

Form 5500 Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	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), 6057(b), and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). <p style="text-align: center;">▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.</p>	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 <div style="text-align: center; font-size: 1.5em; font-weight: bold;">2014</div> This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2014 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2014</u> and ending <u>12/31/2014</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan; ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions); or ☒ a single-employer plan; ☐ a DFE (specify) _____
B This return/report is:	☐ the first return/report; ☐ the final return/report; ☐ an amended return/report; ☐ a short plan year return/report (less than 12 months).
C If the plan is a collectively-bargained plan, check here.	☐
D Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558; ☐ automatic extension; ☐ the DFVC program; ☐ special extension (enter description)

Part II	Basic Plan Information —enter all requested information				
1a Name of plan <u>ABB INC. RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 80%;">1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶</td> <td style="width: 20%; text-align: center;"><u>302</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">1c Effective date of plan <u>01/01/1991</u></td> </tr> </table>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	<u>302</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>01/01/1991</u>	
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2a Plan sponsor's name and address; include room or suite number (employer, if for a single-employer plan) <u>ABB INC.</u> <u>12040 REGENCY PARKWAY, SUITE 200</u> <u>CARY, NC 27518</u>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td>2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>36-3100018</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>919-856-2360</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td>2d Business code (see instructions) <u>335900</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td style="height: 40px;"></td> </tr> </table>	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>36-3100018</u>	2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number <u>919-856-2360</u>	2d Business code (see instructions) <u>335900</u>	
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2d Business code (see instructions) <u>335900</u>					

Caution: A penalty for the late or incomplete filing of this return/report will be assessed unless reasonable cause is established.

Under penalties of perjury and other penalties set forth in the instructions, I declare that I have examined this return/report, including accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, as well as the electronic version of this return/report, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete.

SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/02/2015	DANIEL HAGMANN
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	10/07/2015	JAN ALLDE
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE
Preparer's name (including firm name, if applicable) and address (include room or suite number) (optional)			Preparer's telephone number (optional)

3a Plan administrator's name and address ☒ Same as Plan Sponsor		3b Administrator's EIN	
		3c Administrator's telephone number	
4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the name, EIN and the plan number from the last return/report:		4b EIN	
a Sponsor's name		4c PN	
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5	14644
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).			
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year		6a(1)	9470
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year		6a(2)	8289
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits		6b	64
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....		6c	4030
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c		6d	12383
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.		6e	49
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e		6f	12432
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item)		6g	12150
h Number of participants that terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....		6h	384
7 Enter the total number of employers obligated to contribute to the plan (only multiemployer plans complete this item).....		7	
8a If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions: 2G 2J 2K 2E 2F 2S 3H			
b If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristics Codes in the instructions:			
9a Plan funding arrangement (check all that apply)		9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply)	
(1) ☐ Insurance		(1) ☐ Insurance	
(2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts		(2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts	
(3) ☒ Trust		(3) ☒ Trust	
(4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor		(4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	
10 Check all applicable boxes in 10a and 10b to indicate which schedules are attached, and, where indicated, enter the number attached. (See instructions)			
a Pension Schedules		b General Schedules	
(1) ☒ R (Retirement Plan Information)		(1) ☒ H (Financial Information)	
(2) ☐ MB (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary		(2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan)	
(3) ☐ SB (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary		(3) ☐ A (Insurance Information)	
		(4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information)	
		(5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information)	
		(6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)	

Part III**Form M-1 Compliance Information (to be completed by welfare benefit plans)**

11a If the plan provides welfare benefits, was the plan subject to the Form M-1 filing requirements during the plan year? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

If "Yes" is checked, complete lines 11b and 11c.

11b Is the plan currently in compliance with the Form M-1 filing requirements? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-2.) ☐ Yes ☐ No

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2014 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2014 Form M-1 annual report, enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the most recent Form M-1 that was required to be filed under the Form M-1 filing requirements. (Failure to enter a valid Receipt Confirmation Code will subject the Form 5500 filing to rejection as incomplete.)

Receipt Confirmation Code _____

SCHEDULE C (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	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
		2014
		This Form is Open to Public Inspection.

For calendar plan year 2014 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2014 and ending 12/31/2014

A Name of plan ABB INC. RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	302
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 ABB INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-3100018	

Part I	Service Provider Information (see instructions)
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You must complete this Part, in accordance with the instructions, to report the information required for **each person** who received, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of monetary value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or the person's position with the plan during the plan year. If a person received **only** eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures, you are required to answer line 1 but are not required to include that person when completing the remainder of this Part.

1 Information on Persons Receiving Only Eligible Indirect Compensation

- a** Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate whether you are excluding a person from the remainder of this Part because they received only eligible indirect compensation for which the plan received the required disclosures (see instructions for definitions and conditions)..... ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b** If you answered line 1a "Yes," enter the name and EIN or address of each person providing the required disclosures for the service providers who received only eligible indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed (see instructions).

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation
GSAM STABLE VALUE LLC

04-3211048

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2. Information on Other Service Providers Receiving Direct or Indirect Compensation. Except for those persons for whom you answered "Yes" to line 1a above, complete as many entries as needed to list each person receiving, directly or indirectly, \$5,000 or more in total compensation (i.e., money or anything else of value) in connection with services rendered to the plan or their position with the plan during the plan year. (See instructions).

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

COOLEY LLP

94-1140085

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
29 50	NONE	171972	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

TOWERS WATSON

53-0181291

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
16 50	NONE	106926	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

CURCIO WEBB

36-4171366

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
16 50	NONE	70599	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.

04-2647786

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37 64 65 52	NONE	60036	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☒ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

FINANCIAL ENGINES

94-3250323

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
99 50	NONE	53166	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

GRANT THORNTON LLP

36-6055558

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
10 50	NONE	46200	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

MERILL LYNCH, PIERCE, FENNER, SMITH

13-5674085

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
15 52	NONE	8524	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

(a) Enter name and EIN or address (see instructions)

UNITED FORMS FINISHING

22-2378813

(b) Service Code(s)	(c) 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?	(g) 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?
99 50	NONE	7467	Yes ☐ No ☒	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

3 If you reported on line 2 receipt of indirect compensation, other than eligible indirect compensation, by a service provider, and the service provider is a fiduciary or provides contract administrator, consulting, custodial, investment advisory, investment management, broker, or recordkeeping services, answer the following questions for (a) each source from whom the service provider received \$1,000 or more in indirect compensation and (b) each source for whom the service provider gave you a formula used to determine the indirect compensation instead of an amount or estimated amount of the indirect compensation. Complete as many entries as needed to report the required information for each source.

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
ABF LARGE CAP VAL INS-STATE ST BANK 225 FRANKLIN STREET BOSTON, MA 02111		0.04%
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
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GUGGENHEIM MC VAL IS-RYDEX FUND SVC 805 KING FARM BLVD ROCKVILLE, MD 20850		0.10%
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
HARTFORD SMCO HLS IA - ADMIN SVCS 41-0679409		0.05%

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FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
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MSIF EMERGING MKTS - BOSTON FINDATA 330 W. 9TH STREET KANSAS CITY, MO 64105	0.15%	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2		
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		
TRP INTL STOCK T. ROWE PRICE SVCS 52-2269240	0.15%	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2		
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		
PIM LT US GOV INST BOSTON FIN DATA P.O. BOX 8480 BOSTON, MA 02266	0.03%	

Part I Service Provider Information (continued)

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PIM TOTAL RT INST BOSTON FIN DATA P.O. BOX 8480 BOSTON, MA 02266	0.03%	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2		(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
SELECTED AMERICAN D BOSTON FIN DATA 330 W. 9TH STREET KANSAS CITY, MO 64105	0.15%	
(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2		(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation
FIDELITY INV. INST. OPERATIONS CO.	60	0
(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation		(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.
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TRP SM CAP STOCK T. ROWE PRICE SVCS 52-2269240	0.15%

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VM MID CP CORE GR Y BNY MELLON INV PO BOX 9793 PROVIDENCE, RI 02940	0.25%

(a) Enter service provider name as it appears on line 2	(b) Service Codes (see instructions)	(c) Enter amount of indirect compensation

(d) Enter name and EIN (address) of source of indirect compensation	(e) Describe the indirect compensation, including any formula used to determine the service provider's eligibility for or the amount of the indirect compensation.

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

4 Provide, to the extent possible, the following information for each service provider who failed or refused to provide the information necessary to complete this Schedule.

(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

Part III **Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)**
(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	b EIN:
c Position:	
d Address:	e Telephone:

Explanation:

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Explanation:

a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
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code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)**a** Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:**b** Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):**c** EIN-PN**d** Entity
code**e** Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or
103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

Part II Information on Participating Plans (to be completed by DFEs)

(Complete as many entries as needed to report all participating plans)

a Plan name**b** Name of
plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN**a** Plan name**b** Name of
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plan sponsor**c** EIN-PN

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	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). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500.	<small>OMB No. 1210-0110</small> 2014 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
For calendar plan year 2014 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2014 and ending 12/31/2014		
A Name of plan ABB INC. RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 302
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 ABB INC.		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 36-3100018

Part I Asset and Liability Statement			
1 Current value of plan assets and liabilities at the beginning and end of the plan year. Combine the value of plan assets held in more than one trust. Report the value of the plan's interest in a commingled fund containing the assets of more than one plan on a line-by-line basis unless the value is reportable on lines 1c(9) through 1c(14). Do not enter the value of that portion of an insurance contract which guarantees, during this plan year, to pay a specific dollar benefit at a future date. Round off amounts to the nearest dollar. MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs do not complete lines 1b(1), 1b(2), 1c(8), 1g, 1h, and 1i. CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 1d and 1e. See instructions.			
Assets		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total noninterest-bearing cash	1a		
b Receivables (less allowance for doubtful accounts):			
(1) Employer contributions.....	1b(1)	38575000	40590000
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit).....	1c(1)	0	29068000
(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)	24031000	24023000
(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)	1691332000	1621708000
(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)		
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other.....	1c(15)	-5216000	-5625000

1d Employer-related investments:

		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
(1) Employer securities	1d(1)		
(2) Employer real property	1d(2)		
e Buildings and other property used in plan operation	1e		
f Total assets (add all amounts in lines 1a through 1e)	1f	1748722000	1709764000

Liabilities

g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h	126000	25000
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	126000	25000

Net Assets

l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	1748596000	1709739000
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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) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	60958000	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)	66370000	
(C) Others (including rollovers)	2a(1)(C)		
(2) Noncash contributions	2a(2)		
(3) Total contributions. Add lines 2a(1)(A) , (B) , (C) , and line 2a(2)	2a(3)		127328000
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(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)	1059000	
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		1059000
(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)		
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		0
(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)		0
(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)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(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)		98443000
(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)		
c Other income.....	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2d		226830000

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers.....	2e(1)	310773000	
(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)		310773000
f Corrective distributions (see instructions).....	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions).....	2g		
h Interest expense.....	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees.....	2i(1)	334399	
(2) Contract administrator fees.....	2i(2)	68559	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees.....	2i(3)	123765	
(4) Other.....	2i(4)	336277	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4).....	2i(5)		863000
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total.....	2j		311636000

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d.....	2k		-84806000
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan.....	2l(1)		45949000
(2) From this plan.....	2l(2)		

Part III Accountant's Opinion

3 Complete lines 3a through 3c if the opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is attached to this Form 5500. Complete line 3d if an opinion is not attached.

a The attached opinion of an independent qualified public accountant for this plan is (see instructions):

(1) ☐ Unqualified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☒ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Did the accountant perform a limited scope audit pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and/or 103-12(d)?

☒ Yes ☐ No

c Enter the name and EIN of the accountant (or accounting firm) below:

(1) Name: GRANT THORNTON LLP

(2) EIN: 36-6055558

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, or MTIA. (2) ☐ It will be attached to the next Form 5500 pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.104-50.

Part IV Compliance Questions

4 CCTs and PSAs do not complete Part IV. MTIAs, 103-12 IEs, and GIAs do not complete lines 4a, 4e, 4f, 4g, 4h, 4k, 4m, 4n, or 5. 103-12 IEs also do not complete lines 4j and 4l. MTIAs also do not complete line 4l.

During the plan year:

a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? Continue to answer "Yes" for any prior year failures until fully corrected. (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program.).....

b Were any loans by the plan or fixed income obligations due the plan in default as of the close of the plan year or classified during the year as uncollectible? Disregard participant loans secured by participant's account balance. (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part I if "Yes" is checked.).....

	Yes	No	Amount
4a	X		18922
4b		X	

	Yes	No	Amount
c Were any leases to which the plan was a party in default or classified during the year as uncollectible? (Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part II if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
4c			
d Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 4a. Attach Schedule G (Form 5500) Part III if "Yes" is checked.)		X	
4d			
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		40000000
4e			
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f			
g Did the plan hold any assets whose current value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4g			
h Did the plan receive any noncash contributions whose value was neither readily determinable on an established market nor set by an independent third party appraiser?		X	
4h			
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i			
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)		X	
4j			
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
4k			
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
4l			
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)		X	
4m			
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year?
 If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year. ☐ Yes ☒ No Amount:

5b If, during this plan year, any assets or liabilities were transferred from this plan to another plan(s), identify the plan(s) to which assets or liabilities were transferred. (See instructions.)

5b(1) Name of plan(s)	5b(2) EIN(s)	5b(3) PN(s)

5c If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

Part V Trust Information (optional)

6a Name of trust	6b Trust's EIN

SCHEDULE R (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Retirement Plan Information 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.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2014 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2014 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2014 and ending 12/31/2014

A Name of plan <u>ABB INC. RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>302</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>ABB INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>36-3100018</u>

Part I	Distributions
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All 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	<u>0</u>
2 Enter the EIN(s) of payor(s) who paid benefits on behalf of the plan to participants or beneficiaries during the year (if more than two, enter EINs of the two payors who paid the greatest dollar amounts of benefits): EIN(s): <u>04-6775072</u> <u>13-5674085</u>		
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 plan year.....	3	

Part II	Funding Information (If the plan is not subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Internal Revenue Code or ERISA section 302, skip this Part)
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4 Is the plan administrator making an election under Code section 412(d)(2) or ERISA section 302(d)(2)?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A
If the plan is a defined benefit plan, go to line 8.			
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: Month _____ Day _____ Year _____ If you completed line 5, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB and do not complete the remainder of this schedule.			
6 a Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year (include any prior year accumulated funding deficiency not waived).....	6a		
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.			
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 or other authority providing automatic approval for the change or a class ruling letter, does the plan sponsor or plan administrator agree with the change?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No	☐ N/A

Part III	Amendments
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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. If no, check the "No" box.....	☐ Increase	☐ Decrease	☐ Both	☐ No
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Part IV	ESOPs (see instructions). If this is not a plan described under Section 409(a) or 4975(e)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code, skip this Part.
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10 Were unallocated employer securities or proceeds from the sale of unallocated securities used to repay any exempt loan?	☐ Yes	☐ No
11 a Does the ESOP hold any preferred stock?	☐ Yes	☐ No
b If the ESOP has an outstanding exempt loan with the employer as lender, is such loan part of a "back-to-back" loan? (See instructions for definition of "back-to-back" loan.).....	☐ Yes	☐ No
12 Does the ESOP hold any stock that is not readily tradable on an established securities market?.....	☐ Yes	☐ No

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year (measured in dollars). 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 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 _____

e Contribution rate information (If more than one rate applies, check this box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, complete lines 13e(1) and 13e(2).)

(1) Contribution rate (in dollars and cents) _____

(2) Base unit measure: ☐ Hourly ☐ Weekly ☐ Unit of production ☐ Other (specify): _____

- 14** Enter the number of participants on whose behalf no contributions were made by an employer as an employer of the participant for:

a The current year	14a	
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 make an employer contribution during the current plan year to:

a The corresponding number for the plan year immediately preceding the current plan year	15a	
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 If line 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, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment. ☐

Part VI Additional Information for Single-Employer and Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension 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 lines (a) through (c)

- a** Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Stock: 0.0% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%
- 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 ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more
- c** What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

Financial Statements and Report of Independent
Certified Public Accountants

ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan

December 31, 2014 and 2013

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The Plan Administrator of
ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan:

Report on the financial statements

We were engaged to audit the accompanying financial statements of the **ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan** (the "Plan"), which comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on conducting the audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Because of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph; however, we were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion.

Basis for disclaimer of opinion

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 certified information described in Note 4, except for comparing such information with the related information included in the financial statements. We have been informed by the Plan administrator that the certifying entities meet the requirements of 29 CFR 2520.103-8. The Plan administrator obtained certifications from these entities, as of and for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, stating that the certified information provided to the Plan administrator is complete and accurate.

Disclaimer of opinion

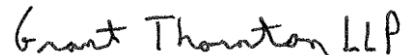
Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we have not been able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide a basis for an audit opinion. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the financial statements.

Supplementary information

The supplemental Schedule H, Line 4a – Schedule of delinquent participant contributions for the year ended December 31, 2014 and Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2014, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements, but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. Because of the significance of the matter described in the Basis for Disclaimer of Opinion paragraph, we do not express an opinion on the supplemental schedules.

Report on form and content in compliance with DOL rules and regulations

The form and content of the information included in the financial statements and supplemental schedules, other than that derived from the certified information described in Note 4, 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.



Raleigh, North Carolina
September 30, 2015

Statements of net assets available for benefits

(Amounts in thousands)

December 31	2014	2013
	\$	\$
Assets		
Interest-bearing cash	29,068	-
Plan interest in the ABB Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust, at fair value	1,621,708	1,691,332
Employer contributions receivable	40,590	38,575
Notes receivable from participants	24,023	24,031
Total assets	1,715,389	1,753,938
Liabilities		
Accrued expenses	25	126
Total liabilities	25	126
Net assets available for benefits, reflecting investments at fair value	1,715,364	1,753,812
Adjustments from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts	(5,625)	(5,216)
Net assets available for benefits	1,709,739	1,748,596

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Statements of changes in net assets available for benefits

(Amounts in thousands)

For the years ended December 31	2014	2013
	\$	\$
Additions to (deductions from) net assets attributed to:		
Plan interest in ABB Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust investment gain	98,443	259,498
Interest income on notes receivable from participants	1,059	1,026
Employer contributions	60,958	57,382
Participant contributions	66,370	67,682
Benefits paid to participants	(310,773)	(158,156)
Administrative expenses	(863)	(954)
Net (decrease) increase before transfers	(84,806)	226,478
Net transfers in from other plans	45,949	24
Change in net assets available for benefits	(38,857)	226,502
Net assets available for benefits:		
Beginning of year	1,748,596	1,522,094
End of year	1,709,739	1,748,596

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

Notes to financial statements

1 Description of the Plan

ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan (RSP or The Plan) is a defined contribution plan covering all eligible full-time and part-time employees of ABB Inc. (the Company, the Employer or ABB). The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA). Participants should refer to the plan document for a complete description of the Plan's provisions. As of January 1, 2012, with the 3rd amendment, the Plan name changed from The Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Employees of ABB Inc. to ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan.

The assets of the Plan are held in the ABB Inc. Defined Contribution Plans Master Trust (Master Trust) along with the assets of the Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Certain Represented Employees of ABB Inc. On May 1, 2014, Baldor Electric Company, plan sponsor of the Baldor Electric Company Employees Profit Sharing and Savings Plan (Baldor Plan) adopted the Master Trust agreement as a participating plan sponsor. Fidelity Management Trust Company (the Trustee) was the trustee of the Master Trust for the year ended December 31, 2013 and from January 1, 2014 through April 30, 2014. Effective May 1, 2014, Bank of America Merrill Lynch N.A., became the Trustee of the Master Trust, at which time all of the assets of the Master Trust were transferred from Fidelity Management Trust Company to Bank of America Merrill Lynch N.A. The Trustee maintains separate accounts for each plan. Accordingly, investment earnings and expenses are separately reflected in each plans accounting records.

All 2013 transfers into and out of the Plan were transfers between The Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Certain Represented Employees of ABB Inc. During 2014, there was a net transfer out between plans of \$671,936.

On June 15, 2012, ABB acquired Tropos Networks, Inc. On January 6, 2014, the net assets of the Tropos Networks, Inc. 401(k) Plan of \$5,410,649 was transferred into the Plan.

On July 29, 2011, ABB acquired Mincom Inc. On January 6, 2014, the net assets of the Mincom Inc. 401(k) Plan of \$10,517,079 were transferred into the Plan.

On December 31, 2014, the Power One, Inc. 401(k) Retirement Savings Program merged into the Plan. Assets consisting of cash in the amount of \$29,068,080 and participant loans receivables of \$281,026 were transferred out of the Power One, Inc. 401(k) Retirement Savings Program on December 31, 2014. These amounts are reflected as interest-bearing cash and notes receivable from participants, respectively, in the accompanying plan statement of net assets as of December 31, 2014. The cash amount was then transferred into the Master Trust on January 2, 2015.

Eligibility

All non-union salaried, certain hourly and certain non-U.S. resident (working for the Company in the U.S.) employees of the Company who are working as regular, full-time employees are eligible to participate in the Plan at any time after the date of hire. Regular part-time employees must complete 12 months of service and at least 1,000 hours of service to participate in the Plan.

Contributions

Participants elect to make contributions to the Plan through payroll deductions in whole percentages from 1% to 50% of their annual compensation (as defined in the plan document, subject to Internal Revenue Service (IRS)

limitations) on a pre-tax or after-tax basis. Over age 50 catch-up contributions can be made by eligible participants in whole percentages from 1% to 100% of their annual compensation (as defined in the plan document, subject to IRS limitations). The Employer's contributions, where applicable, shall be equal to 50% of the participants' contributions made during the year, up to 6% of their annual compensation. The Plan Sponsor will provide an annual employer contribution calculated as an age-based percentage of the employee's eligible salary during the plan year and is paid out in the first quarter of the following plan year. The annual contribution receivable was \$40.6 million for 2014 and was \$38.6 million for 2013. All of the Plan's investments are participant directed.

Vesting

All participant contributions and earnings thereon are fully vested at all times. Matching Employer and Annual Company contributions and earnings thereon become 50% vested after the participant has completed two years of service and 100% vested after three years of service.

Participant Accounts

Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions, Matching Employer contributions, and an allocation of: (i) the Annual Company contribution and (ii) Plan earnings or losses. Earnings or losses are based on participants' individual account balances and investment choices. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's vested account.

Payment of Benefits

Upon termination of employment, retirement, or death the participant or beneficiary may receive a lump-sum cash distribution, or monthly or annual installments, depending upon the nature of the event and total vested value of the participant's account, as defined by the plan document, or may elect to have the payment of benefits deferred up to age 70½ at which time distributions must commence.

Hardship Withdrawals

A participant may withdraw tax-deferred contributions for (a) medical expenses, (b) purchase of a principal residence, (c) payment of tuition expenses for educational fees and room and board expenses for post-secondary education, (d) to prevent eviction from principal residence, or (e) any other reason set forth by the Commissioner of the IRS conditional upon satisfactory demonstration of the need and approval by the Company.

Notes Receivable from Participants

The Plan allows a participant to have up to two loans outstanding at any time. The minimum loan is \$1,000 and the total amount of a participant's loan shall not exceed the lesser of:

- 50% of the participant's fully vested account balance; or
- \$50,000, reduced by the participant's highest outstanding loan balance from the Plan during the one-year period ending on the day before the new loan is made.

Loans are repaid from payroll deductions. Interest rates on the loans are equal to the prime interest rate plus 1% on the first business day of the month preceding the calendar quarter in which the loan becomes effective. Interest rates for loans issued during 2014 and 2013 were 4.25%. Interest rates for outstanding loans ranged from 3.25% to 10.5% as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, respectively. Participants may elect to repay loans over a period of one to five years. If the purpose of the loan is to purchase the participant's principal residence, the loan may be repaid over a period of up to 20 years.

Forfeitures

Forfeitures of terminated participants' nonvested accounts are used to either pay expenses of the Plan or reduce future employer contributions. Unallocated forfeitures as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, were \$78,689 and

\$452,343, respectively. The Plan used \$1,119,255 and \$341,826 to pay expenses of the Plan or reduce employer contributions during 2014 and 2013, respectively.

Administrative Expenses

Administrative expenses are paid by the Plan or the Company, at the discretion of the Company. Investment related expenses are included in the net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments.

Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of plan termination, participants will become 100% vested in their accounts.

2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Fair value, as used for financial statement purposes, represents market or current value (see Note 6). Assets of the Master Trust consist of mutual fund investments stated at quoted market value, short-term investments with market value equivalent to cost, and participation units in collective trusts based on net assets values (NAV) on the last business day of the Plan's year-end.

The Master Trust also invests in synthetic investment contracts through the Income Fund. Investment contracts held by a defined contribution plan or master trust are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined contribution plan or master trust attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the Plan. The statements of net assets available for benefits present the fair value of the Income Fund and the adjustment from fair value to contract value. The fair value of the Master Trust's and Plan's interest in the Income Fund is based on information reported by the issuer of the Income Fund at year-end. Contract value represents contributions made under the contract, plus interest at the contract rate, less funds used to pay benefits and administrative expenses of the contract.

Purchases and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Interest income is recorded when earned. Net appreciation (depreciation) includes the Master Trust's gains and losses on investments bought, sold, and held during the year.

Risks and Uncertainties

The Master Trust invests in various investment securities. Investment securities 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.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States requires management to make estimates that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements, accompanying notes and supplemental schedules. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Notes receivable from participants represent participant loans that are recorded at their unpaid principal balance plus any accrued but unpaid interest. Interest income on notes receivable from participants is recorded when it is earned. Related fees are recorded as administrative expenses and are expensed when they are incurred. No allowance for credit losses has been recorded as of December 31, 2014 or 2013.

If a participant ceases to make loan repayments and the plan administrator deems the participant loan to be a distribution, the participant loan balance is reduced and a benefit payment is recorded.

Subsequent Events

Management evaluated subsequent events for the Plan through September 30, 2015, the date the financial statements were available to be issued, and has determined that there are no material subsequent events that require adjustment to or disclosure in the financial statements, except as disclosed herein.

3 Income Tax Status

The Plan has received a determination letter from the IRS dated December 10, 2012, stating that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) and therefore the related trust is tax-exempt. Subsequent to this determination by the IRS, the Plan was amended. Once qualified, the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the Code to maintain its qualified status. The Plan administrator will take the necessary steps, if any, to bring the Plan's operations into compliance with the Code. The Plan has submitted a request for a new determination letter to the IRS on January 31, 2014.

Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States require plan management to evaluate uncertain tax positions taken by the Plan. The financial statement effects of a tax position are recognized when the position is more-likely-than-not, based on the technical merits, to be sustained upon examination by the IRS. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, there are no uncertain positions taken or expected to be taken. The Plan has recognized no interest or penalties related to uncertain tax positions. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; 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 2011.

4 Information Certified by Trustees

The information in the financial statements and supplemental schedules were summarized from information supplied and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustees. The Trustees hold the Master Trust's assets and executes transactions thereon. Financial information relating to the invested assets and income or loss thereon, and notes receivable from participants from participants and related interest income included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedules is based upon information provided by the Trustees. The information was not audited by independent certified public accountants as permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

The Trustees have certified that the following data, included in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedules, is complete and accurate:

- Plan interest in the Master Trust and notes receivable from participants, as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits at December 31, 2014 and 2013.
- Plan interest in Master Trust investment gain and interest income on notes receivable from participants, as shown in the accompanying statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013.
- Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2014.

- Total investments and total net investment gain for the Master Trust as presented in Note 5.

The information obtained from the trustee was not audited by independent public accountants as permitted by the above method of reporting compliance of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

5 Master Trust Investments

All investment information disclosed in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedules including Plan interest in the Master Trust, at fair value, and the adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts at December 31, 2014 and 2013, and the plan interest in Master Trust investment gain (loss) for the years then ended, were obtained or derived from information supplied to the plan administrator and certified as complete and accurate by the Trustees.

At December 31, 2014 and 2013, the Plan had an 87.7% and 96.8% interest in the net assets of the Master Trust. Net assets, net investment income, and gains and losses and losses to participating plans in the Master Trust were either a) based upon the actual experience of the underlying investment within the plan, or b) based upon the percentage ownership of the investment to the participating plan. Investment income relating to the Master Trust is allocated to the three plans in the Master Trust based on the balances invested by the Plan, the Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Certain Represented Employees of ABB Inc. and the Baldor Electric Company Employees' Profit Sharing and Savings Plan. The Plan's interest in the net assets of the Master Trust is included in the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits.

The following tables present the net assets for the Master Trust and the net investment gain (loss) for the Master Trust:

December 31	2014	2013
	\$	\$
Investments:		
Interest-bearing cash	689,209	690,277
Income fund	510,284,095	402,627,545
Collective trust	326,283,242	199,293,168
Registered investment companies	1,014,038,765	1,150,723,099
Adjustment from fair to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts	(9,253,947)	(5,617,938)
Total net assets	1,842,041,364	1,747,716,151
Years ended December 31	2014	2013
	\$	\$
Investment income:		
Dividends	57,409,531	27,865,861
Interest	5,133,554	5,766,686
	62,543,085	33,632,547
Net appreciation in fair value of investments:		
Registered investment companies	39,634,679	232,943,152
Total net investment gain	102,177,764	266,575,699

6 Fair Value Measurements

ASC 820 clarifies the definition of fair value for financial reporting, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and requires additional disclosures about the use of fair value measurements.

The hierarchy established under ASC 820 gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). As required by ASC 820, the Master Trust investments are classified within the fair value hierarchy based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under ASC 820, and its applicability to the Master Trust's investments, are described below:

- Level 1** Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.
- Level 2** Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities, or inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full-term through corroboration with observable market data. Level 2 includes investments valued at quoted prices adjusted for legal and contractual restrictions specific to the security.
- Level 3** Pricing inputs are unobservable for the asset or liability, that is, inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Level 3 includes private investments that are supported by little or no market activity.

The methods used to measure the fair value calculation may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Master Trust 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. Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets and liabilities measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2014 and 2013.

Mutual funds - Valued at the NAV, based on quoted market prices in active markets, of shares held by the Plan at year-end.

Collective trusts and fund of collective trusts - Valued at NAV as reported by the Trustee based on the fair value of the underlying assets.

Lifecycle funds - Components of the lifecycle funds include the mutual funds and collective trust options offered to participants. The funds have daily valued NAVs with daily accrual adjustments for expenses.

The following tables sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Master Trust's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2014 and 2013:

December 31, 2014	Master Trust Assets at Fair Value			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Income fund ^(a)	-	510,284,095	-	510,284,095
Collective trusts:				
Fixed income ^(b)	-	62,352,252	-	62,352,252
US equities ^(c)	-	240,971,720	-	240,971,720
International equities ^(d)	-	22,959,270	-	22,959,270
Lifecycle funds ^(f)	-	311,789,783	-	311,789,783
Mutual funds:				
Fixed income ^(e)	60,076,335	-	-	60,076,335
US equities ^(g)	529,368,062	-	-	529,368,062
International equities ^(h)	113,493,794	-	-	113,493,794
Total assets held by the Master Trust	702,938,191	1,148,357,120	-	1,851,295,311

December 31, 2013	Master Trust Assets at Fair Value			
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Income fund ^(a)	-	402,627,545	-	402,627,545
Collective trusts:				
Fixed income ^(b)	-	17,897,444	-	17,897,444
US equities ^(c)	-	154,100,576	-	154,100,576
International equities ^(d)	-	27,295,148	-	27,295,148
Lifecycle funds ^(f)	-	264,443,682	-	264,443,682
Mutual funds:				
Fixed income ^(e)	109,032,258	-	-	109,032,258
US equities ^(g)	647,309,047	-	-	647,309,047
International equities ^(h)	130,628,391	-	-	130,628,391
Total assets held by the Master Trust	886,969,696	866,364,395	-	1,753,334,091

- a. This is a conservative fixed income separately managed portfolio that seeks to provide a stable rate of return with preservation of principal and liquidity as primary objectives. The fund is reported at fair value based on the fair value of the underlying investments. These underlying investments, which are comprised of high quality, fixed income securities held in various collective trusts that are “wrapped” by synthetic investment contracts issued by high quality financial institutions and an insurance company, and a money market fund held for liquidity purposes, are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is a relevant measurement attribute as these investment contracts are fully benefit-responsive. Under the terms of the contracts, the crediting interest rates are rates negotiated by the Company with the issuers. The average crediting interest rate of the investment contracts as of December 31, 2014 and 2013, were approximately 1.64% and 1.47%, respectively. The average yield for the investment contracts for the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, was approximately 1.37% and 1.12%, respectively. Certain events, which we refer to as “market value events”, may limit the ability of the stable value fund to realize the contract value of investment contracts and may, therefore, result in payments to participants that reflect fair value rather than contract value. Such events include, but are not limited to, certain amendments to the plan documents or the stable value fund’s investment guidelines not approved by issuers of investment contracts, failure to comply with certain contract provisions, complete or partial plan termination or

merger with another plan, suspension or substantial reduction of plan sponsor contributions to the Plan, debt default by the plan sponsor, bankruptcy of the plan sponsor or other plan sponsor events that could cause substantial withdrawals from the Plan or the stable value fund, failure of the trust which holds the assets of the Plan to qualify for exemption from federal income taxes, and the occurrence of certain prohibited transactions under ERISA. The Plan administrator does not believe that any events that have occurred to date constitute market value events. The Plan may terminate its investment in the stable value fund upon election and 10 days notice.

- b.* This category includes investments in highly diversified passively managed collective trusts that invest in U.S. issued bonds. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- c.* This category includes investments in highly diversified passively managed collective trusts that invest in U.S. common stocks. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- d.* This category includes investments in highly diversified passively managed collective trusts that invest in international common stocks. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- e.* This category includes investments in highly diversified actively managed mutual funds that invest in U.S. issued bonds. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- f.* This category includes investments in highly diversified funds designed to remain appropriate for investors in terms of risk throughout a variety of life circumstances. These funds share the common goal of first growing and then later preserving principal and contain a mix of U.S. and international stocks, bonds and cash. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- g.* This category includes investments in highly diversified actively managed mutual funds that invest in U.S. common stocks. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.
- h.* This category includes investments in highly diversified actively managed mutual funds that invest in international common stocks. There are currently no redemption restrictions on these investments.

At December 31, 2014, the Plan had cash and cash equivalents of \$29,068,080.08. The entire balance relates to the Power-One Plan merger that occurred on December 31, 2014 as discussed in Note 1. The assets transferred during the merger are classified as level one assets and are only included in the Plan and not the Master Trust.

There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2014 and 2013. The determination of where an asset falls in the hierarchy requires significant judgment. The Plan evaluates its hierarchy disclosures each year and changes in economic conditions or valuation techniques may require the transfer of financial instruments from one fair value level to another. However, the Plan expects changes in classifications between levels will be rare. In such instances, the transfer is reported at the beginning of the reporting period. For the years ended December 31, 2014 and 2013, there were no transfers in or out of Levels 1, 2, or 3.

7 Party-in-interest Transactions

As indicated in Note 6, and prior to the transfer to the new Trustee discussed in Note 1, the Plan held units of collective trusts and mutual funds issued and/or managed by the Trustee or its affiliates. The purchases and sales of these investments, as well as notes receivable from participants and related loan payments qualify as party-in-interest transactions; however, they and transactions related to notes receivable from participants are exempt from the prohibited transactions rules under ERISA.

8 Contingencies

On December 29, 2006, Plaintiffs in *Ronald Tussey, et al., v. ABB Inc., et al.* (“Tussey Case”), filed a complaint in the United States District Court for the Western District of Missouri, for themselves and all participants in the Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Employees of ABB Inc. (now called ABB Inc. Retirement Savings Plan) and the Personal Retirement Investment and Savings Management Plan for Certain Represented Employees of ABB Inc. (the Plans), alleging breach of ERISA fiduciary duties against certain ABB defendants and against Fidelity Management Trust Company and Fidelity Management & Research Company, which provided administrative and recordkeeping services to the Plans. Specifically, the Plaintiffs claimed that the fees and expenses paid by the Plans to Fidelity were unreasonable and excessive, not incurred solely for the benefit of the Plans, and undisclosed to the participants and that the ABB defendants had breached their fiduciary discretion by removing the Wellington Fund investment option from the Plans and by mapping the assets of that Fund to Fidelity target dated funds.

On March 31, 2012 the trial Court issued its decision finding that the ABB and Fidelity defendants breached certain of their fiduciary duties to the Plan participants. The defendants appealed to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit. In its decision rendered on March 19, 2014, the Eighth Circuit affirmed the award of \$13.4 million against the ABB Defendants based on Plaintiffs’ excessive record keeping fees claim, vacated the award of \$21.8 million regarding the replacement of the Wellington fund with the Fidelity target dated funds and vacated the award of attorneys’ fees against all defendants, reversed the trial court’s judgment against Fidelity and remanded the case for reconsideration by the trial court pursuant to the Eighth Circuit’s decision. On August 5, 2014, the Plaintiffs filed a certiorari petition to the United States Supreme Court. The Supreme Court subsequently declined Plaintiffs’ petition.

On July 9, 2015, the trial court determined upon remand that the ABB Defendants had abused their discretion by deciding to remove the Wellington Fund investment alternative and to map assets of that Fund to the Fidelity target dated funds but the court further held that the Plaintiffs had failed to prove damages in connection with that decision. Therefore the trial court entered judgment in favor of the ABB Defendants on that claim. Plaintiffs have filed a notice of appeal of the trial court’s judgment. In addition, Plaintiffs’ counsel has submitted a new request to the trial court for attorneys’ fees. At this time the outcome of this litigation remains uncertain.

Supplemental Schedules

Schedule H, Line 4(a) - Schedule of delinquent participant contributions

For the year ended December 31, 2014

Participant Contributions		Total that Constitute Nonexempt Prohibited Transactions		
Transferred Late to Plan				
Check Here if Late Participant Loan Repayments are Included ☒	Contributions Not Corrected	Contributions Corrected Outside VFCP	Contributions Pending Correction in VFCP	Total Fully Corrected Under VFCP and PTE 2002-51
				\$
	\$1,217	\$1,217 ⁽¹⁾		
	\$1,657	\$1,657 ⁽²⁾		
	\$16,048	\$16,048 ⁽³⁾		

- (1) Represents delinquent participant contributions and loan repayments from various 2014 pay periods. In 2014, the Company transmitted lost earnings to the Plan and intends to file the required 5330, *Return of Excise Taxes Related to Employee Benefit Plans*.
- (2) Represents delinquent participant contributions from various 2013 pay periods. The Company intends to transmit lost earnings to the Plan and file the required Form 5330, *Return of Excise Taxes Related to Employee Benefit Plans*.
- (3) Represents delinquent participant contributions and loan repayments from various 2011 pay periods. In 2014, the Company transmitted lost earnings to the Plan and intends to file Form 5330, *Return of Excise Taxes Related to Employee Benefit Plans*.

Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of assets (held at end of year)

As of December 31, 2014

Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	Description of Investment	Current Value
		\$
Notes receivable from participants *	Various maturity dates and interest rates ranging from 3.25% and 10.5%	24,023,096
Interest-Bearing Cash	Variable Interest Rates	29,068,080

* Indicates party-in-interest to the Plan. Cost information is not included for participant-directed investments.

Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of assets (held at end of year)

As of December 31, 2014

Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	Description of Investment	Current Value
		\$
Notes receivable from participants *	Various maturity dates and interest rates ranging from 3.25% and 10.5%	24,023,096
Interest-Bearing Cash	Variable Interest Rates	29,068,080

* Indicates party-in-interest to the Plan. Cost information is not included for participant-directed investments.