

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 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). ▶ Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
A	This return/report is for: ☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ 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)
E	If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here. ▶ ☐

Part II	Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information
1a	Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN
1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
1c	Effective date of plan 01/01/2005
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) SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC 700 EAST MAIN STREET PO BOX 158 WAUNAKEE, WI 53597
2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931
2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 608-849-5994
2d	Business code (see instructions) 325410

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.	10/13/2025	DAVID KNAUSS
	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
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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 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	4b EIN 4d PN																				
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year	5 272																				
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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....	<table border="1"><tr><td>6a(1)</td><td>121</td></tr><tr><td>6a(2)</td><td>105</td></tr><tr><td>6b</td><td>62</td></tr><tr><td>6c</td><td>92</td></tr><tr><td>6d</td><td>259</td></tr><tr><td>6e</td><td>11</td></tr><tr><td>6f</td><td>270</td></tr><tr><td>6g(1)</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>6g(2)</td><td></td></tr><tr><td>6h</td><td>1</td></tr></table>	6a(1)	121	6a(2)	105	6b	62	6c	92	6d	259	6e	11	6f	270	6g(1)		6g(2)		6h	1
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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:

1A 1I 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) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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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

- (1) ☒ **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- (2) ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (3) ☒ **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (4) ☐ **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) – Number Attached _____
- (5) ☐ **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- (1) ☒ **H** (Financial Information)
- (2) ☐ **I** (Financial Information – Small Plan)
- (3) ☐ **A** (Insurance Information) – Number Attached 0
- (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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 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 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
▶ Round off amounts to nearest dollar.	
▶ Caution: A penalty of \$1,000 will be assessed for late filing of this report unless reasonable cause is established.	
A Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931
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 01 Day 01 Year 2024			
2	Assets:			
a	Market value	2a	16855073	
b	Actuarial value	2b	17484431	
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	57	8586496	8586496
b	For terminated vested participants	94	5126453	5126453
c	For active participants	121	7780727	7833724
d	Total	272	21493676	21546673
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	5.23 %	
6	Target normal cost			
a	Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	0	
b	Expected plan-related expenses	6b	51800	
c	Target normal cost	6c	51800	

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	Signature of actuary ANTHONY J. LEDDEN Type or print name of actuary AON CONSULTING, INC. Firm name MSC# 17755 P.O. BOX 551343 ATLANTA, GA 30355 Address of the firm	08/25/2025 Date 23-05265 Most recent enrollment number 847-295-5000 Telephone number (including area code)
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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	0
8 Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	0
9 Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8)	0	0
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>6.70</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)		280560
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>5.36</u> %		15038
b(2) Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return		0
c Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance		295598
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	81.14 %
15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	81.14 %
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	84.93 %
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
04/08/2024	90000	0			
07/10/2024	90000	0			
10/07/2024	90000	0			
01/08/2025	90000	0			
08/07/2025	3000000	0			
Totals ►			18(b)	3360000	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	3113822

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
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21 Discount rate:			
a Segment rates:	1st segment: 4.75 %	2nd segment: 4.87 %	3rd segment: 5.59 % ☐ N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code)	21b		4
22 Weighted average retirement age	22		63
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions) ☐ Prescribed - combined ☒ Prescribed - separate ☐ Substitute			

Part VI	Miscellaneous Items
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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 Demographic and benefit information		
a Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.		☒ Yes ☐ No
b Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? 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
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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
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31 Target normal cost and excess assets (see instructions):			
a Target normal cost (line 6c)	31a	51800	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	0	
32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
a Net shortfall amortization installment	4062242	398331	
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	450131	
	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	450131	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c)	37	3113822	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	2663691	
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 the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)
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41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. ☐ 2019 ☐ 2020 ☒ 2021
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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
		2024
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024		
A Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931	

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	
BAIRD	777 EAST WISCONSIN AVE. MILWAUKEE, WI 53202

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
DODGE & COX	555 CALIFORNIA STREET 40TH FLOOR SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94104

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
FEDERATED HERMES	P.O. BOX 43010 PROVIDENCE, RI 02940-3010

(b) Enter name and EIN or address of person who provided you disclosures on eligible indirect compensation	
HARTFORD	ONE HARTFORD PLAZA HARTFORD, CT 06155

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

METROPOLITAN WEST

865 SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET
LOS ANGELES, CA 90017

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

TCW

865 SOUTH FIGUEROA STREET
SUITE 1800
LOS ANGELES, CA 90017

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

THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC.

P.O. BOX 1110
VALLEY FORGE, PA 19482-1110

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

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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)

MIDWEST INSTITUTIONAL TRUST COMPANY

5901 COLLEGE BOULEVARD
SUITE 100
OVERLAND PARK, KS 66211

(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?
21 50	NONE	53659	Yes ☒ No ☐	Yes ☒ No ☐	0	Yes ☐ No ☒

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

(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?
			Yes ☐ No ☐	Yes ☐ No ☐		Yes ☐ No ☐

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

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

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

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Explanation:

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	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.	OMB No. 1210-0110
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C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931

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)		
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other	1b(3)	37235	27276
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit)	1c(1)	761322	811743
(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)		
(9) Value of interest in common/collective trusts	1c(9)		
(10) Value of interest in pooled separate accounts	1c(10)		
(11) Value of interest in master trust investment accounts	1c(11)		
(12) Value of interest in 103-12 investment entities	1c(12)		
(13) Value of interest in registered investment companies (e.g., mutual funds)	1c(13)	16069895	15925980
(14) Value of funds held in insurance company general account (unallocated contracts).....	1c(14)		
(15) Other.....	1c(15)		

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	16868452	16764999
Liabilities			
g Benefit claims payable	1g		
h Operating payables	1h		
i Acquisition indebtedness	1i		
j Other liabilities	1j		
k Total liabilities (add all amounts in lines 1g through 1j)	1k	0	0
Net Assets			
l Net assets (subtract line 1k from line 1f)	1l	16868452	16764999

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)	270000	
(B) Participants	2a(1)(B)		
(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)		270000
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)	37502	
(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)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		37502
(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)	701755	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		701755
(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)		
(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)		

		(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)		
(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)		-262949
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		746308

Expenses

e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	796102	
(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)		796102
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses:			
(1) Salaries and allowances	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)		
(3) Recordkeeping fees	2i(3)		
(4) IQPA audit fees	2i(4)		
(5) Investment advisory and investment management fees	2i(5)		
(6) Bank or trust company trustee/custodial fees	2i(6)	53659	
(7) Actuarial fees	2i(7)		
(8) Legal fees	2i(8)		
(9) Valuation/appraisal fees	2i(9)		
(10) Other trustee fees and expenses	2i(10)		
(11) Other expenses	2i(11)		
(12) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (11)	2i(12)		53659
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		849761

Net Income and Reconciliation

k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-103453
l Transfers of assets:			
(1) To this plan	2l(1)		
(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) ☒ Unmodified (2) ☐ Qualified (3) ☐ Disclaimer (4) ☐ Adverse

b Check the appropriate box(es) to indicate whether the IQPA performed an ERISA section 103(a)(3)(C) audit. Check both boxes (1) and (2) if the audit was performed pursuant to both 29 CFR 2520.103-8 and 29 CFR 2520.103-12(d). Check box (3) if pursuant to neither.

(1) ☒ DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 (2) ☐ DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d) (3) ☐ neither DOL Regulation 2520.103-8 nor DOL Regulation 2520.103-12(d).

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

(1) Name: **BDO USA, P.C.**

(2) EIN: **13-5381590**

d The opinion of an independent qualified public accountant is **not attached** as part of Schedule H because:

(1) ☐ This form is filed for a CCT, PSA, DCG 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. DCGs do not complete lines 4e, 4f, 4k, 4l, and 5, and DCGs generally complete the rest of Part IV collectively for all plans in the DCG, except as otherwise provided (see instructions).

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? 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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
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.)		☒	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	☒		3000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		☒	
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?		☒	
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?		☒	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	☒		
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.)	☒		
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		☒	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		☒	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
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.			

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

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 Was the plan a defined benefit plan covered under the PBGC insurance program at any time during this plan year? (See ERISA section 4021 and instructions.) ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ Not determined

If "Yes" is checked, enter the My PAA confirmation number from the PBGC premium filing for this plan year 557631.

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 sections 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 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.	
For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024					
A Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN				B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶	002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC				D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931	
Part I Distributions					
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	0
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): 39-1186267					
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	0
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.)					
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					
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					
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.					
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					
For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500.				Schedule R (Form 5500) 2024 v. 240311	

Part V Additional Information for Multiemployer Defined Benefit Pension Plans

13 Enter the following information for each employer that (1) contributed more than 5% of total contributions to the plan during the plan year or (2) was one of the top-ten highest contributors (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

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(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 deferred vested and retired participants (inactive participants), as of the beginning of the plan year, whose contributing employer is no longer making contributions to the plan for:

a The current plan year. Check the box to indicate the counting method used to determine the number of inactive participants: ☐ last contributing employer ☐ alternative ☐ reasonable approximation (see instructions for required attachment).....

14a

b The plan year immediately preceding the current plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

14b

c The second preceding plan year. ☐ Check the box if the number reported is a change from what was previously reported (see instructions for required attachment).....

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) and (b):

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:

Public Equity: _____% Private Equity: _____% Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets: _____%

High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Assets: _____% Cash or Cash Equivalents: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the Investment-Grade Debt and Interest Rate Hedging Assets:

☐ 0-5 years ☐ 5-10 years ☐ 10-15 years ☐ 15 years or more

- 20 PBGC missed contribution reporting requirements.** If this is a multiemployer plan or a single-employer plan that is not covered by PBGC, skip line 20.

a Is the amount of unpaid minimum required contributions for all years from Schedule SB (Form 5500) line 40 greater than zero? ☐ Yes ☒ No

b If line 20a is "Yes," has PBGC been notified as required by ERISA sections 4043(c)(5) and/or 303(k)(4)? Check the applicable box:

☐ Yes.

☐ No. Reporting was waived under 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) because contributions equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution were made by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. The 30-day period referenced in 29 CFR 4043.25(c)(2) has not yet ended, and the sponsor intends to make a contribution equal to or exceeding the unpaid minimum required contribution by the 30th day after the due date.

☐ No. Other. Provide explanation.....

Part VII IRS Compliance Questions

- 21a** Does the plan satisfy the coverage and nondiscrimination tests of Code sections 410(b) and 401(a)(4) by combining this plan with any other plans under the permissive aggregation rules? ☐ Yes ☒ No

- 21b** If this is a Code section 401(k) plan, check all boxes that apply to indicate how the plan is intended to satisfy the nondiscrimination requirements for employee deferrals and employer matching contributions (as applicable) under Code sections 401(k)(3) and 401(m)(2).

☐ Design-based safe harbor method

☐ "Prior year" ADP test

☐ "Current year" ADP test

☒ N/A

- 22** If the plan sponsor is an adopter of a pre-approved plan that received a favorable IRS Opinion Letter, enter the date of the Opinion Letter ____/____/____ (MM/DD/YYYY) and the Opinion Letter serial number_____.

Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

**Financial Statements
and ERISA-Required Supplemental Schedules**
As of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and for the
Year Ended December 31, 2024

The report accompanying these financial statements was issued by BDO USA, P.C., a Virginia professional corporation, and is the U.S. member of BDO International Limited, a UK company limited by guarantee.



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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Benefits Committee
Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit

We have performed audits of the financial statements of Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan (the Plan), an employee benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C). The financial statements comprise the statements of net assets available for benefits and of accumulated plan benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of changes in net assets available for benefits and of changes in accumulated plan benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audits of the Plan's financial statements performed in accordance with ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's (DOL) Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). As permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C), our audits need not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the Plan (investment information) by a bank or similar institution or insurance carrier that is regulated, supervised, and subject to periodic examination by a state or federal agency (qualified institution), provided that the investment information is prepared and certified to by the qualified institution in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

Management has obtained certifications from qualified institutions as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, and for the year ended December 31, 2024, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 5 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion

In our opinion, based on our audits and the procedures performed as described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report:

- The amounts and disclosures in the accompanying financial statements, other than those agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP); and
- The certified investment information in the accompanying financial statements agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by qualified institutions that management determined meet the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).



Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with GAAP, and for 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. Management's election of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit does not affect management's responsibility for the financial statements.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments. Management is also responsible for administering the Plan and determining that the Plan's transactions that are presented and disclosed in the financial statements are in conformity with the Plan's provisions, including maintaining sufficient records with respect to each of the participants, to determine the benefits due or which may become due to such participants.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Except as described in the *Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit* section of our report, our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with GAAS will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if, there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.



In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audits did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certifications, comparing the certified investment information with the related information presented and disclosed in the financial statements, and reading the disclosures relating to the certified investment information to assess whether they are in accordance with the presentation and disclosure requirements of GAAP.

Accordingly, the objective of an ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit is not to express an opinion about whether the financial statements as a whole are presented fairly, in all material respects, in accordance with GAAP.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control-related matters that we identified during the audit.

Other Matter - Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedules of Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2024 and Schedule H, Line 4(j) - Schedule of Reportable Transactions for the year ended December 31, 2024, are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information included in the supplemental schedules, other than that agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, has been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audits of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such



information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with GAAS. For information included in the supplemental schedules that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, we compared such information to the related certified investment information.

In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedules, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including their form and content, are presented in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.

In our opinion:

- The form and content of the supplemental schedules, other than the information in the supplemental schedules that agreed to or is derived from the certified investment information, are presented, in all material respects, in conformity with the DOL's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- The certified investment information in the supplemental schedules agrees to, or are derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by qualified institutions that management determined meet the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

BDO USA, P.C.

October 13, 2025

Financial Statements

Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

<i>December 31,</i>	2024	2023
Assets		
Investments, at fair value	\$ 16,737,723	\$ 16,831,217
Receivables		
Employer contributions	3,090,000	-
Accrued interest	27,276	37,235
Total Receivables	3,117,276	37,235
Total Assets	19,854,999	16,868,452
Liabilities		
Accrued administrative expenses	13,414	13,379
Net Assets Available for Benefits	\$ 19,841,585	\$ 16,855,073

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

<i>Year ended December 31,</i>	2024
Additions	
Investment Income	
Net depreciation in fair value of investments	\$ (262,949)
Interest and dividends	739,257
Total Investment Income	476,308
Employer contributions	3,360,000
Total Additions	3,836,308
Deductions	
Benefits paid directly to participants	796,102
Administrative expenses	53,694
Total Deductions	849,796
Net Increase	2,986,512
Net Assets Available for Benefits, beginning of year	16,855,073
Net Assets Available for Benefits, end of year	\$ 19,841,585

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

Statements of Accumulated Plan Benefits

<i>December 31,</i>	2024	2023
Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits		
Vested Benefits		
Participants currently receiving payments	\$ 10,933,002	\$ 9,096,283
Other participants	10,297,222	15,135,339
Total Vested Benefits	21,230,224	24,231,622
Total Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits	\$ 21,230,224	\$ 24,231,622

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

Statement of Changes in Accumulated Plan Benefits

<i>Year ended December 31,</i>	<i>2024</i>
Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits, at beginning of year	\$ 24,231,622
Increase (Decrease) During the Year Attributable to	
Change in actuarial assumptions	(3,622,216)
Benefit payments	(796,102)
Increase for interest due to decrease in discount period	1,060,787
Benefits accumulated	356,133
Net Decrease	(3,001,398)
Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits, at end of year	\$ 21,230,224

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan

Notes to Financial Statements

1. Plan Description

The following brief description of the Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan (the Plan) is provided for general information purposes only. Participants should refer to the Plan document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions.

General

The Plan is a noncontributory, defined benefit pension plan sponsored by Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC (the Employer) covering (prior to the plan freeze) substantially all employees of the Employer who had completed one year of service with a minimum of 1,000 hours of service. The Plan excluded leased employees and those employees covered under a collective bargaining agreement under which retirement benefits were the subject of good faith bargaining that did not provide for participation in the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA). The Plan's Benefits Committee is responsible for the oversight of the Plan. The Benefits Committee determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings and monitors performance.

Plan Freeze

The Plan has been amended and restated to freeze entry of new participants on and after April 30, 2022. As of the effective date, the Plan ceased the accrual of all future pension benefits. To the extent that participants had accumulated benefits as of April 30, 2022, those benefits were preserved in accordance with the terms of the Plan and continue to earn vesting credit. In addition, subsequent to April 30, 2022, participants no longer earn service credit.

Trustee of the Plan

Previously, the trustee of the Plan was BMO Harris Bank N.A. (BMO). Effective January 1, 2024, Midwest Institutional Trust Company (MITC) became the trustee of the Plan. The trustee holds all assets of the Plan in accordance with the service provider contract with the Employer. The administrator of the Plan is the Employer.

Pension Benefits

The Plan provides for normal monthly benefits upon the attainment of age 65 equal to the sum of 1.0% of final average earnings, as defined by the Plan document, multiplied by years of credited service plus 0.5% of final average earnings in excess of covered compensation, as defined by the Plan document, multiplied by years of credited service (up to a maximum of 35 years). The Plan provides for early retirement benefits if a participant has attained age 55 and has completed at least 10 years of eligible service. Participants will receive their benefits, unless an optional form is elected, in the form of a qualified joint survivor annuity for married participants, single-life annuity for unmarried participants, and a lump sum for accrued benefits below \$5,000. If an employee terminates before reaching their retirement date, the amount of retirement benefit is determined by a vesting schedule based upon years of service. Participant become 100% vested after five years of service. The Plan allows for in-service withdrawals for full time employees over the age of 65, when reemployed while in pay status.

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Death and Disability Benefits

If an active employee dies, a death benefit is paid equal to the beneficiary's portion of a 50% joint and survivor annuity benefit that the participant would have been entitled to receive at retirement. For active employees who became totally disabled and have 10 or more years of vesting service, that participant will receive a monthly disability benefit in accordance with the Plan document. If death occurs before the participant reaches age 55, monthly pension payments to the surviving spouse will begin on the date the participant would have attained age 55.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Accounting

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

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of net assets available for benefits and the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The Plan uses an actuary to determine the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits. A change in the actuarial assumptions used could significantly change the amount of the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits reported in the accompanying financial statements.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The Plan's Benefits Committee determines the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the investment trustee. See Note 6 for discussion of fair value measurements.

Purchase and sales of securities are recorded on a trade-date basis. Interest income is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividends are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Net depreciation includes the Plan's gains and losses on investments bought and sold as well as held during the year.

Administrative Expenses

The Plan's expenses are paid either by the Plan or the Employer, as provided by the Plan document. Expenses that are paid directly by the Employer are excluded from these financial statements. Certain expenses incurred in connection with the general administration of the Plan that are paid by the Plan are recorded as deductions in the accompanying statement of changes in net assets for benefits. In addition, certain investment related expenses are included in net depreciation in fair value of investments presented in the accompanying statement of changes in net assets available for benefits.

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Actuarial Present Value of Accumulated Plan Benefits

Accumulated plan benefits are those future benefit payments, including lump sum distributions that are attributable under the Plan's provisions to service that employees have rendered as of the valuation date. Accumulated plan benefits include benefits expected to be paid to (a) retired or terminated participants or their beneficiaries; (b) beneficiaries of participants who have died; and (c) present participants or their beneficiaries. Benefits payable under all circumstances (retirement, death, disability, and termination of employment) are included to the extent they are deemed attributable to employee service rendered to the valuation date. The Plan provides for benefits based on a percentage of the participant's average annual compensation multiplied by the participant's years of service. The accumulated plan benefits for active employees are based on their average compensation using the last five years ending on the date of which the benefit information is presented (valuation date).

The actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits has been determined by an independent actuary and is that amount which results from applying assumptions to adjust the accumulated plan benefits to reflect the time value of money (through discounts for interest) and the probability of payment (by means of decrements such as death, disability, withdrawal, or retirement) between the valuation date and the expected payment dates. The computations of the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits were made as of January 1, 2025 and 2024. Had the valuations been performed as of December 31, there would be no material differences.

The significant actuarial assumptions used in determining accumulated plan benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023, are as follows:

Discount Rate:	5.30% and 4.45% compounded annually for 2024 and 2023, respectively.
Mortality:	PRI-2012 Private Retirement Plans Mortality Tables with a fully generational mortality improvement projection using Scale MP-2021 with adjustment for endemic Covid-19 for 2024 and PRI-2012 Private Retirement Plans Mortality Tables with a fully generational mortality improvement projection using Scale MP-2021 with adjustment for endemic Covid-19 for 2023.
Retirement Age:	100% of eligible participants will retire by age 65.

The foregoing actuarial assumptions are based on the presumption that the Plan will continue. If the Plan were to terminate, different actuarial assumptions and other factors might be applicable in determining the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits.

Payment of Benefits

Benefits paid directly to participants are recorded when paid.

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3. Funding Policy

The Employer has voluntarily agreed to make contributions to the Plan sufficient to provide the Plan with assets to fund the retirement benefits and meet or exceed the annual ERISA minimum funding requirement. The Employer has contributed, or intends to contribute, \$3,360,000 for 2024, which meets the minimum funding requirements of ERISA.

4. Pension Protection Act

The Pension Protection Act of 2006 (PPA) as amended by the Worker, Retiree and Employer Recovery Act of 2008 (WRERA) imposes certain benefit restrictions for qualified defined benefit plans that do not meet certain funding thresholds. The “At-Risk” status is referred to as the funding target attainment percentage (FTAP). A plan’s funded percentage is referred to as the adjusted funding target attainment percentage (AFTAP). The 2024 AFTAP for the Plan is 81.14%. Because the Plan’s AFTAP equals or exceeds 80%, the Plan is not subject to any benefit restrictions.

5. Certified Investment Information

The Plan Administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) pursuant to 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor’s Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, BMO and MITC, the Plan’s trustees and qualified institutions for the year 2023 and 2024, respectively, have certified that the following investment information included in the accompanying financial statements and ERISA-required supplemental schedules are complete and accurate:

- Investments and accrued interest as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2024 and 2023.
- Investment income as shown in the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2024.
- Investment information included in the Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year) as of December 31, 2024 and Schedule H, Line 4(j) - Schedule of Reportable Transactions for the year ended December 31, 2024, as shown on the ERISA-required supplemental schedules.

6. Fair Value Measurements

FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, establishes a framework for measuring fair value measuring fair value utilizing a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820 are described below:

- Level 1 - Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.

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- Level 2 - Quoted prices in markets that are not considered to be active, or financial instruments for which all significant inputs are observable, either directly or indirectly.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

- Level 3 - Prices or valuations that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable.

A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques maximize the use of relevant observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Registered Investment Companies

Shares of registered investment companies (RICs) are stated at fair value. Shares of RICs are valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. RICs held by the Plan are open-ended funds that are registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value (NAV) and to transact at that price. RICs held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

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

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of December 31, 2024 and 2023.

<i>December 31, 2024</i>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Registered investment companies	\$ 16,737,723	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,737,723
Total Investments at Fair Value	\$ 16,737,723	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,737,723

<i>December 31, 2023</i>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Registered investment companies	\$ 16,831,217	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,831,217
Total Investments at Fair Value	\$ 16,831,217	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 16,831,217

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7. Plan Termination

The Employer has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions set forth in ERISA. In the event the Plan terminates, the net assets of the Plan will be allocated, as prescribed by ERISA and its related regulations, generally to provide the following benefits in the order indicated.

- (a) Annuity benefits that former employees or their beneficiaries have been receiving for at least three years, or that employees eligible to retire for that three-year period would have been receiving if they had retired with benefits in the normal form of annuity under the Plan. The priority amount is limited to the lowest benefit that was payable (or would have been payable) during those three years. The amount is further limited to the lowest benefit that would be payable under Plan provisions in effect at any time during the five years preceding Plan termination.
- (b) All other vested benefits under the Plan guaranteed by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation (PBGC) (a U.S. Government agency) up to the applicable limitations.
- (c) All other vested benefits (that is, vested benefits not insured by the PBGC).
- (d) All nonvested benefits.

Certain benefits under the Plan are insured by the PBGC if the Plan terminates. Generally, the PBGC guarantees most vested normal retirement benefits, early retirement benefits, and certain disability survivors' pensions. However, the PBGC does not guarantee all types or benefits under the Plan, and the amount of benefit protection is subject to certain limitations. Vested benefits under the Plan are guaranteed at the level in effect on the date of the Plan's termination.

Whether all participants receive their benefits should the Plan terminate at some future time will depend on the sufficiency, at that time, of the Plan's net assets to provide for accumulated benefit obligations and may also depend upon the financial condition of the plan sponsor and the level of benefits guaranteed by the PBGC.

8. Related Party and Party-in-Interest Transactions

MITC served as the trustee of the Plan. As a result, certain expenses related to plan operations and investment activity transactions with MITC qualify as party-in-interest transactions under ERISA. These transactions are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules, provided they are for reasonable services and compensation. Fees paid by the Plan to MITC for investment management services totaled \$53,694 for the year ended December 31, 2024.

Certain employees of the Employer provide administrative services to the Plan. These employees do not receive any compensation from the Plan for their services. Certain other administrative expenses are paid by the Employer on behalf of the Plan and are excluded from these financial statements.

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9. Tax Status

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has determined and informed the Employer by a letter, dated January 8, 2018, that the Plan is qualified and the related trust established under the Plan is tax-exempt under the applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC). The Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter. The Plan Administrator believes that the Plan is currently designed and is being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

U.S. GAAP requires Plan management to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax periods in progress.

10. Risks and Uncertainties

The Plan 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 value of investment securities will occur in the near term and such changes could materially affect amounts reported in the financial statements.

As of December 31, 2024, the Plan held investments in Baird Core Plus Bond Fund Class Institutional, Dodge & Cox Income Fund Class I and Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund Institutional Shares which all, individually and in aggregate, represented over 10% of total investments. As of December 31, 2023, the Plan held investments in Baird Core Plus Bond Fund Class Institutional, Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund Class I, and Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund Institutional Shares which all, individually and in aggregate, represented over 10% of total investments.

Plan contributions are made, and the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits are reported, based on certain assumptions pertaining to interest rates, inflation rates, and employee demographics, all of which are subject to change. Due to uncertainties inherent in the estimations and assumptions process, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in these estimates and assumptions in the near term would be material to the financial statements.

11. Reconciliation of Financial Statements to Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements at December 31, 2024 and 2023, to the Form 5500.

<i>December 31,</i>	2024	2023
Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$ 19,841,585	\$ 16,855,073
Employer contributions receivable	(3,090,000)	-
Accrued administrative expenses	13,414	13,379
Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	\$ 16,764,999	\$ 16,868,452

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Notes to Financial Statements

The following is a reconciliation of the changes in net assets available for benefits per the financial statement for the year ended December 31, 2024 to Form 5500.

Year ended December 31, 2024

Increase in Net Assets Available for Benefits per the Financial Statements	\$	2,986,512
Employer contributions		(3,090,000)
Change in administrative expenses		35
Net Decrease in Net Assets Available for Benefits per Form 5500	\$	(103,453)

12. Subsequent Events

On April 18, 2025, the Employer approved for the Plan to commence the termination process, with a proposed effective date of June 30, 2025. The Employer continues to work through the various filings and notifications required in connection with the proposed termination.

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through October 13, 2025, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

ERISA-Required Supplemental Schedules

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Schedule H, Line 4(i) - Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

December 31, 2024

EIN: 20-0642931

Plan #: 002

(a)	(b) Identity of Issuer, Borrower, Lessor or Similar Party	(c) Description of Investment Including Maturity Date, Rate of Interest, Collateral, Par or Maturity Value	(d) Cost	(e) Current Value
Registered investment companies				
	Baird	Baird Core Plus Bond Fund Class Institutional	\$ 3,831,836	\$ 3,339,014
	TCW	TCW Emerging Markets Income Fund Class Institutional	750,406	653,205
	DODIX	Dodge & Cox Income Fund Class I	3,368,060	3,345,210
	Vanguard	Vanguard Intermediate-Term Treasury Index Fund	1,281,864	1,268,946
	Vanguard	Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Fund Institutional Shares	5,735,766	5,393,719
	Federated Hermes	Federated Hermes Institutional High Yield Bond Fund	1,333,984	1,287,183
	Hartford	Hartford Floating Rate Fund Class F	639,573	638,703
	Federated Hermes	Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund	811,743	811,743
Total registered investment companies			17,753,232	16,737,723
Total Investments			\$ 17,753,232	\$ 16,737,723

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Schedule H, Line 4(j) - Schedule of Reportable Transactions

EIN: 20-0642931

Year ended December 31, 2024

Plan #: 002

(a) Identity of of party involved	(b) Description of asset	(c) Purchase price	(d) Selling Price	(g) Cost of Asset	(h) Current Value at transaction date	(i) Net Gain (Loss)
<i>Category(i) - Single transactions that exceed 5% of value</i>						
DODIX	Dodge & Cox Income Fund Class I	\$ 3,311,145		\$ 3,311,145	\$ 3,311,145	
Metropolitan West	Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund Class I		\$ 3,380,037	3,991,406	3,380,037	\$ (611,369.00)
Vangaurd	Short Term Treasury Index		1,096,454	1,104,228	1,096,454	(7,774)
Vanguard	Vanguard Intermediate Term Treasury	1,261,389		1,261,389	1,261,389	
<i>Category(iii) - Series of transactions in same security exceeds 5% of value</i>						
Baird	Baird Core Plus Bond Fund Class Institutional					
	Purchases - 12	143,471		143,471	143,471	
	Sales - 3		781,940	917,635	781,940	(135,695)
DODIX	Dodge & Cox Income Fund Class I					
	Purchases - 4	3,416,972		3,416,972	3,416,972	
	Sales - 1		50,915	48,913	50,915	2,002
Metropolitan West	Metropolitan West Total Return Bond Fund Class I					
	Purchases - 3	36,022		36,022	36,022	
	Sales - 1		3,380,037	3,991,406	3,380,037	(611,369)
Vanguard	Vanguard Intermediate Term Treasury					
	Purchases - 11	1,300,439		1,300,439	1,300,439	
	Sales - 1		19,203	18,574	19,203	629
Vangaurd	Short Term Treasury Index					
	Purchases - 2	7,266		7,266	7,266	
	Sales - 1		1,096,454	1,104,228	1,096,454	(7,774)
Federated Hermes	Government					
	Purchases - 35	855,071		855,071	855,071	
	Sales - 22		804,649	804,649	804,649	-

Note: Columns (e), Lease Rental and (f), Expense Incurred with Transaction have not been presented as this information is not applicable
There were no category (ii) and (iv) reportable transactions.

Schedule SB Attachment (Form 5500) —2024 Plan Year
Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan
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Schedule SB, line 26a — Schedule of Active Participant Data
as of January 1, 2024

Number of Participants										
Attained Age	Years of Credited Service									
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40+
<25		1								
25-29		7								
30-34		4	6							
35-39		3	3	4						
40-44	1	7	3	1	3					
45-49		5	3	2	6					
50-54		4	5	4	7					
55-59		6		4	8					
60-64		4	2	3	12					
65-69					1					
70+			1		1					

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Schedule SB Attachment (Form 5500) —2024 Plan Year
Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan
EIN: 20-0642931 PN: 002

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

For ERISA Requirements

Interest Rates for Minimum Funding Purposes	Based on segment rates with a four-month lookback (as of September 2023), each adjusted as needed to fall within the 25-year average interest rate stabilization corridor as modified by ARPA.
1st Segment Rate	4.75%
2nd Segment Rate	4.87%
3rd Segment Rate	5.59%
Interest Rates for Maximum Tax Purposes	Based on segment rates with a four-month lookback (as of September 2023), without regard to interest rate stabilization
1st Segment Rate	3.62%
2nd Segment Rate	4.46%
3rd Segment Rate	4.52%
Optional Payment Form Election Percentage	All participants are assumed to elect the Normal Form, which is life annuity
Retirement Age	
Active Participants	See Table 1
Terminated Vested Participants	Age 65
Mortality Rates	
Healthy and Disabled	2024 generational mortality table for annuitants and non-annuitants per §1.430(h)(3)-1(b)
Withdrawal Rates	See Table 2
Disability Rates	None
Decrement Timing	Middle of year decrements
Surviving Spouse Benefit	It is assumed that 85% of males and 85% of females have an eligible spouse, and that males are three years older than their spouses.
Benefit Limit	Benefits are limited by the current IRC section 415 maximum benefit of \$275,000.

Schedule SB Attachment (Form 5500) —2024 Plan Year
Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan
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Valuation of Plan Assets

Smoothed fair market value of assets over the current and prior two years, adjusted for contributions, benefit payments, administrative expenses, and expected earnings. The average value of assets calculated in this manner is further limited to not less than 90% nor more than 110% of fair market value.

A characteristic of this method is that the expected distribution of the value of plan assets is skewed toward understatement relative to the corresponding market values for expected long-term rates of return in excess of the third segment rate under IRC section 430(h)(2)(C)(iii).

Expected Return on Assets

2022 Plan Year	2.73%
2023 Plan Year	4.38%
2024 Plan Year	4.48%

Trust Expenses Included in Target Normal Cost

\$51,800; prior year administrative expenses rounded to the nearest \$100.

Actuarial Method

Standard unit credit cost method

Valuation Date

January 1, 2024

Schedule SB Attachment (Form 5500) —2024 Plan Year
Scientific Protein Laboratories LLC Pension Plan
EIN: 20-0642931 PN: 002

Table 1

Retirement Rates

Age	Rate
55	5.00%
56	5.00%
57	5.00%
58	5.00%
59	5.00%
60	10.00%
61	10.00%
62	30.00%
63	10.00%
64	10.00%
65	50.00%
66	10.00%
67	40.00%
68	30.00%
69	10.00%
70+	100.00%

Schedule SB Attachment (Form 5500) —2024 Plan Year
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Table 2

Withdrawal Rates

Age	Years of Service					
	0	1	2	3	4	5+
15	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
16	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
17	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
18	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
19	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
20	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
21	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
22	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%
23	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%
24	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%
25	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%
26	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%
27	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%
28	12.70%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%
29	12.70%	11.90%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%
30	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.80%	10.80%	10.80%
31	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	10.20%	10.20%
32	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.60%	9.60%
33	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	9.00%
34	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	8.50%
35	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	7.90%
36	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	7.40%
37	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.90%
38	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.50%
39	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.00%
40	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	5.60%
41	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	5.20%
42	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.90%
43	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.50%
44	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.20%

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Table 2 (continued)

Withdrawal Rates

Age	Years of Service					
	0	1	2	3	4	5+
45	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.90%
46	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.60%
47	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.40%
48	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.10%
49	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.90%
50	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.70%
51	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.60%
52	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.40%
53	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.30%
54	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.20%
55+	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.20%

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 6057(b) and 6058(a) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code). Complete all entries in accordance with the instructions to the Form 5500.	OMB Nos. 1210-0110 1210-0089 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I Annual Report Identification Information	
For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
A This return/report is for:	☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must provide participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ 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) _____
E If this is a retroactively adopted plan permitted by SECURE Act section 201, check here.	☐

Part II Basic Plan Information—enter all requested information	
1a Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN	1b Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 002
	1c Effective date of plan 01/01/2005
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) SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC 700 EAST MAIN STREET PO BOX 158 WAUNAKEE WI 53597	2b Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931
	2c Plan Sponsor's telephone number 608-849-5994
	2d Business code (see instructions) 325410

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		10/13/2025	DAVID KNAUSS
	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
SIGN HERE			
	Signature of DFE	Date	Enter name of individual signing as DFE

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 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		4b EIN	
		4d PN	
5 Total number of participants at the beginning of the plan year		5	272
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 a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits. f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e g(1) Number of participants with account balances as of the beginning of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) g(2) Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item) h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested		6a(1)	121
		6a(2)	105
		6b	62
		6c	92
		6d	259
		6e	11
		6f	270
		6g(1)	
		6g(2)	
		6h	1
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: 1A 1I 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) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor	9b Plan benefit arrangement (check all that apply) (1) ☐ Insurance (2) ☐ Code section 412(e)(3) insurance contracts (3) ☒ Trust (4) ☐ General assets of the sponsor
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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

- (1) ☒ **R** (Retirement Plan Information)
- (2) ☐ **MB** (Multiemployer Defined Benefit Plan and Certain Money Purchase Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (3) ☒ **SB** (Single-Employer Defined Benefit Plan Actuarial Information) - signed by the plan actuary
- (4) ☐ **DCG** (Individual Plan Information) - Number Attached _____
- (5) ☐ **MEP** (Multiple-Employer Retirement Plan Information)

b General Schedules

- (1) ☒ **H** (Financial Information)
- (2) ☐ **I** (Financial Information - Small Plan)
- (3) ☐ **A** (Insurance Information) - Number Attached _____
- (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 2024 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2024 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 _____

Plan Name	SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN
Plan Sponsor EIN	20-0642931
ERISA Plan No.	002
Plan Year End	12/31/2024

The required attachment noted below is included within the Accountant's Opinion attachment to the Form 5500 Schedule H, Part III, which consists of the entire Audit report issued by the Plan's Independent Qualified Public Accountant (IQPA).

Form/Schedule	Line Item	Description
5500 Schedule H	Line 4j	Schedule of Reportable Transactions

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 2024 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2024 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2024 and ending 12/31/2024	
► Round off amounts to nearest dollar.	
► Caution: A penalty of \$1,000 will be assessed for late filing of this report unless reasonable cause is established.	
A Name of plan SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC PENSION PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ► 002
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF SCIENTIFIC PROTEIN LABORATORIES LLC	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 20-0642931
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 01 Day 01 Year 2024			
2 Assets:			
a Market value.....	2a	16,855,073	
b Actuarial value.....	2b	17,484,431	
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.....	57	8,586,496	8,586,496
b For terminated vested participants	94	5,126,453	5,126,453
c For active participants.....	121	7,780,727	7,833,724
d Total	272	21,493,676	21,546,673
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	5.23%	
6 Target normal cost			
a Present value of current plan year accruals	6a	0	
b Expected plan-related expenses	6b	51,800	
c Target normal cost	6c	51,800	

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 Anthony J. Ledden Signature of actuary	08/25/2025 Date 2305265 Most recent enrollment number 847-295-5000 Telephone number (including area code)
Anthony J. Ledden Type or print name of actuary Aon Consulting, Inc. Firm name MSC# 17755 P.O. Box 551343 Atlanta GA 30355 Address of the firm	

Part II Beginning of Year Carryover and Prefunding Balances	
1	Beginning of Year Carryover
2	Prefunding Balances
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	(a) Carryover balance	(b) Prefunding balance
7 Balance at beginning of prior year after applicable adjustments (line 13 from prior year)	0	0
8 Portion elected for use to offset prior year's funding requirement (line 35 from prior year)	0	0
9 Amount remaining (line 7 minus line 8)	0	0
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>6.70</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)		280,560
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>5.36</u> %		15,038
b(2) Interest on line 38b from prior year Schedule SB, using prior year's actual return		0
c Total available at beginning of current plan year to add to prefunding balance		295,598
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
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14	Funding target attainment percentage.....	14	81.14 %
15	Adjusted funding target attainment percentage.....	15	81.14 %
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	84.93 %
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
04/08/2024	90,000	0			
07/10/2024	90,000	0			
10/07/2024	90,000	0			
01/08/2025	90,000	0			
08/07/2025	3,000,000	0			
Totals ►			18(b)	3,360,000	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	3,113,822

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: 4.75 %	2nd segment: 4.87 %	3rd segment: 5.59 %	☐ N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code).....				21b 4
22 Weighted average retirement age				22 63
23 Mortality table(s) (see instructions)	☐ 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 Demographic and benefit information	
a Is the plan required to provide a Schedule of Active Participants? If "Yes," see instructions regarding required attachment.	☒ Yes ☐ No
b Is the plan required to provide a projection of expected benefit payments? 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 6c).....	31a	51,800	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	0	
32 Amortization installments:			
a Net shortfall amortization installment	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
	4,062,242	398,331	
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	450,131	
	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	450,131	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....	37	3,113,822	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	2,663,691	
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 the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (See Instructions)

41 If an election was made to use the extended amortization rule for a plan year beginning on or before December 31, 2021, check the box to indicate the first plan year for which the rule applies. ☐ 2019 ☐ 2020 ☒ 2021
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Schedule SB, line 19 — Discounted Employer Contributions

Year applied for contributions: 2024

Date	Amount	Days to Discount to 1/1/2024 at 5.23%	Interest Adjusted Contribution
April 8, 2024	\$ 90,000	98	\$ 88,780
July 10, 2024	90,000	191	87,637
October 7, 2024	90,000	280	86,558
January 8, 2025	90,000	373	85,443
August 7, 2025	<u>3,000,000</u>	584	<u>2,765,404</u>
Total Contribution	\$ 3,360,000		\$ 3,113,822

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Schedule SB, line 22 — Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age

The average retirement age shown in line 22 has been calculated by assuming the following retirement rates and no decrements other than retirement for this calculation. All retirements are assumed to occur at mid-year, except for the 100% retirement age.

(a) Age	(b) Rate	(c) Weight	(d) Product (a) × (b) × (c)
55.5	5.00%	1.0000	2.78
56.5	5.00%	0.9500	2.68
57.5	5.00%	0.9025	2.59
58.5	5.00%	0.8574	2.51
59.5	5.00%	0.8145	2.42
60.5	10.00%	0.7738	4.68
61.5	10.00%	0.6964	4.28
62.5	30.00%	0.6268	11.75
63.5	10.00%	0.4387	2.79
64.5	10.00%	0.3949	2.55
65.5	50.00%	0.3554	11.64
66.5	10.00%	0.1777	1.18
67.5	40.00%	0.1599	4.32
68.5	30.00%	0.0960	1.97
69.5	10.00%	0.0672	0.47
70	100.00%	0.0604	4.23
Weighted Average			62.84

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

For ERISA Requirements

Interest Rates for Minimum Funding Purposes	Based on segment rates with a four-month lookback (as of September 2023), each adjusted as needed to fall within the 25-year average interest rate stabilization corridor as modified by ARPA.
1st Segment Rate	4.75%
2nd Segment Rate	4.87%
3rd Segment Rate	5.59%
Interest Rates for Maximum Tax Purposes	Based on segment rates with a four-month lookback (as of September 2023), without regard to interest rate stabilization
1st Segment Rate	3.62%
2nd Segment Rate	4.46%
3rd Segment Rate	4.52%
Optional Payment Form Election Percentage	All participants are assumed to elect the Normal Form, which is life annuity
Retirement Age	
Active Participants	See Table 1
Terminated Vested Participants	Age 65
Mortality Rates	
Healthy and Disabled	2024 generational mortality table for annuitants and non-annuitants per §1.430(h)(3)-1(b)
Withdrawal Rates	See Table 2
Disability Rates	None
Decrement Timing	Middle of year decrements
Surviving Spouse Benefit	It is assumed that 85% of males and 85% of females have an eligible spouse, and that males are three years older than their spouses.
Benefit Limit	Benefits are limited by the current IRC section 415 maximum benefit of \$275,000.

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Valuation of Plan Assets

Smoothed fair market value of assets over the current and prior two years, adjusted for contributions, benefit payments, administrative expenses, and expected earnings. The average value of assets calculated in this manner is further limited to not less than 90% nor more than 110% of fair market value.

A characteristic of this method is that the expected distribution of the value of plan assets is skewed toward understatement relative to the corresponding market values for expected long-term rates of return in excess of the third segment rate under IRC section 430(h)(2)(C)(iii).

Expected Return on Assets

2022 Plan Year	2.73%
2023 Plan Year	4.38%
2024 Plan Year	4.48%

Trust Expenses Included in Target Normal Cost

\$51,800; prior year administrative expenses rounded to the nearest \$100.

Actuarial Method

Standard unit credit cost method

Valuation Date

January 1, 2024

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Table 1

Retirement Rates

Age	Rate
55	5.00%
56	5.00%
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63	10.00%
64	10.00%
65	50.00%
66	10.00%
67	40.00%
68	30.00%
69	10.00%
70+	100.00%

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Table 2

Withdrawal Rates

Age	Years of Service					
	0	1	2	3	4	5+
15	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
16	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
17	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
18	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
19	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
20	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
21	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%	17.50%
22	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%	16.70%
23	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%	15.80%
24	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%	15.10%
25	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%	14.30%
26	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%	13.60%
27	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%	12.80%
28	12.70%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%	12.10%
29	12.70%	11.90%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%	11.50%
30	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.80%	10.80%	10.80%
31	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	10.20%	10.20%
32	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.60%	9.60%
33	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	9.00%
34	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	8.50%
35	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	7.90%
36	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	7.40%
37	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.90%
38	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.50%
39	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	6.00%
40	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	5.60%
41	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	5.20%
42	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.90%
43	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.50%
44	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	4.20%

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Table 2 (continued)

Withdrawal Rates

Age	Years of Service					
	0	1	2	3	4	5+
45	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.90%
46	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.60%
47	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.40%
48	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	3.10%
49	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.90%
50	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.70%
51	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.60%
52	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.40%
53	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.30%
54	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.20%
55+	12.70%	11.90%	11.00%	10.20%	9.50%	2.20%

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General Information

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Employer ID Number	20-0642931
Plan Administrator's ID Number	20-0642931
Plan Number	002
Plan Administrator	Administrative Committeez
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Eligibility

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50% REA preretirement survivor annuity.

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Eligibility

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Schedule SB, line 26a — Schedule of Active Participant Data
as of January 1, 2024

Number of Participants										
Attained Age	Years of Credited Service									
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40+
<25		1								
25-29		7								
30-34		4	6							
35-39		3	3	4						
40-44	1	7	3	1	3					
45-49		5	3	2	6					
50-54		4	5	4	7					
55-59		6		4	8					
60-64		4	2	3	12					
65-69					1					
70+			1		1					

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Schedule SB, line 32 — Schedule of Amortization Bases

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Schedule SB, line 19 — Discounted Employer Contributions

Year applied for contributions: 2024

Date	Amount	Days to Discount to 1/1/2024 at 5.23%	Interest Adjusted Contribution
April 8, 2024	\$ 90,000	98	\$ 88,780
July 10, 2024	90,000	191	87,637
October 7, 2024	90,000	280	86,558
January 8, 2025	90,000	373	85,443
August 7, 2025	<u>3,000,000</u>	584	<u>2,765,404</u>
Total Contribution	\$ 3,360,000		\$ 3,113,822

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Schedule SB, line 22 — Description of Weighted Average Retirement Age

The average retirement age shown in line 22 has been calculated by assuming the following retirement rates and no decrements other than retirement for this calculation. All retirements are assumed to occur at mid-year, except for the 100% retirement age.

(a) Age	(b) Rate	(c) Weight	(d) Product (a) × (b) × (c)
55.5	5.00%	1.0000	2.78
56.5	5.00%	0.9500	2.68
57.5	5.00%	0.9025	2.59
58.5	5.00%	0.8574	2.51
59.5	5.00%	0.8145	2.42
60.5	10.00%	0.7738	4.68
61.5	10.00%	0.6964	4.28
62.5	30.00%	0.6268	11.75
63.5	10.00%	0.4387	2.79
64.5	10.00%	0.3949	2.55
65.5	50.00%	0.3554	11.64
66.5	10.00%	0.1777	1.18
67.5	40.00%	0.1599	4.32
68.5	30.00%	0.0960	1.97
69.5	10.00%	0.0672	0.47
70	100.00%	0.0604	4.23
Weighted Average			62.84

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Plan Sponsor EIN	20-0642931
ERISA Plan No.	002
Plan Year End	12/31/2024

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Form/Schedule	Line Item	Description
5500 Schedule H	Line 4i	Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

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