#### Form 5500

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Signature of DFE

## Annual Return/Report of Employee Benefit Plan

This form is required to be filed for employee benefit plans under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and sections 6047(e), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

> ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.

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2010

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Part I	Annual Report Ident	ification Information				
For cale	For calendar plan year 2010 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2010 and ending 12/31/2010					
A This return/report is for:		a multiemployer plan;	a multip	e-employer plan; or		
		a single-employer plan;	a DFE (	specify)		
<b>B</b> This	return/report is:	the first return/report;	the final	I return/report;		
		x an amended return/report;	a short p	short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).		
C If the	plan is a collectively-bargained	d plan, check here				
	k box if filing under:	Form 5558;	_	ic extension;	the DFVC program;	
D Onco	in box ii iiiiig uridor.	special extension (enter des		,	,	
Part	II Rasic Plan Inform	ation—enter all requested informa	. /			
	ne of plan	ation—enter an requested informa	ation		<b>1b</b> Three-digit plan	001
	EON CORPORATION 401(K) I	PROFIT SHARING PLAN			number (PN) ▶	001
	· /				1c Effective date of pla	an
					01/01/1995	
	n sponsor's name and address Iress should include room or su	(employer, if for a single-employer party no.)	plan)		<b>2b</b> Employer Identification Number (EIN)	
,	EON CORPORATION	ine 110.)			22-3203193	
					<b>2c</b> Sponsor's telephon	ne
					number 206-219-7839	
	COND AVE., 3200		1301 SECOND AVE., 3200			
SEATTL	E, WA 98101	SEATTLE	SEATTLE, WA 98101		2d Business code (see instructions)	9
					621510	
Caution	· A nenalty for the late or inc	omplete filing of this return/repor	rt will he assessed	unless reasonable cause i	e aetahlishad	
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	enalties set forth in the instructions, I				dules
		s the electronic version of this return				
SIGN	Filed with authorized/valid elec	ctronic signature.	01/10/2012	MELANIE SPRAGUE		
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Date

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Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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	Plan administrator's name and address (if same as plan sponsor, enter "Sam	ne")		Iministrator's EIN 3203193	
	01 SECOND AVE., 3200 ATTLE, WA 98101	3c Administrator's telephone number 206-219-7839			
4	If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return the plan number from the last return/report:	n/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN	and	4b EIN	
а	Sponsor's name			4c PN	
5	Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5	567	
6	Number of participants as of the end of the plan year (welfare plans complete	e only lines <b>6a, 6b, 6c,</b> and <b>6d</b> ).		1	
а	Active participants		. 6a	1276	
	·				
b	Retired or separated participants receiving benefits		. 6b	1	
С	Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits		. 6c	137	
d	Subtotal. Add lines 6a, 6b, and 6c		. 6d	1414	
е	Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to re-	ceive benefits	. 6e	1	
f	Total. Add lines <b>6d</b> and <b>6e</b>	. 6f	1415		
g	Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year complete this item)	. 6g	999		
h	Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with less than 100% vested		6h	24	
7	Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only	7			
	If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature con 2E 2F 2G 2J 2K 2T 3D  f the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes				
9a	Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)  (1) Insurance  (2) Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts  (3) Trust  (4) General assets of the sponsor   9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)  (1) Insurance  (2) Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts  (3) Trust  (4) General assets of the sponsor				
10 a	Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are a  Pension Schedules  (1) R (Retirement Plan Information)  (2) MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary  (3) SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary	b General Schedules (1) H (Financial Inform (2) I (Financial Inform (3) A (Insurance Inform (4) C (Service Provide (5) D (DFE/Participati (6) G (Financial Trans	nation) nation – mation) er Inform ng Plan	Small Plan) nation) Information)	

## SCHEDULE C (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Employee Benefits Security Administration
Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

## **Service Provider Information**

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.

OMB No. 1210-0110

2010

This Form is Open to Public Inspection.

For calendar plan year 2010 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2010	and ending 12/31/2010
A Name of plan DENDREON CORPORATION 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500	D Employer Identification Number (EIN)
DENDREON CORPORATION	22-3203193
Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)	
Tart Octable Frontier information (See instructions)	
You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in complan during the plan year. If a person received <b>only</b> eligible indirect compensation for answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remaind	nection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to
1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compe	nsation
a Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder	
indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instru	ctions for definitions and conditions)
<b>b</b> If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person pro- received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (s	
(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided y	ou disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
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answered	I "yes" to line 1a above	e, complete as many e	entries as needed to list ea	r Indirect Compensation ch person receiving, directly or ne plan or their position with the	indirectly, \$5,000 or more in to	otal compensation
		(	a) Enter name and EIN or	address (see instructions)		
04-264778	INVESTMENTS INSTI	TUTIONAL	. ,	<u> </u>		
(b) Service Code(s)	Relationship to employer, employee organization, or person known to be a party-in-interest	(d) Enter direct compensation paid by the plan. If none, enter -0	(e) Did service provider receive indirect compensation? (sources other than plan or plan sponsor)	(f) Did indirect compensation include eligible indirect compensation, for which the plan received the required disclosures?	Enter total indirect compensation received by service provider excluding eligible indirect compensation for which you answered "Yes" to element (f). If none, enter -0	(h) Did the service provider give you a formula instead of an amount or estimated amount?
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Pa	Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information							
4	this Schedule.		r who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete					
	(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(C) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide					
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Pa	art III	Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled A (complete as many entries as needed)	Actuaries (see instructions)
а	Name:	·	<b>b</b> EIN:
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## **SCHEDULE H** (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration

## **Financial Information**

This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

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OMB No. 1210-0110

2010

This Form is Open to Public

Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	ment to Form	JJ00.			Inspection	on
For calendar plan year 2010 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2010		and	ending 12/31/	2010	•	
A Name of plan DENDREON CORPORATION 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN			<b>B</b> Three-dig	it		
DENDREON CORPORATION 401(K) PROFIT SHAKING PLAN			plan num	ber (PN)	<b>)</b>	001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500			<b>D</b> Employer I	dentificat	ion Number (E	EIN)
DENDREON CORPORATION			00.00040	•		
			22-320319	3		
Part I Asset and Liability Statement						
1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan						
the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insural						
benefit at a future date. <b>Round off amounts to the nearest dollar.</b> MTIAs,						
and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. S	ee instructions.					
Assets		<b>(a)</b> B	eginning of Year		<b>(b)</b> End	of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a					
<b>b</b> Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):						
(1) Employer contributions	1b(1)					
(2) Participant contributions	1b(2)					
(3) Other	1b(3)					
<b>c</b> General investments:						
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)		85	2267		1448613
(2) U.S. Government securities	1c(2)					
(3) Corporate debt instruments (other than employer securities):						
(A) Preferred	1c(3)(A)					
(B) All other	1c(3)(B)					
(4) Corporate stocks (other than employer securities):						
(A) Preferred	1c(4)(A)					
(B) Common	1c(4)(B)					
(5) Partnership/joint venture interests	1c(5)					
(6) Real estate (other than employer real property)	1c(6)					
(7) Loans (other than to participants)	1c(7)					
(8) Participant loans	1c(8)		16	6816		278335
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)					
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)					
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)					
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)					
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)		1519	5983		27420196
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated	1c(14)					

1c(15)

(15) Other.....

1d	Employer-related investments:		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
	(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
	(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
е	Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f	Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	16215066	29147144
	Liabilities			
g	Benefit claims payable	1g		
h	Operating payables	1h		
i	Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j	Other liabilities	1j		
k	Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through1j)	1k		
	Net Assets			
I	Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	11	16215066	29147144

## Part II Income and Expense Statement

2 Plan income, expenses, and changes in net assets for the year. Include all income and expenses of the plan, including any trust(s) or separately maintained fund(s) and any payments/receipts to/from insurance carriers. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 2a, 2b(1)(E), 2e, 2f, and 2g.

Income		(a) Amount	<b>(b)</b> Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	1582775	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	5320652	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)	3715949	
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A), (B), (C), and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		10619376
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	224	
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)	10679	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		10903
(2) Dividends: (A) Preferred stock	2b(2)(A)		
(B) Common stock	2b(2)(B)		
(C) Registered investment company shares (e.g. mutual funds)	2b(2)(C)	430208	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A), (B), and (C)	2b(2)(D)		430208
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		

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		(a) Amount	(b) Total
2b (5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		
(8) Net investment gain (loss) from master trust investment accounts	2b(8)		
(9) Net investment gain (loss) from 103-12 investment entities	2b(9)		
(10) Net investment gain (loss) from registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	2b(10)		2762359
C Other income	. 2c		
d Total income. Add all <b>income</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total	. 2d		13822846
Expenses			
<b>e</b> Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	. 2e(1)	869470	
(2) To insurance carriers for the provision of benefits	2e(2)		
(3) Other	. 2e(3)		
(4) Total benefit payments. Add lines 2e(1) through (3)	. 2e(4)		869470
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	. 2f		1248
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	0		14419
h Interest expense	. 2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	0:(0)		
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2:/2\		
(4) Other	0:(4)	5631	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	0:/5)		5631
j Total expenses. Add all <b>expense</b> amounts in column (b) and enter total			890768
Net Income and Reconciliation	<u> </u>		
k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		12932078
Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(2) From this plan	21(2)	_	
Port III Assountant's Oninion		<u>.</u>	
Part III Accountant's Opinion	accountant is ottacl	had to this Form FFOO Comp	
3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public attached.			lete line 3d il an opinion is not
a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this pla	_ `	ns):	
(1) Unqualified (2) Qualified (3) Disclaimer (4)	Adverse		
<b>b</b> Did the accountant perform a limited scope audit pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.10	3-8 and/or 103-12(d	?(t	Yes No
<b>C</b> Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:			
(1) Name: GRANT THORNTON	•	2) EIN: 36-6055558	
<b>d</b> The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is <b>not attached</b> becomes (1) This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) It will be attached		rm 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR	2520.104-50.

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Pa	art IV Compliance Question	ns						
4		Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete		4f, 4g,	4h, 4k, 4	m, 4n, or 5	j.	
	During the plan year:				Yes	No	Amo	unt
а	period described in 29 CFR 2510.	he plan any participant contributions w 3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for a ons and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Co	ny prior year failures	4a		X		
b	close of the plan year or classified secured by participant's account b	d income obligations due the plan in o during the year as uncollectible? Disr alance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 55	egard participant loans 00) Part I if "Yes" is	4b		X		
С	Were any leases to which the plan	was a party in default or classified du (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checker	ring the year as	4c		X		
d	reported on line 4a. Attach Schedu	ctions with any party-in-interest? (Do ule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is		4d		X		
е	Was this plan covered by a fidelity	bond?		4e	X			500000
f	Did the plan have a loss, whether	or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity	bond, that was caused	4f		X		
~	•	e current value was neither readily de		41				
g	•	ndependent third party appraiser?		4g		X		
h	, ,	contributions whose value was neithe arket nor set by an independent third p	,	4h		X		
i	•	nvestment? (Attach schedule(s) of assurirements.)	-	4i	X			
j	value of plan assets? (Attach sche	ies of transactions in excess of 5% of edule of transactions if "Yes" is checke ments.)	d, and	4j		X		
k		tributed to participants or beneficiaries of the PBGC?		4k		X		
ı	Has the plan failed to provide any	benefit when due under the plan?		41		X		
m	If this is an individual account plan	, was there a blackout period? (See ir	structions and 29 CFR	4m		X		
n		the "Yes" box if you either provided the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.10		4n		X		
5a		n been adopted during the plan year or a		Yes	No X	Amour	ıt:	
5b	If, during this plan year, any asset transferred. (See instructions.)	s or liabilities were transferred from thi	s plan to another plan(s)	, ident	fy the pla	n(s) to wh	ich assets or liabi	lities were
	5b(1) Name of plan(s)					<b>5b(2)</b> EIN	(s)	<b>5b(3)</b> PN(s)

## SCHEDULE R (Form 5500)

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 and 4065 of the

Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code).

File as an attachment to Form 5500.

**Retirement Plan Information** 

OMB No. 1210-0110

2010

This Form is Open to Public Inspection.

For	calendar plan year 2010 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2010 and	ending	9	12/31/2	010					
	Name of plan DREON CORPORATION 401(K) PROFIT SHARING PLAN	В		e-digit n numbe l)	er •		001			
	Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 DREON CORPORATION	D	Emp	loyer Id	entifica	ation N	umber	(EIN)		
DLIN	BREON CONFORMATION		22	-320319	93					
Da	art I Distributions									
	references to distributions relate only to payments of benefits during the plan year.									
1	Total value of distributions paid in property other than in cash or the forms of property specified in the instructions			1						0
2	Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries dupayors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits):				e than	two, e	nter Ell	Vs of	the tw	VO
	EIN(s): 04-6568107									
	Profit-sharing plans, ESOPs, and stock bonus plans, skip line 3.									
3	Number of participants (living or deceased) whose benefits were distributed in a single sum, during the year			3						
P	art II Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements ERISA section 302, skip this Part)				the Int	ernal F	Revenu	e Cod	de or	
4	Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)?			П	Yes	Ī	No		П	N/A
	If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.					Ľ				
5	If a waiver of the minimum funding standard for a prior year is being amortized in this plan year, see instructions and enter the date of the ruling letter granting the waiver.  Date: Mor	nth		Da	av		Yea	r		
	If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the re				,					_
6	a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year			6a						
	<b>b</b> Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year			6b						
	C Subtract the amount in line 6b from the amount in line 6a. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount)			6c						
	If you completed line 6c, skip lines 8 and 9.		L		1					
7	Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 6c be met by the funding deadline?				Yes		No			N/A
8	If a change in actuarial cost method was made for this plan year pursuant to a revenue procedure pro automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator with the change?	agree			Yes	[	No			N/A
Pa	art III Amendments									
9	If this is a defined benefit pension plan, were any amendments adopted during this plan									
	year that increased or decreased the value of benefits? If yes, check the appropriate box(es). If no, check the "No" box	ease		Decre	ease		Both		No	)
Pa	<b>ESOPs</b> (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under Section 409(a) or 4975 skip this Part.	(e)(7)	of the	Interna	l Reve	nue Co	ode,			
10	Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to rep	ay any	exen	npt loan	?		Y	es		No
11	a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?						Υ	es		No
	<b>b</b> If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a	"hook	to-hac	rk" loan	2				П	NI.
	(See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.)						Y	es	Ш	No

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Schedule R (Form 5500) 2010

Par	t V	Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans							
13	Ente	Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in							
		ollars). See instructions. Complete as many entries as needed to report all applicable employers.							
	a	Name of contributing employer							
	b	EIN C Dollar amount contributed by employer							
	d	Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month Day Year							
	е	Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)							
		(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents)							
	а	Name of contributing employer							
	b	EIN C Dollar amount contributed by employer							
	d	Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month Day Year							
	е	Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).) (1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) (2) Base unit measure: Hourly Weekly Unit of production Other (specify):							
	а	Name of contributing employer							
	b	EIN C Dollar amount contributed by employer							
	d	Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month Day Year							
	е	Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)  (1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents)  (2) Base unit measure: Hourly Weekly Unit of production Other (specify):							
	a	Name of contributing employer							
	b	EIN C Dollar amount contributed by employer							
,	d	Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month Day Year							
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	a	Name of contributing employer							
	<u>a</u> b	EIN C Dollar amount contributed by employer							
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	е	Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete items 13e(1) and 13e(2).)  (1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents)  (2) Base unit measure: Hourly Weekly Unit of production Other (specify):							

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14	Enter the number of participants on whose behalf no contributions were made by an employer as an employer of participant for:	the						
	a The current year	14a						
	<b>b</b> The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	14b						
	C The second preceding plan year	14c						
15	Enter the ratio of the number of participants under the plan on whose behalf no employer had an obligation to ma employer contribution during the current plan year to:	ke an						
	a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	15a						
	<b>b</b> The corresponding number for the second preceding plan year	15b						
16	Information with respect to any employers who withdrew from the plan during the preceding plan year:							
	a Enter the number of employers who withdrew during the preceding plan year	16a						
	<b>b</b> If item 16a is greater than 0, enter the aggregate amount of withdrawal liability assessed or estimated to be assessed against such withdrawn employers	16b						
17	If assets and liabilities from another plan have been transferred to or merged with this plan during the plan year, cl supplemental information to be included as an attachment.		· •					
P	art VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefi	t Pensi	on Plans					
18	If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment							
19	If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete items (a) through (c)							
	a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:							
	Stock:% Investment-Grade Debt:% High-Yield Debt:% Real Estate:	_% Othe	er:%					
	b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:  0-3 years 3-6 years 6-9 years 9-12 years 12-15 years 15-18 years 18-2	21 vears	21 years or more					
	What duration measure was used to calculate item 19(b)?	i yours	L 21 yours or more					
	Effective duration Macaulay duration Modified duration Other (specify):							

# Financial Statements and Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants

## **Dendreon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan**

December 31, 2010 and 2009

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#### Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants

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To the Participants and Plan Administrative Committee of Dendreon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

Count Thousand LLP

We were engaged to audit the statements of net assets available for benefits of Dendroon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (the Plan) as of December 31, 2010 and 2009, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years then ended, and the schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2010, as listed in the accompanying table of contents. These financial statements and supplemental schedule are the responsibility of the Plan's management.

As permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, the Plan administrator instructed us not to perform, and we did not perform, any auditing procedures with respect to the information summarized in Note C, which was certified by Fidelity Management Trust Company, the Trustee of the Plan, except for comparing such information with the related information included in the financial statements and the supplemental schedule. We have been informed by the Plan administrator that the Trustee holds the Plan's investment assets and executes investment transactions. The Plan administrator has obtained a certification from the Trustee as of and for the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009, that the information provided to the Plan administrator by the Trustee is complete and accurate.

Because of the significance of the information that we did not audit, we are unable to, and do not, express an opinion on the accompanying financial statements and the supplemental schedule taken as a whole. The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and the supplemental schedule, other than that derived from the information certified by the Trustee, have been audited by us in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and, in our opinion, are presented in compliance with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

Seattle, Washington

January 9, 2012

## STATEMENTS OF NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

## December 31,

	2010	2009
ASSETS		
Investments, at fair value		
Mutual funds	\$ 27,420,196	\$ 15,195,983
Cash and cash equivalents	1,448,613	852,267
Total investments	28,868,809	16,048,250
Receivables		
Sponsor's contributions	515,779	185,302
Notes receivable from participants	278,335	166,816
Total receivables	794,114	352,118
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$ 29,662,923	\$ 16,400,368

## STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS

## Years ended December 31,

DITIONS 2010		2009	
Additions to net assets attributed to:			
Contributions			
Participant contributions and rollovers	\$ 9,036,601	\$ 2,084,147	
Employer contributions	1,913,252	619,210	
Investment income			
Interest and dividends	430,432	274,121	
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	2,762,359	3,245,156	
Interest in notes receivable from participants	10,679	8,314	
Total additions	14,153,323	6,230,948	
DEDUCTIONS			
Deductions from net assets attributed to:			
Participant distributions	869,470	680,372	
Deemed distributions	14,419	-	
Corrective distributions	1,248	-	
Administrative expenses	5,631	2,470	
Total deductions	890,768	682,842	
Net increase in net assets available for benefits	13,262,555	5,548,106	
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS			
Beginning of year	16,400,368	10,852,262	
End of year	\$ 29,662,923	\$ 16,400,368	

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE A - DESCRIPTION OF PLAN

The following description of the Dendreon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provision.

#### 1. General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan, established January 1, 1995, covering all eligible employees of Dendreon Corporation (the Company). The Plan provides for contributions pursuant to Section 401(A) of the Internal Revenue Code and is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

#### 2. Eligibility

Employees become eligible for the Plan on the first month subsequent to hire and upon attaining age 18. The Plan was amended in October 2008 to change the eligibility date from the first calendar quarter subsequent to hire to the first month subsequent to hire.

#### 3. <u>Contributions</u>

Plan participants may contribute up to 60% of their qualified compensation to the Plan, subject to Internal Revenue Code regulations. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified defined benefit and contribution plans.

The Company contributes 50% of earnings contributed by the participant up to a maximum of \$4,000 annually. Additional profit sharing amounts may be contributed at the discretion of the Board of Directors. There were no discretionary profit sharing contributions for the years ended December 31, 2010 or 2009.

#### 4. Participant Accounts

Participants' accounts are credited with their contributions, any Company contributions and any related income, expenses, gains or losses. Earnings allocations are based on participants units in their investment funds. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

#### 5. Vesting

Participants' contributions and all earnings thereon are 100% vested at all times. Employer matching contributions vest 25% for each year of service until they are 100% vested after four years.

In the event of death, permanent disability, or early retirement at the age of 55, participants become fully vested in all of their accounts, regardless of the vesting percentage attained at that date.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE A - DESCRIPTION OF PLAN - Continued

#### 6. <u>Investment Options</u>

Participants may select one or more predetermined investment options for the investing of contributions and allocated earnings. Contributions are deposited directly into the participant elected investment vehicles.

The Plan provides for various investment fund options which, in turn, invest in a combination of stocks, bonds, and other investment securities. Investment securities, in general, are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit and overall market volatility risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statement of net assets available for benefits.

#### 7. <u>Notes Receivable from Participants</u>

Plan participants may borrow from their fund accounts, generally for periods not to exceed five years, a minimum of \$1,000 up to a maximum equal to the lesser of \$50,000 or 50% of their vested account balance. If loans are for the purchase of a primary residence, repayment periods can extend up to ten years. Interest is paid by the borrower at a rate determined by the administrator based on the prevailing interest rates for loans made under similar circumstances and is retained in the borrower's account until the account balance is withdrawn.

#### 8. <u>Distribution of Benefits</u>

Upon retirement, disability or termination, a participant may elect to take a distribution up to the vested balance of the participant's account or rollover the vested interest into another qualified plan. The Plan has the option to distribute all account balances less than \$5,000 upon participant termination without participant consent. Upon death, the stated beneficiary shall be paid in a lump sum payment of cash.

#### 9. Forfeitures

Forfeitures from non-vested accounts are used to reduce future employer contributions. At December 31, 2010 and 2009, forfeited non-vested accounts totaled \$49,582 and \$46,735, respectively. The annual amounts of forfeited non-vested accounts are applied to employer contributions in the following year.

#### 10. Administrative Expenses

Audit fees and plan administration fees are paid for by the Plan Sponsor. Initial loan setup fees are paid by the participants.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### 1. <u>Basis of Accounting</u>

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

#### 2. <u>Investment Valuation and Income Recognition</u>

The Plan's investments are stated at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note H for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Interest and dividend income are accrued as earned. Net appreciation or depreciation in fair value is the net gain or loss on disposition of investments plus the net unrealized increase or decrease in fair value during the year of investments held at year-end.

#### 3. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan invests in various investment securities which are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect participants' account balances and the amounts reported in the statements of net assets available for benefits and changes therein.

#### 4. Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

#### 5. Contributions

Employee contributions are recorded in the period during which the Company makes payroll deductions from the Plan participants' earnings. Employer contributions are calculated and recorded quarterly in the period for which the matching contributions apply.

#### 6. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires the Plan administrator to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of additions and deductions during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF ACCOUNTING POLICIES - Continued

#### 7. New Accounting Standards

In January 2010, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Updated (ASU) No. 2010-06, *Improving Disdosures about Fair Value Measurements* that requires new fair value measurement classification disclosures and clarifies existing disclosures. The guidance requires disclosures about transfers into and out of levels 1 and 2 of the fair value hierarchy, and separate disclosures about purchases, sales, issuances and settlements relating to level 3 measurements. It also clarifies the existing fair value disclosures regarding valuation techniques, inputs used in those valuation models and at what level of detail fair value disclosures should be provided. The Company adopted ASU 2010-06 as of January 1, 2010, except for the disclosures about purchases, sales, issuances, and settlements in the roll forward of activity in level 3 fair value measurements. Those disclosures are effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2010, and for interim periods within those fiscal years. Early application is permitted. The adoption of the remaining disclosure requirements in ASU 2010-06 will not impact the Plan's fair value disclosures.

In September 2010, FASB issued an amendment, Plan Accounting - Defined Contribution Pension Plans (Topic 962): *Reporting Loans to Participants by Defined Contribution Pension Plans*, which provides guidance on how loans to participants should be classified and measured by defined contribution plans. That guidance requires participant loans to be classified as notes receivable from participants, which are segregated from plan investments and measured at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. The Plan adopted this new guidance in its December 31, 2010 financial statements and reclassified its 2009 financial statements to conform to the current presentation. Net assets of the Plan were not affected by the adoption of the new guidance.

#### 8. Reclassifications

Certain amounts on the December 31, 2009 financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. These changes had no effect on the net assets available for benefits or changes in net assets available for benefits as previously reported.

#### NOTE C - CERTIFIED INVESTMENT INFORMATION

The Plan administrator elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, Fidelity Management Trust Company, the trustee of the Plan, has certified that the following data included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedule are complete and accurate:

• Investment assets and notes receivable from participants, as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2010 and 2009.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE C - CERTIFIED INVESTMENT INFORMATION - Continued

- Trust transactions, including investment income, interest income on notes receivable from participants and securities transactions, as shown in the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended December 31, 2010 and 2009.
- Information included on the supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2010.

The Plan's independent accountants did not perform auditing procedures with respect to this information, except for comparing such information to the related information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedule.

#### NOTE D - PLAN TERMINATION

In the event of Plan termination, the net assets will be available for the exclusive use of the participants. All employer contributions will be considered vested upon termination of the Plan, regardless of each participant's vested status at the date of termination. The complete provisions covering the Plan termination are included in the Plan document, which is available to all participants.

#### NOTE E - PARTY-IN-INTEREST TRANSACTIONS

Certain Plan investments are shares of mutual funds managed by an entity affiliated with Fidelity Management Trust Company, the trustee of the Plan. These transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions.

#### NOTE F - RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements to Form 5500 as of December 31:

	2010	2009
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$ 29,662,923	\$ 16,400,368
Sponsor's contributions receivable	(515,779)	(185,302)
Net assets available for benefits per Form 5500	\$ 29,147,144	\$ 16,215,066

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE F - RECONCILIATION OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO FORM 5500 - Continued

The following is a reconciliation of net increase in net assets per the financial statements to Form 5500 for the year ended December 31:

	2010		2009	
Total net increase in net assets per financial statements	\$	13,262,555	\$	5,548,106
Less sponsor's contributions receivable		(330,477)		(185,302)
Total net increase in net assets per Form 5500	\$	12,932,078	\$	5,362,804

#### NOTE G - INVESTMENTS IN EXCESS OF 5% OF NET ASSETS

The following table presents the fair value of individual investments that represent 5% or more of the Plan's net assets at December 31:

	2010		2009	
Fidelity Freedom 2030 Fund*	\$	2,129,344	\$	1,366,859
Fidelity Growth Company Fund*		2,068,946		1,067,394
Fidelity Diversified International Fund*		1,697,650		1,133,521
Fidelity Mid-Cap Stock Fund*		1,593,944		892,252
**Fidelity Low-Priced Stock Fund*		-		987,152
**Fidelity Equity-Income Fund*		-		950,372
**Fidelity Retirement Money Market Portfolio Fund*		-		852,267

<sup>\*</sup> Represents party-in-interest transactions.
\*\* Null value represents funds that did not represent 5% or more of net assets in both years.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### **NOTE H - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS**

Fair value accounting guidance provides a hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under the accounting guidance described as follows:

Level 1	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or
	liabilities in active markets that the plan has the ability to access.
Level 2	Inputs to the valuation methodology include
	<ul> <li>quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by</li> </ul>
	correlation or other means.
	If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable
	for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.
Level 3	Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value
	measurement.

The asset or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Investments classified within level 3 whose fair value measurements consider several inputs may include level 1 or level 2 inputs as components of the overall fair value measurement.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value:

Mutual funds: Valued at the net asset value (NAV) of shares held by the plan at year end.

*Money Market funds:* Valued at cost, which approximates fair value.

The preceding methods described may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, although the plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

## December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### NOTE H - FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS - Continued

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2010:

Asset	Level 1	Level 2		Level 3		Total
Mutual Funds						
Domestic & international stock funds	\$ 13,784,212	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 13,784,212
Domestic & international bond funds	1,308,605		-		-	1,308,605
Domestic & international stock &						
bond funds	9,407,792		-		-	9,407,792
International stock funds	257,356		-		-	257,356
Domestic stock funds	974,259		-		-	974,259
Domestic bond funds	1,687,972		<u>-</u>			1,687,972
Total mutual funds	27,420,196		-		-	27,420,196
Money Market Account	1,448,613		-		-	1,448,613
Total investments at fair value	\$ 28,868,809	\$		\$		\$ 28,868,809

The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2009:

Asset	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual Funds				
Domestic & international stock funds	\$ 8,108,416	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 8,108,416
Domestic & international bond funds	637,396	-	-	637,396
Domestic & international stock &				
bond funds	5,402,082	-	-	5,402,082
Domestic stock funds	360,865	-	-	360,865
Domestic bond funds	687,224			687,224
Total mutual funds	15,195,983	-	-	15,195,983
Money Market Account	852,267			852,267
Total investments at fair value	\$ 16,048,250	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,048,250

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2010 and 2009

#### **NOTE I - TAX STATUS**

The Company has adopted a Prototype Standardized Profit Sharing Plan with a deferral arrangement, which received a favorable opinion letter dated December 5, 2001, from the Internal Revenue Service, which stated that the Plan and its related trust are designed in accordance with applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The Plan has since been amended and restated. In the opinion of the Plan administrator, the Plan and its related trust are designed and currently operating in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

Subsequent to December 31, 2010, The Company identified errors with certain contributions, primarily due to the application of the Plan's definition of compensation and/or improper implementation of employee salary deferral percentages that are used for employee contribution calculations. If left uncorrected, these errors could potentially adversely affect the tax qualification of the Plan. However, the Company intends to correct these errors under the IRS's Employee Plans Compliance Resolution System and maintain the qualified status of the Plan. The Company has been working with its outside advisors to effect proper remediation of these errors.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and other than as noted above, they have concluded that as of December 31, 2010, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by the Internal Revenue Service; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress. The Plan administrator believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2007.

#### **NOTE J - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

In September 2011, the Company completed a workforce reduction resulting in a partial termination of the Plan. All affected by the workforce reduction became fully vested in accrued benefits at the termination date.

The Plan evaluated its December 31, 2010 financial statements for subsequent events through January 9, 2012, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. The Company is not aware of any subsequent events which would require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements other than noted above.

# **Supplemental Schedule**

## SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

## **December 31, 2010**

Identity of Issuer	Investment option	Current value
	Money market funds and cash equivalents:	
Fidelity	Retirement Money Market Portfolio Fund	\$ 1,448,613
	Growth mutual funds:	
Fidelity	Low-Priced Stock Fund	1,439,548
Fidelity	Value Fund	1,150,454
Wells Fargo Advantage	WFA Small CAP Val Z	992,704
Fidelity	Mid-Cap Stock Fund	1,593,94
Fidelity	OTC Portfolio Fund	928,612
Fidelity	Fifty Fund	519,408
Fidelity	Growth Company Fund	2,068,94
Fidelity	Large-Cap Stock Fund	492,905
		9,186,521
	Growth and income funds:	
Fidelity	Equity-Income Fund	1,363,908
Fidelity	Puritan Fund	580,142
Fidelity	Fidelity Fund	893,546
Pimco	Pimco total return admin	744,087
	5-11- A 1 A 1	3,581,683
	Fidelity freedom funds	
Fidelity	Freedom 2000 Fund	787,742
Fidelity	Freedom 2005 Fund	10,044
Fidelity	Freedom 2010 Fund	829,651
Fidelity	Freedom 2015 Fund	492,268
Fidelity	Freedom 2020 Fund	554,913
Fidelity	Freedom 2025 Fund	378,959
Fidelity	Freedom 2030 Fund	2,129,34
Fidelity	Freedom 2035 Fund	1,273,81
Fidelity	Freedom 2040 Fund	1,077,08
Fidelity	Freedom 2045 Fund	528,764
Fidelity	Freedom 2050 Fund	178,236
Fidelity	Freedom Income	67,426
	Taranata al Carlo	8,308,242
T: 1.19	International funds:	1 007 07
Fidelity	Diversified International Fund	1,697,65
Fidelity RS Investment Mgmt	Overseas Fund	1,004,03
Harbor	RS Emerging Markets A Harbor International	208,128 49,228
Oakmark	Oakmark International I	
Oakillark	Oakinark international 1	157,960 3,117,001
Spartan	Market Index Fund	974,259
	Fixed income funds:	
Fidelity	Intermediate Bond Fund	1,308,60
Fidelity	Investment Grade Bond Fund	943,885
		2,252,490
	* Notes receivable from participants**	278,333
		\$ 29,147,14

Cost information is omitted due to all accounts being participant directed \*Represents party-in-interest transactions.

\*\* Interest rate on notes receivable from participants is 5.75% per annum.

#### **Summary Annual Report**

#### For Dendreon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan

This is a summary of the annual report for Dendreon Corporation 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan, Employer Identification Number 22-3203193, Plan No. 001 for the period January 1, 2010 through December 31, 2010. The annual report has been filed with the Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, as required under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA).

#### **Basic Financial Statement**

Benefits under the plan are provided through a trust fund. Plan expenses were \$890,768. These expenses included \$5,631 in administrative expenses and \$869,470 in benefits paid to participants and beneficiaries and \$15,667 in other expenses. A total of 1415 persons were participants in or beneficiaries of the plan at the end of the plan year.

The value of plan assets, after subtracting liabilities of the plan, was \$29,147,144, as of December 31, 2010 compared to \$16,215,066 as of January 1, 2010. During the plan year, the plan experienced an increase in its net assets of \$12,932,078. This increase includes unrealized appreciation and depreciation in the value of plan assets; that is, the difference between the value of the plan's assets at the end of the year and the value of the assets at the beginning of the year or the cost of assets acquired during the year. The plan had total income of \$13,822,846, including employer contributions of \$1,582,775, employee contributions of \$5,320,652, other contributions of \$3,715,949, and earnings from investments of \$3,203,470.

#### **Your Rights To Additional Information**

You have the right to receive a copy of the full annual report, or any part thereof, on request. The items listed below are included in that report:

- 1. financial information and information on payments to service providers;
- 2. an accountant's report;
- 3. assets held for investment;

To obtain a copy of the full annual report, or any part thereof, write or call Dendreon Corporation, 1301 Second Ave., 3200, Seattle, WA 98101, (206) 219-7839.

You also have the right to receive from the Plan Administrator, on request and at no charge, a statement of the assets and liabilities of the plan and accompanying notes, or a statement of income and expenses of the plan and accompanying notes, or both. If you request a copy of the full annual report from the Plan Administrator, these two statements and accompanying notes will be included as part of that report.

You also have the legally protected right to examine the annual report at the main office of the plan at Dendreon Corporation, 1301 Second Ave., 3200, Seattle, WA 98101, and at the U.S. Department of Labor in Washington, D.C. or to obtain a copy from the U.S. Department of Labor upon payment of copying costs. Requests to the Department should be addressed to: Public Disclosure Room, N1513, Employee Benefits Security Administration, U.S. Department of Labor, 200 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20210.

## SCHEDULE H, LINE 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)

## December 31, 2010

Identity of Issuer	Investment option	Current value
	Money market funds and cash equivalents:	
Fidelity	Retirement Money Market Portfolio Fund	\$ 1,448,6
	Growth mutual funds:	
Fidelity	Low-Priced Stock Fund	1,439,5
Fidelity	Value Fund	1,150,4
Wells Fargo Advantage	WFA Small CAP Val Z	992,70
Fidelity	Mid-Cap Stock Fund	1,593,9
Fidelity	OTC Portfolio Fund	928,63
Fidelity	Fifty Fund	519,40
Fidelity	Growth Company Fund	2,068,9
Fidelity	Large-Cap Stock Fund	492,90 9,186,5
	Growth and income funds:	7,100,5.
Fidelity	Equity-Income Fund	1,363,9
Fidelity	Puritan Fund	580,14
Fidelity	Fidelity Fund	893,54
Pimco	Pimco total return admin	744,08
		3,581,6
	Fidelity freedom funds	-0
Fidelity	Freedom 2000 Fund	787,74
Fidelity	Freedom 2005 Fund	10,04
Fidelity	Freedom 2010 Fund	829,65
Fidelity	Freedom 2015 Fund	492,20
Fidelity	Freedom 2020 Fund	554,91
Fidelity	Freedom 2025 Fund	378,99
Fidelity	Freedom 2030 Fund	2,129,3
Fidelity	Freedom 2035 Fund	1,273,8
Fidelity	Freedom 2040 Fund	1,077,0
Fidelity	Freedom 2045 Fund	528,70
Fidelity	Freedom 2050 Fund	178,23
Fidelity	Freedom Income	67,42 8,308,2
	International funds:	0,300,2
Fidelity	Diversified International Fund	1,697,6
Fidelity	Overseas Fund	1,004,0
RS Investment Mgmt	RS Emerging Markets A	208,12
Harbor	Harbor International	49,22
Oakmark	Oakmark International I	157,90
		3,117,0
Spartan	Market Index Fund	974,2
	Fixed income funds:	
Fidelity	Intermediate Bond Fund	1,308,6
Fidelity	Investment Grade Bond Fund	943,88
		2,252,4
	* Notes receivable from participants**	278,3
		\$ 29,147,1

Cost information is omitted due to all accounts being participant directed

<sup>\*</sup>Represents party-in-interest transactions.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Interest rate on notes receivable from participants is 5.75% per annum.