

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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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Part I	Annual Report Identification Information
For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022	
A	This return/report is for: ☐ a multiemployer plan ☐ a multiple-employer plan (Filers checking this box must attach a list of participating employer information in accordance with the form instructions.) ☒ 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 WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN	1b	Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
		1c	Effective date of plan 10/31/1963
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) GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC. 100 FAIRWAY COURT NORTHVALE, NJ 07647	2b	Employer Identification Number (EIN) 27-4109506
		2c	Plan Sponsor's telephone number 201-767-3900
		2d	Business code (see instructions) 333310

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.	12/31/2025	OLA DARAMOLA
	Signature of plan administrator	Date	Enter name of individual signing as plan administrator
SIGN HERE	Filed with authorized/valid electronic signature.	12/31/2025	OLA DARAMOLA
	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		5 140
6 Number of participants as of the end of the plan year unless otherwise stated (welfare plans complete only lines 6a(1) , 6a(2) , 6b , 6c , and 6d).		
a(1) Total number of active participants at the beginning of the plan year		6a(1) 23
a(2) Total number of active participants at the end of the plan year		6a(2) 23
b Retired or separated participants receiving benefits		6b 60
c Other retired or separated participants entitled to future benefits.....		6c 43
d Subtotal. Add lines 6a(2) , 6b , and 6c		6d 126
e Deceased participants whose beneficiaries are receiving or are entitled to receive benefits.		6e 6
f Total. Add lines 6d and 6e		6f 132
g Number of participants with account balances as of the end of the plan year (only defined contribution plans complete this item).....		6g 0
h Number of participants who terminated employment during the plan year with accrued benefits that were less than 100% vested.....		6h 0
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		
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
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		b General Schedules (1) ☒ H (Financial Information) (2) ☐ I (Financial Information – Small Plan) (3) ☒ 1 A (Insurance Information) (4) ☒ C (Service Provider Information) (5) ☒ D (DFE/Participating Plan Information) (6) ☐ G (Financial Transaction Schedules)

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

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

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

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

11c Enter the Receipt Confirmation Code for the 2022 Form M-1 annual report. If the plan was not required to file the 2022 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 A (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation	Insurance 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. ▶ Insurance companies are required to provide the information pursuant to ERISA section 103(a)(2).	OMB No. 1210-0110 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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A Name of plan WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 27-4109506

Part I	Information Concerning Insurance Contract Coverage, Fees, and Commissions	Provide information for each contract on a separate Schedule A. Individual contracts grouped as a unit in Parts II and III can be reported on a single Schedule A.
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1 Coverage Information:

(a) Name of insurance carrier PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

(b) EIN	(c) NAIC code	(d) Contract or identification number	(e) Approximate number of persons covered at end of policy or contract year	Policy or contract year	
				(f) From	(g) To
42-0127290	61271	457161	131	01/01/2022	12/31/2022

2 Insurance fee and commission information. Enter the total fees and total commissions paid. List in line 3 the agents, brokers, and other persons in descending order of the amount paid.
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(a) Total amount of commissions paid 102	(b) Total amount of fees paid 0
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3 Persons receiving commissions and fees. (Complete as many entries as needed to report all persons).

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid LOCKTON INVESTMENT SECURITIES, LLC 444 W 47TH ST STE 900 KANSAS CITY, MO 64112-1906

(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	
102	0		3

(a) Name and address of the agent, broker, or other person to whom commissions or fees were paid
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(b) Amount of sales and base commissions paid	Fees and other commissions paid		(e) Organization code
	(c) Amount	(d) Purpose	

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Part II Investment and Annuity Contract Information

Where individual contracts are provided, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

4	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in the general account at year end.....	4	0
5	Current value of plan's interest under this contract in separate accounts at year end.....	5	325178

6 Contracts With Allocated Funds:**a** State the basis of premium rates ▶**b** Premiums paid to carrier**6b****c** Premiums due but unpaid at the end of the year**6c****d** If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, enter amount.....**6d**

Specify nature of costs ▶

e Type of contract: (1) ☐ individual policies (2) ☐ group deferred annuity(3) ☐ other (specify) ▶**f** If contract purchased, in whole or in part, to distribute benefits from a terminating plan, check here ☐**7 Contracts With Unallocated Funds (Do not include portions of these contracts maintained in separate accounts)****a** Type of contract: (1) ☐ deposit administration (2) ☐ immediate participation guarantee
(3) ☐ guaranteed investment (4) ☐ other ▶**b** Balance at the end of the previous year**7b****c** Additions: (1) Contributions deposited during the year**7c(1)**

(2) Dividends and credits.....

7c(2)

(3) Interest credited during the year.....

7c(3)

(4) Transferred from separate account.....

7c(4)

(5) Other (specify below)

7c(5)

▶

(6) Total additions.....

7c(6)**d** Total of balance and additions (add lines **7b** and **7c(6)**)**7d****e** Deductions:

(1) Disbursed from fund to pay benefits or purchase annuities during year

7e(1)

(2) Administration charge made by carrier.....

7e(2)

(3) Transferred to separate account.....

7e(3)

(4) Other (specify below)

7e(4)

▶

(5) Total deductions.....

7e(5)**f** Balance at the end of the current year (subtract line **7e(5)** from line **7d**)**7f****0**

Part III Welfare Benefit Contract Information

If more than one contract covers the same group of employees of the same employer(s) or members of the same employee organizations(s), the information may be combined for reporting purposes if such contracts are experience-rated as a unit. Where contracts cover individual employees, the entire group of such individual contracts with each carrier may be treated as a unit for purposes of this report.

8 Benefit and contract type (check all applicable boxes)

- a** ☐ Health (other than dental or vision)
 b ☐ Dental
 c ☐ Vision
 d ☐ Life insurance
e ☐ Temporary disability (accident and sickness)
 f ☐ Long-term disability
 g ☐ Supplemental unemployment
 h ☐ Prescription drug
i ☐ Stop loss (large deductible)
 j ☐ HMO contract
 k ☐ PPO contract
 l ☐ Indemnity contract
m ☐ Other (specify) ▶

9 Experience-rated contracts:

a Premiums: (1) Amount received	9a(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in amount due but unpaid	9a(2)		
(3) Increase (decrease) in unearned premium reserve.....	9a(3)		
(4) Earned ((1) + (2) - (3)).....		9a(4)	
b Benefit charges (1) Claims paid.....	9b(1)		
(2) Increase (decrease) in claim reserves	9b(2)		
(3) Incurred claims (add (1) and (2)).....		9b(3)	
(4) Claims charged		9b(4)	
c Remainder of premium: (1) Retention charges (on an accrual basis) --			
(A) Commissions	9c(1)(A)		
(B) Administrative service or other fees	9c(1)(B)		
(C) Other specific acquisition costs.....	9c(1)(C)		
(D) Other expenses	9c(1)(D)		
(E) Taxes	9c(1)(E)		
(F) Charges for risks or other contingencies	9c(1)(F)		
(G) Other retention charges.....	9c(1)(G)		
(H) Total retention.....		9c(1)(H)	
(2) Dividends or retroactive rate refunds. (These amounts were ☐ paid in cash, or ☐ credited.)		9c(2)	
d Status of policyholder reserves at end of year: (1) Amount held to provide benefits after retirement.....		9d(1)	
(2) Claim reserves		9d(2)	
(3) Other reserves		9d(3)	
e Dividends or retroactive rate refunds due. (Do not include amount entered in line 9c(2).).....		9e	

10 Nonexperience-rated contracts:

a Total premiums or subscription charges paid to carrier	10a	
b If the carrier, service, or other organization incurred any specific costs in connection with the acquisition or retention of the contract or policy, other than reported in Part I, line 2 above, report amount.	10b	

Specify nature of costs.

Part IV Provision of Information

11 Did the insurance company fail to provide any information necessary to complete Schedule A? ☐ Yes ☒ No

12 If the answer to line 11 is "Yes," specify the information not provided. ▶

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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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▶ **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 <u>WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>001</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>27-4109506</u>
E Type of plan: ☒ Single ☐ Multiple-A ☐ Multiple-B	F Prior year plan size: ☐ 100 or fewer ☐ 101-500 ☒ More than 500

Part I	Basic Information
1 Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2022</u>	
2 Assets:	
a Market value.....	2a <u>9899595</u>
b Actuarial value	2b <u>9546683</u>
3 Funding target/participant count breakdown	
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment	(1) Number of participants <u>63</u> (2) Vested Funding Target <u>6966110</u> (3) Total Funding Target <u>6966110</u>
b For terminated vested participants.....	<u>48</u> <u>2496015</u> <u>2496015</u>
c For active participants.....	<u>29</u> <u>2164762</u> <u>2164762</u>
d Total	<u>140</u> <u>11626887</u> <u>11626887</u>
4 If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... ☐	
a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions.....	4a
b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor	4b
5 Effective interest rate.....	5 <u>5.27 %</u>
6 Target normal cost	
a Present value of current plan year accruals.....	6a <u>0</u>
b Expected plan-related expenses	6b <u>130000</u>
c Total (line 6a + line 6b)	6c <u>130000</u>

Statement by Enrolled Actuary

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

SIGN HERE		<u>10/07/2023</u>
Signature of actuary		Date
<u>SUSAN N. MASON</u>		<u>23-08112</u>
Type or print name of actuary		Most recent enrollment number
<u>PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL GROUP</u>		<u>412-394-9301</u>
Firm name		Telephone number (including area code)
<u>PO BOX 9394</u> <u>DES MOINES, IA 50306-9394</u>		
Address of the firm		

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

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	185181
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	185181
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>4.74</u> %	0	8778
11 Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
a Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year).....		51
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>5.44</u> %.....		3
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.....		54
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	193959

Part III Funding Percentages		
14 Funding target attainment percentage	14	80.44 %
15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	80.44 %
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	82.22 %
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
04/14/2022	84647	0			
09/07/2022	84647	0			
10/28/2022	73730	0			
12/29/2022	81040	0			
09/07/2023	52327	0			
			Totals ►	18(b)	376391
				18(c)	

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	360228
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
0	0	0
		(4) 4th
		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: 5.18 %	3rd segment: 5.92 %	☐ N/A, full yield curve used
b Applicable month (enter code).....				21b 4
22 Weighted average retirement age				22 66
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	130000	
b Excess assets, if applicable, but not greater than line 31a	31b	0	
32 Amortization installments:	Outstanding Balance	Installment	
a Net shortfall amortization installment	2274163	230174	
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	360174	
	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	360174	
37 Contributions allocated toward minimum required contribution for current year adjusted to valuation date (line 19c).....	37	360228	
38 Present value of excess contributions for current year (see instructions)			
a Total (excess, if any, of line 37 over line 36)	38a	54	
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 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
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Part I Service Provider Information (see instructions)

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
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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)

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(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?
13 50 64	CONTRACT ADMINISTRATOR	28199	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)

(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 ☐

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

Part II Service Providers Who Fail or Refuse to Provide Information

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

(a) Enter name and EIN or address of service provider (see instructions)	(b) Nature of Service Code(s)	(c) Describe the information that the service provider failed or refused to provide
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Part III Termination Information on Accountants and Enrolled Actuaries (see instructions)
(complete as many entries as needed)

a Name:	BD & COMPANY, INC.	b EIN:	45-1135289
c Position:	ACCOUNTANT		
d Address:	11155 RED RUN BLVD., SUITE #410 OWINGS MILLS, MD 21117	e Telephone:	410-415-9700

Explanation: EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 1, 2024, PARTNERS OF BD & COMPANY, INC. JOINED CITRIN COOPERMAN & COMPANY, LLP WHICH DID NOT CONSTITUTE A MERGER OF THE FIRMS.

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

Explanation:

SCHEDULE D (Form 5500) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service Department of Labor Employee Benefits Security Administration	DFE/Participating Plan 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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
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For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022		
A Name of plan WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ►	001
C Plan or DFE sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 27-4109506	

Part I	Information on interests in MTIAs, CCTs, PSAs, and 103-12 IEs (to be completed by plans and DFEs) (Complete as many entries as needed to report all interests in DFEs)
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a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LIQUID ASSETS SEP ACCT-I3		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 42-0127290-024	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 75844
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE: PRIN LGCAP S&P 500 INDEX SA-I3		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a): PRINCIPAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY		
c EIN-PN 42-0127290-016	d Entity code P	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions) 249334
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)
a Name of MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE:		
b Name of sponsor of entity listed in (a):		
c EIN-PN	d Entity code	e Dollar value of interest in MTIA, CCT, PSA, or 103-12 IE at end of year (see instructions)

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

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

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

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

SCHEDULE H (Form 5500) 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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning <u>01/01/2022</u> and ending <u>12/31/2022</u>		
A Name of plan <u>WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN</u>		B Three-digit plan number (PN) <u>001</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 <u>GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.</u>		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>27-4109506</u>

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)	124585	52327
(2) Participant contributions.....	1b(2)		
(3) Other.....	1b(3)		
c General investments:			
(1) Interest-bearing cash (include money market accounts & certificates of deposit).....	1c(1)		
(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)	418999	325178
(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)	9357795	6759246
(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	9901379	7136751

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	9901379	7136751
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Part II Income and Expense Statement

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

Income

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
a Contributions:			
(1) Received or receivable in cash from: (A) Employers	2a(1)(A)	376391	
(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)		376391
b Earnings on investments:			
(1) Interest:			
(A) Interest-bearing cash (including money market accounts and certificates of deposit)	2b(1)(A)		
(B) U.S. Government securities	2b(1)(B)		
(C) Corporate debt instruments	2b(1)(C)		
(D) Loans (other than to participants)	2b(1)(D)		
(E) Participant loans	2b(1)(E)		
(F) Other	2b(1)(F)		
(G) Total interest. Add lines 2b(1)(A) through (F)	2b(1)(G)		0
(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)	206675	
(D) Total dividends. Add lines 2b(2)(A) , (B) , and (C)	2b(2)(D)		206675
(3) Rents	2b(3)		
(4) Net gain (loss) on sale of assets: (A) Aggregate proceeds	2b(4)(A)		
(B) Aggregate carrying amount (see instructions)	2b(4)(B)		
(C) Subtract line 2b(4)(B) from line 2b(4)(A) and enter result	2b(4)(C)		0
(5) Unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of assets: (A) Real estate	2b(5)(A)		
(B) Other	2b(5)(B)		
(C) Total unrealized appreciation of assets. Add lines 2b(5)(A) and (B)	2b(5)(C)		0

		(a) Amount	(b) Total
(6) Net investment gain (loss) from common/collective trusts	2b(6)		
(7) Net investment gain (loss) from pooled separate accounts	2b(7)		-60780
(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)		-1537944
c Other income	2c		
d Total income. Add all income amounts in column (b) and enter total	2d		-1015658
Expenses			
e Benefit payment and payments to provide benefits:			
(1) Directly to participants or beneficiaries, including direct rollovers	2e(1)	1626103	
(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)		1626103
f Corrective distributions (see instructions)	2f		
g Certain deemed distributions of participant loans (see instructions)	2g		
h Interest expense	2h		
i Administrative expenses: (1) Professional fees	2i(1)		
(2) Contract administrator fees	2i(2)	26311	
(3) Investment advisory and management fees	2i(3)	1888	
(4) Other	2i(4)	94668	
(5) Total administrative expenses. Add lines 2i(1) through (4)	2i(5)		122867
j Total expenses. Add all expense amounts in column (b) and enter total	2j		1748970
Net Income and Reconciliation			
k Net income (loss). Subtract line 2j from line 2d	2k		-2764628
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: CITRIN COOPERMAN & COMPANY, LLP

(2) EIN: 22-2428965

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

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

Part IV Compliance Questions

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

During the plan year:

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

	Yes	No	Amount
4a		X	

	Yes	No	Amount
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.)			
4b		X	
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.)			
4c		X	
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.)			
4d		X	
e Was this plan covered by a fidelity bond?	X		1000000
f Did the plan have a loss, whether or not reimbursed by the plan's fidelity bond, that was caused by fraud or dishonesty?		X	
4f		X	
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?			
4g		X	
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?			
4h		X	
i Did the plan have assets held for investment? (Attach schedule(s) of assets if "Yes" is checked, and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4i	X		
j Were any plan transactions or series of transactions in excess of 5% of the current value of plan assets? (Attach schedule of transactions if "Yes" is checked and see instructions for format requirements.)	X		
4j	X		
k Were all the plan assets either distributed to participants or beneficiaries, transferred to another plan, or brought under the control of the PBGC?		X	
4k		X	
l Has the plan failed to provide any benefit when due under the plan?		X	
4l		X	
m If this is an individual account plan, was there a blackout period? (See instructions and 29 CFR 2520.101-3.)			
4m			
n If 4m was answered "Yes," check the "Yes" box if you either provided the required notice or one of the exceptions to providing the notice applied under 29 CFR 2520.101-3.			
4n			

5a Has a resolution to terminate the plan been adopted during the plan year or any prior plan year? ☐ 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 480815.

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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection.
For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022		
A Name of plan WESTFALIA SEPARATOR, INC. EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN		B Three-digit plan number (PN) 001
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.		D Employer Identification Number (EIN) 27-4109506
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): 42-0127290		
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 5
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) 2022 v. 220413		

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

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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

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a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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

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

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

a Name of contributing employer

b EIN

c Dollar amount contributed by employer

d Date collective bargaining agreement expires (If employer contributes under more than one collective bargaining agreement, check box ☐ and see instructions regarding required attachment. Otherwise, enter the applicable date.) Month _____ Day _____ Year _____

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

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

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

14	Enter the number of 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
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18 If any liabilities to participants or their beneficiaries under the plan as of the end of the plan year consist (in whole or in part) of liabilities to such participants and beneficiaries under two or more pension plans as of immediately before such plan year, check box and see instructions regarding supplemental information to be included as an attachment ☐

19 If the total number of participants is 1,000 or more, complete lines (a) through (c)

a Enter the percentage of plan assets held as:
 Stock: _____% Investment-Grade Debt: _____% High-Yield Debt: _____% Real Estate: _____% Other: _____%

b Provide the average duration of the combined investment-grade and high-yield debt:
☐ 0-3 years ☐ 3-6 years ☐ 6-9 years ☐ 9-12 years ☐ 12-15 years ☐ 15-18 years ☐ 18-21 years ☐ 21 years or more

c What duration measure was used to calculate line 19(b)?
☐ Effective duration ☐ Macaulay duration ☐ Modified duration ☐ Other (specify): _____

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 _____

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
AS OF AND FOR THE YEARS ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2022 and 2021
AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULES
AS OF AND FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2022

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
December 31, 2022 and 2021

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To the GEA North America Retirement Committee
Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan

Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements

We have performed an audit of the financial statements of the Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan, a defined benefit plan subject to the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), as permitted by ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) (ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) audit). The financial statements comprise the statement of net assets available for benefits as of December 31, 2022, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year then ended, and the statement of accumulated plan benefits as of December 31, 2021 and the related statement of changes in accumulated plan benefits for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management, having determined it is permissible in the circumstances, has elected to have the audit of the Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension 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 Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. 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, provided that the statements or information regarding assets so held are prepared and certified to by the bank or similar institution or insurance carrier in accordance with 29 CFR 2520.103-5 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA ("qualified institution").

Management has obtained a certification from a qualified institution as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022, stating that the certified investment information, as described in Note 3 to the financial statements, is complete and accurate.

Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

In our opinion, based on our audit and on the procedures performed as described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the 2022 Financial Statements section:

- the amounts and disclosures in the accompanying 2022 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.
- the information in the accompanying 2022 financial statements related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Basis for Opinion on the 2022 Financial Statements

We conducted our audit 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 2022 Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. 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 2022 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, 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 Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for one year following the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Management is also responsible for maintaining a current plan instrument, including all plan amendments, 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 2022 Financial Statements

Except as described in the Scope and Nature of the ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C) Audit for the 2022 Financial Statements 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 judgement made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- exercise professional judgement 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 Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension 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 Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan's ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

Our audit did not extend to the certified investment information, except for obtaining and reading the certification, 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 accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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 accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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- 2022 Supplemental Schedules Required by ERISA

The supplemental schedule H, line 4i – schedule of assets (held at end of year) and schedule H, line 4j - schedule of reportable transactions as of and for the year ended December 31, 2022 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements but are supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under 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 audit 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.

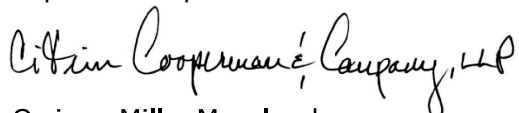
In forming our opinion on the supplemental schedules, we evaluated whether the supplemental schedules, other than the information agreed to or derived from the certified investment information, including its form and content, is presented in conformity with the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations 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 Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA.
- The information in the supplemental schedules related to assets held by and certified to by a qualified institution agrees to, or is derived from, in all material respects, the information prepared and certified by an institution that management determined meets the requirements of ERISA Section 103(a)(3)(C).

Other Matter – Auditor's Report on the 2021 Financial Statements

Predecessor auditors performed an audit of the 2021 financial statements of Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan. In accordance with 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, the prior year audit did not extend to any statements or information related to assets held for investment of the plan that were certified by a qualified institution. Their report dated February 9, 2024, indicated that because of the significance of the information that they did not audit, they were not able to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence to provide for an audit opinion and accordingly, they did not express an opinion on the 2021 financial statements.



Owings Mills, Maryland
December 3, 2025

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits
December 31, 2022 and 2021

	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Assets		
Investments, at fair value		
Mutual funds	\$ 6,759,246	\$ 9,357,795
Pooled separate accounts	325,178	418,999
Total investments, at fair value	<u>7,084,424</u>	<u>9,776,794</u>
Employer contributions receivable	<u>52,327</u>	<u>124,585</u>
Net assets available for benefits	<u>\$ 7,136,751</u>	<u>\$ 9,901,379</u>

See independent auditor's report and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Statements of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits
For the Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

	2022	2021
Additions to (Reductions from) net assets attributed to:		
Investment income (loss):		
Net depreciation in fair value of investments	\$ (1,703,083)	\$ (54,175)
Interest and Dividends	311,034	546,101
Net investment income (loss)	(1,392,049)	491,926
Employer contributions	376,391	348,652
Total additions (reductions)	(1,015,658)	840,578
Deductions from net assets attributed to:		
Benefits paid to participants	1,626,103	1,897,622
Administrative expenses	122,867	132,331
Total deductions	1,748,970	2,029,953
Net decrease	(2,764,628)	(1,189,375)
Net assets available for benefits		
Beginning of year	9,901,379	11,090,754
End of year	<u>\$ 7,136,751</u>	<u>\$ 9,901,379</u>

See independent auditor's report and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Statement of Accumulated Plan Benefits
December 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>
ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS	
Vested participants currently receiving benefits	\$ 7,277,310
Other vested participants	<u>5,250,249</u>
TOTAL ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS	<u>\$ 12,527,559</u>

See independent auditor's report and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Statement of Changes in Accumulated Plan Benefits
For the Year Ended December 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>
ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>\$ 13,797,098</u>
Increase (decrease) attributable to:	
Interest due to decrease in discount period	488,571
Plan experience	636,949
Change in actuarial assumptions	(497,437)
Benefits paid to participants	<u>(1,897,622)</u>
Net decrease	<u>(1,269,539)</u>
ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS AT END OF YEAR	<u><u>\$ 12,527,559</u></u>

See independent auditor's report and accompanying notes to the financial statements.

NOTE 1 – DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN

The following description of the Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan (the "Plan") provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan document for more complete information.

General

The Plan is a defined benefit pension plan established on October 31, 1963 and most recently amended and restated on January 1, 2008. The Plan covered substantially all employees of GEA Mechanical Equipment US, Inc., or its predecessors (the "Plan Sponsor" or "Company"), who had completed one and one-half years of service and had attained age 21. The Company is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the GEA Group, AG ("GEA"). Effective November 15, 1995, participants' accrued benefits were frozen and no further benefits will accrue under the Plan. Employees hired after November 15, 1995 are not eligible to enter the Plan. The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA").

The Plan is administered by the Company's Retirement Committee (the "Committee"). The Committee has overall responsibility for the operation and administration of the Plan. The Committee determines the appropriateness of the Plan's investment offerings, monitors investment performance and reviews reports provided by Delaware Charter Guarantee and Trust Company d/b/a Principal Trust Company ("Principal"), the trustee of the Plan.

Funding Policy

Contributions to the Plan are made annually as determined actuarially so that all participants' benefits will be fully provided for by the time they retire. No employee contributions are permitted. In the event that a contribution for the current Plan year is not received by the end of the Plan year, a receivable is reported on the statements of net assets available for benefits for contributions due from the Company to the Plan. For the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Plan has met the minimum funding requirements of ERISA. Although it has not expressed any intention to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan to discontinue its contributions at any time and to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions set forth by ERISA.

Pension Benefits

Participants are entitled to annual pension benefits beginning at normal retirement age, sixty-five, equal to one and one-half percent of final average compensation multiplied by years of credited service, up to a maximum of 35 years. Early retirement is allowed at age 55 with 10 years of service. Participants are immediately vested in their accumulated plan benefits. Participants may elect to receive their pension benefits in the form of a joint and survivor annuity or as a 10-year certain and continuous life annuity payable monthly from retirement date. Participants may also elect to receive the value of their accumulated plan benefits as a lump-sum distribution upon retirement or termination.

Death Benefits

If an active or former employee dies prior to their normal retirement date, a death benefit equal to a fifty percent Qualified Joint and Survivor Annuity is paid to the employee's spouse, deferred to the participant's earliest retirement date if later than the date of death.

NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Plan are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP").

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of additions and deductions during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

The Plan's investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is defined as 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 Retirement Committee determines the Plan's valuation policies utilizing information provided by the Trustee. See Note 5 for further discussion of fair value measurements.

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

Benefit Payments

Benefits are recorded when paid.

Administrative Expenses

While substantially all investment and administrative expenses are paid by the Plan, certain plan expenses are paid by the Company. Investment related expenses are included in net appreciation (depreciation) of fair value of investments.

NOTE 3 – INFORMATION PREPARED AND CERTIFIED BY THE PLAN'S TRUSTEE

The Plan administrator has elected the method of annual reporting compliance as permitted by 29 CFR 2520.103-8 of the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under ERISA. Accordingly, certain information disclosed in the accompanying financial statements and supplemental schedules, was obtained or derived from information supplied to the Plan administrator and certified as complete and accurate by Principal, the trustee of the Plan. This information includes:

- Investment values as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, as shown in the statements of net assets available for benefits and the fair value disclosures in Note 5.
- Net investment (loss) income, as shown in the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021.
- Schedule H, Line 4i – schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2022.
- Schedule H, Line 4j – schedule of reportable transactions for the year ended December 31, 2022.

NOTE 4 – ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS

The actuarial present value of accumulated Plan benefits is based upon the beginning of year actuarial valuation as of January 1, 2022, prepared by the Plan's actuaries and is reported herein as of December 31, 2021.

Accumulated plan benefits are those future periodic payments, including lump-sum distributions, that are attributable, under the Plan's provisions, to the service employees have rendered. These include benefits expected to be paid to:

- a. Retired or terminated employees or their beneficiaries;
- b. Beneficiaries of employees who have died;
- c. Present employees or their beneficiaries.

Benefits under the Plan are based on a participant's highest average earnings in any five consecutive years within the 10 years preceding the earlier of November 15, 1995 or the date of a participant's termination of employment. Benefits payable under all circumstances are included, to the extent they are deemed attributable to employee service rendered to the valuation date.

The actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits is determined by the Plan's actuary and is that amount that results from applying actuarial assumptions to adjust the accumulated plan benefits to reflect the time value of money and the probability of payment between the valuation date and the expected date of payment.

**NOTE 4 – ACTUARIAL PRESENT VALUE OF ACCUMULATED PLAN BENEFITS
(continued)**

The significant actuarial assumptions used in the valuation as of December 31, 2021 are summarized as follows:

Discount rate	4.40%
Mortality basis	Based on Pri-2012 Total dataset base rate mortality table projected generationally using the Principal Mortality Improvement scale (Principal 2017-10). Principal 2017-10 is based on the MP-2021 study and model issued by the Society of Actuaries with certain exceptions.
Retirement	For both active and inactive participants who are expected to retire at normal retirement age as defined in the Plan's provisions.

The actuarial present value of accumulated Plan benefits for the year ended December 31, 2021 decreased by \$497,437 due to an increase in the discount rate from 3.80% to 4.40%. The updates to the mortality table are reflected as part of Plan experience. If the same mortality table had been utilized in the December 31, 2021 valuation, the actuarial present value of accumulated Plan benefits for the year ended December 31, 2021 would have increased by approximately \$33,000.

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

NOTE 5 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

The framework for measuring fair value provides 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 Financial Accounting Standards Board Accounting Standards Codification 820, *Fair Value Measurement*, are described as follows:

Level 1 - Inputs to the valuation technique are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 – Inputs to the valuation technique include:

- quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
- quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; and
- inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

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

Level 3 - Inputs to the valuation technique are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

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

NOTE 5 – FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (continued)

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, 2022 and 2021 from prior years.

Mutual Funds - Valued at the daily closing price as reported by the fund. Mutual funds held by the Plan are open-ended mutual funds that are registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. These funds are required to publish their daily net asset value ("NAV") and to transact at that price. The mutual funds held by the Plan are deemed to be actively traded.

Pooled Separate Accounts - Valued at the NAV per share or its equivalent of the account, which are based on the fair value of the accounts' underlying assets. The NAV, as provided by the trustee, is used as a practical expedient to estimate fair value. The pooled separate accounts have daily redemptions and one day trading terms. There are no unfunded commitments.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while 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, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

2022				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual Funds	\$ 6,759,246	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 6,759,246
Investments measured at NAV ^(a)	-	-	-	325,178
Total assets at fair value	\$ 6,759,246	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,084,424

2021				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Mutual Funds	\$ 9,357,795	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,357,795
Investments measured at NAV ^(a)	-	-	-	418,999
Total assets at fair value	\$ 9,357,795	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 9,776,794

(a) In accordance with ASC 820-10, certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in these tables are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the statements of net assets available for benefits.

NOTE 6 – RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Certain Plan assets are in investment funds managed by Principal, the trustee of the Plan. These transactions qualify as party-in-interest transactions which are exempt from the prohibited transaction rules.

NOTE 7 – RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

Investment securities are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the statement of net assets available for benefits.

Contributions to the Plan and the actuarial present value of accumulated plan benefits are reported based on certain assumptions pertaining to interest rates, inflation rates, and employee demographics. Due to the changing nature of these assumptions, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in these assumptions will occur in the near term and, due to the uncertainties inherent in setting assumptions, that the effect of such changes could be material to the financial statements.

NOTE 8 – PLAN TERMINATION

Although it has not expressed any intention to do so, the Company has the right under the Plan 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:

1. Provide benefits for all participants or beneficiaries whose benefits have been, or could have been, in pay status for the entire three-year period prior to termination, based on the plan provisions in effect during the five-year period ending on such date under which such benefit would be the least
2. Provide all other benefits guaranteed under Title IV of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (without regard to the limitation of Section 4022(b)(3) or the limitation on benefits payable to "substantial owners" of Section 4022(b)(5))
3. Provide all other vested benefits other than those becoming nonforfeitable solely on account of the termination of the Plan
4. Provide all other benefits under the Plan

The Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation ("PBGC") guarantees the payment of all nonforfeitable basic benefits subject to certain limitations prescribed by ERISA. 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 those benefits and may also depend on the financial condition of the Plan Sponsor and the level of benefits guaranteed by the PBGC.

NOTE 9 – TAX STATUS

The Company has received a determination letter dated July 3, 2013 from the Internal Revenue Service indicating that the Plan, as designed, is qualified for tax-exempt treatment under the applicable section of the Internal Revenue Code ("IRC"). Although, the Plan has been amended since receiving the determination letter, the Committee believes that the Plan is designed and is currently being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the IRC.

NOTE 9 – TAX STATUS (continued)

Plan management is required to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability if the Plan has taken an uncertain position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination. The Committee evaluated the Plan's tax positions and concluded that the Plan has maintained its tax-exempt status and has taken no uncertain tax positions that require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, there are currently no audits for any tax period in progress.

NOTE 10 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Plan has evaluated subsequent events through December 3, 2025, the date the financial statements were available to be issued. The Plan is not aware of any subsequent events which would require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Schedule H, Line 4i – Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)
December 31, 2022

EIN: 27-4109506
PN: 001

(a)	(b) Identity of issue, 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
	Allspring Discovery SMID Cap Growth A Fund	Mutual Fund	\$ 194,192	\$ 125,770
	American Beacon Small Cap Value Adv Fund	Mutual Fund	89,153	83,577
	American Century Equity Income A Fund	Mutual Fund	202,478	208,306
	American Funds New World R4 Fund	Mutual Fund	227,212	170,813
	BlackRock Equity Dividend Investor A Fund	Mutual Fund	260,417	233,614
	Calamos Growth & Income A Fund	Mutual Fund	222,247	241,926
	DFA Emerging Markets Core Equity I Fund	Mutual Fund	174,959	177,209
	Janus Henderson Triton I Fund	Mutual Fund	88,419	68,926
	JP Morgan Large Cap Growth A Fund	Mutual Fund	254,815	284,217
	JP Morgan Mid Cap Value A Fund	Mutual Fund	160,495	157,276
	Lord Abbett High Yield R4 Fund	Mutual Fund	239,026	200,500
	MFS International Diversification R4 Fund	Mutual Fund	86,815	82,531
	PIMCO All Asset A Fund	Mutual Fund	846,901	761,437
	PIMCO Total Return Institutional Fund	Mutual Fund	1,255,770	1,028,456
	Vanguard LT Investment-Grade Bond Admiral Fund	Mutual Fund	317,672	239,505
	Vanguard Short-Term Bond Index Admiral Fund	Mutual Fund	349,380	328,194
	Vanguard Total Bond Market Index Admiral Fund	Mutual Fund	2,703,155	2,366,989
		Total Mutual Funds	<u>7,673,106</u>	<u>6,759,246</u>
*	Principal Life Insur Co. Large Cap S&P 500 Index	Pooled Separate Accounts	118,396	249,334
*	Principal Life Insur Co. Liquid Assets	Pooled Separate Accounts	75,845	75,844
		Total Pooled Separate Accounts	<u>194,241</u>	<u>325,178</u>
		Total Investments	<u>\$ 7,867,347</u>	<u>\$ 7,084,424</u>

* Party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.

See independent auditor's report.

Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
Schedule H, Line 4j – Schedule of Reportable Transactions
Year Ended December 31, 2022

EIN: 27-4109506
PN: 001

(a) Identity of Party Involved	(b) Description of Asset	(c) Total Number of Purchases	(d) Total Number of Sales	(e) Total Dollar Value of Purchases	(f) Total Dollar Value of Sales	(g) Net Gain(Loss)
Category (iii) - Series of transactions in excess of 5% of net assets						
* Principal Life Insur Co.	Liquid Assets					
	Purchases	12		\$ 897,726	\$ -	-
	Sales		13	-	901,175	33
Vanguard	Total Bond Market Index Admiral Fund					
	Purchases	18		237,110	-	-
	Sales		37	-	661,408	(68,908)

* *Party-in-interest as defined by ERISA.*
There were no category (i), (ii) or (iv) transactions.
Schedule is prepared using the alternative way of reporting category (iii) series transactions under Department of Labor Regulation 2520.103-6(d)(2).

See independent auditor's report.

SCHEDULE H, line 4j - SCHEDULE OF REPORTABLE TRANSACTIONS

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EIN 27 4109506
PLAN NUMBER 001
PLAN YEAR 01/01/2022 TO 12/31/2022

DESCRIPTION OF ASSET	(A) Total Number of Purchases	(B) Total Number of Sales	(C) Total Value of Purchases	(D) Total Value of Sales	(E) Net Gain/(Loss)
Pooled Separate Accounts PRINCIPAL LIQUID ASSETS SEPARA	12		\$ 897,726.32		\$ 0.00
Pooled Separate Accounts PRINCIPAL LIQUID ASSETS SEPARA		13		\$ 901,175.28	\$ 33.11
Registered Investment Company VANGUARD TOTAL BOND MARKET IND	18		\$ 237,109.92		\$ 0.00
Registered Investment Company VANGUARD TOTAL BOND MARKET IND		37		\$ 661,408.40	\$ 68,907.62-

* Schedule is prepared using the alternative way of reporting (iii) series transactions under DOL Regulation 2520.103-6(d)(2).

SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**SCHEDULE H, line 4i - SCHEDULE OF ASSETS (HELD AT END OF YEAR)**

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EIN 27-4109506
 PLAN NUMBER 001
 PLAN YEAR 01/01/2022 TO 12/31/2022

(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
	SEI TRUST COMPANY	Registered Investment Company ALLSPRING DISC SMID CP GR A	\$ 194,192.40	\$ 125,770.31
	American Beacon Funds	Registered Investment Company AMER BEACON SMCP VAL ADV FUND	\$ 89,153.12	\$ 83,576.61
	American Century Investments	Registered Investment Company AMER CENT EQUITY INC A FD	\$ 202,477.75	\$ 208,306.34
	American Funds Service Company	Registered Investment Company AMERICAN FDS NEW WORLD R4 FUND	\$ 227,212.42	\$ 170,813.26
	BlackRock	Registered Investment Company BLACKROCK EQTY DIV INV A FUND	\$ 260,416.84	\$ 233,614.29
	Calamos Funds	Registered Investment Company CALAMOS GROWTH AND INCOME A FD	\$ 222,546.98	\$ 241,925.66
	Dimensional Fund Advisors	Registered Investment Company DFA EMERG MKT CORE EQTY I FD	\$ 174,959.22	\$ 177,209.63
	Janus International Holding, LLC	Registered Investment Company JANUSHENDERSON TRITON I	\$ 88,419.14	\$ 68,925.74
	JP Morgan Funds	Registered Investment Company JP MORGAN LARGE CAP GR A FD	\$ 254,815.24	\$ 284,216.61
	JP Morgan Funds	Registered Investment Company JP MORGAN MID CAP VALUE A FUND	\$ 160,494.93	\$ 157,275.88
	Lord Abbett	Registered Investment Company LORD ABBETT HIGH YIELD R4 FUND	\$ 239,025.80	\$ 200,499.83
	MFS Investment Management	Registered Investment Company MFS INTL DIVERSIFICATION R4 FD	\$ 86,815.22	\$ 82,531.41
	PIMCO Funds	Registered Investment Company PIMCO ALL ASSET A FUND	\$ 846,900.56	\$ 761,436.56
	PIMCO Funds	Registered Investment Company PIMCO TOTAL RETURN INSTL FUND	\$ 1,255,770.18	\$ 1,028,455.60
*	Principal Life Insurance Company	Pooled Separate Accounts PRIN LGCAP S&P 500 INDEX SA-I3	\$ 118,395.87	\$ 249,333.83

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

EIN 27 4109506
PLAN NUMBER 001
PLAN YEAR 01/01/2022 TO 12/31/2022

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Schedule SB, Line 26A - Schedule of Active Participant Data
Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
EIN 27-4109506 Plan No. 001

Form 5500 - Schedule of Active Participation Data						Valuation Date 01/01/2022				
Attained Age	YEARS OF CREDITED SERVICE									
	Under 1	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 to 34	35 to 39	40 & up
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
25 to 29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
30 to 34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
35 to 39	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
40 to 44	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
45 to 49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
50 to 54	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
55 to 59	0	1	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
60 to 64	0	0	5	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
65 to 69	0	1	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
70 & up	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0

Assumptions prescribed by law

Mortality	<u>During benefit payment period</u> IRS Prescribed Mortality - Static Annuitant, male and female.
	<u>Before benefit payment period</u> IRS Prescribed Mortality - Static Non-annuitant, male and female.

Assumptions selected by actuary

Inflation	2.40% increase per year. Our long-term inflation assumption considered the current economic environment, recent and historical data, and forecasts from Federal Reserve Bank FOMC, Congressional Budget Office, and Survey of Professional Forecasters. See Long-Term Capital Market Assumptions link.
Asset return	4.60% for the current plan year. The asset return is developed as a weighted average rate based on the target asset allocation of the plan and the long-term capital market assumptions. The calculated return is on an arithmetic mean basis. For details, see the Long-Term Capital Market Assumptions link.
Expected expense	The expected expense included in target normal cost is an estimate based on prior year expenses paid from plan assets, with an updated estimate of PBGC premiums. This is the best estimate available of upcoming year's expenses.
Retirement	Active and inactive participants are assumed to retire at normal retirement age as defined in <u>Plan provisions</u> . This assumption is based on the results of recent experience analysis and anticipated future experience.
Disability	None. This assumption is based on the results of recent experience analysis and anticipated future experience.
Marriage	75% married; husbands are 3 years older than wives. This assumption does not have material impact on the results of this report and has been selected based on our best estimate of active workforce.
Withdrawal	None. This assumption is based on the results of recent experience analysis and anticipated future experience.

Form of benefit and basis	50% of active participants will elect a benefit paid in a lump sum at the assumed retirement age. The remaining active participants will elect a monthly annuity on the normal form at the assumed retirement age. This assumption is based on the results of recent experience analysis and anticipated future experience. The single sum benefit is based on the Applicable Mortality and the plan's funding target interest rates, as prescribed.
Methods prescribed by law	
Liability measure	Funding target is the present value of the benefits accrued on the valuation date. Included in Funding Target is the value of any missed required minimum distributions (defined in IRC §401(a)(9) and Treasury Regulation §1.401(a)(9)), equal to back payments with interest at 8.50%. Target normal cost is based on benefits expected to accrue during the current plan year and includes an estimate of plan expenses for the year.
Lump sum payments	Lump sum payments are valued using the plan's funding target interest rates as required, per IRS guidance. These rates are currently higher than the actual rates used to determine lump sum distributions. Therefore, plan liabilities do not currently recognize this additional cost and this may result in the plan not accumulating adequate assets. You may wish to consider additional contributions.
HCE benefit payment restrictions	A ratio of the plan assets and accrued liability is used to determine if restrictions apply. Assets and accrued liability are as of the valuation date and are reduced by: - any retiree benefit index or floor - amounts for HCEs who were previously restricted - an amount for the retiring HCE The estimated HCE ratio illustrated in this report is based on the market value of plan assets (excluding late deposits) and funding target as of the valuation date. The funding target uses the non-stabilized interest rates as defined in IRC §430(h)(2)(C)(iv). Other assumptions or methods could be used.

Methods selected by plan sponsor

Asset method	The asset valuation method is prescribed by law for plans that elect to use a value other than market value. For each of the preceding two years, an expected value of assets at the end of the year is compared to the end of year market value. The resulting gain or loss is recognized evenly over three plan years. The expected value includes contributions, distributions, any deducted administrative expenses, and expected earnings (based on the lesser of the assumed interest rate or the maximum allowable rate). The deferred gains and losses are added to the current market value and then restricted to no more than 110% and no less than 90% of that market value. When actual returns exceed the assumed return, the actuarial value of assets will lag below market value. The lag and the smoothing effect are limited since the value must be within 10% of market value.
Segment rates	24-month average with no weighting to prior law basis. Use rates where August is the last month included in the average.
PBGC premium basis	Variable Rate Premiums are calculated using census, market value of assets and interest rates in effect on the current valuation date. Interest rates are the 24-month average rates used for annual cost but without the interest rate corridor defined in IRC §430(h)(2)(C)(iv). You elected this Alternative interest method for the 01/01/2009 plan year and this method must be used for five years before a change can be made.

Methods elected by actuary

Retirees	Assets and liabilities for current and future retirees are included.
Vested benefits	A benefit is included in vested benefits if it meets the requirements under PBGC. The benefit is multiplied by the participant's vesting percentage applicable to each benefit on the valuation date. The following ancillary benefits are always treated as nonvested: disability benefits payable to retirement age unless in pay status, pre-retirement death benefits in excess of the survivor annuity death benefit and post retirement death benefits for non-retired participants except as noted in the Plan provisions.

Assumptions and methods elected by actuary - plan accounting (ASC 960)
With the exceptions below, all assumptions and methods are the same as those used in determining your plan's regular funding target and target normal cost.

Mortality

Based on Pri-2012 Total dataset base rate mortality table projected generationally using the using the Principal Mortality Improvement Scale (Principal 2017-10).

Base rates

Before benefit payment period

Employee amount-weighted, male and female

During benefit payment period

Retiree amount-weighted, male and female

The Society of Actuaries (SOA) is an actuarial organization that periodically reviews mortality data and publishes mortality tables and improvement scales. In October 2019, the SOA released the Pri-2012 Mortality Tables for private-sector retirement plans in the U.S. The Pri-2012 report contains different sets of mortality tables based on complete dataset or various subsets. The Total dataset base rate table was selected based on information provided by the plan sponsor.

Pri-2012 section 12.4. provided three approaches for designated beneficiaries in the calculation of joint-and-survivor annuities. We believe "Approach 1" is reasonable for this plan.

Mortality improvement (MI)

Principal 2017-10 MI scale: this scale is based on MP-2021 study and model issued by SOA with the exception of the following user-selected assumptions:

- 10-year convergence period on age and cohort
- Long-term rates (LTR) assumptions using sex-distinct and age-based rates developed from Social Security Trustees Reports.

See [Mortality Documentation](#) for rationale and additional information.

Interest rate used to value liabilities

4.40%

The interest rate used to value ASC 960 liabilities is developed as long-term expected geometric return on plan assets. Arithmetic expected return is calculated as the weighted average of broad asset classes' arithmetic returns of the plan's target asset allocation, and then converted to the geometric under lognormal distribution assumption. For details, see Long-Term Capital Market Assumptions link.

Treatment of administrative expenses

No adjustments are made for administrative expenses, either through a reduction in the discount rate or by calculating a present value of future expenses.

Plan sponsors may change their administrative expense handling at any time. Our approach provides consistent handling of ASC 960 liabilities from year to year, whether expenses are paid with plan assets or directly by the employer.

Note - expenses paid with plan assets are required to be included in funding normal cost. As a result, the plan is reimbursed annually through required funding. Exception – contributions are not required due to assets sufficiently in excess of liabilities to fund both expenses and normal cost. In this case, administrative expenses are taken from the excess assets.

Basis for lump sums

Interest rate

Based on the three segment yield curve: 3.05%/3.45%/4.35%

The plan document defines the lump sum interest rate based on IRC §417(e) rates which closely tie to the high quality corporate bond yields. According to our most recent study, the long-term expected yields for short/intermediate/long corporate bonds are 3.05%/3.45%/4.35%. For details, see Corporate AA yield in Figure 2 of Long-Term Capital Market Assumptions link.

Mortality

We have selected the same mortality assumption for lump sum payments, but with a 50/50 blend of male and female total dataset base rates and mortality improvement scales. This reflects the IRS practice of defining lump sum mortality on a unisex basis.

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 2022 This Form is Open to Public Inspection
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For calendar plan year 2022 or fiscal plan year beginning 01/01/2022 and ending 12/31/2022

▶ **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 <u>Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan</u>	B Three-digit plan number (PN) ▶ <u>001</u>
C Plan sponsor's name as shown on line 2a of Form 5500 or 5500-SF <u>GEA MECHANICAL EQUIPMENT U.S. INC.</u>	D Employer Identification Number (EIN) <u>27-4109506</u>
E Type of plan: ☒ Single ☐ Multiple-A ☐ Multiple-B	F Prior year plan size: ☐ 100 or fewer ☐ 101-500 ☒ More than 500

Part I	Basic Information
1 Enter the valuation date: Month <u>01</u> Day <u>01</u> Year <u>2022</u>	
2 Assets:	
a Market value	2a <u>9899595</u>
b Actuarial value	2b <u>9546683</u>
3 Funding target/participant count breakdown	
a For retired participants and beneficiaries receiving payment.....	(1) Number of participants <u>63</u> (2) Vested Funding Target <u>6966110</u> (3) Total Funding Target <u>6966110</u>
b For terminated vested participants.....	<u>48</u> <u>2496015</u> <u>2496015</u>
c For active participants	<u>29</u> <u>2164762</u> <u>2164762</u>
d Total.....	<u>140</u> <u>11626887</u> <u>11626887</u>
4 If the plan is in at-risk status, check the box and complete lines (a) and (b)..... ☐	
a Funding target disregarding prescribed at-risk assumptions	4a
b Funding target reflecting at-risk assumptions, but disregarding transition rule for plans that have been in at-risk status for fewer than five consecutive years and disregarding loading factor.....	4b
5 Effective interest rate	5 <u>5.27</u> %
6 Target normal cost.....	
a Present value of current plan year accruals.....	6a <u>0</u>
b Expected plan-related expenses	6b <u>130000</u>
c Total (line 6a + line 6b)	6c <u>130000</u>

Statement by Enrolled Actuary

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

SIGN HERE	<u>SNM</u>	<u>10/07/2023</u>
	Signature of actuary	Date
<u>Susan N. Mason</u>	Type or print name of actuary	<u>2308112</u>
		Most recent enrollment number
<u>Principal Financial Group</u>	Firm name	<u>412-394-9301</u>
<u>PO Box 9394</u> <u>Des Moines, IA 50306-9394</u>		Telephone number (including area code)
	Address of the firm	

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

For Paperwork Reduction Act Notice, see the Instructions for Form 5500 or 5500-SF.

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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	185181
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	185181
10 Interest on line 9 using prior year's actual return of <u>4.74</u> %	0	8778
11 Prior year's excess contributions to be added to prefunding balance:		
a Present value of excess contributions (line 38a from prior year)		51
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>5.44</u> %		3
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		54
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	193959

Part III Funding Percentages

14 Funding target attainment percentage	14	80.44 %
15 Adjusted funding target attainment percentage	15	80.44 %
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	82.22 %
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
04/14/2022	84647	0			
09/07/2022	84647	0			
10/28/2022	73730	0			
12/29/2022	81040	0			
09/07/2023	52327	0			
Totals ▶			18(b)	376391	18(c)

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	360228

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:
5.18 %3rd segment:
5.92 %☐ N/A, full yield curve used**b** Applicable month (enter code)**21b**

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22 Weighted average retirement age**22**

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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**

130000

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

0

32 Amortization installments:**a** Net shortfall amortization installment

Outstanding Balance

Installment

2274163

230174

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**

360174

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**

360174

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

360228

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

54

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

Schedule SB, Line 2a - Explanation of Assets
Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
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The market value of assets on line 2a does not equal assets shown on Schedule H, Schedule I or Form 5500-SF. Schedule H, Schedule I and Form 5500-SF use the full value of contributions received after plan year end. Line 2a includes the value of \$124,585 contributions received after the plan year end with a discounted value of \$122,801.

Schedule SB, Line 19 - Discounted Employer Contributions
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The attached schedule shows the date and amount of individual employer contributions, interest adjusted contribution, year to which the contributions are applied, applicable effective interest rate and amount applied to each quarterly contribution.

Contributions allocated toward minimum required contributions (Line 19c)

Contributions not applied to quarterly contributions are applied to Annual Cost.

Date	Full Amount of Contribution by Employer	Interest Adjusted Amount of Contribution	Plan Year Applied	Effective Interest Rate	1Q Full Amount	1Q Interest Adjusted ¹	1Q Days Late	2Q Full Amount	2Q Interest Adjusted ¹	2Q Days Late	3Q Full Amount	3Q Interest Adjusted ¹	3Q Days Late	4Q Full Amount	4Q Interest Adjusted ¹	4Q Days Late
4/14/2022	\$84,647	\$83,429	2022	5.27 %	\$81,029	\$79,863	0	\$3,618	\$3,566	0						
9/7/2022	\$84,647	\$81,222	2022	5.27 %				\$77,375	\$74,200	54	\$7,272	\$7,022	0			
10/28/2022	\$73,730	\$70,566	2022	5.27 %							\$73,730	\$70,566	13			
12/29/2022	\$81,040	\$77,015	2022	5.27 %										\$80,847	\$76,832	0
9/7/2023	\$52,327	\$47,996	2022	5.27 %												
TOTAL	\$376,391	\$360,228														

¹ Includes increased rate for late quarterly contribution (calculated using the Effective Interest Rate plus 5% for the number of days late).

Schedule SB, Line 22 - Description Of Weighted Average Retirement Age
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Active participants are expected to retire at the plan's assumed retirement age. The retirement rate reflects only those participants who meet retirement eligibility. An active participant working past assumed retirement age is expected to retire at current age.

(1) Age	(2) Expected Active Headcount	(3) Retirement Rate	(4) Expected Retirements (2)*(3)	(5) Weighted Age (1)*(4)
65	21.5488	1.0000	21.5488	1,400.6691
66	2.0000	1.0000	2.0000	132.0000
67	2.0000	1.0000	2.0000	134.0000
68	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	68.0000
69	0.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000
70	0.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000
71	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	71.0000
72	0.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000
73	0.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000
74	0.0000	1.0000	0.0000	0.0000
75	1.0000	1.0000	1.0000	75.0000
Total			28.5488	1,880.6691
Average				65.88

Schedule SB, Part V - Summary of Plan Provisions
Westfalia Separator, Inc. Employees' Pension Plan
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This report reflects the maximum benefit limits under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 415 and maximum compensation limits under IRC Section 401 in effect on the first day of each plan year.

The following is a summary of plan provisions and does not alter the intent or meanings of the provisions contained in the contract or plan document. This report reflects the provisions of the plan signed 06/28/2010 including amendments through number 2 signed 03/09/2011.

Plan eligibility

Age	Attained age 21.
Service	One and a half years of service in which at least 1,000 hours worked.
Class	All employees, excluding leased employees or members of a Collective Bargaining Unit.
	Employees hired after November 15, 1995 will not be eligible to enter the plan.

Normal retirement benefit

Age	Attained age 65.
Form	Monthly annuity payable for ten years certain and life thereafter (optional forms may be elected in advance of retirement).
Amount (accrued benefit)	1.5% of Average Compensation multiplied by years of service (max 35) Benefit accrual under the plan is frozen effective November 15, 1995.

Early retirement benefit

Age	Attained age 55.
Service	10 years of service
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit.
Amount	Accrued benefit on early retirement date actuarially reduced to reflect the amount of time by which early retirement date precedes normal retirement date.

Age	Factor	Age	Factor	Age	Factor
55	0.318	59	0.491	63	0.781
56	0.354	60	0.549	64	0.883
57	0.394	61	0.616	65	1.000
58	0.439	62	0.693		

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Late retirement benefit

Age	No maximum age.
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit.
Amount	Greater of accrued benefit on late retirement date or accrued benefit on normal retirement date actuarially increased to late retirement date.

Termination benefit

Vesting percentage	100% upon plan entry.
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit with income deferred until normal retirement date.
Amount	Accrued benefit on date of termination multiplied by the vesting percentage.

Disability benefit

Eligibility	Attained age 55 and no longer eligible for long term disability benefits under another program sponsored by the Employer.
Form	Monthly income payable until normal retirement, death, or recovery and a deferred annuity payable at normal retirement date.
Amount	Accrued benefit on early retirement date actuarially reduced to reflect the disability retirement date precedes normal retirement date.

Death benefit

Eligibility	Qualified married participant fully or partially vested in an accrued benefit.
Form	Monthly annuity payable to spouse, deferred to participant's earliest retirement date if later than the date of death
Amount	If death occurs, the amount paid to the surviving spouse is equal to the amount that would have been paid had the participant terminated employment on the date of death and survived to his/her earliest retirement age, retired with a qualified joint and 50% survivor annuity in effect, then died the next day

Definitions

Average compensation	The monthly average of total pay received for the 5 consecutive years out of the 10 latest years before November 15, 1995 which gives the highest average.
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Optional forms of benefit payments

The optional forms of benefit payments are:

Monthly annuity payable for life, or 5 or 10 years certain and life

Monthly annuity payable as a survivorship life annuity with survivorship percentages of 50, 75, or 100

Single sum payment equal to the present value of the retirement benefit

The optional form conversion basis is 8.5% interest and the 1984 Unisex Pension mortality table for payments other than lump sums. The optional form conversion basis uses the applicable interest rate and applicable mortality table as set forth in Code Section 417 for lump sum payments. The applicable interest rate uses the first calendar month preceding the first day of the stability period, which is one month.

Changes in Principal Eligibility or Benefit Provisions

There have been no changes in principal eligibility or benefit provisions since the last valuation.

Significant Event

The enrolled actuary has not been made aware that any significant events have occurred during the year.

Schedule SB, Line 32 - Schedule of Amortization Bases
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Shortfall

Date created	Present value	Remaining years	Annual charge
01/01/2022	\$201,160	15	\$18,589
01/01/2021	(50,256)	14	(4,866)
01/01/2020	2,123,259	13	216,451
Total	\$2,274,163		\$230,174

Last year's total shortfall annual charge was \$211,585.

The total annual charge used in calculating your annual cost can't be less than zero.

Waiver charges represent your repayment to the plan for an annual charge that was not funded. A waiver only exists once the Internal Revenue Service has granted approval. See Waivers in Rules and regulations.

Waiver

Date created	Present value	Remaining years	Annual charge
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

There are no waiver bases for the current year.

Schedule SB, Line 24 – Change in Actuarial Assumptions
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Certain non-prescribed assumptions have been changed since last year. These assumptions were changed to better reflect the anticipated experience of your plan. See the attachment, Part V – Statement of Actuarial Assumptions/Methods, for the rationale for each assumption.

The inflation assumption has increased from 2.25% to 2.40%.

The assumed asset return for the current year has increased from 4.00% to 4.60%. This rate is used in the calculation of the actuarial value of plan assets.