

**Return of Private Foundation  
or Section 4947(a)(1) Nonexempt Charitable Trust  
Treated as a Private Foundation**

**2008**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Note:** The foundation may be able to use a copy of this return to satisfy state reporting requirements.

**For calendar year 2008, or tax year beginning** \_\_\_\_\_, **2008, and ending** \_\_\_\_\_, **20**

**G** Check all that apply:  Initial return  Final return  Amended return  Address change  Name change

<b>Use the IRS label. Otherwise, print or type. See Specific Instructions.</b>	Name of foundation <b>THE MAYER FOUNDATION</b> Number and street (or P.O. box number if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite <b>300 EAST 74TH ST 35A</b> City or town, state, and ZIP code <b>New York, NY 10021</b>	<b>A Employer identification number</b> 02-0569535 <b>B Telephone number (see the instructions)</b> (212) 772-0004
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**H** Check type of organization:  Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation  
 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust  Other taxable private foundation

**I** Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col. (c), line 16) ▶ \$ **245,789** **J** Accounting method:  Cash  Accrual  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis.)

**E** If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here   
**F** If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here

<b>Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses</b> (The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see the instructions).)		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
<b>1</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)	77,000			
<b>2</b>	Check <input type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch. B				
<b>3</b>	Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	1,966	1,966		
<b>4</b>	Dividends and interest from securities				
<b>5a</b>	Gross rents				
<b>b</b>	Net rental income or (loss)				
<b>6a</b>	Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10				
<b>b</b>	Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a				
<b>7</b>	Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)				
<b>8</b>	Net short-term capital gain				
<b>9</b>	Income modifications				
<b>10a</b>	Gross sales less returns and allowances				
<b>b</b>	Less: Cost of goods sold				
<b>c</b>	Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)				
<b>11</b>	Other income (attach schedule)				
<b>12</b>	<b>Total.</b> Add lines 1 through 11	78,966	1,966		
<b>13</b>	Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc.				
<b>14</b>	Other employee salaries and wages				
<b>15</b>	Pension plans, employee benefits				
<b>16a</b>	Legal fees (attach schedule)				
<b>b</b>	Accounting fees (attach schedule) <b>STM108</b>	475			
<b>c</b>	Other professional fees (attach schedule)				
<b>17</b>	Interest				
<b>18</b>	Taxes (attach schedule) (see the instructions)				
<b>19</b>	Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion				
<b>20</b>	Occupancy				
<b>21</b>	Travel, conferences, and meetings				
<b>22</b>	Printing and publications				
<b>23</b>	Other expenses (attach schedule) <b>STM103</b>	258			
<b>24</b>	<b>Total operating and administrative expenses.</b> Add lines 13 through 23	733	0		0
<b>25</b>	Contributions, gifts, grants paid	29,145			29,145
<b>26</b>	<b>Total expenses and disbursements.</b> Add lines 24 and 25	29,878	0		29,145
<b>27</b>	Subtract line 26 from line 12:				
<b>a</b>	Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	49,088			
<b>b</b>	Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		1,966		
<b>c</b>	Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -0-)			0	

**Part II Balance Sheets** Attached schedules and amounts in the description column should be for end-of-year amounts only. (See instructions.)

	Beginning of year		End of year	
	(a) Book Value	(b) Book Value	(c) Fair Market Value	
<b>1</b> Cash - non-interest-bearing				
<b>2</b> Savings and temporary cash investments	196,700	245,789	245,789	
<b>3</b> Accounts receivable				
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts				
<b>4</b> Pledges receivable				
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts				
<b>5</b> Grants receivable				
<b>6</b> Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see the instructions)				
<b>7</b> Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule)				
Less: allowance for doubtful accounts				
<b>8</b> Inventories for sale or use				
<b>9</b> Prepaid expenses and deferred charges				
<b>10a</b> Investments - U.S. and state government obligations (attach schedule)				
<b>b</b> Investments - corporate stock (attach schedule)				
<b>c</b> Investments - corporate bonds (attach schedule)				
<b>11</b> Investments - land, buildings, and equipment: basis				
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
<b>12</b> Investments - mortgage loans				
<b>13</b> Investments - other (attach schedule)				
<b>14</b> Land, buildings, and equipment: basis				
Less: accumulated depreciation (attach schedule)				
<b>15</b> Other assets (describe)				
<b>16</b> Total assets (to be completed by all filers - see the instructions. Also, see page 1, item I)	196,700	245,789	245,789	
<b>17</b> Accounts payable and accrued expenses				
<b>18</b> Grants payable				
<b>19</b> Deferred revenue				
<b>20</b> Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons				
<b>21</b> Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)				
<b>22</b> Other liabilities (describe)				
<b>23</b> Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)			0	
<b>24</b> Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31. <input type="checkbox"/>				
Unrestricted				
Temporarily restricted				
Permanently restricted				
<b>25</b> Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here and complete lines 27 through 31. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				
<b>26</b> Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds				
<b>27</b> Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg., and equipment fund				
<b>28</b> Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds	196,700	245,789		
<b>29</b> Total net assets or fund balances (see the instructions)	196,700	245,789		
<b>30</b> Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see the instructions)	196,700	245,789		

**Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances**

<b>1</b> Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year - Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	<b>1</b>	196,700
<b>2</b> Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	<b>2</b>	49,088
<b>3</b> Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ <b>STM115</b>	<b>3</b>	1
<b>4</b> Add lines 1, 2, and 3	<b>4</b>	245,789
<b>5</b> Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶	<b>5</b>	
<b>6</b> Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5) - Part II, column (b), line 30	<b>6</b>	245,789

**Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income**

(a) List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, 2-story brick warehouse; or common stock, 200 shs. MLC Co.)		(b) How acquired P-Purchase D-Donation	(c) Date acquired (yr., mo., day)	(d) Date sold (yr., mo., day)
1a				
b				
c				
d				
e				

  

(e) Gross sales price	(f) Depreciation allowed (or allowable)	(g) Cost or other basis plus expense of sale	(h) Gain or (loss) (e) plus (f) minus (g)
a			
b			
c			
d			
e			

  

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

  

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	{ If gain, also enter in Part I, line 7 If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 7 }	2	
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6): If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see the instructions). If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8		3	

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

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

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

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

1 Enter the appropriate amount in each column for each year; see the instructions before making any entries.			
(a) Base period years Calendar year (or tax year beginning in)	(b) Adjusted qualifying distributions	(c) Net value of noncharitable-use assets	(d) Distribution ratio (col. (b) divided by col. (c))
2007	18,958	143,020	0.132555
2006	15,475	108,517	0.142604
2005	16,300	97,281	0.167556
2004	5,000	89,000	0.05618
2003	4,785	34,244	0.139733

  

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.638627
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period - divide the total on line 2 by 5, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	0.127725
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2008 from Part X, line 5	4	189,864
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	24,250
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	20
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	24,270
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate. See the Part VI instructions.	8	29,145

**Part VI Excise Tax Based on Investment Income (Section 4940(a), 4940(b), 4940(e), or 4948 - see the instructions)**

1a	Exempt operating foundations described in section 4940(d)(2), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and enter "N/A" on line 1. Date of ruling letter: _____ (attach copy of ruling letter if necessary-see instructions)		
b	Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements in Part V, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and enter 1% of Part I, line 27b . . . . .	1	20
c	All other domestic foundations enter 2% of line 27b. Exempt foreign organizations enter 4% of Part I, line 12, col. (b)		
2	Tax under section 511 (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	2	0
3	Add lines 1 and 2 . . . . .	3	20
4	Subtitle A (income) tax (domestic section 4947(a)(1) trusts and taxable foundations only. Others enter -0-)	4	0
5	<b>Tax based on investment income.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. If zero or less, enter -0- . . . . .	5	20
6	<b>Credits/Payments:</b>		
a	2008 estimated tax payments and 2007 overpayment credited to 2008 . . . . .	6a	
b	Exempt foreign organizations - tax withheld at source . . . . .	6b	
c	Tax paid with application for extension of time to file (Form 8868) . . . . .	6c	
d	Backup withholding erroneously withheld . . . . .	6d	
7	Total credits and payments. Add lines 6a through 6d . . . . .	7	
8	Enter any <b>penalty</b> for underpayment of estimated tax. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if Form 2220 is attached . . . . .	8	
9	<b>Tax due.</b> If the total of lines 5 and 8 is more than line 7, enter <b>amount owed</b> . . . . .	9	20
10	<b>Overpayment.</b> If line 7 is more than the total of lines 5 and 8, enter the <b>amount overpaid</b> . . . . .	10	
11	Enter the amount of line 10 to be: <b>Credited to 2009 estimated tax</b> <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Refunded</b> <input type="checkbox"/>	11	

**Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities**

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

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

11	At any time during the year, did the foundation, directly or indirectly, own a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? If "Yes," attach schedule (see instructions) . . . . .	11		X
12	Did the foundation acquire a direct or indirect interest in any applicable insurance contract before August 17, 2008? . . . . .	12		X
13	Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address ▶ <u>WWW.MAYERFOUNDATION.ORG</u>	13	X	
14	The books are in care of ▶ <u>TAXPAYER</u> Telephone no. ▶ <u>212-772-0004</u> Located at ▶ <u>300 EAST 74TH ST NEW YORK, NY</u> ZIP+4 ▶ <u>10021</u>			
15	Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041-Check here . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/> and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year . . . . . ▶ <u>15</u> <u>1,966</u>			

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

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.

		Yes	No
1a	During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly):		
(1)	Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(2)	Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(3)	Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(4)	Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(5)	Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
(6)	Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days.) . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here . . . . . ▶ <input type="checkbox"/>	1b	
c	Did the foundation engage in a prior year in any of the acts described in 1a, other than excepted acts, that were not corrected before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2008? . . . . .	1c	X
2	Taxes on failure to distribute income (section 4942) (does not apply for years the foundation was a private operating foundation defined in section 4942(j)(3) or 4942(j)(5):		
a	At the end of tax year 2008, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2008? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No If "Yes," list the years ▶ _____, _____, _____		
b	Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is <b>not</b> applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement - see the instructions.) . . . . .	2b	X
c	If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here. ▶ _____, _____, _____		
3a	Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year? . . . . . <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		
b	If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2008 as a result of (1) any purchase by the foundation or disqualified persons after May 26, 1969; (2) the lapse of the 5-year period (or longer period approved by the Commissioner under section 4943(c)(7)) to dispose of holdings acquired by gift or bequest; or (3) the lapse of the 10-, 15-, or 20-year first phase holding period? (Use Schedule C, Form 4720, to determine if the foundation had excess business holdings in 2008.) . . . . .	3b	
4a	Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes? . . . . .	4a	X
b	Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2008? . . . . .	4b	X

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

5a During the year did the foundation pay or incur any amount to:

(1) Carry on propaganda, or otherwise attempt to influence legislation (section 4945(e))? . . . . .  Yes  No

(2) Influence the outcome of any specific public election (see section 4955); or to carry on, directly or indirectly, any voter registration drive? . . . . .  Yes  No

(3) Provide a grant to an individual for travel, study, or other similar purposes? . . . . .  Yes  No

(4) Provide a grant to an organization other than a charitable, etc., organization described in section 509(a)(1), (2), or (3), or section 4940(d)(2)? (see instructions) . . . . .  Yes  No

(5) Provide for any purpose other than religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or for the prevention of cruelty to children or animals? . . . . .  Yes  No

b If any answer is "Yes" to 5a(1)-(5), did any of the transactions fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4945 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance (see the instructions)? . . . . . **5b**  Yes  No

Organizations relying on a current notice regarding disaster assistance check here . . . . .

c If the answer is "Yes" to question 5a(4), does the foundation claim exemption from the tax because it maintained expenditure responsibility for the grant? . . . . .  Yes  No

If "Yes," attach the statement required by Regulations section 53.4945-5(d).

6a Did the foundation, during the year, receive any funds, directly or indirectly, to pay premiums on a personal benefit contract? . . . . .  Yes  No

b Did the foundation, during the year, pay premiums, directly or indirectly, on a personal benefit contract? . . . . . **6b**  Yes  No

If you answered "Yes" to 6b, also file Form 8870.

7a At any time during the tax year, was the foundation a party to a prohibited tax shelter transaction? . . . . .  Yes  No

b If yes, did the foundation receive any proceeds or have any net income attributable to the transaction? . . . . . **7b**  Yes  No

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

1 List all officers, directors, trustees, foundation managers and their compensation (see the instructions).

(a) Name and address	(b) Title, and average hours per week devoted to position	(c) Compensation (if not paid, enter -0-)	(d) Contributions to employee benefit plans and deferred compensation	(e) Expense account, other allowances
CHARLES MAYER 300 EAST 74TH ST NEW YORK, NY 10021	PRESIDENT 1	0	0	0
DANIEL BOOCKVAR 61 WEST 75TH STREET, NY 10023	SECY/TREAS 1	0	0	0
ROBERT LOPATIN PO BOX 672452 MOSHOLU STATION, NY 10467	V. P. /DIR 1	0	0	0

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

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

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

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

**3 Five highest-paid independent contractors for professional services (see the instructions). If none, enter "NONE."**

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		

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

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

List the foundation's four largest direct charitable activities during the tax year. Include relevant statistical information such as the number of organizations and other beneficiaries served, conferences convened, research papers produced, etc.	Expenses
1 NONE	0
2	
3	
4	

**Part IX-B Summary of Program-Related Investments** (see the instructions)

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2.	Amount
1 NONE	0
2	
All other program-related investments. See the instructions.	
3	
Total. Add lines 1 through 3 . . . . . ▶	

**Part X Minimum Investment Return** (All domestic foundations must complete this part. Foreign foundations, see the instructions.)

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities	1a	0
b	Average of monthly cash balances	1b	192,755
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see the instructions)	1c	0
d	<b>Total</b> (add lines 1a, b, and c)	1d	192,755
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation)	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets	2	0
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d	3	192,755
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see the instructions)	4	2,891
5	<b>Net value of noncharitable-use assets.</b> Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4	5	189,864
6	<b>Minimum investment return.</b> Enter 5% of line 5	6	9,493

**Part XI Distributable Amount** (see the instructions) (Section 4942(j)(3) and (j)(5) private operating foundations and certain foreign organizations check here  and do not complete this part.)

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6	1	9,493
2a	Tax on investment income for 2008 from Part VI, line 5	2a	20
b	Income tax for 2008. (This does not include the tax from Part VI.)	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b	2c	20
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1	3	9,473
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4	5	9,473
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see the instructions)	6	
7	<b>Distributable amount as adjusted.</b> Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1	7	9,473

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

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes:		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc. - total from Part I, column (d), line 26	1a	29,145
b	Program-related investments - total from Part IX-B	1b	
2	Amounts paid to acquire assets used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes	2	
3	Amounts set aside for specific charitable projects that satisfy the:		
a	Suitability test (prior IRS approval required)	3a	
b	Cash distribution test (attach the required schedule)	3b	
4	<b>Qualifying distributions.</b> Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4	4	29,145
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b (see the instructions)	5	20
6	<b>Adjusted qualifying distributions.</b> Subtract line 5 from line 4	6	29,125

**Note:** The amount on line 6 will be used in Part V, column (b), in subsequent years when calculating whether the foundation qualifies for the section 4940(e) reduction of tax in those years.



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

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2007	(c) 2007	(d) 2008
1 Distributable amount for 2008 from Part XI, line 7 . . . . .				9,473
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2007:				
a Enter amount for 2007 only . . . . .				
b Total for prior years: _____, _____				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2008:				
a From 2003 . . . . .	3,698			
b From 2004 . . . . .	550			
c From 2005 . . . . .	11,436			
d From 2006 . . . . .	10,099			
e From 2007 . . . . .	11,891			
f Total of lines 3a through e . . . . .	37,674			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2008 from Part XII, line 4: ► \$ _____ 29,145				
a Applied to 2007, but not more than line 2a . . . .				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required - see the instructions) . . . .				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required - see the instructions) . . . . .				
d Applied to 2008 distributable amount . . . . .				9,473
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus . . . .	19,672			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2008 . . . . . (If an amount appears in column (d), the same amount must be shown in column (a).)				
6 Enter the net total of each column as indicated below:				
a Corpus. Add lines 3f, 4c, and 4e. Subtract line 5 . . . .	57,346			
b Prior years' undistributed income. Subtract line 4b from line 2b . . . . .				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed . . . . .				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b. Taxable amount - see the instructions . . . . .				
e Undistributed income for 2007. Subtract line 4a from line 2a. Taxable amount - see the instructions . . . . .				
f Undistributed income for 2008. Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1. This amount must be distributed in 2009 . . . . .				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (see the instructions) . . . . .				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2003 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see the instructions) . . . . .	3,698			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2009. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a . . . . .	53,648			
10 Analysis of line 9:				
a Excess from 2004 . . . . .	550			
b Excess from 2005 . . . . .	11,436			
c Excess from 2006 . . . . .	10,099			
d Excess from 2007 . . . . .	11,891			
e Excess from 2008 . . . . .	19,672			

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

**1a** If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2008, enter the date of the ruling . . . . . ▶

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

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

	Tax year				(e) Total
	(a) 2008	(b) 2007	(c) 2006	(d) 2005	
<b>b</b> 85% of line 2a . . . . .					
<b>c</b> Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed . . . . .					
<b>d</b> Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities . . . . .					
<b>e</b> Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c . . . . .					
<b>3</b> Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon:					
<b>a</b> "Assets" alternative test - enter:					
<b>(1)</b> Value of all assets . . . . .					
<b>(2)</b> Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i) . . . . .					
<b>b</b> "Endowment" alternative test - enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed . . . . .					
<b>c</b> "Support" alternative test - enter:					
<b>(1)</b> Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties) . . . . .					
<b>(2)</b> Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii) . . . . .					
<b>(3)</b> Largest amount of support from an exempt organization . . . . .					
<b>(4)</b> Gross investment income . . . . .					

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

**1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:**

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

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

NONE,

**2 Information Regarding Contribution, Grant, Gift, Loan, Scholarship, etc., Programs:**

Check here  if the foundation only makes contributions to preselected charitable organizations and does not accept unsolicited requests for funds. If the foundation makes gifts, grants, etc. (see the instructions) to individuals or organizations under other conditions, complete items 2a, b, c, and d.

**a** The name, address, and telephone number of the person to whom applications should be addressed:

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

**c** Any submission deadlines:

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

**Part XV Supplementary Information** (continued)

**3 Grants and Contributions Paid During the Year or Approved for Future Payment**

Recipient Name and address (home or business)	If recipient is an individual, show any relationship to any foundation manager or substantial contributor	Foundation status of recipient	Purpose of grant or contribution	Amount
a Paid during the year ANNAMARIE TROMBETTA 175 EAST 96TH ST New York NY 10128	NONE		MEDICAL	5,000
VOLUNTEERS IN MEDICINE 777 SOUTH MAIN ST Great Barrington MA 01230	NONE		GENERAL FUND	5,000
SCOTT BARATTA 771 SOUTH WALNUT ST Lindenhurst NY 11757	NONE		TUITION	14,145
JENNY EGALITE 220 GOTHAM AVE Elmont NY 11003	NONE		SHELTER	5,000
<b>Total</b> .....				<b>3a</b> 29,145
b Approved for future payment				
<b>Total</b> .....				<b>3b</b>

**Part XVI-A Analysis of Income-Producing Activities**

Enter gross amounts unless otherwise indicated.

	Unrelated business income		Excluded by section 512, 513, or 514		(e) Related or exempt function income (See the instructions.)
	(a) Business code	(b) Amount	(c) Exclusion code	(d) Amount	
1 Program service revenue:					
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
f					
g Fees and contracts from government agencies . . .					
2 Membership dues and assessments . . . . .					
3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments . . .			03	1,966	
4 Dividends and interest from securities . . . . .					
5 Net rental income or (loss) from real estate:					
a Debt-financed property . . . . .					
b Not debt-financed property . . . . .					
6 Net rental income or (loss) from personal property . . .					
7 Other investment income . . . . .					
8 Gain or (loss) from sales of assets other than inventory .					
9 Net income or (loss) from special events . . . . .					
10 Gross profit or (loss) from sales of inventory . . . . .					
11 Other revenue: a					
b					
c					
d					
e					
12 Subtotal. Add columns (b), (d), and (e) . . . . .				1,966	
13 Total. Add line 12, columns (b), (d), and (e) . . . . .				13	1,966

(See worksheet in line 13 instructions to verify calculations.)

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

Line No.	Explain below how each activity for which income is reported in column (e) of Part XVI-A contributed importantly to the accomplishment of the foundation's exempt purposes (other than by providing funds for such purposes). (See the instructions.)
1a	NONE

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

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

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

b If "Yes," complete the following schedule.

(a) Name of organization	(b) Type of organization	(c) Description of relationship

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

Sign Here	<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>Signature of officer or trustee</span> <span>Date</span> </div>		<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <span>PRESIDENT</span> <span>Title</span> </div>
	Paid Preparer's Use Only Preparer's signature <i>William Berger</i>	Date 02-09-2009	Check if self-employed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Firm's name (or yours if self-employed), address, and ZIP code Marlboro NJ 07746	EIN 	Phone no. 732-536-5876	

Federal Supporting Statements

2008

Name(s) as shown on return

FEIN

CHARLES MAYER	300 EAST 74TH ST 35A NEW YORK	NY 10021
EVA MAYER	54R HOPE ST STAMFORD	CT 06906
ROBERT CODIGNOTTO	205 WELLINGTON RD Garden City	NY 11530

Form 990PF, Part III, Line 3  
Other Increases Schedule

PG 01  
Statement #115

ROUNDING \_\_\_\_\_ 1

Total \_\_\_\_\_ 1

# Federal Supporting Statements

2008 PG 01  
Your Social Security Number  
02-0569535

Name(s) as shown on return  
THE MAYER FOUNDATION

Statement #103

## Form 990PF, Part I, Line 23 - Other Expenses Schedule

Description	Revenue and expenses	Net investment	Adjusted net income	Charitable purpose
FILING FEES	60	0	0	0
FINANCIAL AGENT-REPRESENTATION	42	0	0	0
BANK CHARGES	156	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<u>258</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

PG 01  
Statement #108

## Form 990PF, Part I, Line 16(b) - Accounting Fees Schedule

Description	Revenue and expenses	Net investment	Adjusted net income	Charitable purpose
ACCOUNTING FEES	475	0	0	0
<b>Totals</b>	<u>475</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

**Schedule B**  
**(Form 990, 990-EZ,**  
**or 990-PF)**

Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

**Schedule of Contributors**  
▶ Attach to Form 990, 990-EZ, and 990-PF.

OMB No. 1545-0047

**2008**

Name of the organization

**THE MAYER FOUNDATION**

Employer identification number

**02-0569535**

Organization type (check one):

Filers of:

Section:

Form 990 or 990-EZ

501(c)( ) (enter number) organization

4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust not treated as a private foundation

527 political organization

Form 990-PF

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 organizations filing Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF that received, during the year, \$5,000 or more (in money or property) from any one contributor. Complete Parts I and II.

**Special Rules**

For a section 501(c)(3) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that met the 33 1/3% support test of the regulations under sections 509(a)(1)/170(b)(1)(A)(vi), and received from any one contributor, during the year, a contribution of the greater of (1) \$5,000 or (2) 2% of the amount on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1h or 2% of the amount on Form 990-EZ, line 1. Complete Parts I and II.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, aggregate contributions or bequests of more than \$1,000 for use exclusively for religious, charitable, scientific, literary, or educational purposes, or the prevention of cruelty to children or animals. Complete Parts I, II, and III.

For a section 501(c)(7), (8), or (10) organization filing Form 990, or Form 990-EZ, that received from any one contributor, during the year, some contributions for use exclusively for religious, charitable, etc., purposes, but these contributions did not aggregate to more than \$1,000. (If this box is checked, enter here the total contributions that were received during the year for an exclusively religious, charitable, etc., purpose. Do not complete any of the parts unless the **General Rule** applies to this organization because it received nonexclusively religious, charitable, etc., contributions of \$5,000 or more during the year.) . . . . . ▶ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution.** Organizations that are not covered by the General Rule and/or the Special Rules do not file Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF), but they **must** answer "No" on Part IV, line 2 of their Form 990, or check the box in the heading of their Form 990-EZ, or on line 2 of their Form 990-PF, to certify that they do not meet the filing requirements of Schedule B (Form 990, 990-EZ, or 990-PF).



Name of organization

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**Part I** Contributors (see instructions)

(a) No.	(b) Name, address, and ZIP + 4	(c) Aggregate contributions	(d) Type of contribution
1	EVA MAYER 54R HOPE ST STAMFORD, CT 06906	\$ 15,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
2	CHARLES MAYER 300 EAST 74 ST NEW YORK, NY 10021	\$ 50,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
3	ROBERT CODIGNOTTO 205 WELLINGTON RD GARDEN CITY, NY, NY 11530	\$ 12,000	Person <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
---	_____ _____ _____	\$ _____	Person <input type="checkbox"/> Payroll <input type="checkbox"/> Noncash <input type="checkbox"/> (Complete Part II if there is a noncash contribution.)
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