

**Gulf Coast Restoration
Trust Fund
20X8625
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(1) Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Reporting Entity

The accompanying Balance Sheet of the Gulf Coast Restoration Trust Fund (GCRTF) and related Income Statement pertain to the aspects of the GCRTF that is serviced by the Trust Fund Management Branch (TFMB) of the Bureau of the Fiscal Service (Fiscal Service) of the U.S. Department of the Treasury (Treasury). The GCRTF was created by legislation enacted by the U.S. Congress (Section 1602 of the Restore Act).

TFMB acts as a service organization which processes receipts, disbursements, and transfers related to the GCRTF based upon information received and recorded by TFMB from penalty revenues paid by the responsible parties in connection with the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill, pursuant to a court order, or negotiated settlement, that are collected by the Department of Justice (DOJ). As part of its functions, Fiscal Service also manages the investments, maintains related accounting records and supporting documentation, and reports financial activity. The financial activity reported in the accompanying Balance Sheet and Income Statement is limited to the activities performed by TFMB.

(b) Basis of Presentation

The Balance Sheet and Income Statement have been prepared to report the assets and liabilities of the trust funds under the function performed by TFMB, and the related activity, in accordance with the measurement and criteria discussed below.

(c) Basis of Accounting

The Investments on the Balance Sheet, and Interest Revenue on Investments reported on the Income Statement, are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. All other accounts and activity reported on the Balance Sheet, and Income Statement, are reported on the cash basis.

(d) Fund Balance with Treasury

The Trust Fund does not maintain cash in commercial bank accounts. Treasury processes cash receipts and disbursements. Fund Balance with Treasury represents net revenue, disposition of revenue, and investment activity. Fund balance with Treasury is reported based on the balance reported by the Fiscal Service's Government-wide Accounting and Reporting Modernization Project (GWA) Account Statement and reconciling transactions identified and recorded by TFMB.

(e) Interest Receivables

Interest receivables are calculated and reported by TFMB based on the investment terms received and recorded by TFMB from Fiscal Service's Federal Investments Branch (FIB) in the investment confirmations and monthly statements of account.

(f) Investments

Pursuant to authorizing legislation, the Secretary of the Treasury shall invest, at the direction of the program agencies, such portion of the trust fund balances as is not, in the judgment of the program agencies, necessary to meet current withdrawals. Such investments shall be in non-marketable market-based securities as authorized by legislation. Market-based securities are Treasury securities that are not traded on any securities exchange, but mirror the prices of marketable securities with similar terms. Market-based securities are issued and redeemed by FIB.

TFMB follows Treasury fiscal investment policy guidelines. TFMB determines the term of the securities purchased based on direction provided by the program agency. The securities are acquired and held in the name of the Secretary of the Treasury for the trust fund. The interest on and proceeds from the sale or redemption of any security held for the trust fund is credited to the trust fund. Investments are selected for liquidation based on the following order: earliest maturity date, lowest prevailing interest rate, and first security in first security out.

Link to Fiscal Service's Federal Investment Branch Investment Statement of Account: [FIB Investment Account Statement](#)

[FIB Investment Account Statement](#)

(g) Equity

Equity is calculated and reported by TFMB based on the assets of the trust fund. Equity is calculated as the difference between Total Assets and Total Liabilities.

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(h) Interest Revenue

Interest revenue is reported based on the amounts received and recorded by TFMB from FIB in the monthly statements of account and accrued interest and amortization calculated by TFMB. Amortization of any premiums and discounts on investments is calculated and reported by TFMB based on the investment terms reported to TFMB by FIB using the straight-line method for investments with a term equal to or less than one year and using the level yield method which approximates the interest method for investments with a term of greater than one year.

(h) Interest Revenue

As stated above in (c) Basis of Accounting, the Investments on the Balance Sheet and Interest Revenue on Investments reported on the Income Statement are reported using the accrual basis of accounting. The following amounts represent cash basis interest earnings for the current month and the current fiscal year to date.

<u>Current Month</u>	<u>Fiscal Year-to-Date</u>
\$ 9,071.15	\$ 35,261.46

(i) Revenues

Pursuant to authorizing legislation, revenue activity recorded in the trust funds consists primarily of penalty revenues paid by the responsible parties in connection with the Deepwater Horizon Oil Spill, pursuant to a court order, or negotiated settlement, that are collected by the Department of Justice (DOJ).

(j) Transfers to Program Agencies

Dispositions from the Trust Fund are made in accordance with the authorizing legislation to the 5 Gulf Coast Restoration and Recovery Programs, to cover program administration and related costs as defined by law. Transfers to the programs are calculated and reported based on the notifications received from the Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Council, NOAA, or Treasury's Grant Administration Team, which verifies that each state, or Coastal Political Subdivision has met the statutory requirements for disbursement of funds from the GCRTF.

(2) Related Parties

TFMB, on behalf of the Secretary of the Treasury, compiles amounts deposited into the trust fund, invests receipts in Treasury securities, redeems securities and transfers funds to the 5 Gulf Coast Restoration and Recovery Programs, maintains accounting records for receipts and disbursements of the trust fund, and reports trust fund financial activity to the programs and other interested parties. The penalty revenues collected by DOJ, and transferred to TFMB, determine the amounts to be deposited in the trust fund. The Gulf Coast Ecosystem Restoration Council determines the disposition of the trust fund balances for the Comprehensive Plan Component, Spill Impact Component, and the Centers of Excellence Research Grants Program. NOAA will determine the disposition of the trust fund balances for the Science Program, and Treasury's Grant Administration Team will determine the disposition of the trust fund balances for the Direct Component.

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Trial Balance (Unaudited)
December 1, 2013 Through December 31, 2013**

Period Name:2014-03 Fund:TFM8625DBXXXXXX Program:<All>

USSGL	BEA Category	Year of BA	Cost Center	USSGL / Cost Center Description	Beginning Balance	Period Net Dr	Period Net Cr	Ending Balance
1010	-	-	-	FUND BALANCE WITH TREASURY	0.00	1,299,546,426.38	1,299,546,426.38	0.00
1342	-	-	-	INTEREST RECEIVABLE - INVESTMENTS	22,901.96	6,870.13	1,151.57	28,620.52
1610	-	-	-	INVESTMENTS IN U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	323,215,629.17	1,299,538,682.48	1,299,520,577.27	323,233,734.38
1611	-	-	-	DISCOUNT ON U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	-109,833.68	18,091.72	27,125.78	-118,867.74
1613	-	-	-	AMORTIZATION OF DISCOUNT AND PREMIUM ON U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	29,893.85	18,009.90	10,890.08	37,013.67
3310	-	-	-	CUMULATIVE RESULTS OF OPERATIONS	-323,107,023.02	0.00	0.00	-323,107,023.02
4114	X	-	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	26,190.31	11,312.32	2,241.17	35,261.46
4120	X	-	-	APPROPRIATIONS ANTICIPATED - INDEFINITE	0.00	11,312.32	11,312.32	0.00
4201	-	-	-	PRIOR YEAR DELIVERED ORDERS - OBLIGATIONS-PAID	-360,000.00	0.00	0.00	-360,000.00
			-	TOTAL ACTUAL RESOURCES - COLLECTED	323,439,605.18	0.00	0.00	323,439,605.18
			BA Sum		323,079,605.18	0.00	0.00	323,079,605.18
	Sum BEA				323,079,605.18	0.00	0.00	323,079,605.18
Sum					323,079,605.18	0.00	0.00	323,079,605.18
4382	X	-	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	-1,885.70	0.00	653.12	-2,538.82
4450	-	-	-	UNAPPORTIONED AUTHORITY	-22,090,659.79	653.12	9,071.15	-22,090,077.82
4590	-	-	-	APPORTIONMENTS - ANTICIPATED RESOURCES - PROGRAMS SUBJECT TO APPORTIONMENT	0.00	11,312.32	11,312.32	0.00
4610	-	-	-	ALLOTMENTS - BUDGET AUTHORITY	-301,013,250.00	11,312.32	11,312.32	-301,013,250.00
5311	-	-	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	-51,568.28	729.33	22,638.86	-73,477.81
TOTAL					0.00	2,599,174,712.34	2,599,174,712.34	0.00

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Balance Sheet (Unaudited)
December 31, 2013

Period Name:2014-03		Fund:TFM8625DBXXXXXX	Program:<All>
Account Type	Account Description	Ending Balance	
ASSETS	FUND BALANCE WITH TREASURY	0.00	
	SF224 COLLECTIONS	0.00	
	SF224 DISBURSEMENTS	0.00	
	INTEREST RECEIVABLE - INVESTMENTS	28,620.52	
	INVESTMENTS IN U.S TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	323,233,734.38	
	DISCOUNT ON U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	-118,867.74	
	AMORTIZATION OF DISCOUNT AND PREMIUM ON U.S. TREASURY SECURITIES ISSUED BY THE BUREAU OF THE FISCAL SERVICE	37,013.67	
		323,180,500.83	
		Total: 323,180,500.83	
EQUITY	CUMULATIVE RESULTS OF OPERATIONS	-323,107,023.02	
	NET INCOME	-73,477.81	
		-323,180,500.83	
		Total: -323,180,500.83	

**Gulf Coast Restoration Trust Fund
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Income Statement (Unaudited)
October 1, 2013 Through December 31, 2013**

Period Name:2014-03	Fund:TFM8625DBXXXXXX	Program:<All>
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Revenue Type	USSGL	Ussgl Description	Cost Center	Cost Center Description	Activity	Ending Balance
INCOME	5311	INTEREST REVENUE - INVESTMENTS - NON EXCHANGE	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	-21,909.53	-73,477.81
	5320	PENALTIES AND FINES REVENUE - NON EXCHANGE	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	0.00	0.00
Sum					-21,909.53	-73,477.81
EXPENSES	6100	OPERATING EXPENSES/PROGRAM COSTS	XXXXXXXXXXXX	DEFAULT CAM1	0.00	0.00
Sum					0.00	0.00
TOTAL					-21,909.53	-73,477.81