLUDED PER AUDIT - ACUMEN FUND	
INDIA	1,334,371.
RELATED PARTY EXPENSES INCLUDED PER AUDIT - ACUMEN FUND	
PAKISTAN	759,941.
RELATED PARTY EXPENSES INCLUDED PER AUDIT - ACUMEN CAPITAL	
MARKETS I LP	360,103.
RELATED PARTY EXPENSES INCLUDED PER AUDIT - ACUMEN FUND	
CANADA	408.
ELIMINATING/CONSOLIDATING ENTRIES PER AUDIT	-2,063,618.
RELATED PARTY FOREIGN EXCHANGE LOSS INCLUDED IN AUDIT	74,381.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 2D	465,586.
PART XII, LINE 4B - OTHER ADJUSTMENTS:	
PROVISION FOR PORTFOLIO LOSSES RECLASSIFICATION	3,596,364.
RECLASS OF FOREIGN TAXES PAID NETTED WITH PORTFOLIO INCOME	-7,364.
TOTAL TO SCHEDULE D, PART XII, LINE 4B	3,589,000.

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Part VIII Investments - Program Related. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.		
(a) Description of investment type	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation: Cost or end-of-year market value
PROGRAM RELATED EQUITY INVESTMENTS - LATIN		
AMERICA	145,012.	COST
PROGRAM RELATED DEBT INVESTMENTS - S.ASIA	3,510,192.	COST
PROGRAM RELATED DEBT INVESTMENTS -	5,510,152.	6691
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	2,782,771.	COST
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PROGRAM RELATED DEBT INVESTMENTS - USA	1,827,318.	COST
PROGRAM RELATED DEBT INVESTMENTS - LATIN		
AMERICA	700,000.	COST
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SCHEDULE F	Stateme	nt of Act	ivities Outside the Ur	nited Sta	ates	MB No. 1545-0047
			n answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part			2014
Department of the Treasury	Information ob.	aut Cabadula E	Attach to Form 990.		C	pen to Public
Internal Revenue Service	Information abo	out Schedule F	(Form 990) and its instructions is at	www.irs.gov/fo	Employer identif	ispection
Name of the organization						
ACUMEN FUND, IN					13-416622	
		ctivities Ou	tside the United States. Complete	ete if the orgar	ization answered ""	res" on
Form 990, Part IV		maintain raaar	ds to substantiate the amount of its gr	anto and other	aggiatanag	
-	•		the selection criteria used to award the			Yes 🗌 No
2 For grantmakers. Desc	ribe in Part V the	e organization's	procedures for monitoring the use of it	s grants and o	ther assistance out	side the
United States.		0	, j	0		
			an be duplicated if additional space is			1
(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	is a pro describe	vity listed in (d) gram service, e specific type ce(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
SOUTH ASIA	2	25	PROGRAM SERVICE	FELLOWS PRO	IANAGEMENT AND OGRAM	1,271,172.
						_,
					IANAGEMENT AND	
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA	2	11	PROGRAM SERVICE	FELLOWS PRO	OGRAM	1,757,316.
SOUTH AMERICA	1	1	PROGRAM SERVICE	PORTFOLIO N	IANAGEMENT	417,042.
SOUTH ASIA			GRANT MAKING			612,250.
SOUTH ASIA			PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS			19,435,711.
						13,133,111
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA			PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS			12,714,438.
SOUTH AMERICA			PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS			845,012.
EUROPE	1	4	FUND RAISING SERVICES			423,063.
3 a Sub-total	6	41				37,476,004.
b Total from continuation		_				
sheets to Part I	0	0				238,059.
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	6	41				37,714,063.

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Part I Continuatio	1		1. (Schedule F (Form 990), Part I, line 3)	
(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA			GRANT MAKING		238,059.
Totals					238,059.

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Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)		(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
			OPERATING SUPPORT TO					
			PAKISTAN SUBSIDIARY					
		SOUTH ASIA	ENTITY AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT	612 250	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
			ADDIDIANCE GRANI	012,250	WIKE IKANSPER			
		SUB-SAHARAN	TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE					
		AFRICA	GRANT	238,059.	WIRE TRANSFER	0.		
2 Enter total number of	recipient organizatio	ns listed above that are	recognized as charities by the	foreign country	, recognized as tax-e	xempt by		1
			n 501(c)(3) equivalency letter					10
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Part III can be duplicated if ac	dditional space is neede						
(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other

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1	Was the organization a U.S. transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U.S. Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)	X Yes	No No
2	Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 3520, Annual Return To Report Transactions With Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U.S. Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A; do not file with Form 990)	Yes	X No
3	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U.S. Persons With Respect To Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)	X Yes	No No
4	Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? <i>If</i> "Yes," <i>the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)</i>	Yes	X No
5	Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U.S. Persons With Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)	Yes	X No
6	Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713; do not file with Form 990)	Yes	X No

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Part V Supplemental Information

Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

PART I, LINE 2:

PROGRAM-RELATED GRANTS: THE ORGANIZATION MAKES LARGE GRANTS TO ITS RELATED ENTITIES TO FUND THEIR OPERATIONS, THE ACTIVITIES OF WHICH ARE MANAGED BY THE ORGANIZATION. ACUMEN FUND, INC. MONITORS THE ACTIVITY OF ITS RELATED ENTITIES BY ANALYZING EXPENDITURES AND COMPARING ACTUAL PERFORMANCE TO BUDGETED AMOUNTS, AND BY MAINTAINING DIRECT OVERSIGHT OF THE ACTIVITIES CONDUCTED AND EXPENDITURES INCURRED. OUR AFFILIATES IN PAKISTAN AND INDIA HAVE INDEPENDENT AUDITS. IN ADDITION TO THE AUDIT, OUR CENTRAL OFFICE FINANCE DEPT IN NEW YORK HAS OVERSIGHT OF THE COUNTRY OFFICES' SPENDING.

INVESTMENTS IN THIRD PARTIES ARE PRIMARILY DEBT OR EQUITY INVESTMENTS. RELATIVELY LITTLE IS AN OUTRIGHT GRANT FOR USE BY THE THIRD PARTY. FOR ANY PROGRAM RELATED INVESTMENTS, THE ORGANIZATION REQUIRES REGULAR SOCIAL IMPACT, FINANCIAL AND OPERATIONAL REPORTING, TYPICALLY MAINTAINS A BOARD SEAT ON THE INVESTEE COMPANY AND CONDUCTS AT LEAST ANNUAL REVIEWS OF THE PROGRESS OF THE PROGRAM. FOR ANY GRANTS TO THIRD PARTIES, A GRANT AGREEMENT IS DRAFTED OUTLINING THE SPECIFIC PURPOSE OF THE GRANT, TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR THE USE OF GRANT MONEY. GRANT FUNDS ARE DISBURSED ONLY AFTER THE GRANTEES SIGN THE GRANT AGREEMENT. DEPENDING UPON THE AMOUNT AND TERM OF GRANT, THE GRANTEES ARE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN DETAILED RECORDS OF THE USE OF THE GRANT AND PROVIDE PERIODIC REPORTS TO ACUMEN FUND. THE PROGRAM STAFF WILL REVIEW THE GRANTEE REPORTS TO ENSURE COMPLIANCE. THE GRANTEES ARE REQUIRED TO RETAIN THE BOOKS AND RECORDS WITH RESPECT TO THE USE OF THE GRANT FUNDS FOR FOUR YEARS AFTER THE GRANT PERIOD OR SOME OTHER PERIOD AS REQUIRED BY THE GRANT AGREEMENT AND ACUMEN FUND RETAINS THE RIGHT TO REVIEW THEIR BOOKS AND RECORDS RELATING TO THE GRANT IF IT 432075 09-24-14 Schedule F (Form 990) 2014 37 2014.04010 ACUMEN FUND, INC. 11160817 756359 620430.000 62043001

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DEEMS NECESSARY.

ACUMEN FUND PROGRAM STAFF DILIGENTLY SCREEN THE PROSPECTIVE GRANTEES' TRACK RECORD AND REPUTATION BEFORE AWARDING ANY GRANT. THROUGHOUT THE GRANT TERM, THE PROGRAM STAFF INTERACTS WITH THE GRANTEE ORGANIZATION TO UNDERSTAND THE PROGRESS THE ORGANIZATION IS MAKING BY USE OF THE GRANT FUNDS. THEY ALSO REVIEW ANY PERIODIC REPORTS SUBMITTED BY THE GRANTEE AS WELL AS THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ORGANIZATION (IF APPLICABLE) TO ENSURE PROPER UTILIZATION OF GRANT FUNDS BY THE GRANTEE. GRANT AGREEMENTS OFTEN REQUIRE THE RIGHT TO INSPECT AND AUDIT THE RECORDS OF THE GRANTEE REGARDING PROPER USE OF FUND. THE GRANT AGREEMENT SIGNED BY THE GRANTEE TYPICALLY STATES THAT ALL OR ANY PORTION OF GRANT FUNDS USED IN A MANNER OR PURPOSE OTHER THAN THOSE DESCRIBED IN THE GRANT AGREEMENT MUST BE RETURNED TO ACUMEN FUND.

PART I, LINE 3:

PROGRAM-RELATED INVESTMENTS: THE ORGANIZATION HAS A COMPLEX FINANCIAL STRUCTURE THAT IS NOT EASILY SHOWN IN THE FORM 990. TO BETTER UNDERSTAND THE INFORMATION BEING PROVIDED, THE READER SHOULD APPROACH THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH TWO KEY PIECES OF INFORMATION IN MIND. FIRST, ACUMEN IS LIKE A TRADITIONAL NON-PROFIT IN THAT IT RECEIVES CONTRIBUTION REVENUE AND HAS ONGOING OPERATING EXPENSES FOR BOTH PROGRAM WORK AND ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS EACH YEAR. SECONDLY, AND UNLIKE ALMOST ALL OTHER CHARITIES, ACUMEN INVESTS A SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF ITS ASSETS IN ENTREPRENEURIAL ORGANIZATIONS OPERATING IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES. THIS WOULD INCLUDE SUPPORTING CONTRIBUTIONS TO RELATED ENTITIES AND PROGRAM-RELATED INVESTMENTS TO THIRD PARTIES AS PART OF ACUMEN FUND'S 432075 09-24-14 Schedule F (Form 990) 2014 38 2014.04010 ACUMEN FUND, INC. 11160817 756359 620430.000 62043001

Schedule F (Form 990) 2014 ACUMEN FUND, INC.

Part V Supplemental Information Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information. CHARITABLE WORK. IN SUM THESE ACTIVITIES ARE SHOWN IN PARTS I AND II OF SCHEDULE F. THEY ARE ALSO INCLUDED ON FORM 990 PART X LINE 13 WHICH SHOWS THE ORGANIZATION'S TOTAL CUMULATIVE OUTSTANDING BALANCE OF PROGRAM-RELATED INVESTMENTS. ACUMEN PUTS ITS RESOURCES INTO THESE INVESTEE ORGANIZATIONS AS PROGRAMMATIC INVESTMENTS AND ATTEMPTS TO NURTURE THEM UNTIL THEY THRIVE (OR FAIL), PROVIDING MULTIPLE SPIN-OFF BENEFITS TO CUSTOMERS SERVED - TYPICALLY THE POOREST POPULATIONS WHO LIVE ON LESS THAN A FEW DOLLARS PER DAY.

THE ACCOUNTING METHOD USED TO ACCOUNT FOR EXPENDITURES IS THE ACCRUAL

METHOD.

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SCHEDULE I (Form 990) Department of the Treasury									
Internal Revenue Service		Information	ion about Schedule I	(Form 990) and its	s instructions is a	t _{www.irs.gov/form99}	00.	Inspection	
Name of the organization	ACUMEN FU	ND, INC.						Employer identification number 13-4166228	
Part I General In	formation on Grants a	-							
	ation maintain records								
	ward the grants or assi							X Yes No	
	IV the organization's pro		¥¥¥				(N/ line Of few server	
	d Other Assistance to nat received more than 3	-				anization answered in	res" to Form 990, Part	IV, line 21, for any	
1 (a) Name and ad	dress of organization ernment	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance	
D LIGHT DESIGN 650 5TH STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CA	94107	39-2055997		74,995.	0.			TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE GRANT	
ROOT CAPITAL									
955 MASSACHUSETTS	AVENUE								
CAMBRIDGE, MA 021		04-3478123	501(C)(3)	50,000.	0.			LEAN DATA INITATIVE GRANT	
2 Enter total number	er of section 501(c)(3) a	and government or	anizations listed in th	e line 1 tabla				<u> </u> ▶ 1.	
	er of other organization							1.	
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Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 22. Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non- cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information req	uired in Part I, lir	ne 2, Part III, column	(b), and any other a	dditional information.	
PART I, LINE 2:					
THE ORGANIZATION MAKES VERY FEW GR	ANTS. TH	OSE GRANTS	MADE ARE	OCCASIONALLY	

PASS-THROUGH GRANTS FROM OTHER FUNDING ORGANIZATIONS. IN ALL CASES, THE

ORGANIZATION HAS A THOROUGH UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORK BEING UNDERTAKEN AND

A COMPLETE FAMILIARIZATION WITH THE GRANTEE UNDERTAKING WORK ON ITS BEHALF.

FOLLOW UP MONITORING IS PERFORMED BY VERBAL CHECK-INS, PERIODIC PROGRESS

REPORTS AND FINAL WRITTEN GRANT PERFORMANCE REPORTS AT THE CONCLUSION OF

THE GRANT PERIOD.

SC	HEDULE J	Compensation Information	1	OMB No. 1	545-00	47	
(Fo	rm 990)	For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest		2014			
•	Ē	Compensated Employees		ΖU	14	r	
Dena	tment of the Treasury	 Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23. Attach to Form 990. 		Open to Public			
	al Revenue Service	Information about Schedule J (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/formation		•	Inspection		
Nan	e of the organizatio		Employer id			mber	
		ACUMEN FUND, INC.	13-4	16622	8		
Ра	rt I Question	s Regarding Compensation					
_					Yes	No	
1a		iate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed in Form	990,				
		line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.					
	First-class or o	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i					
	Travel for con						
	Image: Tax indemnification and gross-up payments Image: Health or social club dues or initiation fees Image: Discretionary spending account Image: Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)						
	Discretionary spending account						
D	•	on line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or		1b			
~	reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain						
Z	2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors,						
	trustees, and office	ers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?		2			
3	Indicate which if a	ny, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization	ation's				
3		ector. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization					
		ation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.					
	X Compensation						
		compensation consultant X Compensation survey or study					
	X Form 990 of c		committoo				
			Johnnittee				
4	During the year di	d any person listed in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, with respect to the filing					
•	organization or a re						
а	•	ce payment or change-of-control payment?		4a		x	
b		ceive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?				X	
		ceive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement?				X	
-	If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.						
		······································					
	Only section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.					
5		in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation	n				
	contingent on the						
а	•			5a		Х	
		zation?				Х	
		r 5b, describe in Part III.					
6	For persons listed	in Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensatio	n				
	contingent on the	net earnings of:					
а	The organization?			6a		Х	
		zation?				Х	
		r 6b, describe in Part III.					
7	For persons listed	n Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments	S				
	not described in lin	es 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III		7	Х		
8	Were any amounts	reported in Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the	ne				
	initial contract exce	eption described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III		8		X	
9	If "Yes" to line 8, d	id the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in					
	Regulations sectio	n 53.4958-6(c)?	<u></u>	9			
LHA		eduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 990.		ule J (Forn	n 990)	2014	

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Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported in Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns	(F) Compensation in column (B)	
(A) Name and Title		(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation	compensation	benefits	(B)(i)-(D)	in column (B) reported as deferred in prior Form 990
(1) JACQUELINE NOVOGRATZ	(i)	290,927.	11,800.	0.	7,800.	17,386.	327,913.	0.
CEO & DIRECTOR	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.
(2) CARLYLE JONES	(i)	227,040.	9,845.	0.	7,107.	9,582.	253,574.	0.
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.
(3) ALEXANDER DICHTER	(i)	192,640.	8,003.	0.	6,019.	23,823.	230,485.	0.
CHIEF INNOVATION OFFICER	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.		0.
(4) AMRITA BHANDARI	(i)	147,200.	3,188.	0.	4,512.	372.	155,272.	0.
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(5) LYNN ROLAND	(i)	165,000.	10,022.	0.	5,251.	372.	180,645.	0.
GENERAL COUNSEL	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(6) MARIBETH CARROLL	(i)	156,723.	8,415.	0.	4,954.	7,656.	177,748.	0.
DIRECTOR OF TALENT	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(7) YASMINA ZAIDMAN	(i)	155,000.	8,246.	0.	4,897.	372.	168,515.	0.
DIRECTOR OF STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIPS	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
(8) SHUAIB SIDDIQUI	(i)	148,234.	6,563.	0.	4,644.	8,144.	167,585.	0.
DIRECTOR OF PORTFOLIO	(ii)	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.	0.
	(i)							
	(ii)							
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Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

PART I, LINE 7:

ACUMEN OFFERS A DISCRETIONARY PERFORMANCE-BASED BONUS FOR ITS EMPLOYEES

WITH GUIDELINES SET BY THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE AND AGREED BY THE BOARD.

BONUSES ARE REFLECTIVE OF ORGANIZATIONAL AND INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE WHICH

PROVIDES COLLECTIVE ACCOUNTABILITY (INCREASING BY LEVEL), FOSTERS INCREASED

COLLABORATION AND PROBLEM-SOLVING. THE ORGANIZATIONAL COMPONENT OF THE

BONUS IS RECOMMENDED BY THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE TO THE COMPENSATION

COMMITTEE, BASED ON ACHIEVEMENT OF ANNUAL GOALS, (WHICH ARE DETERMINED AT

THE END OF THE PRIOR YEAR AND APPROVED BY THE BOARD), THEN REVIEWED BY THE

COMPENSATION COMMITTEE AND ULTIMATELY APPROVED BY THE BOARD.

EACH INDIVIDUAL'S SUPERVISOR DETERMINES THE INDIVIDUAL RATING BASED ON

PERFORMANCE AGAINST INDIVIDUAL GOALS, AND THE DIRECTOR OF TALENT AND

RESPECTIVE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE MEMBER APPROVES THE RATINGS.

BONUSES WERE TREATED AS TAXABLE COMPENSATION TO THE RECIPIENTS.

SCHEDULE	Μ
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Noncash Contributions

OMB No. 1545-0047

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Complete if the organizations answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, lines 29 or 30. Attach to Form 990. ►

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Name	of the	organization	٦

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Par	rt I Types of Property							
		(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)			
		Check if applicable	Number of contributions or	Noncash contribution amounts reported on	Method of de noncash contribu		-	<u> </u>
				Form 990, Part VIII, line 1g	noneasir contribu	nona	nount	5
1	Art - Works of art							
2	Art - Historical treasures							
3	Art - Fractional interests							
4	Books and publications							
5	Clothing and household goods							
6	Cars and other vehicles							
7	Boats and planes							
8	Intellectual property							
9	Securities - Publicly traded	Х	5	1,739,950.	FMV			
10	Securities - Closely held stock							
11	Securities - Partnership, LLC, or							
	trust interests							
12	Securities - Miscellaneous							
13	Qualified conservation contribution -							
	Historic structures							
14	Qualified conservation contribution - Other $_{\dots}$							
15	Real estate - Residential							
16	Real estate - Commercial							
17	Real estate - Other							
18	Collectibles							
19	Food inventory							
20	Drugs and medical supplies							
21	Taxidermy							
22	Historical artifacts							
23	Scientific specimens							
24	Archeological artifacts	37	1	2 000				
25	Other (USED PHONE)	X	1	2,000.	FMV			
26	Other ()							
27	Other ()							
<u>28</u> 29	Other () Number of Forms 8283 received by the organi	zation durin	l					
29	for which the organization completed Form 82						0	
	for which the organization completed Form oz	03, Fait IV, 1	Donee Acknowled	gement			Yes	No
302	During the year, did the organization receive b	v contributio	on any property re	oorted in Part L lines 1 throu	ah 28 that it		165	NU
000	must hold for at least three years from the date	-			-			
	exempt purposes for the entire holding period			•		30a		Х
h	If "Yes," describe the arrangement in Part II.	•				000		
31	Does the organization have a gift acceptance	policy that re	equires the review	of any non-standard contrib	utions?	31	x	
	Does the organization hire or use third parties							
			-			32a		х
b	If "Yes," describe in Part II.							
33	If the organization did not report an amount in	column (c) f	for a type of prope	rty for which column (a) is ch	necked,			
-	describe in Part II.	(2) •	,,	,	,			

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Supplemental Information. Provide the information required by Part I, lines 30b, 32b, and 33, and whether the organization is reporting in Part I, column (b), the number of contributions, the number of items received, or a combination of both. Also complete this part for any additional information.

SCHEDULE M, PART I, COLUMN (B):

THE ORGANIZATION IS REPORTING THE NUMBER OF CONTRIBUTORS IN PART 1,

COLUMN (B) OF SCHEDULE M.

Part II

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OMB No 1545-0047 SCHEDULE O Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ 12 Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on (Form 990 or 990-EZ) Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information. Open to Public Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ. Department of the Treasury Inspection Internal Revenue Service Information about Schedule O (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990 Name of the organization Employer identification number 13-4166228 ACUMEN FUND, INC. FORM 990, PART I, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION: LEADERS, AND BREAKTHROUGH IDEAS. OUR VISION IS THAT ONE DAY EVERY HUMAN BEING WILL HAVE ACCESS TO THE CRITICAL GOODS AND SERVICES THEY NEED - INCLUDING AFFORDABLE HEALTH, ENERGY, EDUCATION, AND AGRICULTURAL INPUTS AND SERVICES WATER, HOUSING, SO THEY CAN MAKE DECISIONS AND CHOICES FOR THEMSELVES AND UNLEASH THEIR FULL HUMAN POTENTIAL. THIS IS WHERE DIGNITY STARTS - NOT JUST FOR THE POOR BUT FOR EVERYONE ON EARTH.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 1, DESCRIPTION OF ORGANIZATION MISSION:

SOUTH ASIA, SUB-SAHARAN AFRICA AND LATIN AMERICA.

SINCE 2001, ACUMEN FUND HAS INVESTED MORE THAN \$88 MILLION IN ENTERPRISES THAT PROVIDE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES THAT INCLUDE AFFORDABLE MATERNAL HEALTHCARE SERVICES, ASSET-BACKED FINANCING FOR SMALLHOLDER FARMERS, AND SKILLS-TRAINING FOR EMPLOYMENT. WE ARE BUILDING A GLOBAL COMMUNITY OF EMERGING LEADERS THAT BELIEVE IN CREATING A MORE INCLUSIVE WORLD THROUGH THE TOOLS OF BOTH BUSINESS AND PHILANTHROPY. IN ADDITION, WE ARE SHARING OUR LESSONS AND SPREADING INNOVATIVE IDEAS TO CHANGE THE WAY THE WORLD TACKLES POVERTY.

 FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4A, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

 ACUMEN IN 2014. IN THE FIRST QUARTER OF THIS YEAR, OUR TEAM CONDUCTED

 ANNUAL REVIEWS FOR ALL PORTFOLIO COMPANIES TO MEASURE ACTUAL

 PERFORMANCE AGAINST SOCIAL AND FINANCIAL IMPACT TARGETS AND DEVELOP

 DETAILED POST-INVESTMENT ENGAGEMENT AND MANAGEMENT PLANS OUTLINING THE

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SUPPORT AND INVOLVEMENT REQUIRED BY ACUMEN TO HELP THE CO	

ACUMEN HAS ALSO EXPANDED ITS WORK WITH CORPORATIONS TO LEVERAGE THEIR SKILLS AND EXPERIENCE TO SUPPORT OUR INVESTEE COMPANIES WITH TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE. ACUMEN PARTNERED WITH UNILEVER AND THE CLINTON GIUSTRA ENTERPRISE PARTNERSHIP (CGEP) TO LAUNCH THE ENHANCING LIVELIHOODS INVESTMENT INITIATIVE, TO IMPROVE THE LIVELIHOODS OF AS MANY AS 300,000 SMALLHOLDER FARMERS AND THEIR COMMUNITIES IN AFRICA, AND SOUTH ASIA. IN ADDITION, ACUMEN HOSTED ITS SECOND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE INITIATIVE SUMMIT IN NAIROBI IN PARTNERSHIP WITH DOW AND BARCLAYS TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT TO HELP SCALE FIVE OF OUR INVESTEE COMPANIES.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4B, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS: WITH SCALE - HOW MANY PEOPLE ARE OUR INVESTEES' PRODUCTS AND SERVICES REACHING? DEPTH: WHAT IS OUR THEORY OF CHANGE AND HOW DEEPLY ARE OUR COMPANIES IMPACTING A HOUSEHOLD'S WELL-BEING? POVERTY FOCUS: WHAT IS THE PROFILE OF OUR INVESTEES' TYPICAL CUSTOMER? ARE THEY REACHING THOSE MOST IN NEED? WHAT IS THEIR AFFORDABILITY ASSESSMENT?

IN ADDITION, THE IMPACT TEAM HAS ALSO BEEN WORKING TO PILOT NEW LEANER METHODS OF DATA COLLECTION FROM OUR COMPANIES CALLED THE "LEAN DATA INITIATIVE". THIS APPROACH USES THE GRAMEEN FOUNDATION'S PROGRESS OUT OF POVERTY INDEX, AN EASY-TO-ADMINISTER 10 QUESTION TOOL THAT DETERMINES POVERTY LIKELIHOODS TO ASSESS JUST HOW POOR CUSTOMERS OF ACUMEN'S INVESTEE COMPANIES ARE, WITHOUT ADDING THE ADMINISTRATIVE BURDEN TO OFTEN RESOURCE-CONSTRAINED SOCIAL ENTERPRISES.

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Name of the organization ACUMEN FUND, INC.	Employer identification numb 13-4166228	ber
ACUMEN ALSO PUBLISHED A REPORT TITLED GROWING PROSPERITY	IN THE LAST	
QUARTER OF 2014. GROWING PROSPERITY WAS WRITTEN IN PARTNE	RSHIP WITH	
BAIN & COMPANY AND PRODUCED WITH SUPPORT FROM THE BILL AN	D MELINDA	
GATES FOUNDATION. IT UNVEILS HOW SOCIAL ENTERPRISES CAN F	IND NEW,	
EFFECTIVE WAYS TO PROFITABLY SERVE THESE HARD-TO-REACH CU	STOMERS AT	
SCALE, SPECIFICALLY FOCUSING ON CASE STUDIES FROM THE AGR	ICULTURE	
SECTOR.		

IN 2014 WE CONTINUED TO COMMUNICATE ACUMEN'S CORE IDEAS THROUGH MAINSTREAM MEDIA, PRESENTATIONS AT LEADING CONFERENCES, WIDELY DISSEMINATED ARTICLES AND WORKSHOPS HELD GLOBALLY COVERING ISSUES SUCH AS LEADERSHIP AND THE TYPES AND STAGES OF CAPITAL NEEDED TO BUILD SOCIAL ENTERPRISES THAT SERVE THE POOR. ACUMEN'S WORK WAS FEATURED IN TOP-TIER U.S. AND GLOBAL OUTLETS INCLUDING THE FINANCIAL TIMES, FORBES, THE NEW YORK TIMES, THE GUARDIAN, AND VARIOUS PUBLICATIONS IN PAKISTAN, AFRICA, INDIA AND EUROPE.

FORM 990, PART III, LINE 4C, PROGRAM SERVICE ACCOMPLISHMENTS: INTERESTING, RANGING FROM A VARIETY OF DIFFERENT FIELDS - INCLUDING CORPORATIONS, SOCIAL ENTERPRISES, NGOS, AND GOVERNMENT.

AS OF Q4 2014, THE +ACUMEN CHAPTER NETWORK HAS EXPANDED TO 25 CHAPTERS AND +ACUMEN'S ONLINE COURSES HAS GROWN TO MORE THAN 122,000 SIGN-UPS. THIS PAST YEAR, ACUMEN LAUNCHED SEVERAL NEW FREE ONLINE COURSES IN PARTNERSHIP WITH ORGANIZATIONS LIKE ACCION INTERNATIONAL, INDIVIDUALS LIKE ERIK SIMANIS AND BAIN & COMPANY TO HELP SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURS AND INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN THE SECTOR BUILD THEIR SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE.

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FORM 990, PART V, LINE 4B, LIST OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES:					

GHANA, INDIA, KENYA, PAKISTAN,

COLOMBIA, CANADA

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 2:

JACQUELINE NOVOGRATZ AND MICHAEL E. NOVOGRATZ HAVE A FAMILY RELATIONSHIP.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 3:

BEGINNING IN 2004, THE ORGANIZATION BEGAN USING ADP TOTALSOURCE, A

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER ORGANIZATION ("PEO"). AS A PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER

ORGANIZATION, TOTALSOURCE PROVIDES PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYER SERVICES TO ACUMEN FUND, INC. (ACUMEN). IN THE PEO RELATIONSHIP TOTALSOURCE AND ACUMEN SHARE

CERTAIN RESPONSIBILITIES AND ALLOCATE OTHER EMPLOYER RESPONSIBILITIES

BETWEEN EACH OTHER.

ACUMEN REMAINS AN EMPLOYER OF THE WORKSITE EMPLOYEES AND TOTALSOURCE IS A CO-EMPLOYER OF ACUMEN'S EMPLOYEES.

ACUMEN HAS:

DIRECTION AND CONTROL OVER EMPLOYEES AS IS NECESSARY TO CONDUCT ITS BUSINESS, DISCHARGE AND FIDUCIARY RESPONSIBILITY IT MAY HAVE, OR COMPLY WITH ANY APPLICABLE LICENSURE, REGULATORY OR STATUTORY REQUIREMENT OF ACUMEN.

CONTROL OVER THE DAY TO DAY JOB DUTIES OF EMPLOYEES AND OVER THE JOB SITES AT WHICH, OR FROM WHICH EMPLOYEES PERFORM SERVICES

 TOTALSOURCE RESERVES A RIGHT OF DIRECTION AND CONTROL OVER EMPLOYEES AS IS

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NECESSARY TO FULFILL ITS OBLIGATIONS AND PROVIDE ITS SERVICES UNDER AN

AGREEMENT BETWEEN ACUMEN AND TOTALSOURCE.

TOTALSOURCE AND ACUMEN HAVE A RIGHT TO HIRE, DISCIPLINE, AND TERMINATE

EMPLOYEES AS TO EACH ONE'S EMPLOYMENT RELATIONSHIP WITH EMPLOYEES.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION A, LINE 4:

THE AMENDED BY-LAWS WERE ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES IN SEPTEMBER

2014. CHANGES MADE TO THE AMENDED BY-LAWS, INCLUDED THE FOLLOWING PRINCIPAL REVISIONS, IN ADDITION TO OTHER SMALLER CHANGES:

1) CLARIFY VOTING, INCLUDING ITEMS FOR ENHANCED VOTING, AND STAGGERED BOARD TERMS

2) ENUMERATE PROCESSES AROUND RESIGNATION, NOTICE AND VOTING, INCLUDING

ELECTRONIC ACTIVITY

3) MEMORIALIZE ACTIVITIES AROUND IMPLEMENTATION OF POLICIES, RECORDKEEPING, REPORTING, AND INVESTMENT AND LENDING MATTERS

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 11:

THE ORGANIZATION'S FINANCE STAFF MEMBERS PREPARE THE FORM 990 IN

CONJUNCTION WITH THE ORGANIZATION'S EXTERNAL INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANTS.

SEVERAL SENIOR MANAGEMENT AND INTERNAL LEGAL STAFF MEMBERS REVIEW THE

INFORMATION AND A DRAFT FORM 990 IS CIRCULATED ELECTRONICALLY BY E-MAIL TO

THE FULL BOARD OF DIRECTORS. AFTER SOLICITING THE BOARD'S FEEDBACK AND

COMMENTS THE FORM 990 IS E-FILED WITH THE IRS.

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Name of the organization ACUMEN FUND, INC.	Employer identification number $13-4166228$
MONITORED REQUIRING ALL OF THE ORGANIZATION'S OR ITS AFFI	LIATE'S BOARD
MEMBERS, MEMBERS OF THE INVESTMENT COMMITTEE, OFFICERS, K	EY EMPLOYEES,
INDIVIDUALS IN THOSE ROLES IN THE PRIOR 5 YEARS AND EACH	OF THEIR
RESPECTIVE RELATIVES TO DISCLOSE ANY POSSIBLE CONFLICT OF	INTEREST TO THE
GENERAL COUNSEL, FOR REVIEW BY THE AUDIT & FINANCE COMMIT	TEE OF THE BOARD.
THE ORGANIZATION REQUIRES THAT ALL SUCH INDIVIDUALS PROMP	TLY AND FULLY
DISCLOSE ALL MATERIAL FACTS OF ANY ACTUAL OR POTENTIAL CO	NFLICT OF INTEREST
THAT MAY EXIST AT THE TIME OF HIRE OR APPOINTMENT, AS APP	LICABLE, AND AS
THEY MAY ARISE WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL IS SERVING OR EMPLOYE	D IN SUCH CAPACITY
BY THE ORGANIZATION. SUCH DISCLOSURES INVOLVING A TRANSA	CTION OR
ARRANGEMENT ARE REVIEWED BY THE GENERAL COUNSEL, WITH OVE	RSIGHT BY THE
CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER, AND REFERRED TO THE AUDIT & FINA	NCE COMMITTEE TO
DETERMINE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO BE TAKEN TO ADDRESS THE C	ONFLICT OF
INTEREST WITH RESPECT TO THE TRANSACTION OR ARRANGEMENT.	THE INDIVIDUAL
WITH THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST IS REQUIRED TO DISCLOSE REC	USE HIM/HERSELF
FROM THE DISCUSSION AND NOT BE PRESENT DURING ANY DELIBER	ATION OR VOTE ON
MATTERS WHERE HE/SHE HAS AN ACTUAL CONFLICT.	

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION B, LINE 15:

 THE ORGANIZATION ANNUALLY REVIEWS COMPARABLE COMPENSATION DATA FOR ITS

 NON-PROFIT PEER GROUP AND SIMILAR ORGANIZATIONS IN THE FOR-PROFIT PRIVATE

 SECTOR. IT SEEKS TO BENCHMARK AGAINST THESE COMPARATIVE FIGURES WHEN

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 ALSO COMPENSATION FOR ITS CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER. THE ORGANIZATION WILL

 ALSO CONSIDER JOB PERFORMANCE WHEN EVALUATING CEO COMPENSATION. THE

 COMPENSATION COMMITTEE RECOMMENDS AND THEN THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS DISCUSSES

 AND APPROVES, IN EXECUTIVE SESSION, THE COMPENSATION INFORMATION AND

 DETERMINES THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S SALARY. THE COMPENSATION COMMITTEE

 IS COMPRISED SOLELY OF BOARD MEMBERS WHO DO NOT HAVE A CONFLICT OF INTEREST

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Name of the organization ACUMEN FUND, INC.	Employer identification number 13-4166228
IN DETERMINING THE SALARY OF THE CEO. ANY BOARD MEMBERS	WHO ARE CONFLICTED
IN DETERMINING THE CEO'S COMPENSATION ARE RECUSED FROM TH	E PORTION OF THE
MEETING WHERE COMPENSATION IS DISCUSSED AND DETERMINED.	MINUTES
DOCUMENTING BOTH THE ACTIVITIES AND ACTIONS OF THE COMPEN	SATION COMMITTEE
AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS, INCLUDING THE MATERIALS THEY	USED IN EVALUATING
COMPENSATION, ARE TAKEN AND RETAINED CONTEMPORANEOUSLY. I	HIS PROCESS WAS
LAST UNDERTAKEN IN 2014.	

THE CEO, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE DIRECTOR OF TALENT, DETERMINES SALARIES OF THE OTHER MEMBERS OF SENIOR MANAGEMENT OF THE ORGANIZATION USING THE SAME PROCESSES AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.

FORM 990, PART VI, SECTION C, LINE 19: THE ORGANIZATION POSTS ITS FORM 990 AND AUDITED FINANCIAL STATMENTS ON ITS PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE WEBSITE WWW.ACUMEN.ORG. CURRENT YEAR INFORMATION IS POSTED AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE AND TWO PRIOR YEAR'S RESULTS ARE MAINTAINED ONLINE. THE ORGANIZATION ALSO PROVIDES ITS INFORMATION TO CHARITY NAVIGATOR AND GUIDESTAR.ORG. PUBLIC INFORMATION ABOUT ACUMEN FUND IS AVAILABLE ON CHARITY BUREAU SECTION OF THE NEW YORK STATE'S ATTORNEY GENERAL'S WEBSITE, AS WELL AS UPON REQUEST. THE FORM 1023 IS MADE AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST.

THE GOVERNING DOCUMENTS ARE NOT MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC UNLESS SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED AND A SUMMARY OF THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST POLICY IS AVAILABLE ON THE FORM 990.

FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11G, OTHER FEES:

PROGRAM CONSULTANTS: 432212 08-27-14

Name of the organization ACUMEN FUND, INC.	Employer identification number 13-4166228
PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES	1,235,488
MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL EXPENSES	87,334
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	67,983
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,390,805
WEB MEDIA & DESIGN CONSULTANTS:	
PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES	107,296
MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL EXPENSES	6,112
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	3,674
TOTAL EXPENSES	117,082
VIDEO PROD & EDITING SVCS:	
PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES	26,968
MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL EXPENSES	1,537
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	923
TOTAL EXPENSES	29,428
INDIA PROGRAM SERVICE FEE:	
PROGRAM SERVICE EXPENSES	1,271,172
MANAGEMENT AND GENERAL EXPENSES	C
FUNDRAISING EXPENSES	C
TOTAL EXPENSES	1,271,172
TOTAL OTHER FEES ON FORM 990, PART IX, LINE 11G, COL A	2,808,487
FORM 990, PART XI, LINE 9, CHANGES IN NET ASSETS:	
CHANGE IN VALUE OF CHARITABLE REMAINDER TRUST	10,532
FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C:	
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Name of the organization ACUMEN FUND, INC.	Employer identification num 13-4166228
ACUMEN FUND, INC. HAS A COMMITTEE THAT ASSUMES RESPONSI	BILITY FOR
OVERSIGHT OF THE AUDIT OF ITS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND	
INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT. THIS PROCESS DID NOT CHANGE FR	
YEAR.	
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SCHEDULE R		Related Organizatio	ons and Unrelated Pa	rtnerships				OMB No. 1545-004				
(Form 990)		plete if the organization answer			6, or 37.			201	-			
Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service	►Inf	ormation about Schedule R (For	m 990) and its instructions is a	at www.irs.gov/forr	n990			Open to P Inspecti	ion			
Name of the organiza	ation						nployer ident		umber			
	ACUMEN FUND,	INC.					13-4166	228				
Part I Identifica	ation of Disregarded Entities Comple	ete if the organization answered "	Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33	3.								
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)		(f)					
	ldress, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	Primary activity	Legal domicile (state o foreign country)	or Total inco	me End-of-yea	r assets		Direct controlling entity				
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	ation of Related Tax-Exempt Organi ions during the tax year.	zations Complete if the organizati	ion answered "Yes" on Form 990), Part IV, line 34 b	ecause it had one	or more	related tax-ex	empt				
	(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)		(f)	(e	g) 512(b)(13)			
	ime, address, and EIN f related organization	Primary activity	Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	Exempt Code section	Public charity status (if section		Direct controlling entity		rolled tity?			
					501(c)(3))			Yes	No			
ACUMEN FUND, PAR												
	ST COMMERCIAL LANE SHAHBAZ	INVESTING IN SOCIAL										
KARACHI, PAKISTA		ENTERPRISES	PAKISTAN	501(C)(3)	LINE 7	ACUMEN	FUND, INC	. X				
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	A STREET, 25TH FLOOR	_										
VANCOUVER, CANAI	DA V7Y 1B3	ALLEVIATE POVERTY	CANADA	501(C)(3)	LINE 7	ACUMEN	FUND, INC	. X				
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Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	()	h)	(i)	(j)	(k)
Name, address, and EIN of related organization	Primary activity	Legal domicile (state or foreign	Direct controlling entity	Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under	Share of total income	Share of end-of-year assets		ortionate tions?	Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule	managin partner?	
		country)		sections 512-514)			Yes	No	K-1 (Form 1065)	YesNo	,
/	INVESTING IN										
	SOCIAL ENTERPRISES		ACUMEN FUND, INC.	RELATED	-109,064.	1,591,106.		x	N/A	x	14.72%
ACUMEN CAPITAL MARKETS II	INVESTING IN										
LIMITED, 76 NINTH AVENUE, STE	SOCIAL		ACUMEN CAPITAL								
315, NEW YORK, NY 10011	ENTERPRISES	MAURITI	PARTNERS, LLC	RELATED	0.	0.		Х	N/A	X	100.00%
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Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i Sec 512(b contr enti	b)(13) rolled ity?
		country)						Yes	No
ACUMEN FUND ADVISORY SERVICES INDIA PRIVATE									1
LIMITED, 203 DHEERAJ PLAZA HILL ROAD, BANDRA	INVESTING IN SOCIAL		ACUMEN FUND,						1
(WEST), MUMBAI, INDIA 400050	ENTERPRISES	INDIA	INC.	C CORP	1,340,809.	2,134,076.	99.90%	Х	
ACUMEN CAPITAL PARTNERS, LLC - 32-0450985									
76 NINTH AVENUE, STE 315	INVESTING IN SOCIAL		ACUMEN FUND,						1
NEW YORK, NY 10011	ENTERPRISES	DE	INC.	C CORP	0.	0.	100.00%	Х	
ACUMEN CAPITAL MARKETS INVESTMENT, LLC -									
36-4796906, 76 NINTH AVENUE, STE 315, NEW	INVESTING IN SOCIAL		ACUMEN CAPITAL						
YORK, NY 10011	ENTERPRISES	DE	PARTNERS, LLC	C CORP	0.	٥.	100.00%	Х	
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Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

te. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule.		Yes	s N
During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?			
Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity	1a		
Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)		X	
Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)			
Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)			
Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)			
Dividends from related organization(s)	1f		
Sale of assets to related organization(s)			
Purchase of assets from related organization(s)			
Exchange of assets with related organization(s)			
Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)	<u>1j</u>		_
Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)	1k	x	
Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)		X	Τ
n Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)			
Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)			Τ
Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)			_
Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses			T
Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses			_
Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)			
Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)			Т

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
ACUMEN FUND ADVISORY SERVICES INDIA (1) PRIVATE LIMITED	М	1,271,172.	FMV
(2) ACUMEN FUND, PAKISTAN	В	531,250.	FMV
(3) ACUMEN CAPITAL MARKETS I LP	L	261,196.	FMV
(4)			
(5)			
(6)	<u>F 0</u>		

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Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)			(f)	(g)	()		(i)	(j)	(k)
Name, address, and EIN	Primary activity	Legal domicile	Predominant income	Are Are partne 501 (org	all	Share of			npor-	Code V-LIBI	General	
of entity	i milary dotivity	(state or foreign	(related, unrelated,	501(c)(3)	total	end-of-year	Dispr tior alloca	ate	amount in box 20	managir partner	ownership
,		country)	Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	Yes	No	income		Yes	No		Yes N	

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Part VII Supplemental Information

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions).

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