BERKSHIRE HATHAWAY INC Form 13F-HR May 16, 2011

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

Form 13F

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Repo	ort for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended	l: March	31, 2011				
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Inst	titutional Investment Manager Filing this	Report:					
	e: Berkshire Hathaway Inc. ress: 1440 Kiewit Plaza Omaha, NE 68131						
Form	m 13F File Number: 28-4545						
it i to s comp	institutional investment manager filing t is signed hereby represent that the person submit it, that all information contained plete, and that it is understood that all edules, lists, and tables, are considered	signin herein require	g the report i is true, corre d items, state	s authorized ect and ements,			
Pers	son Signing this Report on Behalf of Repor	ting Ma	nager:				
Titl Phon	e: Marc D. Hamburg le: Senior Vice President ne: 402-346-1400 nature, Place, and Date of Signing:						
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Repo	ort Type (Check only one.):						
[]	13F HOLDINGS REPORT. (Check here if all are reported in this report.)	holding	s of this repo	orting manager			
[]] 13F NOTICE. (Check here if no holdings reported are in this report, and all holdings are reported by other reporting manager(s).)						
[X]] 13F COMBINATION REPORT. (Check here if a portion of the holdings for this reporting manager are reported in this report and a portion are reported by other reporting manager(s).)						
List	t of Other Managers Reporting for this Man	ager:					
Form	m 13F File Number Name						

28- 5194

General Re - New England Asset Management, Inc.

Form 13F SUMMARY PAGE

Report Summary:

Number of Other Included Managers: 21
Form 13F Information Table Entry Total: 95
Form 13F Information Table Value Total: \$53,601,706
(thousands)

Confidential information has been omitted from the Form $13\mathrm{F}$ and filed separately with the Commission.

List of Other Included Managers:

Provide a numbered list of the name(s) and Form 13F file number(s) of all institutional investment managers with respect to which this report is filed, other than the manager filing this report.

[If there are no entries in this list, state "NONE" and omit the column headings and list entries.]

NO.	FORM 13F FILE NUMBER	NAME
1.	28-5678	Berkshire Hathaway Life Insurance Co. of Nebraska
2.	28-10388	BH Columbia Inc.
3.	28-	BH Finance LLC
4.	28-719	Blue Chip Stamps
5.	28-554	Buffett, Warren E.
6.	28-1517	Columbia Insurance Co.
7.	28-2226	Cornhusker Casualty Co.
8.	28-06102	Cypress Insurance Company
9.	28-11217	Fechheimer Brothers Company
	28-852	GEICO Corp.
11.	28-101	Government Employees Ins. Corp.
12.	28-	Medical Protective Corp.
13.	28-1066	National Fire & Marine
14.	28-718	National Indemnity Co.
15.	28-5006	National Liability & Fire Ins. Co.
	28-11222	Nebraska Furniture Mart
17.	28-717	OBH LLC
	28-	U.S. Investment Corp.
	28-1357	Wesco Financial Corp.
	28-3091	Wesco Financial Ins. Co.
21.	28-3105	Wesco Holdings Midwest, Inc.

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Column 1 Column 2 Column 3 Column 4 Column 5 Column 6

Investment Di	scretion
Market	
American Express Co. Com 025816 10 9 778,588 17,225,400 X	5,
	5, 5,
361,357 7,994,634 X 5,435,566 120,255,879 X	
87,828 1,943,100 X	5, 5,
01,020 1,343,100 A	20,
63,267 1,399,713 X	5,
37,960 839,832 X	5, 5,
88,237 1,952,142 X	5, 5,
Bank of New York Mellon	٠,
Corp. Com 064058 10 0 53,584 1,793,915 X	5,
Corp. Com 064038 10 0 35,384 1,793,913 X Coca Cola Com 191216 10 0 26,536 400,000 X	5, 5,
Coca Cola Com 191216 10 0 26,536 400,000 X 117,820 1,776,000 X	5, 5,
117,820 1,776,000 X 478,020 7,205,600 X	
410,020 1,200,000 A	5, 20,
2,662,994 40,141,600 X	20, 5,
	5, 5,
606,295 9,139,200 X	5,
31,843 480,000 X	5,
60,502 912,000 X	5,
Comdisco Holding Co. Com 200334 10 0 11,268 1,218,199 X	5,
2,802 302,963 X	5,
159 17,215 X	5,
ConocoPhillips Com 20825C 10 4 1,685,816 21,109,637 X	5,
159,720 2,000,000 X	5,
478,521 5,992,000 X	5,
0 1 57 - 1 1 - 0 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0 - 0	14,
Costco Wholesale Corp. Com 22160K 10 5 317,722 4,333,363 X	5,
Exxon Mobil Corp. Com 30231G 10 2 35,486 421,800 X	5
Gannett Inc. Com 364730 10 1 26,504 1,740,231 X	5,
General Electric Co. Com 369604 10 3 155,947 7,777,900 X	5
GlaxoSmithKline ADR 37733W 10 5 58,018 1,510,500 X	5,
Ingersoll-Rd Company LTD. CLA G4776G 10 1 30,725 636,600 X	5
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Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6
			Market		Investment Discretion
			Value	Shares or	(b) (c)
	Title of	CUSIP	(In	Principal	(a) Shared- Shared-
Name of Issuer	Class	Number	Thousands)	Amount \$	Sole Defined Other

Johnson & Johnson	Com	478160 10 4	256,108	4,322,500	X
			116 , 998	1,974,648	X
			888,230	14,991,217	X
			825 , 758	13,936,841	X
			8,553	144,357	X
			126,321	2,132,000	X
			34,069	575 , 000	X
			269,469	4,548,000	X
Kraft Foods Inc.	Com	50075N 10 4	1,761,318	56,164,484	X
				30,790,300	X
				10,000,000	X
			8,147	259 , 800	X
			250,880	8,000,000	X
M & T Bank Corporation	Com	55261F 10 4		4,653,026	X
•			48,305		X
			14,579	164,795	X
Mastercard Inc.	Com	57636Q 10 4	54,372		X
Moody's	Com	615369 10 5	430,516	12,695,850	X
•			533,045	15,719,400	X
Procter & Gamble Co.	Com	742718 10 9	2,297,128	37,291,036	X
			1,249,248	20,280,000	X
			384,384	6,240,000	X
			384,384	6,240,000	X
			48,048	780 , 000	X
			96,096	1,560,000	X
				4,375,000	X
Sanofi Aventis	ADR	80105N 10 5	17,205	488,500	X
			102,002	2,896,133	X
				169,300	X
			17,953	509,742	X
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			Market				-
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Name of Issuer	Class	Number	Thousands)	Amount \$	Sole Defined	Other	Mana

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Torchmark Corp.	Com	891027 10 4			X	5, 1,
			29 , 898	449,728	X	5, 2,
			110,151	1,656,900	X	5, 14,
			42,527	639 , 700	X	5, 13,
US Bancorp	Com	902973 30 4	616,012		X	5, 2,
1			548,920		X	5, 14,
			221,087		X	5
			264,300		X	5, 4,
			204,300	10,000,000	Λ	20, 21
			F7 4F0	0 174 000	**	
			57,459	2,174,000	X	5, 2, 17
			46,120	1,745,000	X	5, 18
			70,814		X	5, 10,
			70,014	2,079,300	Λ	
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USG Corporation United Parcel Service	Com	903293 40 5	284,423	17,072,192	X	5, 14,
Inc.	Com	911312 10 6	106,218	1,429,200	X	5
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.	Com	931142 10 3		33,891,142	X	5, 14,
war hare bedres, inc.	COIII	JJ1142 10 J	218,610		X	5, 3,
			49,239	946,000	X	5, 10, 14, 17
Washington Bost Co	Cl B	939640 10 8	391,312	894,304	X	5, 14,
Washington Post Co.	CIB	939040 10 0	•			
			64,895	148,311	X	5, 1, 17
			283,611	648,165	X	5, 13,
			16,183		X	5, 15,
Wells Fargo & Co. Del	Com	949746 10 1	•		X	5, 2,
erre rarge a ce. zer	00111	313,10 10 1	400,916		X	5, 4,
			100,010	12,013,200	21	20, 21
			1,476,442	46,560,770	X	5, 13,
			88,407		X	5, 15,
			31,710		X	5, 17
				150,686,982	X	5, 14,
			51,044		X	5, 16,
			53,907		X	5, 9,
			26,002	•	X	5, 8,
			697 , 620	22,000,000	X	5, 10,
						14, 17
			507,360	16,000,000	X	5, 1, 17
			253,680	8,000,000	v	5
					X	
			85,617	2,700,000	X	5, 2, 17
			63,420	2,000,000	X	5 , 18
			166,478			
			•		X	5, 1,
	~	050015 10 6	216,036		X	5, 3,
Wesco Finl Corp.	Com	950817 10 6	2,219,641	5,703,087	X	5, 4,
			18,275,214			
GRAND TOTAL			\$ 53,601,706 ======			