

Form **990**
Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Return of Organization Exempt From Income Tax

Under section 501(c), 527, or 4947(a)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code (except private foundations)
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A For the 2016 calendar year, or tax year beginning 01-01-2016, and ending 12-31-2016

- B** Check if applicable
 Address change
 Name change
 Initial return
 Final
 Return/terminated
 Amended return
 Application pending

C Name of organization
AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Doing business as

Number and street (or P O box if mail is not delivered to street address) Room/suite
1220 L STREET NW

City or town, state or province, country, and ZIP or foreign postal code
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

D Employer identification number
13-0433430

E Telephone number
(202) 682-8000

G Gross receipts \$ 254,789,984

F Name and address of principal officer
JACK N GERARD
1220 L STREET NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

H(a) Is this a group return for subordinates? Yes No

H(b) Are all subordinates included? Yes No
If "No," attach a list (see instructions)

H(c) Group exemption number

I Tax-exempt status 501(c)(3) 501(c) (6) ◀ (insert no) 4947(a)(1) or 527

J Website: ▶ www.api.org

K Form of organization Corporation Trust Association Other ▶

L Year of formation 1919

M State of legal domicile DC

Part I Summary

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission or most significant activities
The mission of American Petroleum Institute (API) is to promote safety across the industry globally and to influence public policy in support of a strong, viable U S oil and natural gas industry

2 Check this box if the organization discontinued its operations or disposed of more than 25% of its net assets

3 Number of voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1a)	44
4 Number of independent voting members of the governing body (Part VI, line 1b)	43
5 Total number of individuals employed in calendar year 2016 (Part V, line 2a)	332
6 Total number of volunteers (estimate if necessary)	6,000
7a Total unrelated business revenue from Part VIII, column (C), line 12	10,671,550
7b Net unrelated business taxable income from Form 990-T, line 34	633,384

	Prior Year	Current Year
8 Contributions and grants (Part VIII, line 1h)	0	12,193,728
9 Program service revenue (Part VIII, line 2g)	200,847,919	200,946,375
10 Investment income (Part VIII, column (A), lines 3, 4, and 7d)	868,917	504,780
11 Other revenue (Part VIII, column (A), lines 5, 6d, 8c, 9c, 10c, and 11e)	14,536,268	16,013,935
12 Total revenue—add lines 8 through 11 (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	216,253,104	229,658,818

13 Grants and similar amounts paid (Part IX, column (A), lines 1-3)	6,193,088	4,321,347
14 Benefits paid to or for members (Part IX, column (A), line 4)	0	0
15 Salaries, other compensation, employee benefits (Part IX, column (A), lines 5-10)	54,932,364	60,071,949
16a Professional fundraising fees (Part IX, column (A), line 11e)	0	0
b Total fundraising expenses (Part IX, column (D), line 25) ▶ 0		
17 Other expenses (Part IX, column (A), lines 11a-11d, 11f-24e)	189,213,934	160,686,526
18 Total expenses Add lines 13-17 (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	250,339,386	225,079,822
19 Revenue less expenses Subtract line 18 from line 12	-34,086,282	4,578,996

	Beginning of Current Year	End of Year
20 Total assets (Part X, line 16)	83,690,323	88,459,067
21 Total liabilities (Part X, line 26)	116,060,215	112,383,184
22 Net assets or fund balances Subtract line 21 from line 20	-32,369,892	-23,924,117

Part II Signature Block

Under penalties of perjury, I declare that I have examined this return, including accompanying schedules and statements, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, it is true, correct, and complete Declaration of preparer (other than officer) is based on all information of which preparer has any knowledge

Sign Here
Signature of officer: *****
Date: 2017-11-15
JACK N GERARD PRESIDENT AND CEO
Type or print name and title

Paid Preparer Use Only
Print/Type preparer's name: Deborah G Kosnett
Preparer's signature: Deborah G Kosnett
Date: 2017-10-31
Check if self-employed
PTIN: P00290720
Firm's name: Tate and Tryon
Firm's EIN: 52-1855942
Firm's address: 2021 L Street NW Suite 400
Washington, DC 20036
Phone no: (202) 293-2200

Part III Statement of Program Service Accomplishments

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part III

1 Briefly describe the organization's mission

THE MISSION OF THE AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE (API) IS TO INFLUENCE PUBLIC POLICY IN SUPPORT OF A STRONG, VIABLE U S OIL AND NATURAL GAS INDUSTRY ESSENTIAL TO MEET THE ENERGY NEEDS OF CONSUMERS IN AN EFFICIENT, ENVIRONMENTALLY RESPONSIBLE MANNER

2 Did the organization undertake any significant program services during the year which were not listed on the prior Form 990 or 990-EZ? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these new services on Schedule O

3 Did the organization cease conducting, or make significant changes in how it conducts, any program services? Yes No

If "Yes," describe these changes on Schedule O

4 Describe the organization's program service accomplishments for each of its three largest program services, as measured by expenses Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations are required to report the amount of grants and allocations to others, the total expenses, and revenue, if any, for each program service reported

4a (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data

4b (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data




















4c (Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)
See Additional Data

See Additional Data Table

4d Other program services (Describe in Schedule O)
(Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

4e Total program service expenses ▶

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules

	Yes	No
1 Is the organization described in section 501(c)(3) or 4947(a)(1) (other than a private foundation)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule A</i>		No
2 Is the organization required to complete <i>Schedule B, Schedule of Contributors</i> (see instructions)? 	Yes	
3 Did the organization engage in direct or indirect political campaign activities on behalf of or in opposition to candidates for public office? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part I</i> 	Yes	
4 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization engage in lobbying activities, or have a section 501(h) election in effect during the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part II</i>		
5 Is the organization a section 501(c)(4), 501(c)(5), or 501(c)(6) organization that receives membership dues, assessments, or similar amounts as defined in Revenue Procedure 98-19? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule C, Part III</i> 	Yes	
6 Did the organization maintain any donor advised funds or any similar funds or accounts for which donors have the right to provide advice on the distribution or investment of amounts in such funds or accounts? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part I</i> 		No
7 Did the organization receive or hold a conservation easement, including easements to preserve open space, the environment, historic land areas, or historic structures? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part II</i> 		No
8 Did the organization maintain collections of works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part III</i> 		No
9 Did the organization report an amount in Part X, line 21 for escrow or custodial account liability, serve as a custodian for amounts not listed in Part X, or provide credit counseling, debt management, credit repair, or debt negotiation services? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IV</i> 		No
10 Did the organization, directly or through a related organization, hold assets in temporarily restricted endowments, permanent endowments, or quasi-endowments? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part V</i> 		No
11 If the organization's answer to any of the following questions is "Yes," then complete Schedule D, Parts VI, VII, VIII, IX, or X as applicable		
a Did the organization report an amount for land, buildings, and equipment in Part X, line 10? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VI</i> 	Yes	
b Did the organization report an amount for investments—other securities in Part X, line 12 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VII</i> 		No
c Did the organization report an amount for investments—program related in Part X, line 13 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part VIII</i> 		No
d Did the organization report an amount for other assets in Part X, line 15 that is 5% or more of its total assets reported in Part X, line 16? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part IX</i> 		No
e Did the organization report an amount for other liabilities in Part X, line 25? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> 	Yes	
f Did the organization's separate or consolidated financial statements for the tax year include a footnote that addresses the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Part X</i> 		No
12a Did the organization obtain separate, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule D, Parts XI and XII</i> 		No
b Was the organization included in consolidated, independent audited financial statements for the tax year? <i>If "Yes," and if the organization answered "No" to line 12a, then completing Schedule D, Parts XI and XII is optional</i> 	Yes	
13 Is the organization a school described in section 170(b)(1)(A)(ii)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule E</i>		No
14a Did the organization maintain an office, employees, or agents outside of the United States?	Yes	
b Did the organization have aggregate revenues or expenses of more than \$10,000 from grantmaking, fundraising, business, investment, and program service activities outside the United States, or aggregate foreign investments valued at \$100,000 or more? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts I and IV</i> 	Yes	
15 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for any foreign organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts II and IV</i> 	Yes	
16 Did the organization report on Part IX, column (A), line 3, more than \$5,000 of aggregate grants or other assistance to or for foreign individuals? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule F, Parts III and IV</i> 		No
17 Did the organization report a total of more than \$15,000 of expenses for professional fundraising services on Part IX, column (A), lines 6 and 11e? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part I</i> (see instructions)		No
18 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 total of fundraising event gross income and contributions on Part VIII, lines 1c and 8a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part II</i>		No
19 Did the organization report more than \$15,000 of gross income from gaming activities on Part VIII, line 9a? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule G, Part III</i>		No

Part IV Checklist of Required Schedules (continued)

	Yes	No
20a Did the organization operate one or more hospital facilities? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule H</i>		No
b If "Yes" to line 20a, did the organization attach a copy of its audited financial statements to this return?		
21 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to any domestic organization or domestic government on Part IX, column (A), line 1? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and II</i>	Yes	
22 Did the organization report more than \$5,000 of grants or other assistance to or for domestic individuals on Part IX, column (A), line 2? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule I, Parts I and III</i>		No
23 Did the organization answer "Yes" to Part VII, Section A, line 3, 4, or 5 about compensation of the organization's current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule J</i>	Yes	
24a Did the organization have a tax-exempt bond issue with an outstanding principal amount of more than \$100,000 as of the last day of the year, that was issued after December 31, 2002? <i>If "Yes," answer lines 24b through 24d and complete Schedule K. If "No," go to line 25a</i>		No
b Did the organization invest any proceeds of tax-exempt bonds beyond a temporary period exception?		
c Did the organization maintain an escrow account other than a refunding escrow at any time during the year to defease any tax-exempt bonds?		
d Did the organization act as an "on behalf of" issuer for bonds outstanding at any time during the year?		
25a Section 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations. Did the organization engage in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person during the year? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		
b Is the organization aware that it engaged in an excess benefit transaction with a disqualified person in a prior year, and that the transaction has not been reported on any of the organization's prior Forms 990 or 990-EZ? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part I</i>		
26 Did the organization report any amount on Part X, line 5, 6, or 22 for receivables from or payables to any current or former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, or disqualified persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part II</i>		No
27 Did the organization provide a grant or other assistance to an officer, director, trustee, key employee, substantial contributor or employee thereof, a grant selection committee member, or to a 35% controlled entity or family member of any of these persons? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part III</i>		No
28 Was the organization a party to a business transaction with one of the following parties (see Schedule L, Part IV instructions for applicable filing thresholds, conditions, and exceptions)		
a A current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		No
b A family member of a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		No
c An entity of which a current or former officer, director, trustee, or key employee (or a family member thereof) was an officer, director, trustee, or direct or indirect owner? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule L, Part IV</i>		No
29 Did the organization receive more than \$25,000 in non-cash contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		No
30 Did the organization receive contributions of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets, or qualified conservation contributions? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule M</i>		No
31 Did the organization liquidate, terminate, or dissolve and cease operations? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part I</i>		No
32 Did the organization sell, exchange, dispose of, or transfer more than 25% of its net assets? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule N, Part II</i>		No
33 Did the organization own 100% of an entity disregarded as separate from the organization under Regulations sections 301.7701-2 and 301.7701-3? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part I</i>	Yes	
34 Was the organization related to any tax-exempt or taxable entity? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part II, III, or IV, and Part V, line 1</i>	Yes	
35a Did the organization have a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)?	Yes	
b If "Yes" to line 35a, did the organization receive any payment from or engage in any transaction with a controlled entity within the meaning of section 512(b)(13)? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>	Yes	
36 Section 501(c)(3) organizations. Did the organization make any transfers to an exempt non-charitable related organization? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part V, line 2</i>		
37 Did the organization conduct more than 5% of its activities through an entity that is not a related organization and that is treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes? <i>If "Yes," complete Schedule R, Part VI</i>		No
38 Did the organization complete Schedule O and provide explanations in Schedule O for Part VI, lines 11b and 19? Note. All Form 990 filers are required to complete Schedule O	Yes	

Part V Statements Regarding Other IRS Filings and Tax Compliance

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part V

Table with columns for question ID, question text, and Yes/No response boxes. Includes sections for backup withholding, employee reporting, foreign accounts, prohibited transactions, charitable contributions, and organizational details.

Part VI Governance, Management, and Disclosure For each "Yes" response to lines 2 through 7b below, and for a "No" response to lines 8a, 8b, or 10b below, describe the circumstances, processes, or changes in Schedule O See instructions

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VI [X]

Section A. Governing Body and Management

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 1a (44), 1b (43), 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7a, 7b, 8a, 8b, 9.

Section B. Policies (This Section B requests information about policies not required by the Internal Revenue Code.)

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 10a, 10b, 11a, 11b, 12a, 12b, 12c, 13, 14, 15a, 15b, 16a, 16b.

Section C. Disclosure

Table with 3 columns: Question, Yes, No. Rows include: 17, 18, 19, 20.

Part VIII Statement of Revenue

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part VIII

Table with 5 columns: (A) Total revenue, (B) Related or exempt function revenue, (C) Unrelated business revenue, (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514. Rows include 1a-1f (Contributions, Gifts, Grants) and 1g-1h (Total).

Table with 5 columns: (A) Total revenue, (B) Related or exempt function revenue, (C) Unrelated business revenue, (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514. Rows include 2a-2f (Program Service Revenue) and 2g (Total).

Table with 5 columns: (A) Total revenue, (B) Related or exempt function revenue, (C) Unrelated business revenue, (D) Revenue excluded from tax under sections 512-514. Rows include 3-12 (Other Revenue) and 12 (Total revenue).

Part IX Statement of Functional Expenses

Section 501(c)(3) and 501(c)(4) organizations must complete all columns. All other organizations must complete column (A).

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

Do not include amounts reported on lines 6b, 7b, 8b, 9b, and 10b of Part VIII.	(A) Total expenses	(B) Program service expenses	(C) Management and general expenses	(D) Fundraising expenses
1 Grants and other assistance to domestic organizations and domestic governments. See Part IV, line 21.	4,279,347			
2 Grants and other assistance to domestic individuals. See Part IV, line 22.				
3 Grants and other assistance to foreign organizations, foreign governments, and foreign individuals. See Part IV, line 15 and 16.	42,000			
4 Benefits paid to or for members.				
5 Compensation of current officers, directors, trustees, and key employees.	14,336,490			
6 Compensation not included above, to disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)) and persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B).				
7 Other salaries and wages.	39,935,028			
8 Pension plan accruals and contributions (include section 401(k) and 403(b) employer contributions).	1,732,526			
9 Other employee benefits.	1,360,615			
10 Payroll taxes.	2,707,290			
11 Fees for services (non-employees)				
a Management.				
b Legal.	4,881,669			
c Accounting.	133,681			
d Lobbying.	12,313,295			
e Professional fundraising services. See Part IV, line 17.				
f Investment management fees.	77,703			
g Other (If line 11g amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 11g expenses on Schedule O).	46,424,249			
12 Advertising and promotion.	41,261,587			
13 Office expenses.	2,788,914			
14 Information technology.	1,020,983			
15 Royalties.				
16 Occupancy.	5,180,994			
17 Travel.	2,814,246			
18 Payments of travel or entertainment expenses for any federal, state, or local public officials.				
19 Conferences, conventions, and meetings.	7,442,444			
20 Interest.				
21 Payments to affiliates.				
22 Depreciation, depletion, and amortization.	8,392,968			
23 Insurance.	517,476			
24 Other expenses. Itemize expenses not covered above (List miscellaneous expenses in line 24e. If line 24e amount exceeds 10% of line 25, column (A) amount, list line 24e expenses on Schedule O.)				
a UNRELATED BUSINESS INCO	218,800			
b Studies, Research, and A	14,276,721			
c Net Pension Expense	6,116,878			
d Postretirement Benefit	5,257,607			
e All other expenses	1,566,311			
25 Total functional expenses. Add lines 1 through 24e.	225,079,822			
26 Joint costs. Complete this line only if the organization reported in column (B) joint costs from a combined educational campaign and fundraising solicitation. Check here <input type="checkbox"/> if following SOP 98-2 (ASC 958-720)				

Part X Balance Sheet

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part IX

		(A) Beginning of year		(B) End of year
Assets	1 Cash—non-interest-bearing		1	
	2 Savings and temporary cash investments	13,900,035	2	30,888,537
	3 Pledges and grants receivable, net		3	
	4 Accounts receivable, net	17,293,341	4	11,803,853
	5 Loans and other receivables from current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, and highest compensated employees Complete Part II of Schedule L		5	
	6 Loans and other receivables from other disqualified persons (as defined under section 4958(f)(1)), persons described in section 4958(c)(3)(B), and contributing employers and sponsoring organizations of section 501(c)(9) voluntary employees' beneficiary organizations (see instructions) Complete Part II of Schedule L		6	
	7 Notes and loans receivable, net		7	
	8 Inventories for sale or use		8	
	9 Prepaid expenses and deferred charges	3,378,298	9	2,299,490
	10a Land, buildings, and equipment cost or other basis Complete Part VI of Schedule D	44,203,117		
	b Less accumulated depreciation	31,865,865		
	11 Investments—publicly traded securities	30,985,720	11	31,129,935
	12 Investments—other securities See Part IV, line 11		12	
	13 Investments—program-related See Part IV, line 11		13	
	14 Intangible assets		14	
	15 Other assets See Part IV, line 11		15	
16 Total assets. Add lines 1 through 15 (must equal line 34)	83,690,323	16	88,459,067	
Liabilities	17 Accounts payable and accrued expenses	27,010,255	17	24,609,672
	18 Grants payable		18	
	19 Deferred revenue	4,854,562	19	5,769,762
	20 Tax-exempt bond liabilities		20	
	21 Escrow or custodial account liability Complete Part IV of Schedule D		21	
	22 Loans and other payables to current and former officers, directors, trustees, key employees, highest compensated employees, and disqualified persons Complete Part II of Schedule L		22	
	23 Secured mortgages and notes payable to unrelated third parties		23	
	24 Unsecured notes and loans payable to unrelated third parties		24	
	25 Other liabilities (including federal income tax, payables to related third parties, and other liabilities not included on lines 17-24) Complete Part X of Schedule D	84,195,398	25	82,003,750
	26 Total liabilities. Add lines 17 through 25	116,060,215	26	112,383,184
Net Assets or Fund Balances	27 Organizations that follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 27 through 29, and lines 33 and 34. Unrestricted net assets	-32,369,892	27	-23,924,117
	28 Temporarily restricted net assets		28	
	29 Permanently restricted net assets		29	
	30 Organizations that do not follow SFAS 117 (ASC 958), check here <input type="checkbox"/> and complete lines 30 through 34. Capital stock or trust principal, or current funds		30	
	31 Paid-in or capital surplus, or land, building or equipment fund		31	
	32 Retained earnings, endowment, accumulated income, or other funds		32	
	33 Total net assets or fund balances	-32,369,892	33	-23,924,117
	34 Total liabilities and net assets/fund balances	83,690,323	34	88,459,067

Part XI Reconciliation of Net Assets

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XI

1	Total revenue (must equal Part VIII, column (A), line 12)	1	229,658,818
2	Total expenses (must equal Part IX, column (A), line 25)	2	225,079,822
3	Revenue less expenses Subtract line 2 from line 1	3	4,578,996
4	Net assets or fund balances at beginning of year (must equal Part X, line 33, column (A))	4	-32,369,892
5	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	5	-2,740
6	Donated services and use of facilities	6	
7	Investment expenses	7	
8	Prior period adjustments	8	
9	Other changes in net assets or fund balances (explain in Schedule O)	9	3,869,519
10	Net assets or fund balances at end of year Combine lines 3 through 9 (must equal Part X, line 33, column (B))	10	-23,924,117

Part XII Financial Statements and Reporting

Check if Schedule O contains a response or note to any line in this Part XII

	Yes	No
<p>1 Accounting method used to prepare the Form 990 <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Accrual <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ If the organization changed its method of accounting from a prior year or checked "Other," explain in Schedule O</p>		
<p>2a Were the organization's financial statements compiled or reviewed by an independent accountant? If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were compiled or reviewed on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis</p>	No	
<p>b Were the organization's financial statements audited by an independent accountant? If 'Yes,' check a box below to indicate whether the financial statements for the year were audited on a separate basis, consolidated basis, or both <input type="checkbox"/> Separate basis <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consolidated basis <input type="checkbox"/> Both consolidated and separate basis</p>	Yes	
<p>c If "Yes," to line 2a or 2b, does the organization have a committee that assumes responsibility for oversight of the audit, review, or compilation of its financial statements and selection of an independent accountant? If the organization changed either its oversight process or selection process during the tax year, explain in Schedule O</p>	Yes	
<p>3a As a result of a federal award, was the organization required to undergo an audit or audits as set forth in the Single Audit Act and OMB Circular A-133?</p>		No
<p>b If "Yes," did the organization undergo the required audit or audits? If the organization did not undergo the required audit or audits, explain why in Schedule O and describe any steps taken to undergo such audits</p>		

Additional Data

Software ID:

Software Version:

EIN: 13-0433430

Name: AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Form 990 (2016)

Form 990, Part III, Line 4a:

ADVOCACY- API speaks for the petroleum industry before Congress, the executive branch of government, state legislatures, and the news media. It negotiates with regulatory agencies, represents the industry in court and participates in coalitions -- building the grassroots support that prods Congress, the White House and state legislators to act. API also strives to enhance credibility on the environment, health and safety issues that are central to the public's perception of the industry and its products.

Form 990, Part III, Line 4b:

INFORMATION- API IS THE SOURCE FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY IT UNDERTAKES THE SCIENTIFIC AND ECONOMIC ANALYSIS THAT IS THE FOUNDATION FOR THE INDUSTRY'S STANCE ON THE CURRENT ISSUES IT COLLECTS AND COMPILES STATISTICS AND IS WITHOUT PEER IN FINDING AND PROVIDING INDUSTRY-SPECIFIC INFORMATION FOR PEOPLE WHO NEED IT

Form 990, Part III, Line 4c:

INDUSTRY OPERATIONS- API has set standards for the U S petroleum industry since its founding in 1919 and currently has over 650 standards and technical publications. In the global marketplace, these same standards are becoming international standards, and API's involvement in international events and organizations is growing. Over 200 API standards have been incorporated into U S regulations, and they are the most widely cited industry standards by international regulators.

Form 990, Part III - 4 Program Service Accomplishments (See the Instructions)

(Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

Maintaining Quality - The increasingly international nature of the petroleum business is evident in API's approach to certifying that products meet the industry's exacting standards of quality. Since 1924, API has licensed oilfield equipment manufacturers to use the API monogram, recognized as a mark of quality around the world. API licenses motor oils for use in both gasoline and diesel engines. API also certifies technical and inspection personnel in the petroleum and petrochemical industries, as well as those who audit the industry.

(Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

EDUCATION- API organizes seminars, workshops and symposia on issues vital to the industry's livelihood. It provides training materials that help professionals in the oil and gas business meet regulatory requirements and industry standards.

Form 990, Part III - 4 Program Service Accomplishments (See the Instructions)

(Code) (Expenses \$ including grants of \$) (Revenue \$)

Safety - The Center for Offshore Safety is an industry sponsored program focused exclusively on Gulf of Mexico offshore safety. The process safety site assessment program includes training and certification, site assessment, and statistical process safety products to make industry refining facilities safer.

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
Khalid S Alnaji Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Joseph Bryant Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Thomas Burke Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Stephen I Chazen Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Martin S Craighead Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Bruce Culpepper Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Tim J Cutt Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Ricardo Darre Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Greg L Ebel Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Timothy C Felt Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0

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Greg C Garland Board Member & Chair Fin Cmte	0 50 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
Russell K Girling Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
John T Gremp Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
David W Grzebinski Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Dave A Hager Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Gary R Heminger Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
John B Hess Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Paul L Howes Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
W Herbert Hunt Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Roger Jenkins Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0

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Paal Kibsgaard Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Tracy W Krohn Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Ryan M Lance Chairman of the Board	0 50 0 00	X		X				0	0	0
Robert Doug Lawler Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Virginia Gigi B Lazenby Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
David J Lesar Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Douglas R Matthews Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
John C Minge Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Al Monaco Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Richard Muncrief Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0

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Marvin Odum Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Steve Pastor Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Harry N Pefanis Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Torgrim Reitan Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Gary G Rich Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
David J Rintoul Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Jose-Ignacio Sanz Saiz Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
David T Seaton Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Lorenzo Simonelli Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Paul Stevens Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0

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Doug J Suttles Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Troy W Thacker Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Rex Tillerson Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Lee M Tillman Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Al Walker Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
John S Watson Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
David W Williams Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Karen Wright Board Member	0 50 0 00	X						0	0	0
Jack N Gerard President and CEO	40 00 0 00	X		X				5,498,223	0	1,275,551
Stacy R Linden General Counsel & Corporate Secretary	40 00 0 00			X				482,374	0	101,754

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		Individual trustee or director	Institutional Trustee	Officer	Key employee	Highest compensated employee	Former			
John E Robertson Vice President and CFO	40 00 0 00			X				479,495	0	108,367
Martin J Durbin Executive VP & Chief Strategy Officer	40 00 0 00				X			1,322,093	0	581,369
Linda G Rozett Vice President	40 00 0 00				X			657,470	0	118,259
Louis A Finkel Executive Vice President	40 00 0 00				X			637,722	0	-39,189
Frank J Macchiarola Group Director	40 00 0 00				X			560,448	0	89,713
Kyle B Isakower Vice President	40 00 0 00				X			529,842	0	139,935
Lisa Salley Vice President	40 00 0 00				X			502,095	0	102,899
Robin R Rorick Group Director	40 00 0 00				X			495,600	0	102,956
Erik G Milito Group Director	40 00 0 00				X			478,487	0	111,027
Charles R Williams Exec Dir Ctr for Offshore Safety	40 00 0 00					X		702,299	0	105,832

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Rolf W Hanson Senior Director	40 00 0 00					X		488,197	0	76,944
Howard J Feldman Senior Director	40 00 0 00					X		370,206	0	137,203
Erica S Bowman Chief Economist	40 00 0 00					X		364,342	0	52,511
Eric J Wohlschlegel Senior Director	40 00 0 00					X		321,388	0	55,672
Robert L Greco Former Group Director	0 00 0 00						X	314,275	0	50,702
John D Modine Former key-Vice President	40 00 0 00						X	286,642	0	68,780
Jose G Uria Former key-Acting Vice President	40 00 0 00						X	248,885	0	50,140

SCHEDULE C
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Political Campaign and Lobbying Activities

For Organizations Exempt From Income Tax Under section 501(c) and section 527
▶ Complete if the organization is described below. ▶ Attach to Form 990 or Form 990-EZ.
▶ Information about Schedule C (Form 990 or 990-EZ) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 3, or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 46 (Political Campaign Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations Complete Parts I-A and B Do not complete Part I-C
- Section 501(c) (other than section 501(c)(3)) organizations Complete Parts I-A and C below Do not complete Part I-B
- Section 527 organizations Complete Part I-A only

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 4, or Form 990-EZ, Part VI, line 47 (Lobbying Activities), then

- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-A Do not complete Part II-B
- Section 501(c)(3) organizations that have NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)) Complete Part II-B Do not complete Part II-A

If the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, Line 5 (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions) or Form 990-EZ, Part V, line 35c (Proxy Tax) (see separate instructions), then

- Section 501(c)(4), (5), or (6) organizations Complete Part III

Name of the organization AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE	Employer identification number 13-0433430
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Part I-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c) or is a section 527 organization.

1 Provide a description of the organization's direct and indirect political campaign activities in Part IV	▶	\$	_____	340,000
2 Political expenditures	▶	\$	_____	
3 Volunteer hours			_____	

Part I-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3).

1 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by the organization under section 4955	▶	\$	_____	_____
2 Enter the amount of any excise tax incurred by organization managers under section 4955	▶	\$	_____	
3 If the organization incurred a section 4955 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
4a Was a correction made?				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
b If "Yes," describe in Part IV				

Part I-C Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c), except section 501(c)(3).

1 Enter the amount directly expended by the filing organization for section 527 exempt function activities	▶	\$	_____	_____
2 Enter the amount of the filing organization's funds contributed to other organizations for section 527 exempt function activities	▶	\$	_____	340,000
3 Total exempt function expenditures Add lines 1 and 2 Enter here and on Form 1120-POL, line 17b	▶	\$	_____	340,000
4 Did the filing organization file Form 1120-POL for this year?				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
5 Enter the names, addresses and employer identification number (EIN) of all section 527 political organizations to which the filing organization made payments For each organization listed, enter the amount paid from the filing organization's funds Also enter the amount of political contributions received that were promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization, such as a separate segregated fund or a political action committee (PAC) If additional space is needed, provide information in Part IV				

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization If none, enter -0-
1 See Additional Data Table				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				

Part II-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

- A** Check if the filing organization belongs to an affiliated group (and list in Part IV each affiliated group member's name, address, EIN, expenses, and share of excess lobbying expenditures)
- B** Check if the filing organization checked box A and "limited control" provisions apply

Limits on Lobbying Expenditures
(The term "expenditures" means amounts paid or incurred.)

	(a) Filing organization's totals	(b) Affiliated group totals												
1a Total lobbying expenditures to influence public opinion (grass roots lobbying)														
b Total lobbying expenditures to influence a legislative body (direct lobbying)														
c Total lobbying expenditures (add lines 1a and 1b)														
d Other exempt purpose expenditures														
e Total exempt purpose expenditures (add lines 1c and 1d)														
f Lobbying nontaxable amount. Enter the amount from the following table in both columns														
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:</th> <th>The lobbying nontaxable amount is:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Not over \$500,000</td> <td>20% of the amount on line 1e</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000</td> <td>\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000</td> <td>\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Over \$17,000,000</td> <td>\$1,000,000</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			If the amount on line 1e, column (a) or (b) is:	The lobbying nontaxable amount is:	Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e	Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000	Over \$1,000,000 but not over \$1,500,000	\$175,000 plus 10% of the excess over \$1,000,000	Over \$1,500,000 but not over \$17,000,000	\$225,000 plus 5% of the excess over \$1,500,000	Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000
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Not over \$500,000	20% of the amount on line 1e													
Over \$500,000 but not over \$1,000,000	\$100,000 plus 15% of the excess over \$500,000													
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Over \$17,000,000	\$1,000,000													
g Grassroots nontaxable amount (enter 25% of line 1f)														
h Subtract line 1g from line 1a. If zero or less, enter -0-														
i Subtract line 1f from line 1c. If zero or less, enter -0-														
j If there is an amount other than zero on either line 1h or line 1i, did the organization file Form 4720 reporting section 4911 tax for this year?														

Yes No

4-Year Averaging Period Under section 501(h)

(Some organizations that made a section 501(h) election do not have to complete all of the five columns below. See the separate instructions for lines 2a through 2f.)

Lobbying Expenditures During 4-Year Averaging Period

Calendar year (or fiscal year beginning in)	(a) 2013	(b) 2014	(c) 2015	(d) 2016	(e) Total
2a Lobbying nontaxable amount					
b Lobbying ceiling amount (150% of line 2a, column (e))					
c Total lobbying expenditures					
d Grassroots nontaxable amount					
e Grassroots ceiling amount (150% of line 2d, column (e))					
f Grassroots lobbying expenditures					

Part II-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(3) and has NOT filed Form 5768 (election under section 501(h)).

For each "Yes" response on lines 1a through 1i below, provide in Part IV a detailed description of the lobbying activity

	(a)		(b)
	Yes	No	Amount
1 During the year, did the filing organization attempt to influence foreign, national, state or local legislation, including any attempt to influence public opinion on a legislative matter or referendum, through the use of			
a Volunteers?			
b Paid staff or management (include compensation in expenses reported on lines 1c through 1i)?			
c Media advertisements?			
d Mailings to members, legislators, or the public?			
e Publications, or published or broadcast statements?			
f Grants to other organizations for lobbying purposes?			
g Direct contact with legislators, their staffs, government officials, or a legislative body?			
h Rallies, demonstrations, seminars, conventions, speeches, lectures, or any similar means?			
i Other activities?			
j Total Add lines 1c through 1i			
2a Did the activities in line 1 cause the organization to be not described in section 501(c)(3)?			
b If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred under section 4912			
c If "Yes," enter the amount of any tax incurred by organization managers under section 4912			
d If the filing organization incurred a section 4912 tax, did it file Form 4720 for this year?			

Part III-A Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6).

	Yes	No
1 Were substantially all (90% or more) dues received nondeductible by members?		
2 Did the organization make only in-house lobbying expenditures of \$2,000 or less?		
3 Did the organization agree to carry over lobbying and political expenditures from the prior year?	Yes	

Part III-B Complete if the organization is exempt under section 501(c)(4), section 501(c)(5), or section 501(c)(6) and if either (a) BOTH Part III-A, lines 1 and 2, are answered "No" OR (b) Part III-A, line 3, is answered "Yes."

1 Dues, assessments and similar amounts from members	1	111,722,959
2 Section 162(e) nondeductible lobbying and political expenditures (do not include amounts of political expenses for which the section 527(f) tax was paid).		
a Current year	2a	70,733,949
b Carryover from last year	2b	13,930,866
c Total	2c	84,664,815
3 Aggregate amount reported in section 6033(e)(1)(A) notices of nondeductible section 162(e) dues	3	89,378,367
4 If notices were sent and the amount on line 2c exceeds the amount on line 3, what portion of the excess does the organization agree to carryover to the reasonable estimate of nondeductible lobbying and political expenditure next year?	4	-4,713,552
5 Taxable amount of lobbying and political expenditures (see instructions)	5	0

Part IV Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part I-A, line 1, Part I-B, line 4, Part I-C, line 5, Part II-A (affiliated group list), Part II-A, lines 1 and 2 (see instructions), and Part II-B, line 1 Also, complete this part for any additional information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I-A, Line 1	API CONDUCTS POLITICAL ACTIVITIES THROUGH A SEPARATE SEGREGATED FUND, AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE IN 2016, API MADE PAYMENTS TOTALING \$340,000 TO SECTION 527 POLITICAL ORGANIZATIONS

Additional Data

Software ID:

Software Version:

EIN: 13-0433430

Name: AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Form 990, Schedule C, Part 1-C, Line 5

(a) Name	(b) Address	(c) EIN	(d) Amount paid from filing organization's funds. If none, enter -0-	(e) Amount of political contributions received and promptly and directly delivered to a separate political organization. If none, enter -0-
American Petroleum Institute Political Action Committee	1220 L Street NW Washington, DC 20005	262596972		62219
Community Leaders of America	2101 Cedar Springs Road Suite 1050 Dallas, TX 75201	463149989	10000	
Democratic Governors Association	1401 K Street NW Suite 200 Washington, DC 20005	521304889	25000	
Mahoning County Democratic Party	4011 Hillman Way Youngstown, OH 44512	341628309	10000	
Mahoning County Republican Party	PO Box 9012 Youngstown, OH 44513	341641042	10000	
Ohio Democratic Party	340 East Fulton Street Columbus, OH 43215	314165080	10000	
Republican Attorneys General Association	1747 Penn Ave NW Ste 800 Washington, DC 20006	464501717	50000	
Republican Governors Association	1747 Penn Ave NW Ste 250 Washington, DC 20006	113655877	200000	
Republican State Leadership Committee	1201 F Street NW Suite 675 Washington, DC 20004	050532524	25000	

SCHEDULE D
(Form 990)

Supplemental Financial Statements

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▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11a, 11b, 11c, 11d, 11e, 11f, 12a, or 12b.
▶ Attach to Form 990.

Information about Schedule D (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization
AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Employer identification number
13-0433430

Part I Organizations Maintaining Donor Advised Funds or Other Similar Funds or Accounts.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 6.

	(a) Donor advised funds	(b) Funds and other accounts
1 Total number at end of year		
2 Aggregate value of contributions to (during year)		
3 Aggregate value of grants from (during year)		
4 Aggregate value at end of year		

5 Did the organization inform all donors and donor advisors in writing that the assets held in donor advised funds are the organization's property, subject to the organization's exclusive legal control? Yes No

6 Did the organization inform all grantees, donors, and donor advisors in writing that grant funds can be used only for charitable purposes and not for the benefit of the donor or donor advisor, or for any other purpose conferring impermissible private benefit? Yes No

Part II Conservation Easements. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 7.

1 Purpose(s) of conservation easements held by the organization (check all that apply)

Preservation of land for public use (e g , recreation or education) Preservation of an historically important land area

Protection of natural habitat Preservation of a certified historic structure

Preservation of open space

2 Complete lines 2a through 2d if the organization held a qualified conservation contribution in the form of a conservation easement on the last day of the tax year

	Held at the End of the Year
a Total number of conservation easements	2a
b Total acreage restricted by conservation easements	2b
c Number of conservation easements on a certified historic structure included in (a)	2c
d Number of conservation easements included in (c) acquired after 8/17/06, and not on a historic structure listed in the National Register	2d

3 Number of conservation easements modified, transferred, released, extinguished, or terminated by the organization during the tax year ▶ _____

4 Number of states where property subject to conservation easement is located ▶ _____

5 Does the organization have a written policy regarding the periodic monitoring, inspection, handling of violations, and enforcement of the conservation easements it holds? Yes No

6 Staff and volunteer hours devoted to monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ _____

7 Amount of expenses incurred in monitoring, inspecting, handling of violations, and enforcing conservation easements during the year ▶ \$ _____

8 Does each conservation easement reported on line 2(d) above satisfy the requirements of section 170(h)(4)(B)(i) and section 170(h)(4)(B)(ii)? Yes No

9 In Part XIII, describe how the organization reports conservation easements in its revenue and expense statement, and balance sheet, and include, if applicable, the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that describes the organization's accounting for conservation easements

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets.
Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 8.

1a If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), not to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide, in Part XIII, the text of the footnote to its financial statements that describes these items

b If the organization elected, as permitted under SFAS 116 (ASC 958), to report in its revenue statement and balance sheet works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets held for public exhibition, education, or research in furtherance of public service, provide the following amounts relating to these items

(i) Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

(ii) Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

2 If the organization received or held works of art, historical treasures, or other similar assets for financial gain, provide the following amounts required to be reported under SFAS 116 (ASC 958) relating to these items

a Revenue included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 1 ▶ \$ _____

b Assets included in Form 990, Part X ▶ \$ _____

Part III Organizations Maintaining Collections of Art, Historical Treasures, or Other Similar Assets *(continued)*

- 3** Using the organization's acquisition, accession, and other records, check any of the following that are a significant use of its collection items (check all that apply)
- a** Public exhibition
 - b** Scholarly research
 - c** Preservation for future generations
 - d** Loan or exchange programs
 - e** Other
- 4** Provide a description of the organization's collections and explain how they further the organization's exempt purpose in Part XIII
- 5** During the year, did the organization solicit or receive donations of art, historical treasures or other similar assets to be sold to raise funds rather than to be maintained as part of the organization's collection? Yes No

Part IV Escrow and Custodial Arrangements.

Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 9, or reported an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21.

- 1a** Is the organization an agent, trustee, custodian or other intermediary for contributions or other assets not included on Form 990, Part X? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII and complete the following table
- | | Amount |
|--|--------|
| c Beginning balance | |
| d Additions during the year | |
| e Distributions during the year | |
| f Ending balance | |
- 2a** Did the organization include an amount on Form 990, Part X, line 21, for escrow or custodial account liability? Yes No
- b** If "Yes," explain the arrangement in Part XIII Check here if the explanation has been provided in Part XIII

Part V Endowment Funds. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 10.

	(a)Current year	(b)Prior year	(c)Two years back	(d)Three years back	(e)Four years back
1a Beginning of year balance					
b Contributions					
c Net investment earnings, gains, and losses					
d Grants or scholarships					
e Other expenditures for facilities and programs					
f Administrative expenses					
g End of year balance					

- 2** Provide the estimated percentage of the current year end balance (line 1g, column (a)) held as
- a** Board designated or quasi-endowment ▶
 - b** Permanent endowment ▶
 - c** Temporarily restricted endowment ▶
- The percentages on lines 2a, 2b, and 2c should equal 100%
- 3a** Are there endowment funds not in the possession of the organization that are held and administered for the organization by
- | | Yes | No |
|--|---------------|----|
| (i) unrelated organizations | 3a(i) | |
| (ii) related organizations | 3a(ii) | |
| b If "Yes" on 3a(ii), are the related organizations listed as required on Schedule R? | 3b | |
- 4** Describe in Part XIII the intended uses of the organization's endowment funds

Part VI Land, Buildings, and Equipment.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11a. See Form 990, Part X, line 10.

Description of property	(a) Cost or other basis (investment)	(b) Cost or other basis (other)	(c) Accumulated depreciation	(d) Book value
1a Land				
b Buildings				
c Leasehold improvements		8,911,610	6,123,027	2,788,583
d Equipment		6,635,043	5,676,491	958,552
e Other		28,656,464	20,066,347	8,590,117
Total. Add lines 1a through 1e (Column (d) must equal Form 990, Part X, column (B), line 10(c)) . . . ▶				12,337,252

Part VII Investments—Other Securities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11b. See Form 990, Part X, line 12.

(a) Description of security or category (including name of security)	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1) Financial derivatives		
(2) Closely-held equity interests		
(3) Other _____		
(A)		
(B)		
(C)		
(D)		
(E)		
(F)		
(G)		
(H)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 12)		

Part VIII Investments—Program Related. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11c. See Form 990, Part X, line 13.

(a) Description of investment	(b) Book value	(c) Method of valuation Cost or end-of-year market value
(1)		
(2)		
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		
(7)		
(8)		
(9)		
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 13)		

Part IX Other Assets. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11d See Form 990, Part X, line 15

(a) Description	(b) Book value
(1)	
(2)	
(3)	
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 15)	

Part X Other Liabilities. Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 11e or 11f. See Form 990, Part X, line 25.

1. (a) Description of liability	(b) Book value
(1) Federal income taxes	
ACCRUED PENSION LIABILITY	25,594,687
SUPPLEMENTAL BENEFIT PLANS	7,546,361
POSTRETIREMENT BENEFITS OTHER THAN PENSION	48,862,702
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	
(7)	
(8)	
(9)	
Total. (Column (b) must equal Form 990, Part X, col (B) line 25)	82,003,750

2. Liability for uncertain tax positions In Part XIII, provide the text of the footnote to the organization's financial statements that reports the organization's liability for uncertain tax positions under FIN 48 (ASC 740) Check here if the text of the footnote has been provided in Part XIII

Part XI Reconciliation of Revenue per Audited Financial Statements With Revenue per Return

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total revenue, gains, and other support per audited financial statements	1	229,768,720
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12		
a	Net unrealized gains (losses) on investments	2a	-2,740
b	Donated services and use of facilities	2b	
c	Recoveries of prior year grants	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	190,345
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	187,605
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	229,581,115
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 12, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	77,703
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	77,703
5	Total revenue. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 12)	5	229,658,818

Part XII Reconciliation of Expenses per Audited Financial Statements With Expenses per Return.

Complete if the organization answered 'Yes' on Form 990, Part IV, line 12a.

1	Total expenses and losses per audited financial statements	1	225,186,400
2	Amounts included on line 1 but not on Form 990, Part IX, line 25		
a	Donated services and use of facilities	2a	
b	Prior year adjustments	2b	
c	Other losses	2c	
d	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	2d	184,281
e	Add lines 2a through 2d	2e	184,281
3	Subtract line 2e from line 1	3	225,002,119
4	Amounts included on Form 990, Part IX, line 25, but not on line 1 :		
a	Investment expenses not included on Form 990, Part VIII, line 7b	4a	77,703
b	Other (Describe in Part XIII)	4b	
c	Add lines 4a and 4b	4c	77,703
5	Total expenses. Add lines 3 and 4c . (This must equal Form 990, Part I, line 18)	5	225,079,822

Part XIII Supplemental Information

Provide the descriptions required for Part II, lines 3, 5, and 9, Part III, lines 1a and 4, Part IV, lines 1b and 2b, Part V, line 4, Part X, line 2, Part XI, lines 2d and 4b, and Part XII, lines 2d and 4b. Also complete this part to provide any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
See Additional Data Table	

Part XIII Supplemental Information *(continued)*

Return Reference	Explanation

Additional Data

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Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part XI, Line 2d - Other Adjustments	API POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE CONSOLIDATED IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 190,345

Supplemental Information

Return Reference	Explanation
Part XII, Line 2d - Other Adjustments	API POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE CONSOLIDATED IN AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS 184,281

**SCHEDULE F
(Form 990)**

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Statement of Activities Outside the United States

▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990,
Part IV, line 14b, 15, or 16.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ See separate instructions.

▶ Information about Schedule F (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

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Inspection**

Name of the organization
AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Employer identification number
13-0433430

Part I **General Information on Activities Outside the United States.** Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 14b.

- For grantmakers.** Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of its grants and other assistance, the grantees' eligibility for the grants or assistance, and the selection criteria used to award the grants or assistance? Yes No
- For grantmakers.** Describe in Part V the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of its grants and other assistance outside the United States
- Activities per Region (The following Part I, line 3 table can be duplicated if additional space is needed)

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees, agents, and independent contractors in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (e.g., fundraising, program services, investments, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for and investments in region
(1) See Add'l Data					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
3a Sub-total	3	6			15,628,335
b Total from continuation sheets to Part I	1	1			2,283,860
c Totals (add lines 3a and 3b)	4	7			17,912,195

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations or Entities Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 15, for any recipient who received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

1 (a) Name of organization	(b) IRS code section and EIN (if applicable)	(c) Region	(d) Purpose of grant	(e) Amount of cash grant	(f) Manner of cash disbursement	(g) Amount of non-cash assistance	(h) Description of non-cash assistance	(i) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)		Europe	Research Grant	25,000	Wire Transfer	0		
(2)		South America	Research Grant	17,000	Wire Transfer	0		
(3)								
(4)								

- 2 Enter total number of recipient organizations listed above that are recognized as charities by the foreign country, recognized as tax-exempt by the IRS, or for which the grantee or counsel has provided a section 501(c)(3) equivalency letter ▶ 0
- 3 Enter total number of other organizations or entities ▶ 2

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Individuals Outside the United States. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" to Form 990, Part IV, line 16.

Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Region	(c) Number of recipients	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Manner of cash disbursement	(f) Amount of non-cash assistance	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)
(1)							
(2)							
(3)							
(4)							
(5)							
(6)							
(7)							
(8)							
(9)							
(10)							
(11)							
(12)							
(13)							
(14)							
(15)							
(16)							
(17)							
(18)							

Part IV Foreign Forms

- 1 Was the organization a U S transferor of property to a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 926, Return by a U S Transferor of Property to a Foreign Corporation (see Instructions for Form 926)* Yes No
- 2 Did the organization have an interest in a foreign trust during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 3520, Annual Return to Report Transactions with Foreign Trusts and Receipt of Certain Foreign Gifts, and/or Form 3520-A, Annual Information Return of Foreign Trust With a U S Owner (see Instructions for Forms 3520 and 3520-A)* Yes No
- 3 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign corporation during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 5471, Information Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Corporations (see Instructions for Form 5471)* Yes No
- 4 Was the organization a direct or indirect shareholder of a passive foreign investment company or a qualified electing fund during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8621, Information Return by a Shareholder of a Passive Foreign Investment Company or Qualified Electing Fund (see Instructions for Form 8621)* Yes No
- 5 Did the organization have an ownership interest in a foreign partnership during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to file Form 8865, Return of U S Persons with Respect to Certain Foreign Partnerships (see Instructions for Form 8865)* Yes No
- 6 Did the organization have any operations in or related to any boycotting countries during the tax year? *If "Yes," the organization may be required to separately file Form 5713, International Boycott Report (see Instructions for Form 5713)* Yes No

Part V Supplemental Information

Provide the information required by Part I, line 2 (monitoring of funds); Part I, line 3, column (f) (accounting method; amounts of investments vs. expenditures per region); Part II, line 1 (accounting method); Part III (accounting method); and Part III, column (c) (estimated number of recipients), as applicable. Also complete this part to provide any additional information (see instructions).

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I, Line 2	ALL GRANTS ARE ASSIGNED AN API STAFF MEMBER AS THE CONTRACT OFFICER THE CONTRACT OFFICER'S RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE MONITORING THE ACTIVITIES OF THE GRANTEES, AS WELL AS THE RECEIPT AND REVIEW OF PERIODIC PROGRESS REPORTS

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I, Line 3	<p>API's certification programs include licensing of manufacturers and individuals throughout the world. Audits of manufacturers are conducted through independent contractors, which are primarily coordinated through a U.S.-based entity. The evaluation and grant of licenses is conducted at API's headquarters in Washington, D.C. Similarly, API's individual certification examinations are offered at various world-wide locations, proctored by a U.S.-based independent contractor. The examination results and certifications are also evaluated and awarded at API's headquarters in Washington, D.C. API-U training programs, offered in both the United States and abroad, enable participants to maintain professional competency and meet ever-changing statutory requirements. API develops course content with a third party and provides Train-the-Trainer sessions to develop qualified trainers for course materials. Approved trainers deliver API-U courses all over the world.</p>

Additional Data

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Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
Central America and the Caribbean - Antigua & Barbuda, Aruba, Bahamas,	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	53,410
East Asia and the Pacific - Australia, Brunei, Burma, Cambodia,	2	5	Program Services	Certification Programs	9,593,128
East Asia and the Pacific - Australia, Brunei, Burma, Cambodia,	0	0	Program Services	Meetings & Events	296,601

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(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
Europe (Including Iceland & Greenland) - Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	2,114,199
Europe (Including Iceland & Greenland) - Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belgium	0	0	Grants & Contributions		25,000
Middle East and North Africa - Algeria, Bahrain, Djibouti, Egypt,	1	1	Program Services	Certification Programs	1,681,199

Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
North America - Canada and Mexico, but not the United States	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	1,221,273
Russia and Neighboring States - Armenia, Azerbaijan, Belarus,	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	643,525
South America - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Ecuador,	1	1	Program Services	Certification Programs	818,363

Form 990 Schedule F Part I - Activities Outside The United States

(a) Region	(b) Number of offices in the region	(c) Number of employees or agents in region	(d) Activities conducted in region (by type) (i.e., fundraising, program services, grants to recipients located in the region)	(e) If activity listed in (d) is a program service, describe specific type of service(s) in region	(f) Total expenditures for region
South America - Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Columbia, Ecuador,	0	0	Grants & Contributions		17,000
South Asia - Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal,	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	1,121,486
Sub-Saharan Africa - Angola, Benin, Botswana, Burkina Faso,	0	0	Program Services	Certification Programs	327,011

Schedule I (Form 990)

Grants and Other Assistance to Organizations, Governments and Individuals in the United States

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Complete if the organization answered "Yes," on Form 990, Part IV, line 21 or 22.

Attach to Form 990.

Information about Schedule I (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Name of the organization AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Employer identification number

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Part I General Information on Grants and Assistance

- 1 Does the organization maintain records to substantiate the amount of the grants or assistance...
2 Describe in Part IV the organization's procedures for monitoring the use of grant funds in the United States

Part II Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 21, for any recipient that received more than \$5,000. Part II can be duplicated if additional space is needed.

Table with 8 columns: (a) Name and address of organization or government, (b) EIN, (c) IRC section if applicable, (d) Amount of cash grant, (e) Amount of non-cash assistance, (f) Method of valuation, (g) Description of non-cash assistance, (h) Purpose of grant or assistance. Includes rows for data entry and summary rows at the bottom.

2 Enter total number of section 501(c)(3) and government organizations listed in the line 1 table.
3 Enter total number of other organizations listed in the line 1 table.

Part III Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Individuals. Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 22
Part III can be duplicated if additional space is needed

(a) Type of grant or assistance	(b) Number of recipients	(c) Amount of cash grant	(d) Amount of non-cash assistance	(e) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(f) Description of non-cash assistance
(1)					
(2)					
(3)					
(4)					
(5)					
(6)					
(7)					

Part IV Supplemental Information. Provide the information required in Part I, line 2, Part III, column (b), and any other additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I, Line 2	ALL GRANTS ARE ASSIGNED AN API STAFF MEMBER AS THE CONTRACT OFFICER. THE CONTRACT OFFICER'S RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE MONITORING THE ACTIVITIES OF GRANTEEES, AS WELL AS THE RECEIPT AND REVIEW OF PERIODIC PROGRESS REPORTS

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Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
A Wider Circle 9159-C Brookville Road Silver Spring, MD 20910	52-2345144	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship
American Association of Blacks in Energy 1625 K St NW Ste 405 Washington, DC 20006	84-0782569	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
American Chemistry Council Inc 700 2nd Street NE Washington, DC 20002	53-0104410	501(c)(6)	15,000				General support
American Chemistry Council Inc 700 2nd Street NE Washington, DC 20002	53-0104410	501(c)(6)	7,500				Education program

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
American Council for Capital Formation 1750 K Street NW Suite 400 Washington, DC 20006	52-1091172	501(c)(3)	25,000				General support
American Enterprise Institute 1150 Seventeenth Street NW Washington, DC 20036	53-0218495	501(c)(3)	15,000				General support

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Americans for Tax Reform 722 12th Street NW 4th Floor Washington, DC 200053966	52-1403587	501(c)(4)	50,000				General support
Asian Pacific American Institute for Congressional Studies (APAICS) 1001 Connecticut Avenue NW Suite 530 Washington, DC 20036	52-1917903	501(c)(3)	70,000				Event and Intern Sponsorship

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Association for Environmental Health & Sciences Foundation (AEHS) 150 Fearing Street Suite 21 Amherst, MA 01002	26-2624347	501(c)(3)	7,000				Event sponsorship
Boy Scouts of America 9190 Rockville Pike Bethesda, MD 20814	53-0204610	501(c)(3)	25,000				Event sponsorship

Form 990, Schedule I, Part II, Grants and Other Assistance to Domestic Organizations and Domestic Governments.

(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Building & Construction Trades Dept (BCTD) AFL-CIO 815 16th Street NW Suite 600 Washington, DC 20006	53-0025755	501(c)(5)	25,000				Event sponsorship
Citizens to Protect Pennsylvania Jobs 417 Walnut Street Harrisburg, PA 17101	32-0236838	501(c)(4)	34,500				General support

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Cleveland 2016 Host Committee Inc 1375 East Ninth Street 20th Floor Cleveland, OH 441141793	47-1304221	501(c)(3)	900,000				Event sponsorship
Coloradans for Responsible Reform P O Box 18950 Denver, CO 80218	80-0517438	501(c)(6)	51,234				General support

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Congressional Black Caucus Foundation Inc 1720 Massachusetts Ave NW Washington, DC 20036	52-1160561	501(c)(3)	135,000				Event and Intern Sponsorship
Congressional Coalition on Adoption Institute 311 Massachusetts Avenue NW Washington, DC 20002	54-2035617	501(c)(3)	50,000				General support

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Democratic Governors Association 1401 K St NW Ste 200 Washington, DC 20005	52-1304889	Sec 527	25,000				Event sponsorship
Edison Electric Institute 701 Pennsylvania Ave NW Washington, DC 20004	13-0659550	501(c)(6)	7,000				General support

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Energy Policy Research Foundation Inc 1201 Wisconsin Avenue Washington, DC 20007	13-1512139	501(c)(6)	25,000				Energy policy research
Environmental Council of the States (ECOS) 50 F Street NW Suite 350 Washington, DC 20001	36-3962169	501(c)(6)	15,000				Education Program

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Ford's Theatre 514 Tenth St NW Washington, DC 20004	52-6073157	501(c)(3)	10,000				General support
Friends of the House 2016 LLC 104 Hume Avenue Alexandria, VA 22301	47-4741194	For-Profit	100,000				Event sponsorship

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Ground Water Protection Council 7728 East 98th Place Tulsa, OK 74133	73-1210455	501(c)(6)	200,000				Research Grant
Ground Water Research & Education Foundation 133308 N MacArthur Boulevard Oklahoma City, OK 73142	73-1271210	501(c)(3)	10,000				General support

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Hispanic Association on Corporate Responsibility 1444 I Street NW Suite 850 Washington, DC 20005	85-0356947	501(c)(3)	8,000				Event sponsorship
IHS Global Inc 15 Inverness Way East Englewood, CO 80112	22-2721160	For-Profit	75,000				Event sponsorship

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(a) Name and address of organization or government	(b) EIN	(c) IRC section if applicable	(d) Amount of cash grant	(e) Amount of non-cash assistance	(f) Method of valuation (book, FMV, appraisal, other)	(g) Description of non-cash assistance	(h) Purpose of grant or assistance
Joint Center for Political and Economic Studies Inc 633 Pennsylvania Avenue NW Washington, DC 20004	52-1069070	501(c)(3)	25,000				Energy Outreach
Latitude LLC 1945 Lorraine Avenue McLean, VA 22101	27-1968883	For-Profit	10,000				Event sponsorship

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LNG Allies 17813 Millhaven Terrace Germantown, MD 20874	46-5721112	501(c)(6)	30,000				General support
Mahoning County Democratic Party 4011 Hillman Way Youngstown, OH 44512	34-1628309	Sec 527	10,000				General support

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Mahoning County Republican Party PO Box 9012 Youngstown, OH 44513	34-1641042	Sec 527	10,000				General support
Metro Denver Economic Development Corp 1445 Market Street - 4th Floor Denver, CO 802021729	84-0186760	501(c)(6)	12,500				General support

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NALEO Educational Fund 1122 W Washington Blvd Suite 301 Los Angeles, CA 90015	52-1212849	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship
National Academy of Sciences 500 5th Street NW Washington, DC 20001	53-0196932	501(c)(3)	100,000				Research Grant

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National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners 1101 Vermont Avenue NW Suite 200 Washington, DC 20005	53-0204609	501(c)(4)	8,500				Event sponsorship
National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners 1101 Vermont Avenue NW Suite 200 Washington, DC 20005	53-0204609	501(c)(4)	7,500				Event sponsorship

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National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners 1101 Vermont Avenue NW Suite 200 Washington, DC 20005	53-0204609	501(c)(4)	5,800				Event sponsorship
National Council for Air and Stream Improvement 402 SW 140th Terrace Newberry, FL 32669	13-1085344	501(c)(6)	30,000				Research Grant

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National Newspaper Publishers Association 1816 12th Street NW Washington, DC 20009	52-1008362	501(c)(3)	50,000				Event sponsorship
National Ocean Policy Coalition 601 Pennsylvania Ave NW South Building Ste 900 Washington, DC 20004	27-2005123	501(c)(6)	35,000				General support

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National Urban League 120 Wall Street 8th Floor New York, NY 10005	13-1840489	501(c)(3)	25,000				General support
Ohio Association of Foodbanks 101 E Town St Suite 540 Columbus, OH 43215	34-1677838	501(c)(3)	141,480				General support

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Ohio Democratic Party 340 East Fulton Street Columbus, OH 43215	31-4165080	Sec 527	10,000				General support
Philadelphia 2016 Host Committee 1900 Market Street 300 Philadelphia, PA 191033527	47-2620788	501(c)(3)	700,000				Event sponsorship

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Plumbers & Pipefitters Local 396 493 Bev Road Bldg 3 Boardman, OH 44512	34-0945178	501(c)(5)	120,000				Education Program
Politico LLC 1100 Wilson Blvd 6th Fl Arlington, VA 22209	27-4022975	For-Profit	175,000				Event sponsorship

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Radio Television Digital News Association (RTDNA) 529 14th Street NW Ste 425 Washington, DC 20045	52-1452178	501(c)(3)	7,000				Event sponsorship
Radio Television Digital News Association (RTDNA) 529 14th Street NW Ste 425 Washington, DC 20045	52-1452178	501(c)(3)	6,000				Event sponsorship

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Raise the Bar Protect Our Constitution 5910 South University Blvd C18-254 Greenwood Village, CO 80121	81-1641312	501(c)(4)	300,000				General support
Republican Attorneys General Association 1201 F Street NW Suite 675 Washington, DC 20004	46-4501717	Sec 527	50,000				General support

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Republican Governor's Association 1747 Pennsylvania Ave NW Ste 250 Washington, DC 20006	11-3655877	Sec 527	125,000				General support
Republican Governor's Association 1747 Pennsylvania Ave NW Ste 250 Washington, DC 20006	11-3655877	Sec 527	75,000				Event sponsorship

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Republican State Leadership Committee 1201 F Street NW Suite 675 Washington, DC 20004	05-0532524	Sec 527	25,000				General support
Resources First Foundation 74 Lunt Road 300 Falmouth, ME 04105	01-0531683	501(c)(3)	30,000				General support

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Science Spark 3663 Lone Dove Lane Encinitas, CA 92024	26-2497802	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship
So Others Might Eat 71 O Street NW Washington, DC 20001	23-7098123	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship

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Stanford University Terman Engineering Center Room 452 Stanford, CA 943054026	94-1156365	501(c)(3)	28,333				General support
STRONGER 13308 N MacArthur Oklahoma City, OK 73142	31-1666039	501(c)(3)	80,000				General support

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The Economic Club of Washington DC 1156 15th Street NW Suite 600 Washington, DC 20005	52-1469926	501(c)(3)	6,000				Event sponsorship
The National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development 953 East Juanita Avenue Mesa, AZ 85204	95-2627645	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship

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The National Center for American Indian Enterprise Development 953 East Juanita Avenue Mesa, AZ 85204	95-2627645	501(c)(3)	10,000				Event sponsorship
Tri-State Bird Rescue 110 Possum Hollow Road Newark, DE 19711	51-0265807	501(c)(3)	16,000				Event sponsorship

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United States Association for Energy Economics (USAEE) 28790 Chargin Blvd Suite 350 Cleveland, OH 44122	04-2685180	501(c)(6)	15,000				Event sponsorship
United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce 1424 K Street NW Suite 401 Washington, DC 20005	43-1249249	501(c)(6)	25,000				Event sponsorship

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University of Texas at Arlington 140 W Mitchell Street Arlington, TX 760190197	75-6000121	Sec 115	10,000				Event sponsorship
Virginia Foundation for Research & Economic Education P O Box 29268 Henrico, VA 23242	54-1473133	501(c)(6)	20,000				Event sponsorship

Schedule J
(Form 990)

Department of the Treasury
Internal Revenue Service

Compensation Information

OMB No 1545-0047

For certain Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees
 ▶ **Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 23.**
 ▶ **Attach to Form 990.**

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Name of the organization AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE	Employer identification number 13-0433430
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Part I Questions Regarding Compensation

	Yes	No								
<p>1a Check the appropriate box(es) if the organization provided any of the following to or for a person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a. Complete Part III to provide any relevant information regarding these items.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> First-class or charter travel	<input type="checkbox"/> Housing allowance or residence for personal use	<input type="checkbox"/> Travel for companions	<input type="checkbox"/> Payments for business use of personal residence	<input type="checkbox"/> Tax indemnification and gross-up payments	<input type="checkbox"/> Health or social club dues or initiation fees	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretionary spending account	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal services (e.g., maid, chauffeur, chef)		
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b If any of the boxes in line 1a are checked, did the organization follow a written policy regarding payment or reimbursement or provision of all of the expenses described above? If "No," complete Part III to explain.	1b	Yes								
2 Did the organization require substantiation prior to reimbursing or allowing expenses incurred by all directors, trustees, officers, including the CEO/Executive Director, regarding the items checked in line 1a?	2	Yes								
<p>3 Indicate which, if any, of the following the filing organization used to establish the compensation of the organization's CEO/Executive Director. Check all that apply. Do not check any boxes for methods used by a related organization to establish compensation of the CEO/Executive Director, but explain in Part III.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations</td> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee</td> </tr> </table>	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Written employment contract	<input type="checkbox"/> Independent compensation consultant	<input type="checkbox"/> Compensation survey or study	<input type="checkbox"/> Form 990 of other organizations	<input type="checkbox"/> Approval by the board or compensation committee				
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4 During the year, did any person listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a with respect to the filing organization or a related organization:										
a Receive a severance payment or change-of-control payment?	4a	Yes								
b Participate in, or receive payment from, a supplemental nonqualified retirement plan?	4b	Yes								
c Participate in, or receive payment from, an equity-based compensation arrangement? If "Yes" to any of lines 4a-c, list the persons and provide the applicable amounts for each item in Part III.	4c	No								
Only 501(c)(3), 501(c)(4), and 501(c)(29) organizations must complete lines 5-9.										
5 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the revenues of:										
a The organization?	5a									
b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 5a or 5b, describe in Part III.	5b									
6 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization pay or accrue any compensation contingent on the net earnings of:										
a The organization?	6a									
b Any related organization? If "Yes," on line 6a or 6b, describe in Part III.	6b									
7 For persons listed on Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, did the organization provide any non-fixed payments not described in lines 5 and 6? If "Yes," describe in Part III.	7									
8 Were any amounts reported on Form 990, Part VII, paid or accrued pursuant to a contract that was subject to the initial contract exception described in Regulations section 53.4958-4(a)(3)? If "Yes," describe in Part III.	8									
9 If "Yes" on line 8, did the organization also follow the rebuttable presumption procedure described in Regulations section 53.4958-6(c)?	9									

Part II Officers, Directors, Trustees, Key Employees, and Highest Compensated Employees. Use duplicate copies if additional space is needed.

For each individual whose compensation must be reported on Schedule J, report compensation from the organization on row (i) and from related organizations, described in the instructions, on row (ii). Do not list any individuals that are not listed on Form 990, Part VII.

Note. The sum of columns (B)(i)-(iii) for each listed individual must equal the total amount of Form 990, Part VII, Section A, line 1a, applicable column (D) and (E) amounts for that individual.

(A) Name and Title	(B) Breakdown of W-2 and/or 1099-MISC compensation			(C) Retirement and other deferred compensation	(D) Nontaxable benefits	(E) Total of columns (B)(i)-(D)	(F) Compensation in column(B) reported as deferred on prior Form 990
	(i) Base compensation	(ii) Bonus & incentive compensation	(iii) Other reportable compensation				
See Additional Data Table							

Part III Supplemental Information

Provide the information, explanation, or descriptions required for Part I, lines 1a, 1b, 3, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 6a, 6b, 7, and 8, and for Part II. Also complete this part for any additional information.

Return Reference	Explanation
Part I, Line 1a	<p>First class or charter travel - First class air travel is limited to executive staff members and may be booked only when business class is unavailable on qualifying flights. Other staff members may travel first or business class only when accompanying an executive staff member, a member company executive or governmental official who travels first class or business class, or, for international flights, when extenuating circumstances justifying traveling business class. First or business class air travel must be approved in advance by an executive staff member, and the employee must provide the justification on the expense report. First class train passage is an acceptable alternative to coach air fares of equal or greater value. It is not API's practice to charter travel, except in the limited circumstance in which commercial travel schedules do not accommodate the President and CEO's itinerary. No flights were chartered during 2016. Travel for companions - Instances in which a spouse accompanies an employee traveling on business at API expense are limited and approved in advance. In such authorized cases, unless the strict legal definition of business purpose is met, the reimbursement is treated as taxable income to the employee. Tax indemnification and gross up payments - For employees who qualify to participate in the nonqualified retirement income plan, API pays taxes due on the accrued benefits as they are awarded to the participants. These tax payments are treated as an advance and netted from the accrued benefits to the participants upon distribution. Health or social club dues or initiation fees - Reimbursement of club dues to an employee in any club organized for pleasure, recreation, or other social purpose (i.e., country clubs, luncheon clubs, and airline and hotel clubs) is limited and requires executive staff approval. Employees who have been reimbursed for club dues must annually account for their business use, and non-business use is treated as taxable income to the employee. Personal services - API provides an annual allowance of \$5,000 to the President and CEO to be used for financial planning and tax preparation services. This allowance is treated as taxable income to the President and CEO. API provides a personal driver to the President and CEO primarily for business purposes. Any personal usage is treated as taxable income to the President and CEO.</p>
Part I, Lines 4a-b	<p>Part I, Line 4A The following employees received severance payments from American Petroleum Institute in 2016: Greco, Robert L - \$169,650; Modine, John D - \$157,500. Part I, Line 4B Participants in the American Petroleum Institute supplemental benefit plans received contributions in 2016 as follows: Gerard, Jack N - \$2,826,222 includes nonvested accrual of \$1,184,812; Linden, Stacy R - \$117,955 includes nonvested accrual of \$42,579; Robertson, John E - \$98,333 includes nonvested accrual of \$42,769; Durbin, Martin J - \$562,980 includes nonvested accrual of \$525,480; Rozett, Linda G - \$168,573 includes nonvested accrual of \$50,873; Finkel, Louis A - (\$53,530) includes nonvested accrual of (\$71,625) due to forfeiture; Macchiarola, Frank J - \$78,504 includes nonvested accrual of \$69,254; Isakower, Kyle B - \$168,001 includes nonvested accrual of \$38,056; Salley, Lisa - \$73,420 - includes nonvested accrual of \$69,420; Rorick, Robin R - \$167,115 includes nonvested accrual of \$27,166; Milito, Erik G - \$119,119 - includes nonvested accrual of \$35,726; Williams, Charles R - \$132,931 includes nonvested accrual of \$33,455; Hanson, Rolf W - \$110,162; Feldman, Howard J - \$86,906; Bowman, Erica S - \$12,048 includes nonvested accrual of \$8,991; Wohlschlegel, Eric J - \$17,400; Greco, Robert L - (\$2,090)*; Modine, John D - \$31,319; Uria, Jose G (\$14,408) * * As a result of the actuarial assumptions used, this employee experienced a reduction in the value of the supplemental defined benefit accrued. The following participants in the American Petroleum Institute supplemental benefit plans received payments in 2016 as follows: Greco, Robert L - \$539,259; Modine, John D - \$15,646.</p>

SCHEDULE O
(Form 990 or 990-EZ)**Supplemental Information to Form 990 or 990-EZ**

Complete to provide information for responses to specific questions on Form 990 or 990-EZ or to provide any additional information.

▶ Attach to Form 990 or 990-EZ.

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Name of the organization

AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Employer identification number

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part III, line 2	Effective January 1, 2016, America's Natural Gas Alliance (ANGA) and API effected an asset contribution agreement whereby ANGA contributed substantially all its net assets to API and API assumed the advocacy mission activities of ANGA. As such, API received cash contributions of \$11,893,728 and \$300,000 from ANGA on January 4, 2016 and July 21, 2016, respectively. ANGA ceased operations on December 31, 2015 and is in the process of dissolution under Delaware state law. As part of the continued dissolution process, API received an additional cash contribution of \$100,000 on January 25, 2017, subsequent to year-end. Certain ANGA employees became API employees on January 1, 2016 to continue advocacy mission activities previously performed by ANGA associated with natural gas market development.

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Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 1	API'S EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF UP TO 15 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD (BUT NO LESS THAN 12) MEMBERS INCLUDE THE API CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD AND THE CHAIR OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE, WITH REPRESENTATION OF THE TOP SIX (6) DUES-PAYING MEMBERS, AND THE REMAINING MEMBERS CHOSEN FROM THE REMAINING DUES-PAYING MEMBERS THE API PRESIDENT AND CEO SERVES AS AN EX-OFFICIO VOTING MEMBER THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HAS THE AUTHORITY TO EXERCISE ALL OF THE POWERS OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS IN THE ABSENCE OF ACTION BY THE BOARD, EXCEPT TO AMEND THE BYLAWS OR AS OTHERWISE LIMITED BY LAW ITS RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE LONG-RANGE PLANNING, STRATEGIC ISSUES, PROGRAM AND BUDGET DEVELOPMENT, OVERSIGHT AND ADMINISTRATION

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 4	During the year, the API Board of Directors approved the expansion of the API Executive Committee from a maximum of fourteen members to a maximum of fifteen members, adding an additional at-large seat

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Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 6	API IS A TRADE ASSOCIATION WITH MEMBERSHIP DRAWN FROM THE OIL AND NATURAL GAS INDUSTRY AS DESCRIBED BELOW, API'S MEMBERS PARTICIPATE IN THE ELECTION OF THE BOARD REGULAR ELECTED BOARD MEMBERS HAVE FULL VOTING RIGHTS API'S PRESIDENT IS AN EX OFFICIO VOTING MEMBER OF THE BOARD OTHER EX OFFICIO MEMBERS DO NOT HAVE VOTING RIGHTS HONORARY DIRECTORS HAVE NO VOTING RIGHTS

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section A, line 7a	THE BOARD MEMBERS ARE ELECTED BY THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING EACH DIRECTOR SHALL HOLD OFFICE FOR A TWO YEAR TERM OR UNTIL THE DIRECTOR HAS CEASED TO HAVE A SUBSTANTIAL FULLTIME CONNECTION WITH THE MEMBER COMPANY THE DIRECTOR SERVED WHEN ELECTED

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 11b	API'S FORM 990 WAS PREPARED BY API STAFF AND REVIEWED BY ITS EXTERNAL ACCOUNTING FIRM PRIOR TO FILING, THE FORM 990 WAS INCLUDED WITH THE MATERIALS FOR THE FINANCE COMMITTEE'S MEETING IN OCTOBER 2017, AND REVIEWED DURING THE MEETING A COPY OF THE FORM 990 WAS PROVIDED TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE PRIOR TO FILING

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 12c	<p>API's Standards of Conduct policy includes provisions related to avoiding any act that may result in a conflict of interest. On an annual basis, all employees are asked to confirm their compliance with the Standards of Conduct policy. Any employee who is aware of a violation of this policy must take appropriate action so that the violation is promptly addressed. This may include reporting a violation to an Executive Staff member or to an externally-operated ethics hotline. All reports are assigned to an appropriate Executive Staff member for investigation and resolution and a report of all incidents are provided to the Finance Committee each year. The Board of Directors adopted a conflict of interest policy in 2008 that requires full disclosure of all actual and potential conflicts. The disinterested members of the API Executive Committee shall make a determination as to whether a conflict exists and what subsequent action is appropriate (if any). A copy of the policy is provided annually to all Board members who are requested to complete and sign an acknowledgment and disclosure form.</p>

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Form 990, Part VI, Section B, line 15	Compensation for API's President & CEO, other officers, and key employees is reviewed and approved by the Executive Committee, based on performance reviews, external comparable data obtained from consultants, and other relevant information. The President & CEO's compensation is based on a written contract approved by the Executive Committee. A review was last conducted in 2016 for the President and CEO, other officers, and key employees.

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Return Reference	Explanation
Form 990, Part VI, Section C, line 19	NO DOCUMENTS AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC

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Return Reference	Explanation
FORM 990, PART VI, LINE 10B	<p>Explanation of State Petroleum Councils API operates state petroleum councils located in various state capitals. These are not separate legal entities but operate as branch offices of API under local trade names. There are also several unrelated local chapters that exist that may use the API name, but they are separate legal entities from API.</p> <p>Explanation of Center for Offshore Safety The Center for Offshore Safety is an industry sponsored program focused exclusively on Gulf of Mexico offshore safety. The Center for Offshore Safety is not a separate legal entity but operates as a branch office of API under a trade name.</p> <p>Explanation of Foreign Offices As the markets for API's programs have become increasingly global, API maintains offices in China, United Arab Emirates (UAE), Singapore and Brazil to serve international customers. The offices are responsible for providing information about API's standards, certification programs and other industry services to companies throughout the world. The China and UAE offices are not separate legal entities but operate as representative offices. The Brazil and Singapore offices are separate legal entities but have elected to be treated as disregarded entities of API for tax purposes.</p>

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FORM 990, PART VIII, LINE 1F	PLEASE SEE EXPLANATION FOR FORM 990, PART III, LINE 2, REGARDING THE ACQUISITION OF SUBSTANTIALLY ALL OF THE ASSETS OF AMERICA'S NATURAL GAS ALLIANCE (ANGA)

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Form 990, Part IX, line 11g	CONTRACTED AUDIT SERVICES 21,051,211 ADVOCACY CONSULTING 14,450,272 IT CONSULTING 4,739,135 OTHER CONSULTING SERVICES 6,183,631

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Form 990, Part XI, line 9	PENSION-RELATED CHANGES OTHER THAN NET PERIODIC PENSION COSTS 3,869,519

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FORM 990, PART XII, LINE 2C	THE PROCESS HAS NOT CHANGED FROM THE PRIOR YEAR

**SCHEDULE R
(Form 990)**

Related Organizations and Unrelated Partnerships

OMB No 1545-0047

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▶ Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33, 34, 35b, 36, or 37.

▶ Attach to Form 990. ▶ Information about Schedule R (Form 990) and its instructions is at www.irs.gov/form990.

Name of the organization
AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE

Employer identification number

13-0433430

Part I Identification of Disregarded Entities Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 33.

(a) Name, address, and EIN (if applicable) of disregarded entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Total income	(e) End-of-year assets	(f) Direct controlling entity
(1) AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE HOLDINGS LLC 1220 L STREET NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005	HOLDS A MINORITY INTEREST IN API-BRASIL CONSULTORIA LDTA	DE			
(2) API-BRASIL CONSULTORIA LTDA PRAIA DE BOTAFOGO 228-16 ANDAR RIO DE JANEIRO 22250-040 BR 98-1154471	CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS	BR		64,907	
(3) AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE (SINGAPORE) PTE LTD 9 BATTERY ROAD 15-01 STRAITS TRADING BUILDING 049910 SN 98-1292513	CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS	SN		22,283	

Part II Identification of Related Tax-Exempt Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related tax-exempt organizations during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Exempt Code section	(e) Public charity status (if section 501(c)(3))	(f) Direct controlling entity	(g) Section 512 (b)(13) controlled entity?	
						Yes	No
(1) AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE 1220 L STREET NW WASHINGTON, DC 20005 27-2596972	POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE/SEPARATE SEGREGATED FUND	DC	527			Yes	

Part III Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a partnership during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Predominant income(related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512- 514)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
							Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part IV Identification of Related Organizations Taxable as a Corporation or Trust Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34 because it had one or more related organizations treated as a corporation or trust during the tax year.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of related organization	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Direct controlling entity	(e) Type of entity (C corp, S corp, or trust)	(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of- year assets	(h) Percentage ownership	(i) Section 512(b) (13) controlled entity?	
								Yes	No

Part V Transactions With Related Organizations Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 34, 35b, or 36.

Note. Complete line 1 if any entity is listed in Parts II, III, or IV of this schedule

	Yes	No
1 During the tax year, did the organization engage in any of the following transactions with one or more related organizations listed in Parts II-IV?		
a Receipt of (i) interest, (ii) annuities, (iii) royalties, or (iv) rent from a controlled entity		No
b Gift, grant, or capital contribution to related organization(s)		No
c Gift, grant, or capital contribution from related organization(s)		No
d Loans or loan guarantees to or for related organization(s)		No
e Loans or loan guarantees by related organization(s)		No
f Dividends from related organization(s)		No
g Sale of assets to related organization(s)		No
h Purchase of assets from related organization(s)		No
i Exchange of assets with related organization(s)		No
j Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets to related organization(s)		No
k Lease of facilities, equipment, or other assets from related organization(s)		No
l Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations for related organization(s)	Yes	
m Performance of services or membership or fundraising solicitations by related organization(s)		No
n Sharing of facilities, equipment, mailing lists, or other assets with related organization(s)	Yes	
o Sharing of paid employees with related organization(s)	Yes	
p Reimbursement paid to related organization(s) for expenses		No
q Reimbursement paid by related organization(s) for expenses		No
r Other transfer of cash or property to related organization(s)		No
s Other transfer of cash or property from related organization(s)		No

2 If the answer to any of the above is "Yes," see the instructions for information on who must complete this line, including covered relationships and transaction thresholds

(a) Name of related organization	(b) Transaction type (a-s)	(c) Amount involved	(d) Method of determining amount involved
(1) API Political Action Committee	L	76,807	Fair Market Value - In-Kind
(2) API Political Action Committee	N	100,940	Fair Market Value - In-Kind
(3) API Political Action Committee	O	176,785	Fair Market Value - In-Kind

Part VI Unrelated Organizations Taxable as a Partnership Complete if the organization answered "Yes" on Form 990, Part IV, line 37.

Provide the following information for each entity taxed as a partnership through which the organization conducted more than five percent of its activities (measured by total assets or gross revenue) that was not a related organization. See instructions regarding exclusion for certain investment partnerships.

(a) Name, address, and EIN of entity	(b) Primary activity	(c) Legal domicile (state or foreign country)	(d) Predominant income (related, unrelated, excluded from tax under sections 512-514)	(e) Are all partners section 501(c)(3) organizations?		(f) Share of total income	(g) Share of end-of-year assets	(h) Disproportionate allocations?		(i) Code V-UBI amount in box 20 of Schedule K-1 (Form 1065)	(j) General or managing partner?		(k) Percentage ownership
				Yes	No			Yes	No		Yes	No	

Part VII **Supplemental Information**

Provide additional information for responses to questions on Schedule R (see instructions)

Return Reference	Explanation
PART V,	API PAYS CERTAIN ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES RELATED TO THE API POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEE THESE INCLUDE PERSONNEL AND OTHER SERVICES AND ARE PAID DIRECTLY BY API