Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

Report on Federal Awards in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133 December 31, 2013 EIN #042105850

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Independent Auditor's Report

To The Board of Trustees of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (the "Institution"), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2013 and the related statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

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

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on our judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, we consider internal control relevant to the Institution's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Institution's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

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Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Institution at December 31, 2013, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Other Matter

We have previously audited the Institution's 2012 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated July 19, 2013. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended December 31, 2012 is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards for the year ended December 31, 2013 is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by Office of Management and Budget Circular A-133, Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations and is not a required part of the financial statements. 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 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 auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal awards is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated July 18, 2014 on our consideration of Institution's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing and not to provide an opinion on internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the Institution's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

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July 18, 2014

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Statements of Financial Position December 31, 2013 (with summarized financial information as of December 31, 2012)

| | | | | 2013 | 2012 |
|---|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Assets | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents, unrestricted | | | | \$ 4,001,627 | \$ 3,371,350 |
| Cash and cash equivalents, restricted | | | | 15,999,175 | 12,193,308 |
| Reimbursable costs and fees | | | | | |
| Billed (net of allowance for doubtful acco | ounts of \$87,572 for | 2013 and \$144,911 | for 2012) | 3,971,504 | 5,633,863 |
| Unbilled | | | | 8,617,539 | 9,851,683 |
| Receivable for investments sold | | | | 27,209,044 | 9,528,338 |
| Other receivables | | | | 1,339,285 | 1,462,159 |
| Pledges receivable, net (Note 5) | | | | 1,681,530 | 1,863,500 |
| Inventory | | | | 2,463,237 | 2,194,191 |
| Deferred charges and prepaid expenses | | | | 1,190,527 | 827,168 |
| Investments, pooled (Note 3) | | | | 381,828,394 | 360,777,108 |
| Investments designated for retiree and ac | tive medical plans (N | lote 10) | | 13,765,163 | 17,429,983 |
| Deferred fixed rate variance (Note 7) | | | | 1,772,893 | 4,586,477 |
| Supplemental retirement | | | | 9,290,422 | 7,822,553 |
| Other assets | | | | 3,605,701 | 2,338,623 |
| Deferred financing costs | | | | 194,184 | 204,713 |
| | | | | 476,930,225 | 440,085,017 |
| Property, plant and equipment | | | | | |
| Land, buildings and improvements | | | | 162,000,071 | 157,154,079 |
| Vessels and dock facilities | | | | 8,388,154 | 8,388,154 |
| Laboratory and other equipment | | | | 34,354,645 | 32,033,762 |
| Construction in process | | | | 247,660 | 783,981 |
| | | | | 204,990,530 | 198,359,976 |
| Accumulated depreciation | | | | (117,654,708) | (108,876,031) |
| Net property, plant and equipme | ent | | | 87,335,822 | 89,483,945 |
| Contributions receivable from remainder to | rusts, net (Note 6) | | | 10,985,260 | 9,828,272 |
| Total assets | | | | \$ 575,251,307 | \$ 539,397,234 |
| Liabilities | | | | | |
| Line of credit (Note 8) | | | | \$ 25,000,000 | \$ 25,000,000 |
| Accounts payable and other liabilities (Not | te 8) | | | 14,555,392 | 19,069,062 |
| Accrued payroll and related liabilities | | | | 8,800,186 | 8,940,016 |
| Accrued supplemental retirement benefits | | | | 9,290,422 | 7,822,553 |
| Accrued pension and restoration liability | | | | 66,503,087 | 105,643,221 |
| Accrued postretirement liability | | | | 30,586,416 | 36,516,225 |
| Deferred revenue and refundable advance | es | | | 19,410,792 | 16,041,353 |
| Bonds payable (Note 8) | | | | 57,560,542 | 59,119,471 |
| Total liabilities | | | | \$ 231,706,837 | \$ 278,151,901 |
| | | Temporarily | Permanently | | |
| | Unrestricted | Restricted | Restricted | | |
| Net assets | | | | | |
| Undesignated and plant | \$ (11,623,660) | \$- | \$- | \$ (11,623,660) | \$ (13,774,188) |

| Undesignated and plant | \$ (11,623,660) | \$ - | \$ - | \$ (11,623,660) | \$ (13,774,188) |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Pension | (83,324,340) | - | - | (83,324,340) | (124,729,463) |
| Designated | 2,170,967 | 9,768,537 | - | 11,939,504 | 11,805,065 |
| Pledges and other | - | 3,995,054 | 9,859,700 | 13,854,754 | 14,243,973 |
| Education | - | 3,660,774 | - | 3,660,774 | 3,394,500 |
| Endowment and similar funds | 99,044,772 | 233,860,217 | 76,132,449 | 409,037,438 | 370,305,446 |
| Total net assets | \$ 6,267,739 | \$ 251,284,582 | \$ 85,992,149 | 343,544,470 | 261,245,333 |
| Total liabilities and net assets | | | | \$ 575,251,307 | \$ 539,397,234 |

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

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Statements of Activities Year Ended December 31, 2013 (with summarized financial information for the Year Ended December 31, 2012)

| | | Unrestricted | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|----|----------------------|----|-----------------------|----------|-------------------|----|---------------------------|-----|----------------------|------|------------------------|
| | | Operating | | Sponsored Research | • | orarily ricted | | Permanently Restricted | | 2013 | | 2012 |
| Revenues | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fees | \$ | 1,541,866 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ | 1,541,866 | \$ | 1,897,960 |
| Sponsored research | | ,- , | | | | | | | | | | ,, |
| Government | | | | 97,234,446 | | | | | | 97,234,446 | | 111,453,243 |
| Subcontract and nongovernment | | | | 63,231,056 | 5,6 | 670,336 | | | | 68,901,392 | | 59,966,557 |
| Ships and subs operations | | | | 24,439,293 | | | | | | 24,439,293 | | 22,661,175 |
| Sponsored research assets released to operations | | 190,006,767 | | (184,904,795) | (5, | 101,972) | | | | - | | - |
| Fixed price awards income | | 345,526 | | | | | | | | 345,526 | | 257,926 |
| Education | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Joint program income | | 4,040,652 | | | | | | | | 4,040,652 | | 4,226,073 |
| Endowment income | | | | | | 369,748 | | | | 6,869,748 | | 6,966,070 |
| Education funds released from restriction | | 7,348,320 | | | (7, | 348,320) | | | | - | | - |
| Investment return designated for current operations | | 4,008,899 | | | | 07 500 | | 0 5 40 000 | | 4,008,899 | | 2,805,300 |
| Contributions and gifts | | 4,672,393 | | | | 607,522 | | 2,548,862 | | 7,828,777 | | 5,891,080 |
| Releases from restrictions Contributions in kind | | 326,138 | | | ((| 679,626) | | - | | (679,626) 326,138 | | (2,960,370) 419,902 |
| Rental income | | 578,223 | | | | | | | | 578,223 | | 554,852 |
| Communication and publications | | 203,821 | | | | | | | | 203,821 | | 221,859 |
| Other | | 234,023 | | | | | | | | 234,023 | | 800,256 |
| Gain (loss) on sale of land | | 527,673 | | | | | | | | 527,673 | | (1,650,000) |
| Total revenues | | 213,834,301 | - | | | 17,688 | | 2,548,862 | · — | 216,400,851 | | 213,511,883 |
| Total levellues | | 213,034,301 | - | - | | 17,000 | | 2,540,602 | · — | 210,400,651 | | 213,511,005 |
| Expenses | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Sponsored research | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| National Science Foundation | | 51,187,057 | | | | | | | | 51,187,057 | | 56,972,329 |
| United States Navy | | 21,331,153 | | | | | | | | 21,331,153 | | 22,425,696 |
| Subcontracts | | 37,844,665 | | | | | | | | 37,844,665 | | 27,757,583 |
| National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration | | 13,190,324 | | | | | | | | 13,190,324 | | 15,701,872 |
| Department of Energy | | 175,958 | | | | | | | | 175,958 | | - |
| United States Geological Survey | | 1,636,316 | | | | | | | | 1,636,316 | | 1,801,235 |
| National Aeronautics & Space Administration | | 4,475,522 | | | | | | | | 4,475,522 | | 3,833,171 |
| Ships Operations | | 17,511,522 | | | | | | | | 17,511,522 | | 17,321,144 |
| Submersible and ROV operations | | 6,927,771 | | | | | | | | 6,927,771 | | 5,340,031 |
| Privately funded grants | | 11,757,561 | | | | | | | | 11,757,561 | | 13,849,456 |
| Other | | 23,968,918 | | | | | | | | 23,968,918 | | 31,111,710 |
| Education | | 4 224 500 | | | | | | | | 4 224 500 | | 4 707 444 |
| Faculty expense | | 4,334,589 | | | | | | | | 4,334,589 | | 4,767,441 |
| Student expense Postdoctoral programs | | 3,703,578 517,051 | | | | | | | | 3,703,578 517,051 | | 4,028,336 466,165 |
| Other | | 1,266,870 | | | | | | | | 1,266,870 | | 1,167,599 |
| Rental expenses | | 292,480 | | | | | | | | 292,480 | | 312,441 |
| Communication, publications and development | | 1,713,886 | | | | | | | | 1,713,886 | | 1,785,662 |
| Fundraising expenses | | 2,391,694 | | | | | | | | 2,391,694 | | 2,390,548 |
| Unsponsored programs | | 11,096,728 | | | | | | | | 11,096,728 | | 10,511,453 |
| Other expenses | | 1,092,482 | | | | | | | | 1,092,482 | | 384,820 |
| Total expenses | _ | 216,416,125 | _ | | | - | _ | - | - | 216,416,125 | _ | 221,928,692 |
| | | | - | - | | | | | · — | 210,410,123 | | |
| Change in net assets from operating activities | | (2,581,824) | | - | | 17,688 | | 2,548,862 | | (15,274) | | (8,416,809) |
| Nonoperating revenue and expenses | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Investment return in excess of amounts designated | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| for sponsored research, education and current operations | | 10,097,631 | | | 27,0 | 013,818 | | | | 37,111,449 | | 25,123,466 |
| Return on investments for retiree and active medical plans | | 319,619 | | | | | | | | 319,619 | | 2,416,780 |
| Active medical expenses | | (3,000,000) | | | | | | | | (3,000,000) | | (4,990,734) |
| Net realized/unrealized (losses) gains on interest rate swap | | 2,714,059 | | | | | | | | 2,714,059 | | (730,844) |
| Change in split interest agreements | | 22,687 | | | | 82,188 | | 1,114,149 | | 1,219,024 | | 526,807 |
| Other nonoperating expenses | | (135,244) | | | | | | | | (135,244) | | (117,287) |
| Redesignation of donor gifts | | - | | | | (21,680) | | 21,680 | | - | | (100,000) |
| Net periodic benefit cost | | (9,172,870) | | | | , | | | | (9,172,870) | | 1,064,289 |
| Pension related changes other than net periodic | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| pension costs (Note 9) | _ | 53,258,374 | | | | | _ | | | 53,258,374 | _ | (17,659,916) |
| Change in net assets from nonoperating activities | | 54,104,256 | | - | 27.0 | 074,326 | _ | 1,135,829 | | 82,314,411 | | 5,532,561 |
| Total change in net assets | | 51,522,432 | | - | | 092,014 | _ | 3,684,691 | | 82,299,137 | | (2,884,248) |
| | | | | - | | | | | | | | |
| Net assets at beginning of year | _ | (45,254,693) | | | | 192,568 | | 82,307,458 | | 261,245,333 | | 264,129,581 |
| Net assets at end of year | \$ | 6,267,739 | \$ | - | \$ 251,2 | 284,582 | \$ | 85,992,149 | \$ | 343,544,470 | \$ 3 | 261,245,333 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Statements of Cash Flows Years Ended December 31, 2013 and 2012

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|--|-----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities | | |
| Total change in net assets | \$ 82,299,137 | \$ (2,884,248) |
| Adjustments to reconcile (decrease) in net assets | | |
| to net cash used in operating activities | | |
| Depreciation and amortization | 9,238,065 | 8,452,725 |
| Change in split interest agreements | (1,219,024) | (526,807) |
| Allowance for uncollectible pledges | (2,000) | 185,183 |
| Discount on pledges | (159,771) | 217,560 |
| Net realized and unrealized gain on investments | (54,540,356) | (41,894,170) |
| Unrealized loss (gain) loss on interest swap | (4,463,870) (53,258,374) | (1,053,115) |
| Pension related changes other than net periodic pension costs Contributions to be used for long-term investment | (2,142,811) | 19,312,579 (4,707,290) |
| Land gift | (1,360,000) | (4,707,230) |
| Gain (loss) on property investment | (527,673) | 1,650,000 |
| Receipt of contributed securities | (256,547) | (164,010) |
| (Increase) decrease in assets | (, | (,) |
| Restricted cash | (3,805,867) | (1,092,607) |
| Reimbursable costs and fees | | |
| Billed | 1,662,359 | (1,033,490) |
| Unbilled | 1,234,144 | 2,505,960 |
| Other receivables | 122,874 | 1,406 |
| Pledges receivable | 343,741 | 1,839,969 |
| Inventory | (269,046) | 10,286 |
| Deferred charges and prepaid expenses | (363,360) | 93,214 |
| Other assets | (10,009) | (365,385) |
| Deferred financing costs | 10,529 | - |
| Supplemental retirement | (1,467,869) | (803,732) |
| Deferred fixed rate variance | 2,813,584 | 2,858,171 |
| Increase (decrease) in liabilities Accrued pension liability | 8,185,686 | (2 740 901) |
| Accrued pension restoration liability | 0,105,000 2,745 | (3,749,801) 36,520 |
| Accounts payable and other liabilities | (92,647) | 593,177 |
| Accrued payroll and related liabilities | (139,830) | 32,259 |
| Deferred revenue and refundable advances | 3,369,439 | (2,768,001) |
| Accrued supplemental retirement benefits | 1,467,869 | 803,732 |
| Net cash used in operating activities | (13,328,882) | (22,449,915) |
| Cash flows from investing activities | | |
| Capital expenditures | | |
| Additions to property and equipment | (7,272,386) | (11,384,133) |
| Investments | | |
| Purchase of investments | (154,325,201) | (322,833,059) |
| Sale of investments | 191,479,092 | 339,251,460 |
| Receivable from investments sold | (17,680,706) | 364,282 |
| Payable for investments purchased | - | (250,151) |
| Liquidation of contributed securities | 359,478 | 31,195 |
| Proceeds from sale of property | 815,000 | 3,060,000 |
| Net cash provided by investing activities | 13,375,277 | 8,239,594 |
| Cash flows from financing activities | | |
| Repayments under debt agreement | (1,558,929) | (1,493,929) |
| Borrowing under line of credit | 31,000,000 | 33,975,000 |
| Repayments under line of credit | (31,000,000) | (21,975,000) |
| Contributions to be used for long-term investment | 2,142,811 | 4,707,290 |
| Net cash provided by financing activities | 583,882 | 15,213,361 |
| Net increase in cash and cash equivalents | 630,277 | 1,003,040 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | | |
| Beginning of year | 3,371,350 | 2,368,310 |
| End of year | \$ 4,001,627 | \$ 3,371,350 |
| Supplemental disclosures | | |
| Cash paid for interest | \$ 4,801,376 | \$ 4,747,353 |
| Noncash activity Construction in process additions remaining in accounts payable | 372,281 | 267,398 |
| Contributed securities | 256,547 | 164,010 |
| Contributed property | 1,360,000 | |
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

1. Background

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (the "Institution") is a private, independent not-for-profit research and educational institution located in Woods Hole, Massachusetts. Founded in 1930, the Institution is dedicated to working and learning at the frontier of ocean science and attaining maximum return on intellectual and material investments in oceanographic research.

The Institution is a qualified tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code as it is organized and operated for education and scientific purposes.

2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis and in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by net asset class. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Institution's audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2012, from which the summarized information was derived.

Net assets, revenues, and realized and unrealized gains and losses are classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions and legal restrictions imposed under Massachusetts State law. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified as follows:

Permanently Restricted Net Assets

Permanently restricted net assets are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained permanently by the Institution. Generally the donors of these assets permit the Institution to use all or part of the income earned and capital appreciation, if any, on related investments for general or specific purposes.

Temporarily Restricted Net Assets

Temporarily restricted net assets are subject to donor-imposed stipulations that may or will be met by actions of the Institution and/or the passage of time. Unspent gains on permanent endowment are classified as temporarily restricted until the Institution appropriates and spends such sums in accordance with the terms of the underlying endowment funds and in accordance with Massachusetts law, at which time they will be released to unrestricted revenues.

Unrestricted Net Assets

Unrestricted net assets are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. Revenues are reported as increases in unrestricted net assets unless use of the related assets is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are reported as decreases in unrestricted net assets. Gains and losses on investments and other assets or liabilities are reported as increases or decreases in unrestricted net assets unless their use is restricted by explicit donor stipulations or law. Expirations of temporary restrictions on net assets, that is, the donor-imposed stipulated purpose has been accomplished and/or the stipulated time period has elapsed, are reported as reclassifications between the applicable classes of net assets. Amounts received for sponsored research (under exchange transactions) are reflected in unrestricted sponsored research revenue and released to

operations when spent for the appropriate purpose, or as deferred revenue if expenditures have yet to be incurred.

Contributions

Contributions, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenues in the period received. Contributions subject to donor-imposed stipulations that are met in the same reporting period are reported as unrestricted support. Promises to give that are scheduled to be received after the balance sheet date are shown as increases in temporarily restricted net assets and are reclassified to unrestricted net assets when the purpose or restriction is met. Promises to give, subject to donor-imposed stipulations that the corpus be maintained permanently, are recognized as increases in permanently restricted net assets. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions on which they depend are substantially met. Contributions other than cash are generally recorded at market value on the date of the gift (or an estimate of fair value); although certain noncash gifts, for which a readily determinable market value cannot be established, are recorded at a nominal value until such time as the value becomes known. Contributions to be received after one year are discounted at the appropriate rate commensurate with risk. Amortization of such discount is recorded as additional contribution revenue in accordance with restrictions imposed by the donor on the original contribution, as applicable. Amounts receivable for contributions are reflected net of an applicable reserve for collectibility.

The Institution reports contributions in the form of land, buildings, or equipment as unrestricted operating support at fair market value when received.

Dividends, interest and net gains on investments of endowment and similar funds are reported as follows:

- As increases in permanently restricted net assets if the terms of the gift require that they be added to the principal of a permanent endowment fund;
- As increases in temporarily restricted net assets if the terms of the gift or relevant state law impose restrictions on the current use of the income or net realized and unrealized gains; and
- As increases in unrestricted net assets in all other cases.

Operations

The statement of activities reports the Institution's operating and nonoperating activities. Operating revenues and expenses consist of those activities attributable to the Institution's current annual research or educational programs, all gifts received and a component of endowment income appropriated for operations (Note 3). Unrestricted endowment investment income, gains and losses over the amount appropriated under the Institution's spending plan are reported as nonoperating revenue (expense) as investment return in excess of amounts designated for sponsored research, education and current operations.

Nonoperating revenues (expenses) also include the change in value of split interest agreements, realized/unrealized (losses) gains on interest rate swaps, and the net periodic pension income (cost) on the noncontributory defined benefit pension plan that is not reimbursed through negotiated fixed rate agreements with the federal government. Additionally, nonoperating activities include redesignation of donor gifts, depreciation on certain government-funded facilities and pension related changes other than net periodic pension costs.

As a result of an amendment to the postretirement health plan, in 2012, the Institution recognized the return on investments designated for retiree and active medical plan expenses and actual active and retiree medical expenses as nonoperating activities (Note 10).

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash, money market accounts, certificates of deposit and overnight repurchase agreements with initial maturities of three months or less when purchased which are stated at cost, which approximates market value.

The Institution invests its cash and cash equivalents in money market funds at a financial institution which fully ensures the balances held.

Included in restricted cash at December 31, 2013 and 2012 is \$15,744,993 and \$11,940,615, respectively, representing advances received from the United States Navy, other U.S. Government and state agencies and others. Such amounts are restricted as to use for research programs. Interest earned on unspent funds from federal agencies is remitted to the federal government.

Also included in restricted cash at December 31, 2013 and 2012 is \$254,182 and \$252,693, respectively, representing cash restricted by the Massachusetts Radiation Control Program and Department of Environmental Protection. Interest earned on unspent funds is reinvested within the restricted cash account.

Investments

Investment securities are carried at market value and determined as follows: securities traded on a national securities exchange are valued at the last reported sales price on the last business day of the year; securities traded in the over-the-counter market and listed securities for which no sales prices were reported on that day are valued at closing bid prices. The value of publicly traded securities or mutual funds are based upon quoted market prices and net asset values. Other investments, such as private equity funds, venture capital funds and hedge funds for which no such quotations or valuations are readily available, are carried at fair value as estimated by management using values provided by external investment managers. The Institution reviews and evaluates the valuations provided by investment managers and believes that these valuations are a reasonable estimate of fair value as of December 31, 2013 and 2012 but are subject to uncertainty and, therefore, may differ from the value that would have been used had a ready market for the investments existed and such differences could be material.

Purchases and sales of investment securities are recorded on a trade date basis. Realized gains and losses are computed on a specific identification method. Investment income, net of investment expenses, is distributed on the unit method.

The Institution makes investments in funds that make direct investments in public securities, over the counter securities, and other securities which may or may not have readily available market prices. The Institution follows authoritative guidance under GAAP for estimating the fair value of investments in those funds that have calculated net asset value per share in accordance with the specialized accounting guidance for investment companies. Accordingly, the Institution uses the net asset value, (NAV) without further adjustment as a practical expedient to determine the fair value of these funds which (a) do not have a readily determinable fair value and (b) either have the attributes of an investment company or prepare their financial statements consistent with the measurement principles of an investment company. These values are reviewed and approved by the Institution.

Investments which can be redeemed at NAV by the Institution on the measurement date or within 90 days are classified as Level 2. Investments which cannot be redeemed on the measurement date or within 90 days are classified as Level 3.

Investment Income Unitization

The Institution's investments are pooled in an endowment fund and the investments and allocation of income are tracked on a unitized basis. The Institution distributes to operations for each individual fund an amount of investment income earned by each of the fund's proportionate share of investments based on a total return policy.

The Board of Trustees has appropriated all of the income and a specified percentage of the net appreciation (depreciation) to operations as prudent considering the Institution's long- and short-term needs, present and anticipated financial requirements, expected total return on its investments, price level trends, and general economic conditions. Under the Institution's current endowment spending policy, which is within the guidelines specified under state law, the Institution's annual operating budget should not exceed 5.0% of the Fund's trailing 36 month rolling average market value. This amounted to \$16,548,983 and \$14,698,368 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and is classified in operating revenues (research, education, and operations).

Other Assets

Other assets consist primarily of investments held by various split-interest agreements and donated property.

Inventories

Inventories are stated at the lower of cost or market. Cost is determined using the first-in, first-out method.

Contracts and Grants

Revenues earned on contracts and grants for research are recognized as related costs are incurred.

The Institution received approximately 84% and 79% of its sponsored research revenues from government agencies including 34% and 37% of its operating revenues directly from the National Science Foundation and 10% and 12% from the United States Navy in fiscal years 2013 and 2012, respectively. Although applications for research funding to federal agencies historically have been funded, authorizations are subject to annual Congressional appropriations and payment.

Deferred Financing Costs

Costs incurred in connection with the placement of the MassDevelopment, Revenue Bonds, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Issue, Series B (2008) (the "Series B Bonds"), have been deferred and are being amortized over the term of the obligation on a straight line basis, which approximates the effective interest method.

Interest Rate Swap

The Institution entered into an interest rate swap agreement on the MassDevelopment, Variable Rate Revenue Bonds, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Issue Series A Bonds in order to convert a portion of the variable rate debt to fixed rate, thereby economically hedging against changes in the cash flow requirements of the Institution's variable rate debt obligations. The Series A bonds were retired on January 2, 2009.

Net payments or receipts (difference between variable and fixed rate) under the swap agreement along with the change in fair value of the swap are recorded in nonoperating activities as net realized/unrealized (losses) gains on interest swap.

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis at annual rates of 12 to 39 years on buildings and improvements, 10 to 15 years on vessels and dock facilities and 5 to 10 years on laboratory and other equipment. Depreciation expense on property, plant, and equipment purchased by the Institution in the amounts of \$9,102,821 and \$8,442,195 in 2013 and 2012, respectively, has been charged to operating activities. Depreciation on certain government-funded facilities (the Laboratory for Marine Science and the dock facility) amounting to \$135,244 and \$117,287 in 2013 and 2012 has been charged to nonoperating expenses as these assets were gifted by the Government.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Subsequent Events

Management evaluated all events or transactions that occurred after December 31, 2013 through July 18, 2014, the date these financial statements were issued and has concluded that there were no such events or transactions that require adjustment to the audited financial statements or disclosure in the notes to the audited financial statements.

3. Investments

Effective October 1, 2012 the Institution retained and outsourced services for manager selection, risk management and asset allocation of endowment assets to a third party. Consequently a systematic liquidation of existing investments held by legacy managers and transfers of proceeds to the new endowment manager followed. The assets transferred for investment under this arrangement, titled "Multistrategy Investment Fund", represent holdings in the following classifications; Equity, Long/Short Equity, Real Assets, Commodities/Resources Credit/Special Situations, Absolute return, Fixed Income and Hedges/Opportunistic. These assets represent a concentrated investment in one investment manager. A consequence of this concentration is that the performance may be more favorably or unfavorably affected by the performance of the individual manager. The Institution can withdraw its investment in the Multistrategy Investment fund on an annual basis. Due to prevailing redemption restrictions not all of the legacy managers were liquidated during 2013.

The following table presents the classification and carrying value of investments at December 31:

| | 2 | 013 | 2012 | | | |
|--|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|--|--|
| | Cost | Market | Cost | Market | | |
| Assets | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 7,608,202 | \$ 7,608,202 | \$ 34,017,569 | \$ 34,017,566 | | |
| Private equity, Venture capital | | | | | | |
| and other limited partnerships | 40,906,258 | 48,522,142 | 45,318,173 | 51,290,965 | | |
| Multistrategy investment fund | 275,337,956 | 325,698,050 | 271,300,000 | 275,468,577 | | |
| Total investments pooled | 323,852,416 | 381,828,394 | 350,635,742 | 360,777,108 | | |
| Investments designated for retiree and active medical plans | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | - | - | 17,429,983 | 17,429,983 | | |
| Commingled funds | 13,427,504 | 13,765,163 | | | | |
| Total investments designated for retiree | | | | | | |
| and active medical plans | 13,427,504 | 13,765,163 | 17,429,983 | 17,429,983 | | |
| Total assets at fair value | \$ 337,279,920 | \$ 395,593,557 | \$ 368,065,725 | \$ 378,207,091 | | |

The following schedule summarizes the investment return and its classification in the statement of activities:

| | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | 2013 Total | 2012 Total |
|--|--|---|--|---|
| Dividend and interest income Investment management costs Net realized gains Change in unrealized appreciation | \$ (6,249,926) (3,288,656) 1,510,052 22,135,060 | \$ 6,869,187 4,966,994 27,717,721 | \$ 619,261 (3,288,656) 6,477,046 49,852,781 | \$ 2,624,526 (2,464,607) 69,554,847 (29,892,929) |
| Total return on investments Investment return designated for: | 14,106,530 | 39,553,902 | 53,660,432 | 39,821,837 |
| Sponsored research Education Current operations | - - (4.008,899) | (5,670,336) (6,869,748) - | (5,670,336) (6,869,748) (4,008,899) | (4,372,063) (6,966,070) (3,360,238) |
| Total distributed to operations | (4,008,899) | (12,540,084) | (16,548,983) | (14,698,371) |
| Investment return in excess of amounts designated for sponsored research, education and current operations | \$ 10,097,631 | \$ 27,013,818 | \$ 37,111,449 | \$ 25,123,466 |

Investment securities are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investments, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the value of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the market values and the amounts reported in the statement of financial position.

Endowment income is allocated to each individual fund based on a per unit valuation. The value of an investment unit at December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 is as follows:

| | 2013 | | | 2012 | | |
|--|------|------------------|----|------------------|--|--|
| Unit value, beginning of year Unit value, end of year | \$ | 4.9337 5.2818 | \$ | 4.4968 4.9337 | | |
| Net change for the year | | 0.3481 | | 0.4369 | | |
| Investment income per unit for the year | \$ | (.03) | | 0.0021 | | |
| Total return per unit | \$ | 0.3135 | \$ | 0.4390 | | |

4. Fair Value Measurements

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 (also referred to as "exit price"). Therefore, a fair value measurement should be determined based on the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. In determining fair value, the use of various valuation approaches, including market, income and cost approaches, is permitted.

Fair Value Hierarchy

A fair value hierarchy has been established based on whether the inputs to valuation techniques are observable or unobservable. Observable inputs reflect market data obtained from independent sources, while unobservable inputs reflect the reporting entity's assumptions about the inputs market participants would use. The fair value hierarchy requires the reporting entity to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs when measuring fair value.

The hierarchy is described below:

- Level 1 Valuations using quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Valuations of these products do not require a significant degree of judgment. Level 1 assets and liabilities primarily include debt and equity securities that are traded in an active exchange market.
- Level 2 Valuations using observable inputs other than Level 1 prices such as quoted prices in active markets for similar assets or liabilities; quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active; broker or dealer quotations; or other inputs that are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data for substantially the full term of the assets or liabilities.
- Level 3 Valuations using unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. Level 3 includes assets and liabilities whose value is determined using pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies, or similar techniques.

Inputs broadly refer to the assumptions that market participants use to make valuation decisions, including assumptions about risk. As described in Note 2, the Institution generally uses the net asset value per share of the investment (or its equivalent) reported by the investee fund manager as the primary input to its valuation; however adjustments to the reported amount may be made based on various factors.

The following tables summarize fair value measurements at December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 for financial assets measured at fair value:

| | 2013 | | | | | | | | |
|---|------|---|----|---|--|---------------------|---------------------------|--|--|
| | | oted Prices in tive Markets Level 1 | | nificant Other ervable Inputs Level 2 | Significant Unobservable Inputs Level 3 | Total Fair Value | | | |
| Assets | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 7,608,202 | \$ | - | \$- | \$ | 7,608,202 | | |
| Private equity, Venture capital and other limited partnerships Multi strategy investment fund | | - | | ۔ 8,222,955 | 48,522,142 317,475,095 | : | 48,522,142 325,698,050 | | |
| Total pooled | | 7,608,202 | | 8,222,955 | 365,997,237 | : | 381,828,394 | | |
| Contributions receivable from remainder trust Other assets | | - | | - | 10,985,260 937,907 | | 10,985,260 937,907 | | |
| Investments designated for retiree and active medical plans Commingled funds | | | | 13,765,163 | | | 13,765,163 | | |
| Total investments designated for retiree and active medical plans | | | | 13,765,163 | | | 13,765,163 | | |
| Total assets at fair value | \$ | 7,608,202 | \$ | 21,988,118 | \$ 377,920,404 | \$ 4 | 407,516,724 | | |
| Interest rate swap | \$ | - | \$ | 7,525,289 | \$- | \$ | 7,525,289 | | |
| Total liabilities at fair value | \$ | - | \$ | 7,525,289 | \$- | \$ | 7,525,289 | | |

| | 2012 | | | | | | | | |
|--|------|--|----|---|--|---------------------|--|--|--|
| | | oted Prices in ctive Markets Level 1 | | nificant Other ervable Inputs Level 2 | Significant Unobservable Inputs Level 3 | Total Fair Value | | | |
| Assets | • | | | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents Private equity, venture capital | \$ | 34,017,569 | \$ | - | \$- | \$ 34,017,569 | | | |
| and other limited partnerships | | - | | - | 51,290,962 | 51,290,962 | | | |
| Multistrategy investment fund | | | | | 275,468,577 | 275,468,577 | | | |
| Total investments, pooled | | 34,017,569 | | - | 326,759,539 | 360,777,108 | | | |
| Contributions receivable from remainder trust | | - | | - | 9,828,272 | 9,828,272 | | | |
| Other assets | | - | | - | 927,898 | 927,898 | | | |
| Investments designated for retiree and active medical plans Cash and cash equivalents | | 17,429,983 | | - | | 17,429,983 | | | |
| Total investments designated for retiree | | | | | | | | | |
| and active medical plans | | 17,429,983 | | - | | 17,429,983 | | | |
| Total assets at fair value | \$ | 51,447,552 | \$ | - | \$ 337,515,709 | \$ 388,963,261 | | | |
| Interest rate swap | \$ | - | \$ | 11,989,159 | \$- | \$ 11,989,159 | | | |
| Total liabilities at fair value | \$ | - | \$ | 11,989,159 | \$- | \$ 11,989,159 | | | |

The Institution has adopted a policy that defines near-term liquidity as those investments allowing liquidity within 90 days of the reporting period. Included in Level 2 are assets valued at NAV which are redeemable in the near term. Investments offering periodic transparency with opportunities for liquidity within 90 days of the reporting period consist of private equity and hedge funds and are reported in Level 2 at December 31, 2013.

The following table presents the assets and liability carried at fair value as of December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 that are classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy defined above:

| | _ | | | | | | 2013 | | | | | |
|--|----|--|----|--|--|-----|--|------|--|--|----|--|
| | | | | | | | urements Usir /able Inputs (L | | | | | |
| | D | Balance, December 31, 2012 | G | Realized ains/Losses | Unrealized ains/Losses | 301 | Purchases | eve | Sales | Transfers in and/or Out of Level 3 | I | Balance, December 31, 2013 |
| Private equity, Venture capital and other limited partnerships Multistrategy investment fund Contributions receivable from Remainder Trust Other assets | \$ | 51,290,962 275,468,577 9,828,272 927,898 | \$ | 5,108,411 1,283,556 | \$ 1,552,178 18,963,518 1,156,988 10,009 | \$ | 4,088,586 103,843,000 | \$ | (13,517,995) (82,083,556) | \$- | \$ | 48,522,142 317,475,095 10,985,260 937,907 |
| | \$ | 337,515,709 | \$ | 6,391,967 | \$ 21,682,693 | \$ | 107,931,586 | \$ | (95,601,551) | \$- | \$ | 377,920,404 |
| | _ | | | | Fair Value M | eas | 2012 urements Usir | ng S | ignificant | | | |
| | _ | | | | Unob | | able Inputs (L | | | | | |
| | | Balance, January 1, | | Realized Gains | Unrealized Gains | | | | | Transfers in and/or Out | | Balance, December 31. |
| | | 2012 | | (Losses) | (Losses) | | Purchases | | Sales | of Level 3 | | 2012 |
| Private equity, Venture capital and other limited partnerships Multistrategy investment fund Hedge funds Contributions receivable from Remainder Trust Other assets | \$ | 2012 56,430,566 43,169,097 9,288,971 907,513 | \$ | (Losses) 267,919 - 14,736,397 | \$ | \$ | Purchases 4,513,050 271,300,000 - | \$ | Sales (12,602,854) - (46,031,396) | of Level 3 | \$ | 2012 51,290,962 275,468,577 - 9,828,272 927,898 |

Cumulative unrealized gains related to the Level 3 investments totaled \$22,598,656 and \$7,942,762 as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Transfers in and out of Level 3 are driven by events and circumstances affecting terms, conditions, restrictions, and redemption policies of the underlying investments.

The fair market value of the investments described in the table below are based on net asset value per share of the investments as of December 31, 2013.

| Assets | Fair Value | Redemption Terms | Redemption Restrictions |
|--|-------------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|
| Private equity, venture capital and other limited partnerships | \$ 48,522,142 | Remaining lives up to 10 years | \$48,522,142 designated as illiquid |
| Multistrategy investment fund Total investments | 325,698,050 \$ 374,220,192 | Annual (year end), included is \$8,222,955 with monthly redemption terms | |

The fair market value of the investments described in the table below are based on net asset value per share of the investments as of December 31, 2012.

| Assets | Fair Value | Redemption Terms | Redemption Restrictions |
|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Private equity, venture capital and other limited partnerships | \$ 51,290,962 | Remaining lives up to 10 years | \$51,290,962 designated as illiquid |
| Multistrategy investment fund Total investments | 275,468,577 \$ 326,759,539 | Annual (year end) | |

The Institution had unfunded commitments relating to endowment assets of approximately \$7,690,951 and \$10,486,038 relating to private equity, venture capital and other limited partnerships as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

5. Pledges Receivable, Net

Pledges that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at their net realizable value. Pledges that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of estimated future cash flows. Discount rates used to calculate the present value of pledges receivable were 2.71% to 2.76% and 1.76% to 1.81% at December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Pledges receivable consist of the following at December 31:

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Unconditional promises expected to be collected in | | |
| Less than one year | \$ 615,248 | \$ 1,351,447 |
| One year to five years | 1,432,000 | 720,000 |
| Reserve for uncollectible pledges receivable | (143,000) | (145,000) |
| Unamortized discount | (222,718) | (62,947) |
| | \$ 1,681,530 | \$ 1,863,500 |

6. Contribution Receivable from Remainder Trusts, Net

Contributions receivable from remainder trusts at December 31, 2013 and 2012 were \$10,985,260 and \$9,828,272, respectively. The receivable and related revenue is measured at the present value of estimated future cash flows to be received, net of expected payouts, and recorded in the appropriate net asset category based on donor stipulation. During the term of these agreements, changes in the value are recognized based on amortization of discounts and changes in actuarial assumptions. For the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, discount rates ranging from 4.76% to 8.0% were used in these calculations.

7. Deferred Fixed Rate Variance

The Institution receives funding or reimbursement from federal government agencies for sponsored research under government grants and contracts. Revenue is recognized as related costs are incurred. The Institution has negotiated fixed rates with the federal government for the recovery of certain fringe benefits and indirect costs on these grants and contracts. Such recoveries are subject to carryforward provisions that provide for adjustments to be included in the negotiation of future fixed rates. The deferred fixed rate variance accounts represent the cumulative amount owed to or due from the federal government. The Institution's rates are negotiated with the Office of Naval Research (ONR), the Institution's cognizant agency.

The composition of the deferred fixed rate variance is as follows:

| Deferred fixed rate variance asset at December 31, 2011 | \$ 7,444,648 |
|---|--------------|
| 2012 indirect costs | 87,384,312 |
| Amounts recovered | (90,194,530) |
| Submission adjustment 2011 | (47,953) |
| 2012 change | (2,858,171) |
| Deferred fixed rate variance asset at December 31, 2012 | 4,586,477 |
| 2013 indirect costs | 84,428,676 |
| Amounts recovered | (87,215,001) |
| Submission adjustment 2012 | (27,259) |
| 2013 change | (2,813,584) |
| Deferred fixed rate variance asset at December 31, 2013 | \$ 1,772,893 |

As of December 31, 2013, the Institution has expended a cumulative amount in excess of recovered amounts of \$1,772,893 which will be reflected as an addition to future year recoveries. This amount has been reported as an asset of the Institution.

8. Line of Credit, Bonds Payable and Interest Rate Swap

Indebtedness at December 31, 2013 and 2012 includes bonds issued through MassDevelopment. Balances of outstanding bonds payable at December 31 consist of the following:

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| MassDevelopment, Series B, Fixed Rate Revenue Bonds Less: Series B unamortized bond discount | \$ 58,300,000 (739,458) | \$ 59,895,000 (775,529) |
| Bonds Payable | \$ 57,560,542 | \$ 59,119,471 |

In fiscal 2004, proceeds were received from the offering of the \$54,850,000 MassDevelopment, Variable Rate Revenue Bonds, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Issue, Series A (2004), (the "Series A Bonds"), which were used to repay the MassDevelopment B Pool loans and for campus construction completed in December 2007. The bonds contain certain restrictive covenants including limitations on obtaining additional debt, filings of annual financial statements and limitations on the creation of liens. In addition, the Institution agrees that, subject to any governmental restrictions, its fiduciary obligations and limitations imposed by law, it will maintain unrestricted and temporarily restricted resources at a market value equal to at least 75% of all outstanding indebtedness.

On December 1, 2008, the Institution issued \$65,000,000 MassDevelopment, Fixed Rate Revenue Bonds, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Issue, Series B (2008), (the "Series B Bonds"). The proceeds were used for major maintenance and renovation projects throughout the Institution and were used to retire the Series A Bonds. The Series B Bonds mature in 2034 and bear fixed interest rates from 4.0% to 5.5% payable on June 1 and December 1 beginning in 2009. The Series B Bonds are collateralized by the Institution's unrestricted revenues. The Institution incurred costs of \$268,500 associated with the issue which have been capitalized and are being amortized over the life of the bonds. Debt covenants are consistent with the requirements under the Series A bond agreement as long as the interest rate swap agreement is in effect. The fair value of the Series B bond which is based on current traded values for the same or similar issues or on the current rates offered for debt of the same remaining maturities was \$63,390,288 at December 31, 2013 (Level 2).

The Institution maintains two uncollateralized lines of credit with two separate banks. The lines of credit in the aggregate allow for a maximum borrowing capacity of \$45,000,000. One agreement, with a maximum capacity of \$30,000,000, bears interest at 1% below the Wall Street Journal Prime Rate, contains no expiration date but is subject to annual reviews on or about October 1, 2014. The second line of credit, with a maximum capacity of \$15,000,000, bears interest at the prevailing LIBOR rate plus .60% per annum and expires September 30, 2014. The Institution had outstanding borrowing on lines of credit \$25,000,000 at December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

The aggregate maturities due on the Series B long-term debt at December 31, 2013 are as follows:

| Fiscal Year | Amount |
|-------------|---------------|
| 2014 | \$ 1,655,000 |
| 2015 | 1,725,000 |
| 2016 | 1,790,000 |
| 2017 | 1,865,000 |
| 2018 | 1,960,000 |
| Thereafter | 49,305,000 |
| | \$ 58,300,000 |

In June 2004, the Institution entered into an interest rate swap agreement on the Series A Bonds (subsequently refinanced to Series B Bonds) in order to convert a portion of the variable rate debt to fixed rate, thereby economically hedging against changes in the cash flow requirements of the Institution's variable rate debt obligations. The term of the swap is through June 1, 2034 and effectively locked in a fixed rate of 3.79% per annum. The agreement has a notional amount of \$47,200,000. Interest expense in association with the swap agreement totaled \$1,749,811 and \$1,783,959 which is reflected as part of the net realized/unrealized losses on interest rate swap at December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

The fair value of the interest rate swap at December 31, 2013 and 2012 is as follows:

| | Fair Value | | | |
|---|-----------------|---------------|--|--|
| | 2013 2012 | | | |
| Statement of financial position location Accounts payable and other liabilities | \$ 7,525,289 | \$ 11,989,159 | | |

The effect of the interest rate swap on the statement of activities for 2013 and 2012 is as follows:

| | Amount of Loss Recognized in Statement of Activities | | |
|---|--|----|-----------|
| | 2013 | | |
| Location of loss recognized in statement of activities Nonoperating income and expenses Net realized/unrealized gain (loss) on | | | |
| interest rate swap | \$ 2,714,059 | \$ | (730,844) |

9. Retirement Plans

The Institution maintains a noncontributory defined benefit pension plan covering certain employees of the Institution (Qualified Plan), a Restoration Plan for certain senior employees and a supplemental benefit plan for certain other employees. Pension benefits are earned based on years of service and compensation received. The Institution's policy is to fund at least the minimum required by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

Effective August 1, 2010, the Institution entered into a new 403(b) Defined Contribution Plan (DC Plan). Contributions for the defined contribution plan totaled \$7,649,454 and \$7,875,341 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. Effective January 1, 2010, no new participants were allowed to enter the Qualified Plan and Restoration Plan but were eligible to participate in the DC Plan. The Qualified Plan and Restoration Plan were placed under a soft freeze for current participants with all future retirement benefits being earned through the new plan and prior benefits adjusted for future salary increases.

| | Restoration Plan Pension Benefits | | | |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|----|--------------------------------|
| | | 2013 | | 2012 |
| Change in benefit obligation Benefit obligation at beginning of year Service cost | \$ | 13,953 | \$ | 101,415 |
| Interest cost Actuarial loss Benefits paid | | 297 (14,250) | | 4,969 10,339 (102,770) |
| Benefit obligation at end of year | | - | | 13,953 |
| Change in plan assets Fair value of plan assets at beginning of year Employer contributions Actual return on plan assets Benefits paid | | - 14,250 (14,250) | | - 102,770 - (102,770) |
| Fair value of plan assets at end of year | | - | | - |
| Funded status | \$ | - | \$ | (13,953) |
| Amounts recognized in the statement of financial position consist of Accrued benefit liability | \$ | | \$ | (13,953) |
| Net amount recognized | \$ | - | \$ | (13,953) |
| Amounts recognized in unrestricted net assets Net actuarial loss | \$ | - | \$ | 2,448 |
| Information for pension plans with accumulated benefit obligations in excess of plan assets Projected benefit obligation Accumulated benefit obligation | \$ | - | \$ | 13,953 13,953 |
| Component of net periodic benefit cost Interest cost Service cost Recognized actuarial loss Settlement cost | \$ | 297 1,053 1,395 | \$ | 4,969 - 13,518 18,033 |
| Net periodic benefit cost | \$ | 2,745 | \$ | 36,520 |
| Other changes in benefit obligations recognized in unrestricted net assets Amortization of net gain (loss) Settlement adjustment Net actuarial gain | \$ | (1,053) (1,395) - | \$ | (13,518) (18,033) 10,339 |
| Total recognized in nonoperating expense | \$ | (2,448) | \$ | (21,212) |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations at December 31 Discount rate Rate of compensation increase Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost for years ended December 31 | | 5.20 % 3.50 % | | 4.30 % 3.50 % |
| Discount rate Rate of compensation increase | | 4.30 % 3.50 % | | 4.90 % 4.50 % |
| | | 0.00 /0 | | |

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Expected amounts amortized from unrestricted net assets into net periodic pension cost for the next fiscal year.

Amortization of net loss

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Expected Contributions

The Institution anticipates contributing \$0 to the Restoration Plan in 2014.

Estimated Future Benefit Payments

No future benefit payments are expected to be paid.

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| | Qualified Plan Pension Benefits | | | |
|--|--|---|--|--|
| | 2013 | 2012 | | |
| Change in benefit obligation Benefit obligation at beginning of year Interest cost Actuarial (gain) loss Benefits paid Settlements Benefit obligation at end of year | \$ 304,394,845 12,638,450 (38,614,184) (6,895,912) (22,561,784) 248,961,415 | \$ 275,840,263 13,235,214 25,350,755 (10,031,387) - - 304,394,845 | | |
| Change in plan assets Fair value of plan assets at beginning of year Employer contributions Actual return on plan assets Benefits paid Settlements | 198,765,577 6,780,000 6,370,447 (6,895,912) (22,561,784) | 180,369,383 10,540,002 17,887,579 (10,031,387) | | |
| Fair value of plan assets at end of year | 182,458,328 | 198,765,577 | | |
| Funded status | \$ (66,503,087) | \$ (105,629,268) | | |
| Amounts recognized in the statement of financial position consist of Accrued benefit liability Net amount recognized Amounts recognized in unrestricted net assets | \$ 66,503,087 \$ 66,503,087 | \$ 105,629,268 \$ 105,629,268 | | |
| Net actuarial loss | \$ 31,370,551 | \$ 78,055,914 | | |
| Information for pension plans with accumulated benefit obligations in excess of plan assets Projected benefit obligation Accumulated benefit obligation | \$ 248,961,415 238,267,666 | \$ 304,394,845 287,190,192 | | |
| Components of net periodic benefit cost Service cost Interest cost Expected return on plan assets Recognized actuarial loss | \$ - 12,638,450 (10,986,485) 11,643,578 | \$ | | |
| Net periodic benefit cost | \$ 13,295,543 | \$ 6,827,682 | | |
| Other changes in plan assets and benefit obligations recognized in unrestricted net assets Amortization of actuarial loss Net actuarial (gain) loss Total recognized in nonoperating expense | \$ (11,643,578) (33,998,146) \$ (45,641,724) | \$ (5,422,884) 20,946,459 \$ 15,523,575 | | |
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The Institution has reflected \$6,780,000 and \$10,540,002 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, in the operating section of the statement of activities which represents employer contributions reimbursed through the employee benefit fixed rate as negotiated with the United States Government. Any difference between the employer contributions and the net periodic benefit cost is recorded in the nonoperating section of the statement of activities. This difference amounted to (\$6,515,543) and \$3,712,320 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

| | Qualified Plan Pension Benefits | | |
|--|------------------------------------|--------|--|
| | 2013 | 2012 | |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations at December 31 | | | |
| Discount rate | 5.20 % | 4.30 % | |
| Rate of compensation increase | 3.50 % | 3.50 % | |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost for years ended December 31 | | | |
| Discount rate | 5.20 % | 4.90 % | |
| Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets | 6.70 % | 7.00 % | |
| Rate of compensation increase | 3.50 % | 4.50 % | |

To develop the expected long-term rate of return on assets assumption, the Institution considered the current level of expected returns on risk-free investments (primarily government bonds), the historical level of the risk premium associated with the other asset classes in which the portfolio is invested and the expectations for future returns of each asset class. The expected return for each asset class was then weighted based on the target asset allocation to develop the expected long-term rate of return on assets assumption for the portfolio, net of expenses expected to be paid. This resulted in a 6.70% and 7.00% assumption as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Plan Assets

The long-term investment objectives of the Plan are to (1) achieve an average real total return assessed over rolling five year periods, that is consistent with the Plan's actuarial assumptions; (2) generate acceptable long-term returns, as determined by measurement against the Fund's benchmarks and (3) generate acceptable long-term returns without compromising the liquidity and stability required to support the Plan's annual payments to the Plan's beneficiaries.

Effective July 1, 2012 the Institution retained and outsourced services for manager selection, risk management and asset allocation of the Plan's assets to a third party to assist with implementing the Plan's investment policy. In addition, Target Allocations for asset classes have been revised to include two broad categories; (1) Growth and Excess Return Portfolio, (2) Fixed Income/Liability Hedging Portfolio. These categories have been assigned a 60% and 40% Target Allocation respectively.

Expected amounts amortized from unrestricted net assets into net periodic pension cost for the next fiscal year Amortization of net loss

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Fair Value Disclosures

The following fair value hierarchy tables present information about the Qualified Plan's financial assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

| | 2013 | | | | | | |
|---------------------------------|------|------------|----|------------|----|------------|-------------------|
| | | Level 1 | | Level 2 | | Level 3 | Total |
| Assets | | | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ | 5,634,823 | \$ | - | \$ | - | \$ 5,634,823 |
| Private equity, venture capital | | | | | | | |
| and other limited partnerships | | | | | | 23,112,200 | 23,112,200 |
| Commingled funds | | | | 40,297,626 | | | 40,297,626 |
| Hedge funds | | | | 13,154,047 | | 60,313,837 | 73,467,884 |
| Mutual funds | | 26,711,003 | | | | | 26,711,003 |
| Domestic fixed income | | 12,866,421 | | | | | 12,866,421 |
| Total assets at fair value | \$ | 45,212,247 | \$ | 53,451,673 | \$ | 83,426,037 | \$ 182,089,957 |

Included in plan assets at December 31, 2013 are several investment related receivables and payables totaling \$368,371 which includes a receivable for investments sold of \$428,238.

| | | 20 | 12 | | |
|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------|----|------------|-------------------|
| | Level 1 | Level 2 | | Level 3 | Total |
| Assets | | | | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 23,662,260 | \$ - | \$ | - | \$ 23,662,260 |
| Private equity, venture capital | | | | | |
| and other limited partnerships | | 3,110,253 | | 21,879,303 | 24,989,556 |
| Commingled funds | | 31,672,684 | | | 31,672,684 |
| Hedge funds | | 26,462,067 | | 24,782,367 | 51,244,434 |
| Mutual funds | 42,090,858 | | | | 42,090,858 |
| Domestic fixed income | 25,058,848 | | | | 25,058,848 |
| Total assets at fair value | \$ 90,811,966 | \$ 61,245,004 | \$ | 46,661,670 | \$ 198,718,640 |

The following table summarizes changes in the fair value of the Qualified Plan's Level 3 assets:

| | Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Limited Partnerships | Hedge Funds | Total |
|--|--|--|--|
| Balances at January 1, 2013 | \$ 21,879,303 | \$ 24,782,366 | \$ 46,661,669 |
| Realized gains/losses Unrealized gains/losses Purchases Sales Transfers into level 3 | (1,012,056) 1,949,840 1,192,649 (4,007,789) 3,110,253 | 2,831,929 2,834,765 18,517,348 (19,741,489) 31,088,918 | 1,819,873 4,784,605 19,709,997 (23,749,278) 34,199,171 |
| Balances at December 31, 2013 | \$ 23,112,200 | \$ 60,313,837 | \$ 83,426,037 |

| | Private Equity, Venture Capital and Other Limited Partnerships | Hedge Funds | Total | | |
|--|--|--|---|--|--|
| Balances at January 1, 2012 | \$ 25,419,172 | \$ 16,930,838 | \$ 42,350,010 | | |
| Realized gains/losses Unrealized gains/losses Purchases Sales Transfers out of level 3 | 372,260 2,407,044 25,355,551 (28,564,471) (3,110,253) | 4,909,402 (4,111,939) 22,000,000 (14,945,935) | 5,281,662 (1,704,895) 47,355,551 (43,510,406) (3,110,253) | | |
| Balances at December 31, 2012 | \$ 21,879,303 | \$ 24,782,366 | \$ 46,661,669 | | |

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 investments for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012. Transfers in and out of Level 3 are driven by events and circumstances affecting terms, conditions, restrictions, and redemption policies of the underlying investments.

Cumulative unrealized gains/(losses) related to the Level 3 investments totaled \$4,784,597 and (\$3,609,802) as of December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

Expected Contributions

The Institution anticipates contributing \$9,166,666 to the Qualified Plan in 2014.

Estimated Future Benefit Payments

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service are expected to be paid as follows:

| Years | Benefit Payments |
|---|---|
| 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019–2023 | \$ 19,513,154 19,710,269 19,529,987 20,676,562 19,142,895 89,531,553 |
| | 00,001,000 |

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| | Supplemental Plan Pension Benefits | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|-----------|----|-----------|--|
| | 2013 | | | 2012 | |
| Change in benefit obligation Benefit obligation at beginning of year | \$ | 274,602 | \$ | 314,958 | |
| Service cost Interest cost | Ŧ | 10,129 | Ŧ | 14,542 | |
| Actuarial (gain) loss | | (463) | | 25,321 | |
| Benefits paid | | (80,219) | | (80,219) | |
| Benefit obligation at end of year | | 204,049 | | 274,602 | |
| Change in obligation for nonreturnable funding | | | | | |
| Obligation at beginning of year | | 7,547,951 | | 6,703,863 | |
| Service cost | | (| | | |
| Interest cost | | (10,129) | | (14,542) | |
| Actuarial gain (loss) | | 463 | | (25,321) | |
| Investment return | | 1,548,088 | | 883,951 | |
| Other obligation at end of year | | 9,086,373 | | 7,547,951 | |
| Total obligation at end of year | \$ | 9,290,422 | \$ | 7,822,553 | |

The accrued supplemental retirement obligation is matched by a "Rabbi" Trust which is recorded as an asset on the balance sheet. However, the Institution is obligated to use the funds only for the supplemental retirement of similar benefits.

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|--|-----------------|-----------------|
| Change in nonreturnable funding "Rabbi" Trust | | |
| Nonreturnable funding at beginning of year | \$ 7,822,553 | \$ 7,018,821 |
| Investment return | 1,548,088 | 883,951 |
| Benefits paid | (80,219) | (80,219) |
| Nonreturnable funding "Rabbi" Trust at end of year | \$ 9,290,422 | \$ 7,822,553 |

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2013 and 2012

| | | Plan efits | | |
|--|--------|----------------|-------|--------------------|
| | | 2013 | | 2012 |
| Actual return on earmarked reserves | \$ | 1,548,088 | \$ | 883,951 |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations at December 31 | | | | |
| Discount rate | | 5.20 % | | 4.30 % |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50 % | | 3.50 % |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost for years ended December 31 | | | | |
| Discount rate | | 4.30 % | | 4.90 % |
| Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets | | 6.70 % | | 7.50 % |
| Rate of compensation increase | | 3.50 % | | 4.50 % |
| Expected amounts amortized from unrestricted net assets into ne next fiscal year. | et pe | eriodic pensio | n cos | t for the |
| Amortization of net prior service cost Amortization of net loss (gain) | | | \$ | - |
| Expected Contributions The Institution anticipates contributing \$80,049 to the Supplement | ntal F | Plan in 2013. | | |
| Estimated Future Benefit Payments | | | | |
| | | | | Benefit ayments |

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|-----------|--------------|
| Years | |
| 2014 | \$ 80,049 |
| 2015 | 76,650 |
| 2016 | 43,994 |
| 2017 | - |
| 2018 | - |
| 2019–2023 | |

10. Other Postretirement Benefits

In addition to providing retirement plan benefits, the Institution provides certain health care benefits for retired employees and their spouses. Substantially all of the Institution's employees may become eligible for the benefits if they reach normal retirement age (as defined) or elect early retirement after having met certain time in service criteria.

Effective January 1, 2012 the Trust agreement which had been funding the Plan was amended to include active employees. Accordingly, assets of the Plan were then decoupled and recorded on the Institution's Statement of Financial Position as "Investments designated for retiree and active medical plans" along with a corresponding increase to the accrued postretirement liability. The fair value of these investments at January 1, 2012 totaled \$21,000,266. Actual returns from investments designated for retiree and active medical plans totaled \$405,982 and \$2,572,471 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and are presented in the

nonoperating section of the Statement of Activities, net of administrative fees of \$86,363 and \$155,691 for 2013 and 2012, respectively. In addition, health care benefits for active employees funded from these investments totaled \$3,000,000 and \$4,990,734 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively, and are also presented under the nonoperating section of the Statement of Activities.

| | Other | | | |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| | Postretirement Benefits | | | |
| | 2013 2012 | | | |
| Change in benefit obligation | € <u>20 540 205</u> € 40 004 202 | | | |
| Benefit obligation at beginning of year | \$ 36,516,225 \$ 10,061,383 | | | |
| Adjustment to reflect change from plan amendment Service cost | - 21,000,266 739,773 695,927 | | | |
| Interest cost | 1,436,212 1,508,473 | | | |
| Benefits paid, net of participant contributions | (984,439) (996,125) | | | |
| Actuarial (gain) loss | (7,121,355) 4,246,301 | | | |
| Benefit obligation at end of year | 30,586,416 36,516,225 | | | |
| Change in plan assets | | | | |
| Fair value of plan assets at beginning of year | - 21,000,266 | | | |
| Adjustment to reflect change from plan amendment | - (21,000,266) | | | |
| Employer contributions | 984,439 996,125 | | | |
| Actual return on plan assets | - | | | |
| Benefits paid, net of participant contributions | (984,439) (996,125) | | | |
| Fair value of plan assets at end of year | <u> </u> | | | |
| Funded status | \$ (30,586,416) \$ (36,516,225) | | | |
| Amounts recognized in the statement of financial position consist of | | | | |
| Accrued benefit liability | \$ 30,586,416 \$ 36,516,225 | | | |
| Net amount recognized | \$ 30,586,416 \$ 36,516,225 | | | |
| Amounts recognized in unrestricted net assets | | | | |
| Net prior service cost | \$ - \$ (4,736,126) | | | |
| Net actuarial loss | 20,022,544 | | | |
| Components of net periodic benefit cost | | | | |
| Service cost | \$ 739,773 \$ 695,922 | | | |
| Interest cost | 1,436,212 1,508,473 | | | |
| Expected return on plan assets | - | | | |
| Amortization of prior service credit | (839,846) (839,846) | | | |
| Amortization of net loss | 1,318,443 1,246,952 | | | |
| Net periodic benefit cost | \$ 2,654,582 \$ 2,611,501 | | | |
| Other changes in plan assets and benefit obligations | | | | |
| recognized in unrestricted net assets | • | | | |
| Amortization of prior service credit | \$ 839,846 \$ 839,846 | | | |
| Amortization of actuarial loss | (1,318,443) (1,246,957) | | | |
| Net actuarial (gain) loss | (7,121,355) 4,246,301 | | | |
| Total recognized in nonoperating expense | <u>\$ (7,599,952)</u> <u>\$ 3,839,190</u> | | | |

The Institution recognizes the net periodic benefit cost in the nonoperating section of the statement of activities. This amounted to (\$2,654,582) and (\$2,611,511) for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

| | 2013 | 2012 |
|---|-------|-------|
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations at December 31 Discount rate | 5.2 % | 4.3 % |
| Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost for years ended December 31 | | |
| Discount rate | 4.3 % | 5.0 % |
| Expected long-term rate of return on plan assets | N/A | N/A |

The plan does not provide prescription drug benefits for post-65 retirees; therefore, there is no anticipated Medicare employer subsidy.

| | 201 | 3 | 2012 | | |
|---|----------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--|
| | Pre-65 Post-65 | | Pre-65 | Post-65 | |
| Assumed health care cost trend rates at December 31 Health care cost trend rate assumed for next year | 7.0 % | 6.0 % | 7.0 % | 6.0 % | |
| Rate to which the cost trend rate is assumed to decline (the ultimate trend rate) Year that the rate reaches the ultimate trend rate | 5.0 % 2018 | 5.0 % 2015 | 5.0 % 2017 | 5.0 % 2014 | |

Assumed health care cost trend rates have a significant effect on the amounts reported for the health care plan. A one-percentage-point change in assumed health care cost trend rates would have the following effects:

| | | 2013 | | | | 2012 | | | |
|--|-----|---|----|---|----|--|----|-------------|--|
| | Poi | -Percentage- nt Increase in Trend | | e-Percentage- int Decrease in Trend | | e-Percentage- bint Increase in Trend | | | |
| Effect on total of service cost and interest cost components Effect on year-end postretirement | \$ | 447,632 | \$ | (348,300) | \$ | 411,135 | \$ | (324,739) | |
| benefit obligation | | 4,851,858 | | (3,935,246) | | 6,099,478 | | (4,905,395) | |

Plan Assets

Due to the change in the Trust agreement, there were no plan assets at December 31, 2013 and 2012.

Expected amounts amortized from unrestricted net assets into net periodic pension cost for the next fiscal year

| net periodio periodi dost for the next hour year | |
|--|-----------------|
| Amortization of net prior service cost | \$ (839,846) |
| Amortization of net loss | 759,397 |

Expected Contributions

The Institution anticipates contributing \$1,381,413 to the Retiree Medical Plan in 2014.

Estimated Future Benefit Payments

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service are expected to be paid as follows:

| Years | Benefit Payments | |
|---|---|---|
| 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019–2023 | \$ 1,381,413 1,460,611 1,561,900 1,623,048 1,688,646 9,014,005 |) |
| | 0,011,000 | |

11. Endowment

The Institution's endowment consists of 145 individual funds established for a variety of purposes. The endowment includes both donor-restricted endowment funds and funds designed by the Board of Trustees to function as endowments. Net assets associated with endowment funds, including funds designated by the Board of Trustees to function as endowments, are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

At December 31, the endowment net asset composition by type of fund consisted of the following:

| | | 20 | 013 | |
|--|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|
| | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total |
| Donor restricted endowment funds Board designated funds | \$- | \$ 233,860,217 | \$ 76,132,449 | \$ 309,992,666 99,044,772 |
| Total funds | \$ 99,044,772 | \$ 233,860,217 | \$ 76,132,449 | \$ 409,037,438 |
| | | 20 | 012 | |
| | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total |
| Donor restricted endowment funds Board designated funds | \$- | \$ 206,764,211 | \$ 72,875,489 | \$ 279,639,700 90,665,746 |
| Total funds | \$ 90,665,746 | \$ 206,764,211 | \$ 72,875,489 | \$ 370,305,446 |

| | 2013 | | | |
|---|------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| | Unrestricte | Temporarily ed Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total |
| Net assets beginning of year | \$ 90,665,7 | 46 \$ 206,764,211 | \$ 72,875,489 | \$ 370,305,446 |
| Investment return Investment income, net of fees Net appreciation | (9,538,5 23,645,1 | | - | (2,669,395) 56,329,827 |
| Total investment return | 14,106,5 | 30 39,553,902 | - | 53,660,432 |
| New gifts Appropriation of endowment assets | | | 2,142,811 | 2,142,811 |
| for expenditure Other Change in split interest agreements | (4,008,8 (1,741,2 22,6 | 92) - | - 1,114,149 | (16,548,983) (1,741,292) 1,219,024 |
| Net assets end of year | \$ 99,044,7 | 72 \$ 233,860,217 | \$ 76,132,449 | \$ 409,037,438 |

Changes in endowment net assets for the year ended December 31, consisted of the following:

| | | 20 |)12 | |
|---|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | Unrestricted | Temporarily Restricted | Permanently Restricted | Total |
| Net assets beginning of year | \$ 81,499,584 | \$ 180,557,211 | \$ 67,642,929 | \$ 329,699,724 |
| Investment return Investment income Net appreciation | (6,806,152) 9,090,881 | 6,966,071 30,571,037 | - | 159,919 39,661,918 |
| Total investment return | 2,284,729 | 37,537,108 | - | 39,821,837 |
| New gifts Appropriation of endowment assets | - | 300 | 4,707,290 | 4,707,590 |
| for expenditure Other Change in split interest agreements | (3,360,238) 10,247,859 (6,188) | (11,338,133) - 7,725 | - 525,270 | (14,698,371) 10,247,859 526,807 |
| Net assets end of year | \$ 90,665,746 | \$ 206,764,211 | \$ 72,875,489 | \$ 370,305,446 |

12. Commitments and Contingencies

The Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA) is responsible for auditing both direct and indirect charges to grants and contracts on behalf of the ONR. The Institution and the ONR have settled the years through 2007. The current indirect cost recovery rates, which are fixed, include the impact of prior year settlements. The DCAA issued an audit report on the completed audit of direct and indirect costs for the year ended December 31, 2007 on March 31, 2009. The years 2008 through 2013 costs remain subject to audit. Any adjustments will be recorded in the years they become known.

The Institution is a defendant in legal proceedings incidental to the nature of its operations. The Institution believes that the outcome of these proceedings will not materially affect its financial position.

13. Related Party Transactions

The Institution's subcontracts to subgrantee organizations in which an individual associated with the subgrantee organization is also a member of the Institution's Board of Trustees or Corporation totaled \$1,408,522 and \$1,565,128 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively. These subcontracts may include federal pass-through awards. The Institution also has other transactions such as legal services and other items with organizations where members of the Board of Trustees or Corporation are affiliated with the organizations. Total expenditures for these legal, publication, research and student transactions were approximately \$1,179,873 and \$2,149,891 for the years ended December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

The Institution has loans due from various employees for education advances and computer purchases. The amounts outstanding are \$1,040,681 and \$1,080,788 at December 31, 2013 and 2012, respectively.

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| Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor & Number/Program or Cluster Title Research and Development Cluster | Federal Agency CFDA No | Federal CFDA ext./ Contract No | ederal enditures |
|--|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Research and Development Direct Awards | | | |
| Department of Commerce | | | |
| SEA GRANT SUPPORT | 11. | 417 | \$ 1,209,91 |
| CENTER FOR SPONSORED COASTAL OCEAN RESEARCH COASTAL OCEAN PROGRAM | 11.478 | | 2,220,62 |
| CLIMATE AND ATMOSPHERIC RESEARCH | 11. | 431 | 604,79 |
| COASTAL ZONE MANAGEMENT ESTUARINE RESEARCH RESERVES | 11. | 420 | 19,33 |
| MARINE MAMMAL DATA PROGRAM | 11. | 439 | 129,30 |
| DCEAN EXPLORATION | 11. | 011 | 48,49 |
| OFFICE OF OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC RESEARCH OAR JOINT AND COOPERATIVE INSTITUTE | 11. | 432 | 9,025,75 |
| IOAA PROGRAMS FOR DISASTER RELIEF APPROPRIATIONS ACT | 11. | 483 | 602,67 |
| VE133R13SE0073 | 11.WE133 | R13SE0073 | 13,10 |
| VE133R12SE2045 | 11.WE133 | R12SE2045 | 4,42 |
| VE133F13SE0404 | 11.WE133 | F13SE0404 | 3,78 |
| VC133R13SU0831 | 11.WC133 | R13SU0831 | 24,22 |
| PO11091201WHOI | 11.PO1109 | 91201WHOI | 1,97 |
| E133F13SE1386 | 11.EE133 | F13SE1386 | 8,33 |
| VE133R121681 | 11.WE13 | 3R121681 | 6,89 |
| VE133F13SE1758 | 11.WE133 | F13SE1758 | 7,61 |
| VE133F13SE1767 | 11.WE133 | F13SE1767 | 2,98 |
| \B133F12SE1854 | 11.AB133 | F12SE1854 | 10,46 |
| EA133F11SE2196 | 11.EA133 | F11SE2196 | 21,65 |
| VE133F11SE1903 | 11.WE133 | F11SE1903 | 12,86 |
| NC5680 | | C5680 | 1,44 |
| NC2954 | 11.M | C2954 | 70 |
| IEASUREMENT AND ENGINEERING RESEARCH AND STANDARDS | 11. | 609 | 215,01 |
| | | | 14,196,38 |
| Department of Defense | 40 10000 | | |
| V6660410D0002 | | 410D0002 | 193,86 |
| 0001410C0149 | | 410C0149 | 705,96 |
| 10001410C0212 | | 410C0212 | 1,143,76 |
| 1001413C0247 | | 413C0247 | 108,97 |
| N0001412C0283 | | 412C0283 | 254,47 |
| 0001412C0306 | | 412C0306 | 412,21 |
| N0001411C0536 | | 411C0536 | 110,46 |
| V6660409D1030 | | 409D1030 | 1,709,36 |
| V6230610D2004 | | 610D2004 | 431,36 |
| | | 406D6672 | (3,33 |
| BASIC AND APPLIED SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH | | 300 | 18,253,75 |
| V912HQ09C0043 | | IQ09C0043 | 93,61 |
| V912HQ13C0044 | | IQ13C0044 | 161,39 |
| V912HQ13C0070 | | IQ13C0070 | 208,65 |
| D13PC00194 | 12.D13P | | 167,15 |
| | | MO1 | 24,75 |
| 16660413P0406 | | 413P0406 112M1035 | 142,91 |
| I6227112M1035 | | 112M1035 113M1146 | 21,42 |
| J6227113M1146 J000141391216 | | 41391216 | 7,12 1,27 |
| 1000141391216 16227113Q1259 | | 113Q1259 | 1, <i>∠1</i> 38,91 |
| 10017313P3168 | | 313P3168 | 38,91 |
| 46600113C4008 | | 113C4008 | 906,77 |
| 1660111C4118 | | 111C4118 | 323,39 |
| V6600113C4006 | | 113C4006 | 323,38 5,63 |
| VISA6306 | | SA6306 | 5,63 |
| | | | 3,76 |
| 4546728 | 12 \// 0 | | |
| /ISA6728 /ISA5726 | 12.VIS 12.VIS | SA5728 | 1,01 |

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| Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor & Number/Program or Cluster Title Research and Development Cluster | Federal Agency Federal CFD/ CFDA No Contract I | |
|--|---|-------------------------|
| Department of the Interior | | |
| G09PC00004 | 15.G09PC00004 | 246,883 |
| U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY RESEARCH AND DATA COLLECTION | 15.808 | 1,365,083 |
| MC9419 | 15.MC9419 | 3,712 |
| G13PX00246 | 15.G13PX00246 | 15,567 |
| MC0394 | 15.MC0394 | 3,240 |
| MC6407 | 15.MC6407 | 1,320 |
| G12PX01212 | 15.G12PX01212 | 512 |
| TO J1274090111 | 15.H1274090002 | 18,114 |
| VISA 0231 | 15.VISA0231 | 4,225 |
| E12PC00053 | 15.E12PC00053 | 392,902 |
| H238015504 | 15.J238015504 | 183,990 |
| | | 2,235,548 |
| Department of State | 40.047 | 00.005 |
| S-LMAQM11CA1018 | 19.017 | <u>98,965</u> 98,965 |
| Notional Association and Onese Administration | | 90,903 |
| National Aeronautics and Space Administration SCIENCE | 43.001 | 4,479,138 |
| EDUCATION | 43.008 | 13,100 |
| | | 4,492,238 |
| National Science Foundation | | ., |
| ENGINEERING GRANTS | 47.041 | 38,144 |
| GEOSCIENCES | 47.041 | 62,857,383 |
| BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES | 47.030 | 549,640 |
| SOCIAL BEHAVIORAL AND ECONOMIC SCIENCES | 47.074 47.075 | 100,686 |
| POLAR PROGRAMS | 47.078 | 3,958,736 |
| INTERNATIONAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING OISE | 47.078 | 5,958,756 |
| OFFICE OF CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE | 47.079 | 110,263 |
| TRANS NSF RECOVERY ACT RESEARCH SUPPORT | 47.080 | |
| ANT1342510 | 47.082 47.ANT1342510 | 5,139,881 150,698 |
| ANT 1942510 | 47.8111342310 | 72,912,311 |
| Evironmental Protection Agency | | |
| EP12D000022 | 66.EP12D000022 | 20,027 |
| SCIENCE TO ACHIEVE RESULTS STAR RESEARCH PROGRAM | 66.509 | 85,927 |
| SCIENCE TO ACHIEVE RESULTS STAR FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM | 66.514 | 17,943 |
| FP917228010 | 66.FP917228010 | 9,060 |
| REGIONAL APPLIED RESEARCH EFFORTS RARE | 66.517 | 14,332 |
| | 00.011 | 147,289 |
| Department of Energy | | |
| OFFICE OF SCIENCE FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM | 81.049 | 175,957 |
| | | 175,957 |
| Department of Education | | |
| STRENGTHENING MINORITY SERVING INSTITUTIONS | 84.382 | 24,994 |
| | | 24,994 |
| Department of Health and Human Services | | |
| ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH | 93.113 | 903,981 |
| CHILD HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT EXTRAMURAL RESEARCH | 93.865 | 49,359 |
| HHSN272201300692P | 93.HHSN272201300692P | 3,464 |
| F223201000060C | 93.F223201000060C | 74,495 |
| | | 1,031,299 |
| Total Direct Awards | | 120,754,881 |

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| Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor & Number/Program or Cluster Title Research and Development Cluster | Federal Agency Federal CFDA ext./ CFDA No Contract No | Federal Expenditures |
|--|--|-------------------------|
| Other Organizations | | |
| Department of Agriculture | | |
| MARINE BIOLOGICAL LABORATORY 43200 | 10.20103850021074 | 801 |
| Description of Alexandra | | |
| Department of Commerce UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI S140015 | 11.472 | 9,026 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA VISA0814 | 11.012 | 1,922 |
| TEXAS AM UNIVERSITY AT GALVESTON \$100046 | 11.468 | 11,114 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MAINE 5100100920 | 11.012 | 2,098 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710002770 | 11.417 | 13,819 |
| GEORGIA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY RC366G1 | 11.431 | 10,858 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY S1870412 | 11.012 | 4,199 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MAINE 5100100932 | 11.012 | 6,440 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI 0811048 | 11.430 | 2,124 |
| NORTH PACIFIC RESEARCH BOARD 1222 | 11.472 | 62,707 |
| FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY R01502 | 11.444 | 150,267 |
| UNIVERSITY CORPORATION FOR ATMOSPHERIC RES_S1311554 | 11.431 | 51,255 |
| INDUSTRIAL ECONOMICS INC 1050WHOI | 11.DG133C06NC1729 | 704 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MAINE 5100122351 | 11.472 | 4,050 |
| ALASKA OCEAN OBSERVING SYSTEM H230062 UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND 0000062808 | 11.012 11.417 | 36,166 4,222 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710003152 | 11.417 | 4,222 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710003152 MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710003342 | 11.417 | 102 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MAINE 5100113419 | 11.472 | 7,990 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710002975 | 11.417 | 78,106 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON ZC130715001 | 11.012 | 938 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY SEA GRANT 5710003149 | 11.417 | 45,095 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY 1945997 | 11.012 | 5,800 |
| UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA 557723 | 11.431 | 33,553 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO 90727961 | 11.432 | 2,463 |
| CORNELL UNIVERSITY 622059707 | 11.AB133F11CN0202 | 7,961 |
| | | 629,650 |
| Department of Defense | | |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO VISA0188 | 12.300 | 1,288 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY 2288 | 12.2288 | 1,864 |
| INTUITIVE RESEARCH AND TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION AETWHOI001 | 12.W31P4Q09A0016 | 122,406 |
| YULISTA MANAGEMENT SERVICES INC R12PP00033 | 12.W58RGZ12D0089 | 77,373 |
| DUKE UNIVERSITY 11SERDP1081 | 12.W912HQ11C0079 | 38,663 |
| APPLIED PHYSICAL SCIENCES CORP 130005443 | 12.N660113C4006 | 40,022 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON RH12128001 HYDROID LLC PO00030749 | 12.300 12.N6523611D3242 | 5,700 3,608 |
| UNIVERSITY OF ST ANDREWS 20120504 | 12.N000141210418 | 16,568 |
| PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY PO930530 | 12.N0002402D6604 | 22,577 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00030535 | 12.N0001409C0137 | 6,090 |
| OCEAN ACOUSTICAL SERVICES AND INSTRUMENT SYSTEM INC OASIS12SC01 | 12.N0001407C0771 | 3,693 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 137761 | 12.300 | 77,404 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO VISA0726 | 12.N0016711D0011 | 4,275 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON TC130731017 | 12.N0001412G0078 | 2,484 |
| DUKE UNIVERSITY 14HDR1041 | 12.N6247010D3011 | 875 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON 710490 | 12.300 | 85,218 |
| DUKE UNIVERSITY 13HDR1076 | 12.CON0054394016TO014 | 19,091 |
| OCEAN ACOUSTICAL SERVICES AND INSTRUMENT SYSTEM INC OASIS12SC02 | 12.N0001412M0353 | 49,550 |
| CASCADIA RESEARCH COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT | 12.N3943013C1257 | 12,135 |
| OCEAN ACOUSTICAL SERVICES AND INSTRUMENT SYSTEM INC OASIS13SC03 | 12.N0001408C0569 | 140,313 |
| APPLIED PHYSICAL SCIENCES CORP APS1318 | 12.N0001413C0257 | 9,914 |
| VIRGINIA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE AND STATE UNIVERSITY P2511497 | 12.300 | 10,150 |
| SCIENCE APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL CORP PO10151908 | 12.N0017804D4119 | 53,281 |
| TEXAS AM RESEARCH FOUNDATION 122008 | 12.300 12 NG220608D0002 | 31,562 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00026440 | 12.N6230608D9003 | 4,333 |
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|--|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| HYDROID LLC PO00023176 | 12.N652 | 23611D3242 | 75,377 |
| ITT CORPORATION PO303231 | 12.N000 |)2411C6313 | 6,065 |
| SCIENCE APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL CORP P010133578 | 12.N00 ⁴ | I7804D4119 | 286,176 |
| SCIENCE APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL CORP P010143631 | 12.N000 | 17804D4119 | 5,337 |
| MARITIME APPLIED PHYSICS CORPORATION 201224062 | 12.N000 | 1412C00337 | 37,146 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY 4632 | 1 | 2.300 | 25,389 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00024913 | 12.N001 | 17403D0018 | 5,567 |
| COMPUTER SCIENCES CORPORATION PAX305118 | 12.N004 | 12113C0007 | 21,816 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO 10285191 | 12.N00 | 0140801840 | (701) |
| CREARE INC 66126 | 12.N000 | 01412M0336 | 8,532 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 5710002157 | 12.N00 | 0140710326 | 38,428 |
| SKY RESEARCH INC 107202 | 12.N000 | 02410C4176 | 5,591 |
| UNIVERSITY OF IOWA MC8918 | 1 | 2.300 | 1,262 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00027375 | 12.N001 | 17403D0018 | 85,955 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00027473 | | 60411D0165 | 6,250 |
| JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY PO118070 | | O2403D6606 | 2,111 |
| SIGNAL SYSTEMS CORPORATION SC1307WHOI | | 02413C4003 | 25,283 |
| MARINE BIOLOGICAL LABORATORY 38617 | 1 | 2.300 | 5,299 |
| CREARE INC CONTRACT | | 01412C0336 | 55,719 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00029163 | | 23611D3242 | 68,798 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO 1215979 | | 0141010369 | 19,267 |
| TRS TECHNOLOGIES INC 120405299503 | | 2.300 | 48,699 |
| HYDROID LLC PO00029836 | | 01413C0222 | 78,739 |
| MIT LINCOLN LABORATORY 7000212763 | | 72105C0002 | 978 |
| MIT LINCOLN LABORATORY 7000235315 | | 72105C0002 | 83,180 |
| MIT LINCOLN LABORATORY 7000257349 | 12.FA87 | 72105C0002 | 7,049 |
| Department of the Interior | | | 1,043,743 |
| TDI BROOKS INTERNATIONAL INC AGREEMENT | 15 M0 | 8PC20038 | 27,489 |
| UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA FAIRBANKS 139008 | | 5.421 | 189,786 |
| UTAH STATE UNIVERSITY F12A500517 | | 5.605 | 1,240 |
| UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS AUSTIN UTA11000874 | | 5.423 | 23,566 |
| MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY 4153001067 | | 5.945 | 6,175 |
| SCIENCE APPLICATIONS INTERNATIONAL CORP PO10061588 | | 10PC0012 | 207,801 |
| STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK R843827 | | 5.663 | 4,740 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS DARTMOUTH 7833WHOI | | 0PC00096 | 116,050 |
| STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK R832403 | 1 | 5.663 | 6,540 |
| | | | 583,387 |
| Department of Transportation | | | |
| OIL SPILL RECOVERY INSTITUTE 121005 | 2 | 0.TPF | 15,832 |
| | | | 15,832 |
| National Aeronautics and Space Administration | | | |
| OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY NS220AA | | X10AO93G | 60,203 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA KK1158 | 4 | 3.001 | 127,064 |
| FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY R01508 | | 3.001 | 68 |
| HARVARD UNIVERSITY FM05142013 | 43.001 | | 1,470 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON 732963 | 43.001 | | 25,529 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY G003445 | 43.001 | | 11,414 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 5710003454 | 43.001 | | 7,062 |
| STANFORD UNIVERSITY 2551611046281A | 43.000 | | 109,255 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 4501683682/4501684034 | 43.001 | | 5,074 |
| JET PROPULSION LABORATORY 1455364 | 43.NMO710772 | | 21,493 |
| MARINE BIOLOGICAL LABORATORY PO47134 | | 3.001 | 8,576 |
| MARINE BIOLOGICAL LABORATORY PO10047756 | 43.NN | X09AB75G | 5,468 |
| | | | 382,676 |

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| National Science Foundation | | | |
| UNIVERSITY OF VERMONT P105016 | | 47.050 | 6,600 |
| UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE P13UDD60 | | 47.050 | 12,384 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI AB90077 | | 47.050 | 3,059 |
| UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE P13UDD84 | | 47.050 | 14,796 |
| BAYLOR UNIVERSITY 3211015001 | | 47.050 | 10,103 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN 3002410158 | | 47.078 | 47 |
| NAVAL POSTGRADUATE SCHOOL N0024412P0230 | | 47.078 | 806 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA 36200242 | | 47.050 | 50,000 |
| CONSORTIUM FOR OCEAN LEADERSHIP T324A26 | | 47.050 | - |
| CONSORTIUM FOR OCEAN LEADERSHIP T346A26 | | 47.050 | 75,020 |
| BIGELOW LABORATORY FOR OCEAN SCIENCES BIOS13002 | | 47.050 | 84,962 |
| OREGON STATE UNIVERSITY S1328BA | | 47.078 | 8,796 |
| CONSORTIUM FOR OCEAN LEADERSHIP SA1338 | | 47.050 | 82,090 |
| UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE P14UDR13 | | 47.076 | 6,207 |
| FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY 201618 | | 47.078 | 83,785 |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY 4500000622 | | 47.082 | 27,000 |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY 4500000650 | | 47.050 | 16,391 |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY 4500000663 | | 47.082 | 45,115 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA 101809 | | 47.050 | 26,632 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY 3937 | | 47.050 | 31 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA BARBARA VISA 2031 | | 47.050 | 94 |
| UNIVERSITY OF OREGON PO2220000101 | | 47.050 | 6,840 |
| RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE A12240 | | 47.080 | 74,098 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Y82249 | | 47.050 | 15,488 |
| BERMUDA INSTITUTE OF OCEAN SCIENCES 102310 | | 47.050 | (14,526) |
| UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII Z792384 | | 47.074 | 387,154 |
| THE RESEARCH CORP OF THE UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII Z10022542 | | 47.050 | 7,080 |
| STANFORD UNIVERSITY 2798114052774A | | 47.050 | 67 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY 524452 | | 47.050 | 476,988 |
| UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII Z943138 | | 47.082 | 9,278 |
| COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY PO0000023241 | | 47.050 | 9,602 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO PO10313301 | | 47.050 | 688,642 |
| CONSORTIUM FOR OCEAN LEADERSHIP T335C26 | | 47.050 | 7,574 |
| BROWN UNIVERSITY P283416 | | 47.050 | 8,480 |
| UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA 553418 | | 47.082 | 100,826 |
| NEW ENGLAND AQUARIUM 1760 | | 47.076 | 45,623 |
| | | 47.050 | 10,931 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO 39964779 | | 47.050 | 23,754 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY 0000024018 | | 47.050 | 6,989 |
| HARVARD UNIVERSITY 70000594158 BERMUDA INSTITUTE OF OCEAN SCIENCES 122285 | | 47.050 | 2,470 |
| | | 47.050 | 60,384 |
| UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND PO0000054645 | | 47.082 | 239 |
| UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND PO0000064708 | | 47.050 | 2,756 |
| AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY PO84861 | | 47.050 47.078 | 4,200 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PO754150 | | | 3,473 |
| MARINE BIOLOGICAL LABORATORY 35558 | | 47.078 | 21,168 |
| | | 47.050 | 1,267,290 |
| UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH 0036115 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO VISA6221 | | 47.050 | 1,505 |
| OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY RESEARCH FOUNDATION RF76228 | | 47.050 47.050 | 1,645 |
| | | | 5,400 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY PO586756 | | 47.050 | (170) |
| BERMUDA INSTITUTE OF OCEAN SCIENCES PO46853 LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GG006876 | | 47.050 | 4,160 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GG006876 UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO VISA6935 | | 47.050 | 14,661 406 |
| BIGELOW LABORATORY FOR OCEAN SCIENCES PO27085 | | 47.050 47.050 | |
| PRINCETON UNIVERSITY PO0000517171 | | 47.050 47.050 | 1,542 5,000 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON PO747239 | | 47.050 | |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY VISA7413 | | 47.050 47.050 | 59,100 10,400 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MAINE UMS845 | | 47.050 47.078 | 10,400 19,614 |
| UNIVERSITY OF WAINE UWOONS | | -1.010 | 19,014 |

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| - | | | |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA Y87703 CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY AGREEMENT1121538257720 | | 47.050 47.075 | 39,546 46,988 |
| ONR BIOMOLECULAR AND BIOSYSTEMS VISA3906 | | 47.075 | 40,988 |
| MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY VISA8407 | | 47.050 | 1,440 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SAN DIEGO 10318417 | | 47.050 | 50,012 |
| LAMONT DOHERTY EARTH OBSERVATORY OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY GG008523 | | 47.050 | 29,390 |
| MICHIGAN TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY VISA8614 | | 47.050 | 3,600 |
| UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA SANTA CRUZ PO478781 | | 47.050 | 154 |
| NEW MEXICO TECH DP38798 | | 47.078 | 2,166 |
| UNIVERSITY OF OREGON 208991A | | 47.050 | 92,075 |
| AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY PO89053 | | 47.050 | 6,240 |
| UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA PO0000189100 | | 47.078 | 5,800 |
| MIAMI UNIVERSITY G0179201 | | 47.074 | 64,436 |
| RUTGERS UNIVERSITY PO1869247 | | 47.050 | 5,400 |
| BERMUDA INSTITUTE OF OCEAN SCIENCES 092285 | | 47.050 | 19,961 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MC9322 | | 47.078 | 1,581 |
| UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO 1549723 | | 47.050 | 96,550 |
| UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND PO0000039858 | | 47.050 | 7,581 |
| UNIVERSITY OF NEW HAMPSHIRE MC9943 | | 47.050 | 704 |
| OCEAN LEADERSHIP JOI DIVISION SA910 | | 47.050 | 28,773,599 |
| OCEAN LEADERSHIP JOI DIVISION SA910 | | 47.082 | 451,764 |
| | | | 33,612,567 |
| Environmental Protection Agency | | | |
| UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT 39970 | | 93.514 | 1,470 |
| | | | 1,470 |
| Department of Energy | | | |
| TULANE UNIVERSITY TUL5410607 | 81.DEF | C0206ER6429 | 38,858 |
| UNIVERSITY OF DELAWARE 0000031703 | | 81.087 | 5,487 |
| HARVARD UNIVERSITY 1331835062119 | | 81.049 | 213,254 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MISSISSIPPI 1103065 | | 81.089 | 24,136 |
| OAK RIDGE NATIONAL LABORATORY 4000113417 | 81.DEA0 | 0500OR22727 | 67,978 |
| OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY P0093761 | | 81.087 | 34 |
| GINKGO BIOWORKS INC SUBAWARD | | 81.135 | 5,210 |
| UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS DARTMOUTH 6302 | | 81.087 | 41,662 |
| | | | 396,619 |
| Department of Health and Human Services | | | |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY RA221354BAJ | | 93.113 | 282,158 |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY MC349661DJW | | 93.113 | 89,058 |
| BOSTON UNIVERSITY 5P42ES00738117 | | 93.143 | 212,853 |
| EUROPEAN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY LABORATORY AGREEMENT | | 93.172 | 52,353 |
| | | | 636,422 |
| Department of Homeland Security | | | |
| MARINE POLUTION CONTROL CORPORATION MPC AGREEMENT | 97.HSC0 | 3213PEO4K10 | 53,062 |
| UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII AT MANOA Z963952 | | 97.061 | 40,171 |
| | | | 93,233 |
| Total Pass Through Awards | | | 38,196,406 |
| Total Research and Development Cluster | | | 158,951,287 |
| Total Expenditures of Federal Awards | | | \$ 158,951,287 |

1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The accompanying Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards (the "Schedule") has been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting and in accordance with *OMB Circular A-133*, Audits of *States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. The purpose of the Schedule is to present a summary of those activities of the Institution for the year ended December 31, 2013 which have been financed by the U.S. Government (federal awards). For purposes of the Schedule, federal awards include all federal assistance entered into directly between the federal government and the Institution and federal funds awarded to the Institution by a prime recipient. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the activities of the Institution, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets, or cash flows of the Institution. Negative amounts represent adjustments to amounts reported in prior years in the normal course of business. Full CFDA and Pass-through entity identification numbers are presented when available.

2. Subrecipients

The Institution passed through federal awards to sub grantee organizations in the Research and Development Cluster. Expenditures incurred by the subgrantees and reimbursed by the Institution are presented in the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards. Amounts for the year ended December 31, 2013 are as follows:

| Agency | CFDA# | Amount |
|---|-------|---------------|
| Department of Commerce | 11 | |
| National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration | | \$ 3,338,128 |
| Department of Defense | 12 | |
| United States Navy | | 3,234,637 |
| Defense Advance Research Project Agency | | 130,748 |
| Department of the Interior | 15 | |
| United States Geological Survey | | 47,777 |
| National Aeronautics and Space Administration | 43 | 558,988 |
| National Science Foundation | 47 | 7,547,679 |
| Department of Health and Human Services | 93 | |
| National Institute of Health | | 33,161 |
| | | \$ 14,891,118 |

3. Fringe Benefits and Indirect Costs

The Institution recovers fringe benefits and indirect costs associated with federal award programs pursuant to fixed rates with carryforward provisions negotiated annually with the Office of Naval Research (ONR). The Institution and ONR have settled the years through 2007. The 2013 fixed rates were based on budgeted information for the year ended 2012. The base and pool balances for the actual 2013 rates will be audited by The Defense Contract Audit Agency (DCAA) and the results of the DCAA audit will be presented in a separate DCAA report from the DCAA.

The 2013 indirect cost recovery rates, which are fixed with carryforward provisions, include the impact of settlements through the latest year audited by the DCAA, 2007.

Part II - Reports on Internal Control and Compliance and Other Matters



Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*

To the Board of Trustees of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution:

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the financial statements of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution (the "Institution"), which comprise the statement of financial position as of December 31, 2013, and the related statement of activities and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated July 18, 2014.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the Institution's internal control over financial reporting ("internal control") to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Institution's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Institution's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.



Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the Institution's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

Pricewaterhouse Cooper UP

July 18, 2014



Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance with Requirements That Could Have a Direct and Material Effect on Each Major Program and on Internal Control Over Compliance in Accordance with OMB Circular A-133

To The Board of Trustees of Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution's (the "Institution") compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Circular A-133 Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on the Institution's major federal program for the year ended December 31, 2013. The Institution's major federal program is identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants applicable to its federal programs.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the Institution's major federal programs based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and OMB Circular A-133, *Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations*. Those standards and OMB Circular A-133 require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the Institution's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for the major federal program. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the Institution's compliance.

Opinion on the Major Federal Program

In our opinion, the Institution complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on its major federal program for the year ended December 31, 2013.



Other Matters

The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance, which are required to be reported in accordance with OMB Circular A-133 and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as items 13-1, 13-2, and 13-3. Our opinion on the major federal program is not modified with respect to these matters.

The Institution's response to the noncompliance findings identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The Institution's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance

Management of the Institution is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the Institution's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Institution's internal control over compliance.

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance with a type of compliance over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of OMB Circular A-133. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Pricewaterhouse Cooper UP

August 13, 2014

Part III - Audit Findings and Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs Year Ended December 31, 2013

Section I – Summary of Auditor's Results

| <i>Financial Statements</i> Type of auditor's report issued: | Unmodified | |
|---|---------------------|--|
| Internal control over financial reporting: Material weakness(es) identified? Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? Noncompliance material to financial statements noted? | yes yes yes | <u>X</u> no <u>X</u> none reported <u>X</u> no |
| Federal Awards | | |
| Internal control over major programs: Material weakness(es) identified? Significant deficiency(ies) identified that are not considered to be material weaknesses? | yes yes | <u>X</u> no <u>X</u> none reported |
| Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major programs: | Unmodified | |
| Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with section 510(a) of OMB Circular A-133? | <u>X</u> yes | no |
| Identification of major programs: CFDA Number(s) | Name of Federal Pr | ogram or Cluster |
| Various | Research and Develo | opment Cluster |
| Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs: | \$3,000,000 | |
| Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee? | <u>X</u> yes | no |

II. Financial Statement Findings

None

III. Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Finding 13-1

Compliance Requirements: Procurement, Suspension & Debarment (I)

| Federal Programs Involved | Federal CFDA Number | Award Number | Award Year | Purchase Amount |
|---|------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Department of Defense Department of Commerce | 12.300 11.417 | N000141310462 ARC0909373 | 2/1/13-12/31/14 8/15/09-1/31/15 | \$ 210,987 41,000 |
| Department of Commerce | 11.417 | ARC0909373 | 8/15/09-1/31/15 | \$ 251.987 |

Condition

The Institution requires that vendors sign a Certificate of Non-Debarment on purchases greater than \$25,000. In a sample of 25 selections, the engagement team identified two instances, totaling \$251,987 where the signed Certificate of Non-Debarment was not available. Both of these purchases were with foreign vendors. We noted that these vendors were not debarred by the federal government through review of the EPLS website (Excluded Parties List System). Prior to September 2013, the Institution did not require this documentation for any foreign vendors. A total of 15 purchases above \$25,000 were made with foreign vendors during this period. During September 2013, the Institution implemented a policy to ensure that all foreign vendors are not suspended or debarred in the United States. A total of 18 purchases above \$25,000 were made with foreign vendors all vendors and with foreign vendors after September 2013. In a sample of 7 of these 18 purchases, all vendors had documentation of signed Certificates of Non-Debarment.

Criteria

Government wide requirements for nonprocurement suspension and debarment are contained in the OMB guidance in 2 CFR part 180, which implements Executive Orders 12549 and 12689, Debarment and Suspension. Non-Federal entities are prohibited from contracting with or making subawards under covered transactions to parties that are suspended or debarred or whose principals are suspended or debarred. "Covered transactions" include those procurement contracts for goods and services awarded under a nonprocurement transaction (e.g., grant or cooperative agreement) that are expected to equal or exceed \$25,000 or meet certain other specified criteria. 2 CFR section 180.220 of the government wide nonprocurement debarment and suspension guidance contains those additional limited circumstances. All nonprocurement transactions (i.e., subawards to subrecipients), irrespective of award amount, are considered covered transactions.

Cause

The Institution requires purchases above \$25,000 to include documentation that the supplier is not suspended or debarred. Prior to September 2013, the Institution did not require this documentation for any foreign vendors.

Effect

As a result of the Institution's policy on foreign vendors prior to September 2013, the Institution may have entered into a transaction with a suspended or debarred vendor.

Questioned Costs

There are no questioned costs.

Recommendation

We recommend the Institution continue to follow its new policies and procedures over the suspension and debarment requirements for all vendors. They should continue to ensure there is a policy in place to identify any foreign vendors that may be suspended or debarred in the United States.

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan is included at the end of this report.

Finding 13-2

Compliance Requirements: Reporting (L)

| Federal Programs Involved | Federal CFDA Number | Award Number | Award Year |
|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|------------------|
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000140710738 | 3/12/07-10/31/13 |
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000141210799 | 6/15/12-12/14/13 |
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000140910844 | 6/15/12-12/14/13 |
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000140710135 | 11/1/06-12/31/13 |

Condition

The Institution has established policies and procedures to accurately and timely report financial information under federal regulations. In a sample of 25 financial reports, the engagement team identified 4 instances where a final report had not been submitted within 90 days of the completion of the grant period. These grant reports have yet to be submitted.

Criteria

The Federal awarding agency shall require recipients to submit the SF–424 (an original and no more than two copies) no later than 30 days after the end of each specified reporting period for quarterly and semi-annual reports, and 90 calendar days for annual and final reports. Extensions of reporting due dates may be approved by the Federal awarding agency upon request of the recipient. (2 CFR 215.52 (a) (1) (iv)).

Cause

The financial reports were not submitted due to Grants & Contracts personnel responsible for the grants selected failing to notify the accounting personnel that the reports were due.

Effect

Reports of financial information have not been made timely as required under federal regulations.

Questioned Costs

There are no questioned costs.

Recommendation

The Institution should establish formal policies and procedures to ensure grants and contracts personnel are informing accounting personnel of all financial filing requirements for their respective grants. This will help to ensure that all required fillings are being completed.

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan is included at the end of this report.

Finding 13-3

Compliance Requirements: Subrecipient Monitoring (M)

| Federal Programs Involved | Federal CFDA Number | Award Number | Award Year |
|------------------------------|------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000141110701 | 6/1/11-9/30/14 |
| NASA | 43.001 | NNX13AE46G | 1/1/13-1/14/17 |
| Department of the Interior | 15.808 | G10AC00210 | 8/1/13-3/31/15 |
| Department of Commerce | 11.432 | OCE0928663 | 3/1/10-2/28/15 |
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000141210388 | 3/1/12-9/30/14 |
| Department of Defense | 12.300 | N000141210321 | 1/1/12-12/31/14 |

Condition

The Institution has policies and procedures in place to obtain subrecipients' A-133 reports and obtain letters from subrecipients verifying that any exceptions identified in the A-133 reports are not directly related to the Institution's pass through funds. For 6 of the 25 subrecipients selected for testing, the most recent A-133 report highlighted deficiencies including material weaknesses, on subrecipient's which did not have direct financial impact to the Institution. Based on the review there was no observable evidence that the Institution's management followed up with the subrecipients on the indirect implications these control deficiencies had on the Institution. There was no evidence of any follow up discussions with the subrecipient to understand the cause of the issues, implications, and corrective action plan anticipated based on the understanding of the A-133 compliance supplement by the Institution.

Criteria

OMB Circular A-133, Subpart D, Section 400(d) includes details that a pass-through entity shall perform the following for the Federal awards it makes:

- 1. Monitor the activities of subrecipients as necessary to ensure that Federal awards are used for authorized purposes in compliance with laws, regulations, and the provisions of contracts or grant agreements and those performance goals are achieved.
- 2. Ensure that subrecipients expending \$500,000 or more in Federal awards during the subrecipient's fiscal year have met the audit requirements of this part for that fiscal year.
- 3. Issue a management decision on audit findings within six months after receipt of the subrecipient's audit report and ensure that the subrecipient takes appropriate and timely corrective action.
- 4. Consider whether subrecipient audits necessitate adjustment of the pass-through entity's own records.
- 5. Require each subrecipient to permit the pass-through entity and auditors to have access to the records and financial statements as necessary for the pass-through entity to comply with this part.

Cause

The Institution's policies and procedures over subrecipient monitoring address the necessary follow up on findings that have a direct financial impact to the Institution. However, the Institution's understanding was that subrecipient monitoring requirements included in Part 3, Section M of the OMB Circular A-133 compliance supplement did not need to address control deficiencies contained in subrecipients' A-133 reports that did not have a direct impact on the Institution's awards.

Effect

Without the appropriate level of subrecipient monitoring, the Institution has an increased risk that federal funding disbursed to a subrecipient will not be effectively managed and expended in accordance with the terms and conditions of its agreement with the federal agency.

Questioned Costs

There are no questioned costs.

Recommendation

We recommend that the Institution develop more robust procedures related to the monitoring of a subrecipient's control environment to ensure adequate and appropriate communication with subrecipients is performed and that ongoing monitoring of all subrecipient relationships, including risks that may be inherent to the Institution are appropriately documented.

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan

Management's Views and Corrective Action Plan is included at the end of this report.

II. Financial Statement Findings

None

III. Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

Finding 12-1

Compliance Requirements: Procurement, Suspension & Debarment (I)

| Federal Programs Involved | Federal CFDA Number | Award Number Award Year | | Purchase Amount |
|------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| National Science Foundation | 47.078 | #ANT-0944165 | 6/17/2011-6/30/2014 | \$ 135,000 |

Condition

We require that vendors sign a Certificate of Non-Debarment on purchases greater than \$25,000. In a sample of 25 selections, the PwC engagement team identified one instance, totaling \$135,000 where the signed Certificate of Non-Debarment was not available. PwC noted that this vendor was not debarred by the federal government through review of the EPLS website (Excluded Parties List System).

Current Year Status

During September 2013, WHOI implemented a policy to ensure that all foreign vendors are not suspended or debarred in the United States. All foreign vendors selected for testing by PwC in the current year audit after September 2013 included documentation that the vendor was not suspended or debarred. Management plans to continue to follow these procedures in order to ensure foreign vendors are not suspended or debarred in the United States.



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13-1 Compliance Requirements: Procurement, Suspension & Debarment (I)

WHOI acknowledges 2CFR part 180 contains requirements for certification of non-debarment for purchases that equal to or exceed \$25,000. This is noted in the Procurement Procedures located on the Procurement Web Site of the Institution and is stated in the Buyer Check List for purchases equaling or exceeding that amount. In the past, the internal procedures excluded foreign suppliers to be validated as non –debarred. However, with the recent modifications to the SAMS system, it has made validation less dependent on self-certification. Effective September 2013 the Institution notified WHOI buyers to include foreign suppliers in debarment certification. The Institution will continue to follow new policies and procedures over the suspension and debarment requirements for US and foreign vendors.

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13-2 Compliance Requirements: Reporting (L)

Each month a report will be generated by G&CS listing all current ONR grants for which the period of performance has ended and the close out process should begin. G&CS will notify the department should any encumbrances, overages or outstanding subcontract costs remain to be charged to the grant. The departments will be responsible to take final action on these areas enabling the close out to occur. Deadlines will be established and G&CS will follow up on this action with the departments.

In addition, WHOI has obtained prior approval from ONR; if WHOI is pricing with provisional rates in a specific calendar year, the Navy approves holding off with the final report until final rates are obtained. The communication will be obtained once for each calendar year from ONR.

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13-3 Subrecipient Monitoring (M)

WHOI has policies in place that identify exceptions directly related to the Institution's pass through funds as guided in A-133 Compliance Supplement 6-M-2.

WHOI's F&A and G&CS department will review current subrecipient procedures and develop more robust procedures related to the monitoring of subrecipient's control environment. This will ensure adequate and appropriate communication with subrecipients as well as performing ongoing monitoring of <u>all</u> subrecipient relationships including risks that may be inherent to the Institution.

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