

Form 5500-SF <small>Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service</small> <small>Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration</small> <small>Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation</small>	Short Form Annual Return/Report of Small Employee Benefit Plan This form is required to be filed under sections 104 and 4065 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), and sections 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ► Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500-SF.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2018 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2018 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2018</u> and ending <u>12/31/2018</u>	
A This return/report is for:	☒ a single-employer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (not multiemployer) (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☐ a one-participant plan ☐ a foreign plan
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 Check box if filing under:	☒ Form 5558 ☐ automatic extension ☐ DFVC program ☐ special extension (enter description)

Part II	Basic Plan Information —enter all requested information						
1a Name of plan <u>TJ COPE UNION PENSION PLAN</u>	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:70%;">1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ►</td> <td style="width:30%; text-align: center;"><u>046</u></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">1c Effective date of plan <u>11/01/1967</u></td> </tr> </table>	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	<u>046</u>	1c Effective date of plan <u>11/01/1967</u>			
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2a Plan sponsor's name (employer, if for a single-employer plan) Mailing address (include room, apt., suite no. and street, or P.O. Box) City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code (if foreign, see instructions) <u>ATKORE INTERNATIONAL, INC.</u> <u>16100 SOUTH LATHROP AVENUE</u> <u>HARVEY, IL 60426</u>	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:70%;">2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0631477</u></td> <td style="width:30%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>2c Sponsor's telephone number <u>708-339-1610</u></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>2d Business code (see instructions) <u>339900</u></td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0631477</u>		2c Sponsor's telephone number <u>708-339-1610</u>		2d Business code (see instructions) <u>339900</u>	
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4 If the name and/or EIN of the plan sponsor or the plan name has changed since the last return/report filed for this plan, enter the plan sponsor's name, EIN, the plan name and the plan number from the last return/report. a Sponsor's name c Plan Name	<table border="1" style="width:100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width:70%;">4b EIN</td> <td style="width:30%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>4d PN</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>	4b EIN		4d PN			
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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, if applicable, a Schedule SB or Schedule MB completed and signed by an enrolled actuary, 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.	<u>10/14/2019</u>	<u>WILLIAM ZELLER</u>
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of employer/plan sponsor	Date	Enter name of individual signing as employer or plan sponsor

- 6a** Were all of the plan's assets during the plan year invested in eligible assets? (See instructions.) ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b** Are you claiming a waiver of the annual examination and report of an independent qualified public accountant (IQPA) under 29 CFR 2520.104-46? (See instructions on waiver eligibility and conditions.) ☒ Yes ☐ No
- If you answered "No" to either line 6a or line 6b, the plan cannot use Form 5500-SF and must instead use Form 5500.**
- c** If the plan is a defined benefit plan, is it covered under the PBGC insurance program (see ERISA section 4021)? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined
- If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year 4170710. (See instructions.)

Part III Financial Information

7 Plan Assets and Liabilities		(a) Beginning of Year	(b) End of Year
a Total plan assets	7a	1449571	1358415
b Total plan liabilities	7b		
c Net plan assets (subtract line 7b from line 7a)	7c	1449571	1358415
8 Income, Expenses, and Transfers for this Plan Year		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions received or receivable from:			
(1) Employers	8a(1)	105000	
(2) Participants	8a(2)		
(3) Others (including rollovers)	8a(3)		
b Other income (loss)	8b	-83933	
c Total income (add lines 8a(1), 8a(2), 8a(3), and 8b)	8c		21067
d Benefits paid (including direct rollovers and insurance premiums to provide benefits)	8d	64470	
e Certain deemed and/or corrective distributions (see instructions)	8e		
f Administrative service providers (salaries, fees, commissions)	8f	47753	
g Other expenses	8g		
h Total expenses (add lines 8d, 8e, 8f, and 8g)	8h		112223
i Net income (loss) (subtract line 8h from line 8c)	8i		-91156
j Transfers to (from) the plan (see instructions)	8j		

Part IV Plan Characteristics

- 9a** If the plan provides pension benefits, enter the applicable pension feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:
1A 1B 3H
- b** If the plan provides welfare benefits, enter the applicable welfare feature codes from the List of Plan Characteristic Codes in the instructions:

Part V Compliance Questions

10 During the plan year:		Yes	No	Amount
a Was there a failure to transmit to the plan any participant contributions within the time period described in 29 CFR 2510.3-102? (See instructions and DOL's Voluntary Fiduciary Correction Program)	10a		X	
b Were there any nonexempt transactions with any party-in-interest? (Do not include transactions reported on line 10a.)	10b		X	
c Was the plan covered by a fidelity bond?	10c	X		10000000
d Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?	10d		X	
e Were any fees or commissions paid to any brokers, agents, or other persons by an insurance carrier, insurance service, or other organization that provides some or all of the benefits under the plan? (See instructions.)	10e		X	
f Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?	10f		X	
g Did the plan have any participant loans? (If "Yes," enter amount as of year-end.)	10g		X	
h If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)	10h			
i If 10h was answered "Yes," check the box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3	10i			

Part VI Pension Funding Compliance

11 Is this a defined benefit plan subject to minimum funding requirements? (If "Yes," see instructions and complete Schedule SB (Form 5500) and line 11a below) ☒ Yes ☐ No

11a Enter the unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40..... **11a** 0

12 Is this a defined contribution plan subject to the minimum funding requirements of section 412 of the Code or section 302 of ERISA? ☐ Yes ☒ No
(If "Yes," complete line 12a or lines 12b, 12c, 12d, and 12e below, as applicable.)

a 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 letter ruling granting the waiver. Month Day Year

If you completed line 12a, complete lines 3, 9, and 10 of Schedule MB (Form 5500), and skip to line 13.

b Enter the minimum required contribution for this plan year **12b**

c Enter the amount contributed by the employer to the plan for this plan year **12c**

d Subtract the amount in line 12c from the amount in line 12b. Enter the result (enter a minus sign to the left of a negative amount) **12d**

e Will the minimum funding amount reported on line 12d be met by the funding deadline? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ N/A

Part VII Plan Terminations and Transfers of Assets

13a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted in any plan year? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If "Yes," enter the amount of any plan assets that reverted to the employer this year **13a**

b Were all the plan assets distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC? ☐ Yes ☒ No

c 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.)

13c(1) Name of plan(s):	13c(2) EIN(s)	13c(3) PN(s)

SCHEDULE SB (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information This schedule is required to be filed under section 104 of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA) and section 6059 of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ File as an attachment to Form 5500 or 5500-SF.	OMB No. 1210-0110 2018 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>ATKORE INTERNATIONAL, INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>90-0631477</u>
E Type of plan: ☒ Single ☐ Multiple-A ☐ Multiple-B	F Prior year plan size: ☐ 100 or fewer ☐ 101-500 ☒ More than 500

Part I	Basic Information
1 Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2018</u>	
2 Assets:	
a Market value.....	2a <u>1449038</u>
b Actuarial value	2b <u>1373611</u>
3 Funding target/participant count breakdown	
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	(1) Number of participants <u>23</u> (2) Vested Funding Target <u>570030</u> (3) Total Funding Target <u>570030</u>
b For terminated vested participants	<u>30</u> <u>897170</u> <u>897170</u>
c For active participants	<u>0</u> <u>0</u> <u>0</u>
d Total	<u>53</u> <u>1467200</u> <u>1467200</u>
4 If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... ☐	
a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions	4a
b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor	4b
5 Effective interest rate	5 <u>5.66 %</u>
6 Target normal cost	6 <u>50000</u>

Statement by Enrolled Actuary
To the best of my knowledge, the information supplied in this schedule and accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, if any, is complete and accurate. Each prescribed assumption was applied in accordance with applicable law and regulations. In my opinion, each other assumption is reasonable (taking into account the experience of the plan and reasonable expectations) and such other assumptions, in combination, offer my best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan.

SIGN HERE	
<u>MATTHEW KUMPF</u>	<u>10/01/2019</u>
Signature of actuary	Date
<u>MERCER</u>	<u>17-07351</u>
Type or print name of actuary	Most recent enrollment number
<u>1166 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS</u>	<u>212-345-7000</u>
Firm name	Telephone number (including area code)
<u>NEW YORK, NY 10036</u>	
Address of the firm	

Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances

	(a) Carryover balance	(b) Prefunding balance
7 Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year)	0	25276
8 Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	25276
9 Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8)	0	0
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>13.74</u> %	0	0
11 Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
a Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year)		736
b(1) Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.89</u> %		0
b(2) Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return		101
c Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance		837
d Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance		0
12 Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections	0	0
13 Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12)	0	0

Part III Funding Percentages

14 Funding target attainment percentage	14	93.62%
15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	93.62%
16 Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement	16	95.27%
17 If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage.	17	%

Part IV Contributions and Liquidity Shortfalls**18** Contributions made to the plan for the plan year by employer(s) and employees:

(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees	(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees
04/12/2018	16000	0			
07/12/2018	16000	0			
10/10/2018	15000	0			
01/15/2019	15000	0			
04/12/2019	26000	0			
07/15/2019	17000	0			
Totals ▶			18(b)	105000	18(c) 0

19 Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year:

a Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years	19a	0
b Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date	19b	0
c Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date	19c	99701

20 Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls:

- a** Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- b** If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner? ☒ Yes ☐ No
- c** If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable:

Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year			
(1) 1st	(2) 2nd	(3) 3rd	(4) 4th
0	0	0	0

Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost**21** Discount rate:**a** Segment rates:

1st segment:

3.92%

2nd segment:

5.52%

3rd segment:

6.29%

☐ N/A, full yield curve used**b** Applicable month (enter code).....**21b**

0

22 Weighted average retirement age**22**

65

23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions)

Prior regulation:

☐

Prescribed - combined

☒

Prescribed - separate

☐

Substitute

Current regulation:

☐

Prescribed - combined

☐

Prescribed - separate

☐

Substitute

Part VI Miscellaneous Items**24** Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☒ Yes ☐ No**25** Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ No**26** Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment. ☐ Yes ☒ No**27** If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment**27****Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years****28** Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years**28**

0

29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a)**29**

0

30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29)**30**

0

Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year**31** Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):**a** Target normal cost (line 6)**31a**

50000

b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a**31b**

0

32 Amortization installments:

Outstanding Balance

Installment

a Net shortfall amortization installment.....

93589

16651

b Waiver amortization installment

0

0

33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount**33****34** Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33).....**34**

66651

Carryover balance

Prefunding balance

Total balance

35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement.....

0

0

0

36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35).....**36**

66651

37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....**37**

99701

38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)**a** Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)**38a**

33050

b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances**38b**

0

39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37).....**39**

0

40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years**40**

0

Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under Pension Relief Act of 2010 (See Instructions)**41** If an election was made to use PRA 2010 funding relief for this plan:**a** Schedule elected ☐ 2 plus 7 years ☐ 15 years**b** Eligible plan year(s) for which the election in line 41a was made ☐ 2008 ☐ 2009 ☐ 2010 ☐ 2011

Schedule SB, Part V — Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods

ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS

DISCOUNT RATE
SPONSOR ELECTIONS

- Segment rates or full yield curve

Segment

- Look-back months

0

StabilizedNonstabilized

- First 5 years

3.92%

1.81%

- Next 15 years

5.52%

3.68%

- Over 20 years

6.29%

4.53%

MORTALITY SPONSOR
ELECTIONS

Section 430(h)(3) prescribed separate static annuitant and nonannuitant mortality tables.

The IRS released final regulations that changed the mortality basis beginning with the 2018 plan year for funding, PBGC premium and lump sum purposes. The updated mortality tables are based on the Society of Actuaries RP-2014 tables with improvements beyond 2006 removed and mortality improvement based on the IRS methodology and projection scale MP-2016. The IRS has provided a transition option under Treas. Reg. Section 1.430(h)(3)-1(f)(2) under which sponsors may defer using this mortality for funding and PBGC premium purposes for another year if the sponsor determines that to implement the new tables would be administratively impractical or would have an adverse business impact that is non-deterministic. Atkore International determined that the new tables would have a non-deterministic adverse impact and elected to defer the update to the 2019 plan year. Therefore, for the 2018 valuation, mortality tables are based on the RP-2000 mortality tables projected with mortality improvement to the valuation year plus 7 and 15 years based on Scale AA.

OTHER ECONOMIC
ASSUMPTIONS

- Inflation

N/A

- Expected investment return

6.05% for 2016, 6.10% for 2017; 5.85% for 2018

- Expenses

\$50,000 added to current year normal cost

*Schedule SB, Part V — Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods***RATIONALE FOR ECONOMIC ASSUMPTIONS**

- Expected investment return – Based on the median simulated investment return using capital market assumptions published in Mercer Investment Consulting's January *Capital Markets Outlook* for the plan's target asset mix, net of an adjustment for expenses assumed to be paid from plan assets.
- Expenses – Determined based on prior year's actual administrative expenses and adjusted to incorporate any expected changes.

DEMOGRAPHIC ASSUMPTIONS			
• Withdrawal and retirement rates	N/A		
• Disability incidence	N/A		
• Benefit commencement age for			
– Current vested deferred	65		
• Spouse assumptions	<u>Male participants</u>	<u>Female participants</u>	
– Percentage married	85%	75%	
– Spouse age difference	3 years younger	3 years older	
Form of payment	<u>Lump sum</u>	<u>Single life</u>	<u>50% J&S</u>
• Current vested deferred	0%	60%	40%
• Future deaths	0%	0%	100%
Unpredictable contingent event assumptions	Not applicable		

RATIONALE FOR DEMOGRAPHIC ASSUMPTIONS

- Benefit commencement age for current vested deferred employees – Based on an annual review of plan experience and client expectation of future experience.
- Spouse assumptions – Because the employer does not have enough credible experience to analyze spousal demographics, the assumptions regarding percent married/spouse age difference at benefit commencement are based on the actuary's experience with many plans and discussions with employer representatives.
- Form of payment – Based on an annual review of plan experience.

*Schedule SB, Part V — Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods***ACTUARIAL METHODS FOR FUNDING****Asset Methods**

The asset valuation method is an average of the adjusted market value for each year during the last 2 years preceding the valuation date. The adjusted market value is the market value at each determination date adjusted to the valuation date based on actual cash flows and expected interest at the lesser of the expected rate of return and the third segment rate. This amount is adjusted to be no greater than 110% and no less than 90% of the fair market value, as defined in IRC Section 430.

A characteristic of this asset method is that, over time, it is slightly more likely to produce an actuarial value of assets that is less than the market value of assets than an actuarial value that is greater than the market value.

Participant Methods

Participants or former participants are included or excluded from the valuation as described below:

- **Participants included:** The plan sponsor and its administrative services provider provide us with data on all employees as of the valuation date, but only those employees who have completed the plan's eligibility requirements are included in the valuation of liabilities.
- **Participants excluded:** No actuarial liability is included for nonvested participants who terminated prior to the valuation date. For this purpose, participants with a break in service on the valuation date are treated as terminated participants.
- **Insurance contracts:** The plan does not have any insurance contracts.

Minimum Funding Methods

The funding target for minimum funding calculations is computed using the traditional unit credit method of funding. The objective under this method is to fund each participant's benefits under the plan as they accrue. Thus, the total pension to which each participant is expected to become entitled at retirement is broken down into units, each associated with a year of past or future credited service.

A detailed description of the calculation follows:

- The plan's valuation date is the beginning of the plan year.
- An individual's **funding target** is the present value of future benefits based on credited service and average pay as of the beginning of the plan year, and an individual's **target**

Schedule SB, Part V — Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods

normal cost is the present value of the benefit expected to accrue in the plan year. If multiple decrements are used, the funding target and the target normal cost for an individual are the sum of the component funding targets and target normal costs associated with the various anticipated separation dates.

- The plan's **target normal cost** is the sum of the individual target normal costs, and the plan's **funding target** is the sum of the individual funding targets for all participants under the plan.

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2 Assets:			
a Market value.....	2a	1,449,038	
b Actuarial value.....	2b	1,373,611	
3 Funding target/participant count breakdown	(1) Number of participants	(2) Vested Funding Target	(3) Total Funding Target
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	23	570,030	570,030
b For terminated vested participants	30	897,170	897,170
c For active participants	0	0	0
d Total	53	1,467,200	1,467,200
4 If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b) ☐			
a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions.....	4a		
b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor	4b		
5 Effective interest rate.....	5	5.66%	
6 Target normal cost	6	50,000	

Statement by Enrolled Actuary

To the best of my knowledge, the information supplied in this schedule and accompanying schedules, statements and attachments, if any, is complete and accurate. Each prescribed assumption was applied in accordance with applicable law and regulations. In my opinion, each other assumption is reasonable (taking into account the experience of the plan and reasonable expectations) and such other assumptions, in combination, offer my best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan.

SIGN HERE	MATTHEW KUMPF	10/01/2019 Date
MATTHEW KUMPF Type or print name of actuary		1707351 Most recent enrollment number
MERCER Firm name		212-345-7000 Telephone number (including area code)
1166 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS NEW YORK NY 10036 Address of the firm		

If the actuary has not fully reflected any regulation or ruling promulgated under the statute in completing this schedule, check the box and see instructions ☐

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Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances

	(a) Carryover balance	(b) Prefunding balance
7 Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year).....	0	25,276
8 Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	25,276
9 Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8).....	0	0
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>13.74%</u>	0	0
11 Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
a Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year)		736
b(1) Interest on the excess, if any, of line 38a over line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's effective interest rate of <u>5.89%</u>		0
b(2) Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return.....		101
c Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance		837
d Portion of (c) to be added to prefunding balance.....		0
12 Other reductions in balances due to elections or deemed elections	0	0
13 Balance at beginning of current year (line 9 + line 10 + line 11d – line 12)	0	0

Part III Funding Percentages

14 Funding target attainment percentage	14	93.62%
15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage.....	15	93.62%
16 Prior year's funding percentage for purposes of determining whether carryover/prefunding balances may be used to reduce current year's funding requirement	16	95.27%
17 If the current value of the assets of the plan is less than 70 percent of the funding target, enter such percentage.	17	%

Part IV Contributions and Liquidity Shortfalls**18** Contributions made to the plan for the plan year by employer(s) and employees:

(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees	(a) Date (MM-DD-YYYY)	(b) Amount paid by employer(s)	(c) Amount paid by employees
04/12/2018	16,000	0			
07/12/2018	16,000	0			
10/10/2018	15,000	0			
01/15/2019	15,000	0			
04/12/2019	26,000	0			
07/15/2019	17,000	0			
Totals ▶			18(b)	105,000	18(c) 0

19 Discounted employer contributions – see instructions for small plan with a valuation date after the beginning of the year:

a Contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years.....	19a	0
b Contributions made to avoid restrictions adjusted to valuation date	19b	0
c Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date.....	19c	99,701

20 Quarterly contributions and liquidity shortfalls:**a** Did the plan have a "funding shortfall" for the prior year?..... ☒ Yes ☐ No**b** If line 20a is "Yes," were required quarterly installments for the current year made in a timely manner?..... ☒ Yes ☐ No**c** If line 20a is "Yes," see instructions and complete the following table as applicable:

Liquidity shortfall as of end of quarter of this plan year				
(1) 1st	(2) 2nd	(3) 3rd	(4) 4th	
0	0	0	0	0

Part V Assumptions Used to Determine Funding Target and Target Normal Cost

21 Discount rate:				
a Segment rates:	1st segment: 3.92 %	2nd segment: 5.52 %	3rd segment: 6.29 %	☐ N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code).....				21b 0
22 Weighted average retirement age				22 65
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions)	Prior regulation:	☐ Prescribed - combined	☒ Prescribed - separate	☐ Substitute
	Current regulation:	☐ Prescribed - combined	☐ Prescribed - separate	☐ Substitute

Part VI Miscellaneous Items

24 Has a change been made in the non-prescribed actuarial assumptions for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.	☒ Yes ☐ No
25 Has a method change been made for the current plan year? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.	☐ Yes ☒ No
26 Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.	☐ Yes ☒ No
27 If the plan is subject to alternative funding rules, enter applicable code and see instructions regarding attachment	27

Part VII Reconciliation of Unpaid Minimum Required Contributions For Prior Years

28 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all prior years	28	0
29 Discounted employer contributions allocated toward unpaid minimum required contributions from prior years (line 19a).....	29	0
30 Remaining amount of unpaid minimum required contributions (line 28 minus line 29)	30	0

Part VIII Minimum Required Contribution For Current Year

31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):			
a Target normal cost (line 6)	31a	50,000	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	0	
32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
a Net shortfall amortization installment.....	93,589	16,651	
b Waiver amortization installment	0	0	
33 If a waiver has been approved for this plan year, enter the date of the ruling letter granting the approval (Month _____ Day _____ Year _____) and the waived amount	33		
34 Total funding requirement before reflecting carryover/prefunding balances (lines 31a - 31b + 32a + 32b - 33).....	34	66,651	
	Carryover balance	Prefunding balance	Total balance
35 Balances elected for use to offset funding requirement.....	0	0	0
36 Additional cash requirement (line 34 minus line 35).....	36	66,651	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....	37	99,701	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	33,050	
b Portion included in line 38a attributable to use of prefunding and funding standard carryover balances	38b	0	
39 Unpaid minimum required contribution for current year (excess, if any, of line 36 over line 37).....	39	0	
40 Unpaid minimum required contributions for all years	40	0	

Part IX Pension Funding Relief Under Pension Relief Act of 2010 (See Instructions)

41 If an election was made to use PRA 2010 funding relief for this plan:	
a Schedule elected	☐ 2 plus 7 years ☐ 15 years
b Eligible plan year(s) for which the election in line 41a was made	☐ 2008 ☐ 2009 ☐ 2010 ☐ 2011

*Schedule SB, Part V — Summary of Plan Provisions***SUMMARY OF MAJOR PLAN PROVISIONS**

Plan Name	T.J. Cope Union Pension Plan
Employer identification number	90-0631477
Plan number	046
Effective date and plan year	Established 11/1/1967; calendar year
Most recent amendment	Plan was amended and restated effective January 1, 2013; most recent amendment was adopted in December 2014.
Sponsoring employer	Atkore International
Status of the plan	The plan is closed to new entrants and there are no future benefit accruals for current participants.
Significant events that occurred during the year	To the best of our knowledge, no events occurred during the year that would significantly affect the valuation results
DEFINITIONS	
• Covered employees	Participants as of 12/31/1996 and new employees represented by UAW Local 644. There are no active participants.
• Participation	First of month coincident with or next following date of hire
• Employee contributions	None. 100% employer funded
• Service considered	Continuous service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1,000 hours in a plan year Credited service: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For career average formula: One year equals 1,000 hours; no partial credit • For flat dollar formula: One year equals 1,600 hours; partial service given for service greater than 1,000
• Pensionable earnings	W-2 earnings plus Section 125 and 401(k) deferrals.
NORMAL RETIREMENT	
• Eligibility	Later of age 65 and 5 years of service

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<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benefit	Greater of: 1. The excess of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">One-twelfth (1/12) of 1.25% times average compensation times credited service, overLesser of 75% times monthly Social Security benefit and \$80 plus Workers' Compensation benefits plus retirement benefit payable under another qualified defined benefit plan 2. Benefit rate times credited service	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benefit Rates	Termination Date	Benefit Rate
	1. 3/1/1996–3/1/1997	\$16.50
	2. 3/1/1997–3/1/1998	\$17.50
	3. 3/1/1998–3/1/1999	\$19.00
	4. On or after 3/1/1999	\$20.00
	If active as of 2/28/1999	\$21.00
EARLY RETIREMENT		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Eligibility	Age 60 with 15 years of continuous service (age 55 with 15 years of continuous service at plant shutdown; age 50 with 15 years of continuous service at layoff).	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benefit	Accrued benefit actuarially reduced using a 6% compound annual interest rate and the UP-1984 mortality table.	
LATE RETIREMENT		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Eligibility	Working beyond normal retirement age.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benefit	Greater of: <ul style="list-style-type: none">Continued accruals, orActuarially increased normal retirement benefit (annual re computation).	
DEFERRED VESTED		
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Eligibility	5 years of continuous service.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">Benefit	Accrued benefit at termination payable at normal retirement date. Benefits can commence at early retirement date, subject to same reduction factors as early retirement	

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DISABILITY	
• Eligibility	15 years of continuous service; totally and permanently disabled as determined by Social Security.
• Benefit	<p>Greater of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The excess of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> One-twelfth (1/12) of 1.25% times total compensation times credited service, over Workers' Compensation benefit plus retirement benefit payable under another qualified defined benefit plan \$8.00 times credited service <p>Recomputed at normal retirement with the normal benefit formula based on total years of service at date of total & permanent disability</p>
PRE-RETIREMENT DEATH	
• Eligibility	Spouse of vested participant; married for one year.
• Benefit	Annuity based on accrued benefit at death. Payable at normal retirement date in the normal form for married participants as if participant died on that date. Reduced benefit is available, subject to the same factors as early retirement.
FORM OF BENEFITS	
• Automatic form for unmarried participants	Life Annuity
• Automatic form for married participants	50% Joint & Survivor Annuity
• Optional forms	<p>Life Annuity</p> <p>50% Joint & Survivor</p> <p>75% Joint & Survivor</p> <p>100% Joint & Survivor</p> <p>5-Year Certain & Life</p> <p>10-Year Certain & Life</p> <p>If total value of benefits is under \$1,000, the benefit will be paid as a lump sum.</p>
• Optional form conversion factors	Amount of an alternative form of benefit (other than a lump sum) which has value equivalent to the benefit or benefits otherwise payable under the plan, computed on the basis of a 6% compound annual interest rate and the UP-1984 mortality table.

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MISCELLANEOUS	
Maximum benefits	Annual benefits may not exceed the limits in IRC Section 415. This limit is indexed annually. For 2018, the limit is \$220,000.

BENEFITS INCLUDED OR EXCLUDED

Unless noted below, all benefits provided by the plan are included in this valuation:

- **Plan amendments excluded:** Amendments adopted after the valuation date or effective after the current plan year are excluded from the valuation.
- **Late retirement increases:** Participants over normal retirement age are valued including the late retirement actuarial increase
- **Internal Revenue Code limitations:** The limitations of Internal Revenue Code Section 415(b) and 401(a)(17) have been incorporated into our calculations.
- **IRC Section 416 rules for top-heavy plans:** We did not test whether this plan is top-heavy (when the present value of benefits for key employees equals or exceeds 60% of the present value for all participants). However, we expect that the plan is not top-heavy due to the large number of rank-and-file participants; therefore, the funding target and target normal cost do not reflect any liability for top-heavy benefit accruals.

PLAN PROVISIONS SPECIFIC TO FUNDING

Additional Benefits Included or Excluded

- **IRC Section 436 benefit restrictions:**
 - *Unpredictable contingent event benefits:* This valuation excludes restricted contingent event benefits that occurred before the valuation date but includes contingent event benefits which are expected to occur on or after the valuation date regardless of anticipated funding-based limitations.
 - *Plan amendments:* See above.
 - *Prohibited payments:* Limitations on prohibited benefits (if any) are reflected for annuity starting dates before the valuation date but are ignored for annuity starting dates on or after the valuation date.
 - *Benefit accruals:* The plan's funding target and target normal cost do not reflect any limitation on benefit accruals.
- **Unpredictable contingent event benefits:** The plan does not have any unpredictable contingent event benefits.

PLAN PROVISION CHANGES SINCE PRIOR VALUATION

Maximum benefit and compensation amounts under IRS rules were updated from 2017 to 2018.

Schedule SB, line 32 — Schedule of Amortization Bases

The total shortfall amortization charge is the sum of the individual shortfall amortization installment for each plan year since the IRC section 430 changes made by the Pension Protection Act of 2006 (PPA) took effect for the plan. Although an individual shortfall amortization installment can be negative, the combined shortfall amortization charge cannot be less than \$0.

SHORTFALL BASES					
YEAR ESTABLISHED		OUTSTANDING BALANCE	YEARS REMAINING		2018 INSTALLMENT
2016	\$	2,555	5	\$	551
2017		56,556	6		10,471
2018		34,478	7		5,629
Total	\$	93,589		\$	16,651

Schedule SB, line 24 — Change in Actuarial Assumptions

- As of January 1, 2018, the expected investment return changed from 6.10% to 5.85% to reflect updates in the capital market environment.