

Form **990-PF**
 Department of the Treasury
 Internal Revenue Service

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

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For calendar year 2018, or tax year beginning 01-01-2018, and ending 12-31-2018

Name of foundation THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC		A Employer identification number 64-0804548
Number and street (or P O box number if mail is not delivered to street address) 199 CHARMANT PLACE UNIT 2	Room/suite	B Telephone number (see instructions) (601) 957-0588
City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code RIDGELAND, MS 39157		C If exemption application is pending, check here <input type="checkbox"/>
G Check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return <input type="checkbox"/> Initial return of a former public charity <input type="checkbox"/> Final return <input type="checkbox"/> Amended return <input type="checkbox"/> Address change <input type="checkbox"/> Name change		D 1. Foreign organizations, check here <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Foreign organizations meeting the 85% test, check here and attach computation <input type="checkbox"/>
H Check type of organization: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Section 501(c)(3) exempt private foundation <input type="checkbox"/> Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trust <input type="checkbox"/> Other taxable private foundation		E If private foundation status was terminated under section 507(b)(1)(A), check here <input type="checkbox"/>
I Fair market value of all assets at end of year (from Part II, col (c), line 16) ▶ \$ 52,552,300	J Accounting method: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify) _____ <i>(Part I, column (d) must be on cash basis)</i>	F If the foundation is in a 60-month termination under section 507(b)(1)(B), check here <input type="checkbox"/>

Part I Analysis of Revenue and Expenses <i>(The total of amounts in columns (b), (c), and (d) may not necessarily equal the amounts in column (a) (see instructions))</i>		(a) Revenue and expenses per books	(b) Net investment income	(c) Adjusted net income	(d) Disbursements for charitable purposes (cash basis only)
Revenue	1 Contributions, gifts, grants, etc., received (attach schedule)				
	2 Check <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> if the foundation is not required to attach Sch B				
	3 Interest on savings and temporary cash investments	212,346	212,346		
	4 Dividends and interest from securities	1,435,775	1,435,775		
	5a Gross rents				
	b Net rental income or (loss)				
	6a Net gain or (loss) from sale of assets not on line 10	1,610,029			
	b Gross sales price for all assets on line 6a	11,384,055			
	7 Capital gain net income (from Part IV, line 2)		1,610,029		
	8 Net short-term capital gain				
	9 Income modifications				
	10a Gross sales less returns and allowances				
b Less Cost of goods sold					
c Gross profit or (loss) (attach schedule)					
11 Other income (attach schedule)	77,709	77,709			
12 Total. Add lines 1 through 11	3,335,859	3,335,859			
Operating and Administrative Expenses	13 Compensation of officers, directors, trustees, etc	252,000	100,800		151,200
	14 Other employee salaries and wages				
	15 Pension plans, employee benefits				
	16a Legal fees (attach schedule)	5,661	2,264		3,397
	b Accounting fees (attach schedule)	22,445	8,978		13,467
	c Other professional fees (attach schedule)	253,808	253,808		
	17 Interest				
	18 Taxes (attach schedule) (see instructions)	31,198	31,198		
	19 Depreciation (attach schedule) and depletion	5,768			
	20 Occupancy	19,684	7,874		11,810
	21 Travel, conferences, and meetings				
	22 Printing and publications				
	23 Other expenses (attach schedule)	78,989	31,595		47,394
	24 Total operating and administrative expenses. Add lines 13 through 23	669,553	436,517		227,268
	25 Contributions, gifts, grants paid	3,223,600			3,223,600
26 Total expenses and disbursements. Add lines 24 and 25	3,893,153	436,517		3,450,868	
27 Subtract line 26 from line 12					
a Excess of revenue over expenses and disbursements	-557,294				
b Net investment income (if negative, enter -0-)		2,899,342			
c Adjusted net income (if negative, enter -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
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing	2,050	2,050	2,050
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	712,707	1,065,118	1,065,118
	3 Accounts receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	4 Pledges receivable ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	5 Grants receivable			
	6 Receivables due from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons (attach schedule) (see instructions)			
	7 Other notes and loans receivable (attach schedule) ▶ _____ Less allowance for doubtful accounts ▶ _____			
	8 Inventories for sale or use			
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges			
	10a Investments—U S and state government obligations (attach schedule)	4,107,075	4,104,631	4,075,828
	b Investments—corporate stock (attach schedule)	27,676,322	26,310,399	34,662,615
	c Investments—corporate bonds (attach schedule)	2,690,368	2,881,218	2,815,695
	11 Investments—land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ _____			
	12 Investments—mortgage loans			
	13 Investments—other (attach schedule)	10,654,009	10,685,880	9,930,994
	14 Land, buildings, and equipment basis ▶ _____ 80,758 Less accumulated depreciation (attach schedule) ▶ 44,295		36,463	
15 Other assets (describe ▶ _____)				
16 Total assets (to be completed by all filers—see the instructions Also, see page 1, item I)	45,842,531	45,085,759	52,552,300	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses			
	18 Grants payable			
	19 Deferred revenue			
	20 Loans from officers, directors, trustees, and other disqualified persons			
	21 Mortgages and other notes payable (attach schedule)			
	22 Other liabilities (describe ▶ _____)			
	23 Total liabilities (add lines 17 through 22)		0	
Net Assets or Fund Balances	Foundations that follow SFAS 117, check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 24 through 26 and lines 30 and 31.			
	24 Unrestricted	45,842,531	45,085,759	
	25 Temporarily restricted			
	26 Permanently restricted			
	Foundations that do not follow SFAS 117, check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 31.			
	27 Capital stock, trust principal, or current funds			
	28 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, bldg , and equipment fund			
29 Retained earnings, accumulated income, endowment, or other funds				
30 Total net assets or fund balances (see instructions)	45,842,531	45,085,759		
31 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances (see instructions) .	45,842,531	45,085,759		

Part III Analysis of Changes in Net Assets or Fund Balances

1 Total net assets or fund balances at beginning of year—Part II, column (a), line 30 (must agree with end-of-year figure reported on prior year's return)	1	45,842,531
2 Enter amount from Part I, line 27a	2	-557,294
3 Other increases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	3	
4 Add lines 1, 2, and 3	4	45,285,237
5 Decreases not included in line 2 (itemize) ▶ _____	5	199,478
6 Total net assets or fund balances at end of year (line 4 minus line 5)—Part II, column (b), line 30 .	6	45,085,759

Part IV Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income

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

2 Capital gain net income or (net capital loss)	2	1,610,029
3 Net short-term capital gain or (loss) as defined in sections 1222(5) and (6) If gain, also enter in Part I, line 8, column (c) (see instructions) If (loss), enter -0- in Part I, line 8	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 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))
2017	3,262,688	55,379,366	0.058915
2016	3,378,528	53,014,396	0.063729
2015	3,117,265	56,621,693	0.055054
2014	3,193,076	56,552,893	0.056462
2013	2,765,663	52,644,698	0.052535

2 Total of line 1, column (d)	2	0.286695
3 Average distribution ratio for the 5-year base period—divide the total on line 2 by 5.0, or by the number of years the foundation has been in existence if less than 5 years	3	0.057339
4 Enter the net value of noncharitable-use assets for 2018 from Part X, line 5	4	56,230,772
5 Multiply line 4 by line 3	5	3,224,216
6 Enter 1% of net investment income (1% of Part I, line 27b)	6	28,993
7 Add lines 5 and 6	7	3,253,209
8 Enter qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4	8	3,450,868

If line 8 is equal to or greater than line 7, check the box in Part VI, line 1b, and complete that part using a 1% tax rate See the Part VI instructions

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

Table with 11 rows for excise tax calculations. Includes categories like 'Exempt operating foundations', 'Domestic foundations that meet the section 4940(e) requirements', and 'Tax due'. Total amount owed is 2,554.

Part VII-A Statements Regarding Activities

Table with 10 rows for activity statements. Questions include 'During the tax year, did the foundation attempt to influence any national, state, or local legislation or did it participate or intervene in any political campaign?' and 'Did the foundation have at least \$5,000 in assets at any time during the year?'. Includes 'Yes' and 'No' columns.

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.
12 Did the foundation make a distribution to a donor advised fund over which the foundation or a disqualified person had advisory privileges? If "Yes," attach statement See instructions
13 Did the foundation comply with the public inspection requirements for its annual returns and exemption application? Website address N/A
14 The books are in care of JOHN LEWIS Telephone no (601) 957-0588
Located at 199 CHARMANT PLACE RIDGELAND MS ZIP+4 39157
15 Section 4947(a)(1) nonexempt charitable trusts filing Form 990-PF in lieu of Form 1041 -check here and enter the amount of tax-exempt interest received or accrued during the year 15
16 At any time during calendar year 2018, did the foundation have an interest in or a signature or other authority over a bank, securities, or other financial account in a foreign country? See the instructions for exceptions and filing requirements for FinCEN Form 114 If "Yes", enter the name of the foreign country

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

File Form 4720 if any item is checked in the "Yes" column, unless an exception applies.
1a During the year did the foundation (either directly or indirectly)
(1) Engage in the sale or exchange, or leasing of property with a disqualified person?
(2) Borrow money from, lend money to, or otherwise extend credit to (or accept it from) a disqualified person?
(3) Furnish goods, services, or facilities to (or accept them from) a disqualified person?
(4) Pay compensation to, or pay or reimburse the expenses of, a disqualified person?
(5) Transfer any income or assets to a disqualified person (or make any of either available for the benefit or use of a disqualified person)?
(6) Agree to pay money or property to a government official? (Exception. Check "No" if the foundation agreed to make a grant to or to employ the official for a period after termination of government service, if terminating within 90 days).
b If any answer is "Yes" to 1a(1)-(6), did any of the acts fail to qualify under the exceptions described in Regulations section 53.4941(d)-3 or in a current notice regarding disaster assistance? See instructions
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 2018?
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 2018, did the foundation have any undistributed income (lines 6d and 6e, Part XIII) for tax year(s) beginning before 2018? If "Yes," list the years
b Are there any years listed in 2a for which the foundation is not applying the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) (relating to incorrect valuation of assets) to the year's undistributed income? (If applying section 4942(a)(2) to all years listed, answer "No" and attach statement-see instructions)
c If the provisions of section 4942(a)(2) are being applied to any of the years listed in 2a, list the years here
3a Did the foundation hold more than a 2% direct or indirect interest in any business enterprise at any time during the year?
b If "Yes," did it have excess business holdings in 2018 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 2018).
4a Did the foundation invest during the year any amount in a manner that would jeopardize its charitable purposes?
b Did the foundation make any investment in a prior year (but after December 31, 1969) that could jeopardize its charitable purpose that had not been removed from jeopardy before the first day of the tax year beginning in 2018?

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

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

(a) Name and address of each person paid more than \$50,000	(b) Type of service	(c) Compensation
NONE		
Total number of others receiving over \$50,000 for professional services. ▶		

Part IX-A Summary of Direct Charitable Activities

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

	Expenses
1	
2	
3	
4	

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

Describe the two largest program-related investments made by the foundation during the tax year on lines 1 and 2

	Amount
1 N/A	
2	
All other program-related investments. See instructions	

Total. Add lines 1 through 3 ▶

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

1	Fair market value of assets not used (or held for use) directly in carrying out charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Average monthly fair market value of securities.	1a	55,755,570
b	Average of monthly cash balances.	1b	1,294,344
c	Fair market value of all other assets (see instructions).	1c	37,164
d	Total (add lines 1a, b, and c).	1d	57,087,078
e	Reduction claimed for blockage or other factors reported on lines 1a and 1c (attach detailed explanation).	1e	
2	Acquisition indebtedness applicable to line 1 assets.	2	
3	Subtract line 2 from line 1d.	3	57,087,078
4	Cash deemed held for charitable activities. Enter 1 1/2% of line 3 (for greater amount, see instructions).	4	856,306
5	Net value of noncharitable-use assets. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter here and on Part V, line 4.	5	56,230,772
6	Minimum investment return. Enter 5% of line 5.	6	2,811,539

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

1	Minimum investment return from Part X, line 6.	1	2,811,539
2a	Tax on investment income for 2018 from Part VI, line 5.	2a	28,993
b	Income tax for 2018 (This does not include the tax from Part VI).	2b	
c	Add lines 2a and 2b.	2c	28,993
3	Distributable amount before adjustments. Subtract line 2c from line 1.	3	2,782,546
4	Recoveries of amounts treated as qualifying distributions.	4	
5	Add lines 3 and 4.	5	2,782,546
6	Deduction from distributable amount (see instructions).	6	
7	Distributable amount as adjusted. Subtract line 6 from line 5. Enter here and on Part XIII, line 1.	7	2,782,546

Part XII Qualifying Distributions (see instructions)

1	Amounts paid (including administrative expenses) to accomplish charitable, etc., purposes		
a	Expenses, contributions, gifts, etc.—total from Part I, column (d), line 26.	1a	3,450,868
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	Qualifying distributions. Add lines 1a through 3b. Enter here and on Part V, line 8, and Part XIII, line 4.	4	3,450,868
5	Foundations that qualify under section 4940(e) for the reduced rate of tax on net investment income. Enter 1% of Part I, line 27b. See instructions.	5	28,993
6	Adjusted qualifying distributions. Subtract line 5 from line 4.	6	3,421,875

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

Part XIII Undistributed Income (see instructions)

	(a) Corpus	(b) Years prior to 2017	(c) 2017	(d) 2018
1 Distributable amount for 2018 from Part XI, line 7				2,782,546
2 Undistributed income, if any, as of the end of 2018				
a Enter amount for 2017 only.				
b Total for prior years 20___, 20___, 20___				
3 Excess distributions carryover, if any, to 2018				
a From 2013.	163,344			
b From 2014.	426,573			
c From 2015.	349,054			
d From 2016.	775,854			
e From 2017.	553,156			
f Total of lines 3a through e.	2,267,981			
4 Qualifying distributions for 2018 from Part XII, line 4 ▶ \$ <u>3,450,868</u>				
a Applied to 2017, but not more than line 2a				
b Applied to undistributed income of prior years (Election required—see instructions).				
c Treated as distributions out of corpus (Election required—see instructions).				
d Applied to 2018 distributable amount.				2,782,546
e Remaining amount distributed out of corpus	668,322			
5 Excess distributions carryover applied to 2018 (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	2,936,303			
b Prior years' undistributed income Subtract line 4b from line 2b				
c Enter the amount of prior years' undistributed income for which a notice of deficiency has been issued, or on which the section 4942(a) tax has been previously assessed.				
d Subtract line 6c from line 6b Taxable amount—see instructions				
e Undistributed income for 2017 Subtract line 4a from line 2a Taxable amount—see instructions				
f Undistributed income for 2018 Subtract lines 4d and 5 from line 1 This amount must be distributed in 2019				0
7 Amounts treated as distributions out of corpus to satisfy requirements imposed by section 170(b)(1)(F) or 4942(g)(3) (Election may be required - see instructions).				
8 Excess distributions carryover from 2013 not applied on line 5 or line 7 (see instructions).	163,344			
9 Excess distributions carryover to 2019. Subtract lines 7 and 8 from line 6a	2,772,959			
10 Analysis of line 9				
a Excess from 2014.	426,573			
b Excess from 2015.	349,054			
c Excess from 2016.	775,854			
d Excess from 2017.	553,156			
e Excess from 2018.	668,322			

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

1a If the foundation has received a ruling or determination letter that it is a private operating foundation, and the ruling is effective for 2018, enter the date of the ruling. ▶

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

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

	Tax year	Prior 3 years			(e) Total
	(a) 2018	(b) 2017	(c) 2016	(d) 2015	
b 85% of line 2a					
c Qualifying distributions from Part XII, line 4 for each year listed					
d Amounts included in line 2c not used directly for active conduct of exempt activities					
e Qualifying distributions made directly for active conduct of exempt activities. Subtract line 2d from line 2c					
3 Complete 3a, b, or c for the alternative test relied upon					
a "Assets" alternative test—enter					
(1) Value of all assets					
(2) Value of assets qualifying under section 4942(j)(3)(B)(i)					
b "Endowment" alternative test— enter 2/3 of minimum investment return shown in Part X, line 6 for each year listed.					
c "Support" alternative test—enter					
(1) Total support other than gross investment income (interest, dividends, rents, payments on securities loans (section 512(a)(5)), or royalties)					
(2) Support from general public and 5 or more exempt organizations as provided in section 4942(j)(3)(B)(iii).					
(3) Largest amount of support from an exempt organization					
(4) Gross investment income					

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

1 Information Regarding Foundation Managers:

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

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

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

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

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

CHERYLE SIMS
199 CHARMONT UNIT 2
RIDGELAND, MS 39157
(601) 957-0588

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

IN WRITING

c Any submission deadlines

NONE

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

NONE

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 SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE, MS 39211	SEE ATTACHED SC	SEE ATTACHED	SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE	3,223,600
Total ▶ 3a				
b Approved for future payment SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE, MS 39211	SEE ATTACHED SC	SEE ATTACHED	SEE ATTACHED SCHEDULE	44,686,666
Total ▶ 3b				

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List and describe the kind(s) of property sold (e.g., real estate, (a) 2-story brick warehouse, or common stock, 200 shs MLC Co.)	(b) How acquired P—Purchase D—Donation	(c) Date acquired (mo, day, yr)	(d) Date sold (mo, day, yr)
1 ML ACCT 535-02393-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
1 ML ACCT 535-02085-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
ML ACCT 535-02394-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
ML ACCT 535-02819-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
ML ACCT 535-04C57-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
ML ACCT 535-04E33-SCHED ATT	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
CASH IN LIEU-ML ACCT 535-02085	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31
CASH IN LIEU-ML ACCT 535-04E33	P	2017-01-01	2018-12-31

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(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)
536,015		553,392	-17,377
1,585,507		1,537,235	48,272
1,237,022		1,264,358	-27,336
1,314,529		1,348,859	-34,330
3,480,443		3,212,729	267,714
3,230,111		1,857,453	1,372,658
415			415
13			13

Form 990PF Part IV - Capital Gains and Losses for Tax on Investment Income - Columns i - l

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	
			-17,377
			48,272
			-27,336
			-34,330
			267,714
			1,372,658
			415
			13

TY 2018 Accounting Fees Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
ACCOUNTING FEES	22,445	8,978		13,467

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TY 2018 Depreciation Schedule

Name: THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC

EIN: 64-0804548

Depreciation Schedule

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
FAX MACHINE	1998-04-02	280	280	200DB	5 0000				
COPIER	1998-04-02	700	700	200DB	5 0000				
TELEPHONE	1998-04-02	100	100	200DB	5 0000				
OFFICE FURNITURE	1998-04-02	14,725	14,725	200DB	5 0000				
CONFERENCE TABLE	1998-05-05	1,627	1,627	200DB	5 0000				
CREDENZA	1998-05-05	1,710	1,710	200DB	5 0000				
DESK	1998-05-05	2,146	2,146	200DB	5 0000				
OFFICE FURNITURE	1998-08-04	2,367	2,367	200DB	5 0000				
COMPUTER	1998-09-11	1,098	1,098	200DB	5 0000				
PRINTER	1998-09-11	1,500	1,500	200DB	5 0000				
REFRIGERATOR	1998-05-05	120	120	200DB	5 0000				
TABLE	1998-05-05	40	40	200DB	5 0000				
COMPUTER DESK	1998-05-05	60	60	200DB	5 0000				
DESK	1998-06-30	1,639	1,639	200DB	5 0000				
CONSOLE	2000-11-20	1,680	1,680	200DB	5 0000				
OFFICE FURNITURE	2000-11-20	1,685	1,685	200DB	5 0000				
OFFICE FURNITURE - CHAIRS	2001-01-09	2,454	2,454	200DB	5 0000				
OFFICE FURNITURE - LAMP, MIRROR	2001-03-13	3,024	3,024	200DB	5 0000				
EQUIPMENT	2010-08-04	1,572	1,572	200DB	5 0000				
KITCHEN/CLEANING EQUIPMENT	2018-01-31	1,565		200DB	7 0000	224			

Depreciation Schedule

Description of Property	Date Acquired	Cost or Other Basis	Prior Years' Depreciation	Computation Method	Rate / Life (# of years)	Current Year's Depreciation Expense	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Cost of Goods Sold Not Included
TV	2018-01-31	514		200DB	5 0000	103			
LEASEHOLD IMPROVEMENTS	2018-03-01	3,483		150DB	15 0000	174			
FURNITURE	2018-02-13	15,587		200DB	7 0000	2,227			
FURNITURE	2018-03-02	7,975		200DB	7 0000	1,139			
FURNITURE	2018-03-13	5,833		200DB	7 0000	833			
RUGS	2018-03-20	6,053		200DB	7 0000	865			
FURNITURE	2018-04-10	721		200DB	7 0000	103			
TV	2018-02-08	500		200DB	5 0000	100			

TY 2018 Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Investments Corporate Bonds Schedule**

Name of Bond	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
MERRILL LYNCH EMA 535-02394-CORP BON	1,820,817	1,792,343
MERRILL LYNCH EMA 535-02085	1,060,401	1,023,352

TY 2018 Investments Corporate Stock Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Investments Corporation Stock Schedule**

Name of Stock	End of Year Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
MERRILL LYNCH EMA ACC. 04E33 - VARI	20,942,215	29,841,239
MERRILL LYNCH EMA ACC 535-04C57	3,939,390	3,492,118
MERRILL LYNCH EMA ACC 535-02085	288,207	279,200
MERRILL LYNCH EMA ACC 535-02819	1,140,587	1,050,058

TY 2018 Investments Government Obligations Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**US Government Securities - End
of Year Book Value:**

4,104,631

**US Government Securities - End
of Year Fair Market Value:**

4,075,828

**State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Book
Value:****State & Local Government
Securities - End of Year Fair
Market Value:**

TY 2018 Investments - Other Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Investments Other Schedule 2**

Category/ Item	Listed at Cost or FMV	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
MERRILL LYNCH EMA 535-02393-MUTUAL F	AT COST	2,969,853	2,642,016
MERRILL LYNCH EMA 535-02394-MUTUAL F	AT COST	2,822,523	2,566,301
MERRILL LYNCH EMA 535-04C57-PTPS	AT COST	3,830,679	3,621,360
MERRILL LYNCH 535-04E33-MUTUAL FUNDS	AT COST	1,062,825	1,101,317

**TY 2018 Land, Etc.
Schedule****Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Category / Item	Cost / Other Basis	Accumulated Depreciation	Book Value	End of Year Fair Market Value
BUILDINGS	80,758	44,295	36,463	

TY 2018 Legal Fees Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
LEGAL FEES	5,661	2,264		3,397

TY 2018 Other Assets Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Other Assets Schedule**

Description	Beginning of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Book Value	End of Year - Fair Market Value
OVERPAID EXCISE TAXES			

TY 2018 Other Decreases Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Description	Amount
COST BASIS ADJUSTMENTS	199,478

TY 2018 Other Expenses Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Other Expenses Schedule**

Description	Revenue and Expenses per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
EXPENSES				
TELEPHONE	2,636	1,054		1,582
INSURANCE	10,406	4,162		6,244
OFFICE EXPENSE	22,220	8,888		13,332
CONTRACT LABOR	34,456	13,782		20,674
MISCELLANEOUS	7,384	2,954		4,430
MEALS	1,595	638		957
POSTAGE	292	117		175

TY 2018 Other Income Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548**Other Income Schedule**

Description	Revenue And Expenses Per Books	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income
OTHER	77,709	77,709	

TY 2018 Other Professional Fees Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
INVESTMENT FEES	253,808	253,808		

TY 2018 Taxes Schedule**Name:** THE GERTRUDE C FORD FOUNDATION INC**EIN:** 64-0804548

Category	Amount	Net Investment Income	Adjusted Net Income	Disbursements for Charitable Purposes
EXCISE TAX	30,051	30,051		
FOREIGN TAXES PAID	1,142	1,142		
PROPERTY TAXES	5	5		