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FORM 11 K
Annual Report Pursuant to Section 15d of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934
For the Fiscal Period ended December 31, 2012
Commission File Numbers 1-15147
A. Full title of the plan:
OMNOVA SOLUTIONS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN
(Plan)
B. Names of issuers of the securities held pursuant to the plan and the addresses of their principal executive offices:
OMNOVA Solutions Inc. 175 Ghent Road Fairlawn, OH 44333-3300

AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL SCHEDULE OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012 with Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan

Audited Financial Statements and Supplemental Schedule

December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Participants and Plan Administrator OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan

We have audited the accompanying statements of net assets available for benefits of OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan (the "Plan") as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the related statement of changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2012. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Plan's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Plan is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Plan's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the net assets available for benefits of OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the changes in net assets available for benefits for the year ended December 31, 2012 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Our audits were performed for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplemental schedule of assets (held at end of year) as of December 31, 2012, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by the Department of Labor's Rules and Regulations for Reporting and Disclosure under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974. This supplemental schedule is the responsibility of the Plan's management. The supplemental schedule has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audits of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

/s/GRANT THORNTON LLP

Cleveland, Ohio June 7, 2013

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan

Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits

	December 31, 2012	2011	
Assets			
Investments, at fair value	\$95,056,460	\$78,685,544	
Non-interest bearing cash		60,675	
Dividend income receivable	293,305	_	
Contribution receivable - Employee	175,937	_	
Contribution receivable - Employer	72,930	_	
Notes receivable from participants	2,040,397	1,872,377	
Total Assets	97,639,029	80,618,596	
Liabilities			
Excess employee contribution payable	_	(52,908)
Total Liabilities	_	(52,908)
Net assets reflecting investments at fair value	97,639,029	80,565,688	
Adjustment from fair value to contract value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts Net assets available for benefits	(276,803 \$97,362,226	\$80,215,582)

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

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan

Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

Year ended December 31, 2012

Additions	
Additions to net assets attributed to:	
Investment income:	
Dividend and interest income	\$1,995,392
Net appreciation in fair value of investments	11,261,446
Net investment income	13,256,838
Interest income on notes receivable from participants	90,332
Contributions:	
Employee	5,617,304
Employer	2,358,708
Rollovers	60,699
Total contributions	8,036,711
Total additions	21,383,881
Deductions	
Deductions to net assets attributed to:	
Benefits paid to participants	7,419,534
Trustee and manager fees	22,477
Total deductions	7,442,011
Net increase	13,941,870
Transfer:	
Transfers in from affiliated plans	3,204,774
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Net assets available for benefits, beginning of year	80,215,582
Net assets available for benefits, end of year	\$97,362,226

The accompanying notes to financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

A. Description of Plan

The following description of the OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan (Plan) provides only general information. Participants should refer to the Plan Document for a more complete description of the Plan's provisions. General

The Plan is a defined contribution plan available to all domestic employees of OMNOVA Solutions Inc. (OMNOVA, the Company). The Plan is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended (ERISA).

Contributions

Participants may elect to make before-tax and/or after-tax contributions to the Plan ranging from 1% to 50% of their annual compensation, subject to certain limitations. Prior to January 1, 2012, matching contributions for salaried and non-union hourly participants were at 50% of the first 6% of compensation contributed by a participant. Matching contributions for union hourly employees are determined by the collective bargaining agreements for each union but do not exceed the formula for matching contributions applicable to salaried and non-union hourly participants. In December 2011, the plan was amended, effective January 1, 2012, to provide for matching contributions for salaried and non-union hourly participants at 100% of the first 1% of eligible compensation contributed by a participant and 50% of the next 5% of such compensation. Participants may also contribute amounts representing distributions from other qualified plans.

Upon enrollment, a participant may direct employee contributions in whole percentage increments to any of the Plan's fund options except the OMNOVA Stock Fund. In addition, participants may appoint an investment professional and establish a self-directed investment account for the purpose of investing their contributions in investment options outside of the funds offered by the Plan, subject to limitations provided in the Plan document. Participants may change their investment options each payroll period. Prior to December 1, 2012, employer matching contributions were made in OMNOVA stock and/or cash and were made to the OMNOVA Stock Fund. Once received by the Plan, participants could direct the investment of employer contributions into any investment option offered by the Plan. Effective December 1, 2012, employer matching contributions are made in cash and are invested in the same manner as that of the participant's elective contribution.

Participant Accounts

A separate account is maintained for each Plan participant. Each participant's account is credited with the participant's contributions and allocations of (a) OMNOVA's contributions and, as the case may be, (b) Plan earnings (losses), and is charged with an allocation of certain administrative expenses (see "Plan Expenses" below). Allocations are based on participant earnings (losses) or account balances, as defined. The benefit to which a participant is entitled is the benefit that can be provided from the participant's account.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

A. Description of Plan (continued)

Vesting

Participants are immediately vested in their contributions plus actual earnings thereon. A participant's interest in the matching contributions made for his or her benefit is at all times vested and not subject to forfeiture, except such forfeitures as may be required or permitted in order to meet the non discrimination provisions of the Internal Revenue Code (Code) or other applicable provisions of law.

Notes Receivable from Participants

Participants may borrow from their fund accounts up to 50% of their account balance but not more than \$50,000, reduced by the highest outstanding balance of any loans during the previous one year period less the outstanding balance of such loans on the date any such loan is made. OMNOVA matching contributions are not available for loans, but are included in computing the amount available for loans. Loan terms range from 1 - 5 years or up to 10 years for the purchase of a primary residence. The loans are secured by the balance in the participants' account and bear interest at a fixed rate at least equivalent to the prevailing interest rate charged by persons in the business of lending money for loans which would be made under similar circumstances. Principal and interest is paid ratably through payroll deductions. The interest rates on loans outstanding at December 31, 2012 and 2011 range from 4.25% to 9.25%, respectively.

Distributions

Subject to certain limitations, a participant may withdraw all or part of their account balance upon the attainment of age 59½. Distributions are required to begin at age 70½ (in accordance with the Worker, Retiree and Employer Recovery Act of 2008). Distribution of the account balance to a participant who terminates or elects an in-service withdrawal is made in accordance with the terms of the Plan.

Plan Expenses

A proportionate share of fees and expenses paid by the Plan for investment managers and other service providers is charged to each Plan participant's account. All fees are deducted quarterly from participants' accounts. Expenses incurred in connection with the purchase or sale of securities are paid from trust assets. All other administrative costs of the Plan are paid by OMNOVA.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

B. Summary of Accounting Policies

Basis of Presentation

The Plan's financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Investment contracts held by a defined-contribution plan are required to be reported at fair value. However, contract value is the relevant measurement attribute for that portion of the net assets available for benefits of a defined-contribution plan attributable to fully benefit-responsive investment contracts because the contract value is the amount participants would receive if they were to initiate permitted transactions under the terms of the plan. The Statement of Net Assets Available for Benefits presents the fair value of the investment contracts as well as the adjustment of the fully benefit-responsive investment contracts from fair value to contract value. The Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits is prepared on a contract value basis.

Investment Valuation and Income Recognition

Investments are reported at fair value. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. See Note C for a discussion of fair value measurements.

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

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the financial statements and accompanying footnotes. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Adoption of New Accounting Policies

In May 2011, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2011-04, "Fair Value Measurements (Topic 820): Amendments to Achieve Common Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures Requirements in U.S. GAAP and IFRS". This guidance amends the application of existing fair value measurements requirements, while other amendments change a particular principle in existing fair value measurement guidance. In addition, this guidance requires additional fair value disclosures. The amendments are to be applied prospectively and are effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2011. This ASU has been adopted, as required. The adoption of this guidance had no effect on the Statements of Net Assets Available for Benefits or the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

C. Fair Value Measurements

Investments are recorded at fair value as prescribed under Accounting Standards Codification "Fair Value Measurement (ASC 820)". ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosures about fair value measurements. Financial assets and liabilities are measured at fair value and categorized in three levels based on the assumptions (input) used to value the assets. The three levels are:

Level 1 - Observable inputs such as quoted prices in an active market for identical assets or liabilities.

Level 2 - Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1, such as quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in an active market, quoted prices in markets that are not active, and model-derived valuations in which all significant inputs are observable or can be corroborated by observable market data.

Level 3 - Unobservable inputs that are supported by little or no market activity and that are significant to the fair value of the assets or liabilities. This includes certain pricing models, discounted cash flow methodologies and similar techniques that use significant unobservable inputs.

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

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in the methodologies used at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

Investments in money market funds are valued at quoted market prices in an exchange and active markets. Investments in mutual funds are valued at net asset value (NAV) of shares held by the plan at year end. Investments in common stock are valued at the closing price reported on the active market on which the individual securities are traded. The S&P 500 Flagship Fund, a collective trust fund, is valued at the NAV of the fund which is based on the fair value of the underlying investments, using quoted market prices.

The Plan's investments include the Federated Capital Preservation Fund (the Fund), a fully benefit-responsive collective trust fund. The Fund's underlying investments include guaranteed investment contracts ("GIC's") and synthetic GIC's. The fair value of the GIC's is determined based on the present value of the contracts' expected cash flows, discounted at current market interest rates for like quality and duration investments. Synthetic GIC's are comprised of underlying investments in a collective trust and wrapper contracts issued by third parties. The underlying investments of the collective trust are recorded at fair value based on quoted market prices. The wrapper contract is reported at fair value as determined by the Funds' investment advisor based on changes in the present value of the contracts expected cash flows discounted at current market rates.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

C. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The Plan uses reported NAV for both the S&P 500 Flagship Fund and the Capital Preservation Fund as the Plan believes the underlying investments of these funds are measured at fair value.

For Level 3 investments, the Benefits Committee of OMNOVA, which is comprised of certain executives of the Company, uses a third party service as the primary basis for valuation of this investment. The third party service does not provide access to valuation models, inputs and assumptions. Accordingly, the Benefits Committee conducts a review of a variety of factors including internal control reports and financial statements of the investment, economic conditions, industry and market developments and overall credit ratings as well as utilizing a vendor review of the fund.

The methods described above may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Plan believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

C. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following financial assets were measured at fair value on a recurring basis during 2012:

· ·	Fair Value at December 31, 2012	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Money market funds	\$315,524	\$315,524	\$	\$ —
Mutual funds:				
Balanced	19,989,102	19,989,102	_	
Equities	15,675,865	15,675,865		
Growth	8,196,562	8,196,562	_	
Fixed income	9,814,872	9,814,872	_	
Total mutual funds	53,676,401	53,676,401		_
Common stock:				
OMNOVA Solutions Inc.	13,533,784	13,533,784	_	
Automotive	140,070	140,070	_	
Technology	196,422	196,422	_	
Consumer Good	220,015	220,015	_	
Other	427,985	427,985	_	
Total common stock	14,518,276	14,518,276		_
Collective trusts:				
Stable value	16,263,183	_	_	16,263,183
S&P 500 index	10,283,076	_	10,283,076	
Total collective trusts	26,546,259	_	10,283,076	16,263,183
Total	\$95,056,460	\$68,510,201	\$10,283,076	\$16,263,183

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C. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following financial assets were measured at fair value on a recurring basis during 2011:

The following maneral assets were in	Fair Value at	on a recurring susis	uaring 2011.		
	December 31, 2011	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	
Money market funds	\$311,870	\$311,870	\$ —	\$ —	
Mutual funds:					
Balanced	14,631,591	14,631,591	_	_	
Equities	13,879,208	13,879,208			
Growth	7,281,572	7,281,572	_	_	
Fixed income	6,933,288	6,933,288	_	_	
Total mutual funds	42,725,659	42,725,659		_	
Common stock:					
OMNOVA Solutions Inc.	8,916,861	8,916,861			
Automotive	133,544	133,544			
Industry	87,730	87,730			
Retail	210,236	210,236			
Other	453,145	453,145			
Total common stock	9,801,516	9,801,516	_	_	
Collective trusts:					
Stable value	16,457,560	_		16,457,560	
S&P 500 index	9,388,939		9,388,939	_	
Total collective trusts	25,846,499		9,388,939	16,457,560	
Total	\$78,685,544	\$52,839,045	\$9,388,939	\$16,457,560	
A reconciliation of beginning and end	ling Level 3 measuren	nents during 2012 i	s as follows:		
-		-		ole Value	
Beginning balance			\$16	,457,560	
Change in unrealized gains			(73,	303)
Purchases			4,54	13,682	
Sales			(4,6	64,756)

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Ending balance

\$16,263,183

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

C. Fair Value Measurements (continued)

The following table sets forth a summary of the Plan's investments with a reported NAV as of December 31, 2012 and 2011.

	Fair Value	
	2012	2011
Federated Capital Preservation Fund (a)	\$16,263,183	\$16,457,560
S&P 500 Flagship Fund (b)	10,283,076	9,388,939
Total	\$26.546.259	\$25,846,499

The Federated Capital Preservation Fund seeks to achieve high income and stability of principal by investing in money market instruments, collective funds, guaranteed investment contracts ("GIC's") and synthetic GIC's.

(b) The S&P 500 Flagship Fund seeks to match the return of the S & P 500 Index.

For the S&P Flagship Fund, there were no redemption restrictions or redemption notice periods, and the redemption frequency was immediate.

For the Federated Capital Preservation Fund, participants may ordinarily direct the withdrawal or transfer of all or a portion of their investment daily at contract value without any redemption notice or restrictions. Plan level initiated transactions require a twelve month redemption notice in order to withdraw at full book value. Plan level initiated transactions with less than a twelve month redemption notice may incur an adjustment to book value.

At December 31, 2012 there were no unfunded commitments to the Federated Capital Preservation Fund or the S&P 500 Flagship Fund.

D. Investments

During the year ended December 31, 2012, the Plan's investments (including investments purchased, sold, as well as held during the year) appreciated in fair value as follows:

OMNOVA common stock	\$4,658,635
Other common stock held in self-directed brokerage accounts	100,211
Mutual Funds	6,502,600
	\$11,261,446

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

D. Investments (continued)

Investments that represent 5% or more of the Plan's net assets at either December 31, 2012 or 2011 are as follows:

	December 31,	
	2012	2011
Federated Capital Preservation Fund, at contract value (fair value \$16,263,183 and \$16,457,560, respectively)	\$15,986,380	\$16,107,454
OMNOVA Solutions Inc. Common Stock	13,533,784	8,916,861
American Balanced Fund	11,742,100	8,528,170
S&P 500 Flagship Fund	10,283,076	9,388,939
PIMCO Total Return Fund	9,814,872	6,933,288
Growth Fund of America	5,119,673	4,557,093

E. Plan Termination

Although it has not expressed any intent to do so, OMNOVA has the right under the Plan to terminate the Plan subject to the provisions of ERISA. In the event of Plan termination, participants would continue to be 100 percent vested in their accounts.

F. Income Tax Status

The Plan received a determination letter from the Internal Revenue Service ("IRS") dated August 5, 2009 stating that the Plan is qualified under Section 401(a) of the Code and, therefore, the related trust is exempt from taxation. Subsequent to this determination by the IRS, the Plan was amended. Once qualified, the Plan is required to operate in conformity with the Code to maintain its qualification. The plan administrator believes the Plan is being operated in compliance with the applicable requirements of the Code and, therefore, believes that the Plan, as amended, is qualified and the related trust is tax exempt.

Plan management is required to evaluate tax positions taken by the Plan and recognize a tax liability (or asset) if the Plan has taken an uncertain tax position that more likely than not would not be sustained upon examination by the Internal Revenue Service. The Plan administrator has analyzed the tax positions taken by the Plan, and has concluded that as of December 31, 2012 and 2011, there are no uncertain tax positions taken or expected to be taken that would require recognition of a liability (or asset) or disclosure in the financial statements. The Plan is subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions. The Plan administrator believes it is no longer subject to income tax examinations for years prior to 2009.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

G. Party-in-Interest Transactions

Party-in-interest transactions include the investment in the PNC Prime Money Market Fund with PNC Bank, NA (the "Trustee") and in the common stock of the Company.

At December 31, 2012 the Plan held 1,930,640 shares of OMNOVA Solutions Inc. common stock with a fair value of \$13,533,784. At December 31, 2011 the Plan held 1,934,232 shares of OMNOVA Solutions Inc. common stock with a fair value of \$8,916,861.

H. Risks and Uncertainties

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

I. Reconciliation of Financial Statements with Form 5500

The following is a reconciliation of net assets available for benefits per the financial statements at December 31, 2012 to Form 5500:

	December 31, 2012	2011	
Net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	\$97,362,226	\$80,215,582	
Adjustments from contract value to fair value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts	276,803	350,106	
Net assets available for benefits as reported in Form 5500	\$97,639,029	\$80,565,688	
Net change in net assets available for benefits per the financial statements	Dec	ar Ended cember 31, 2012 7,146,644	
Adjustments from contract value to fair value for fully benefit-responsive investment contracts	(73	,303)
Net change in net assets available for benefits as reported in Form 5500	\$17	7,073,341	

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2012 and 2011 and Year ended December 31, 2012

J. Plan Merger

In December 2010, OMNOVA acquired Eliokem Inc. Effective July 6, 2012, the Eliokem, Inc. 401(k) PSP Plan and the Eliokem, Inc. Union 401(k) Profit Sharing Plan were merged into the Plan and the former U.S. employees of Eliokem began participation in the Plan. The net assets transferred into the Plan are reflected as a transfer on the statement of changes in net assets available for benefits.

K. Subsequent Event

Effective January 1, 2013, the Plan changed the Trustee and Record-keeper from PNC Bank to Fidelity Management Trust Company. All assets of the Plan except for the OMNOVA Stock Fund were liquidated on January 1, 2013. All assets were transferred to Fidelity between January 1, 2013 and January 8, 2013. As a result, most of the Plan's investment offerings were changed.

Additionally, effective January 1, 2013, the Plan was amended to provide for automatic enrollment of all newly hired OMNOVA employees who can elect to opt-out.

OMNOVA Solutions Retirement Savings Plan

EIN: 34-1897652 Plan Number: 013

Schedule H, Line 4i-Schedule of Assets (Held at End of Year)

December 31, 2012

	Description of Investment, Including Maturity Date,	
Identity of Issue, Borrower,	Rate of Interest, Collateral,	Current
Lessor or Similar Party	Par or Maturity Value	Value
Federated Capital Preservation Fund	Stable Value fund	\$16,263,183
OMNOVA Solutions Inc. Common Stock*	Common stock	13,533,784
American Balanced Fund	Mutual fund	11,742,100
S&P 500 Flagship Fund	Collective trust fund	10,283,076
PIMCO Total Return Fund	Mutual fund	9,814,872
Growth Fund of America	Mutual fund	5,119,673
Vanguard Index Mid Cap Stock	Mutual fund	3,640,251
Templeton Foreign Fund	Mutual fund	3,385,100
Calamos Growth Fund	Mutual fund	3,076,889
DFA US 6-10 Small Company Portfolio	Mutual fund	2,924,113
T Rowe Price Retirement 2030	Mutual fund	2,412,272
Artio International Equity Fund	Mutual fund	2,390,173
T Rowe Price Retirement 2020	Mutual fund	2,333,099
Selected American Fund	Mutual fund	2,303,944
T Rowe Price Retirement 2010	Mutual fund	1,696,379
T Rowe Price Retirement 2040	Mutual fund	1,493,192
Vanguard Index Small Cap Stock	Mutual Fund	1,032,284
Schwab PCRA	Various	984,492
Schwab Money Market fund	Money market fund	315,524
T Rowe Price Retirement Income	Mutual Fund	304,184
T Row Price Retirement 2050	Mutual fund	7,876
Participant loans*	At interest rates ranging	2,040,397
r	from 4.25% to 9.25%	_,-,-,-,-,
		\$97,096,857

^{*} Indicates party-in-interest to the Plan.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, OMNOVA Solutions Inc., as Plan Administrator, has duly caused this Annual Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

OMNOVA SOLUTIONS RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN

By /s/ Michael E. Hicks

Michael E. Hicks Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

Date: June 7, 2013

Exhibit Index

Exhibit Description

23.1 Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm