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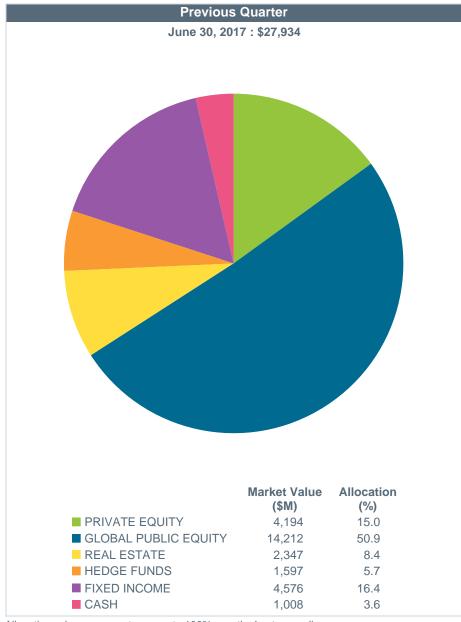
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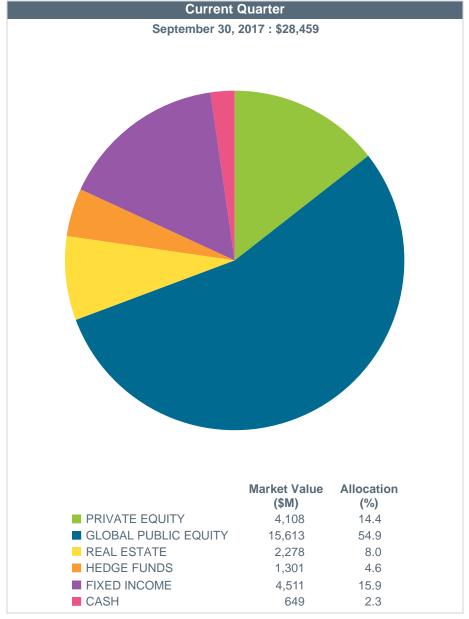
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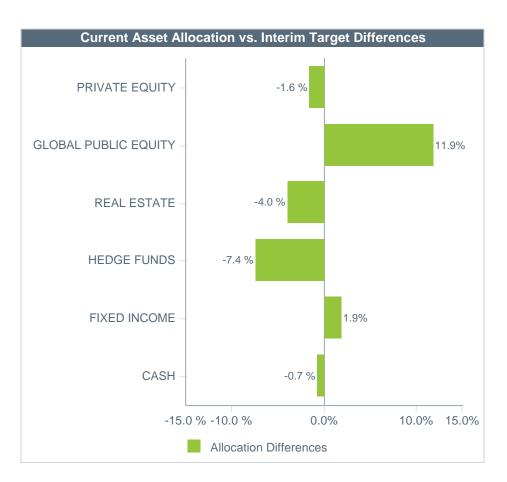




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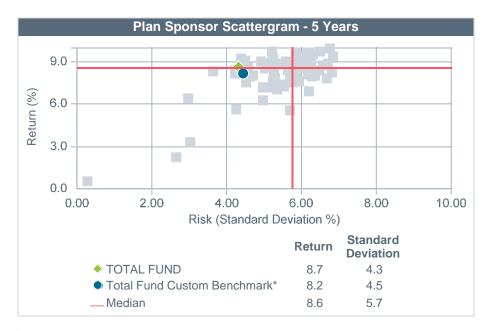


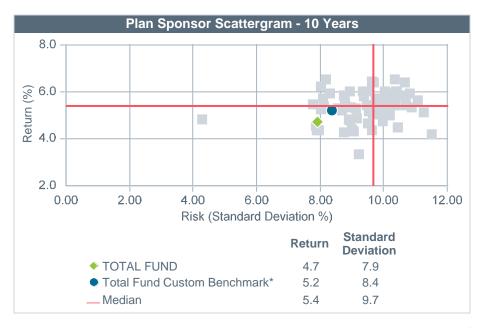
Current Asse	t Allocation vs. In	terim Target	
	Market Value (\$M)	Allocation (%)	Target (%)
PRIVATE EQUITY	4,108	14.4	16.0
GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY	15,613	54.9	43.0
REAL ESTATE	2,278	8.0	12.0
HEDGE FUNDS	1,301	4.6	12.0
FIXED INCOME	4,511	15.9	14.0
CASH	649	2.3	3.0
Total Fund	28,459	100.0	100.0

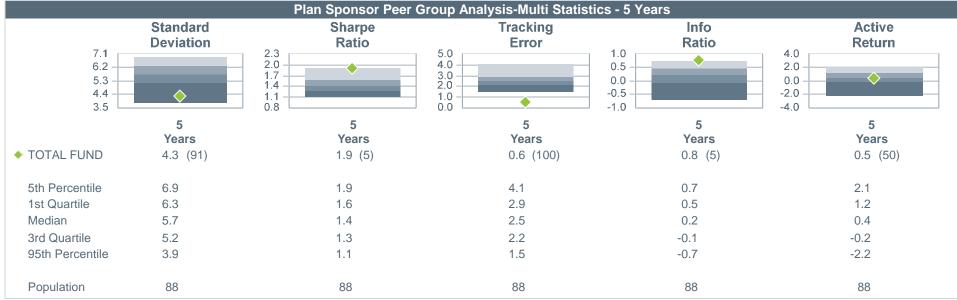


	Schedule of Investable Assets													
Periods Ending	Beginning Market Value (\$M)	Net Cash Flow (\$M)	Gain/Loss (\$M)	Ending Market Value (\$M)	% Return	Unit Value								
CYTD	26,656	-1,120	2,924	28,459	11.2	111.2								





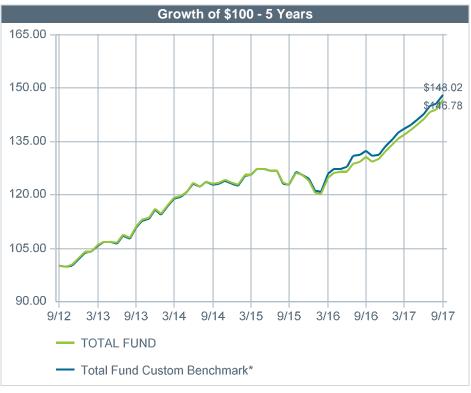


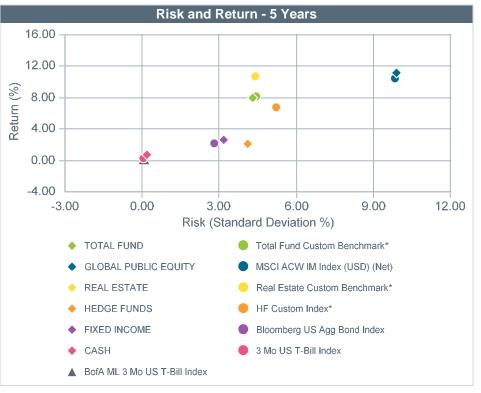


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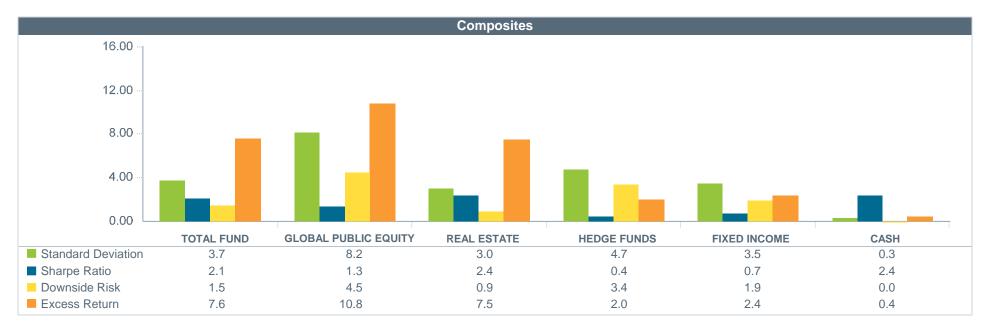
		Plan Sponsor	Peer Group Ana	lysis - All Public	c Plans > \$1B-T	otal Fund		
	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	6 Years	7 Years	10 Years
◆ TOTAL FUND (Gross)	3.9 (32)	11.7 (55)	13.0 (38)	6.7 (65)	8.7 (48)	9.1 (70)	9.0 (33)	4.7 (84)
5th Percentile	4.3	13.8	15.1	8.3	10.3	11.8	10.1	6.5
1st Quartile	3.9	12.5	13.6	7.6	9.4	10.5	9.3	5.9
Median	3.6	11.9	12.5	7.0	8.6	9.9	8.6	5.4
3rd Quartile	3.4	10.7	11.2	6.4	7.9	9.0	8.0	5.0
95th Percentile	2.8	8.3	7.6	4.6	5.8	7.2	7.3	4.3
Population	104	98	94	88	88	88	86	80

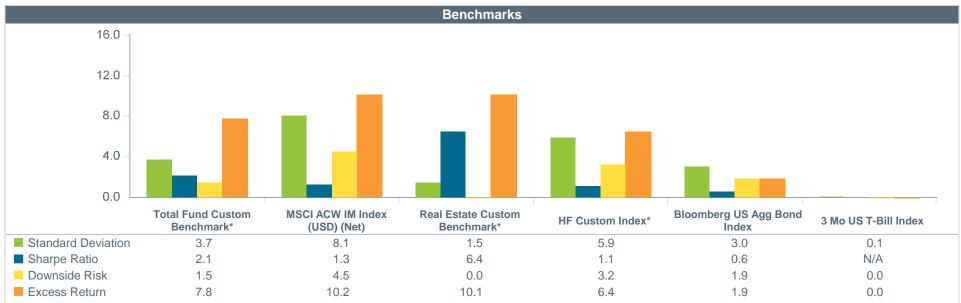




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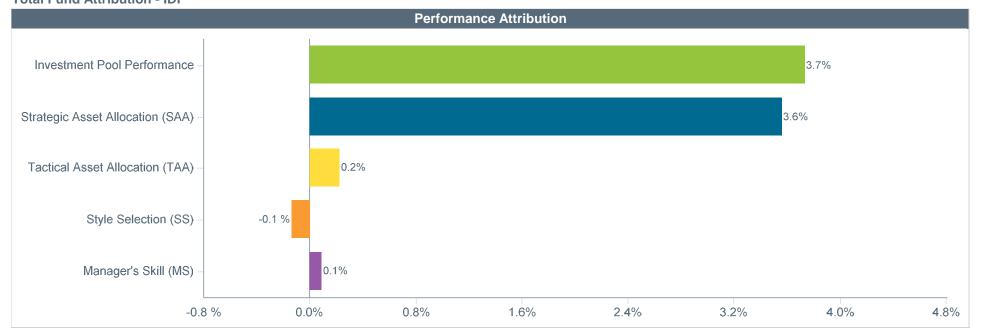


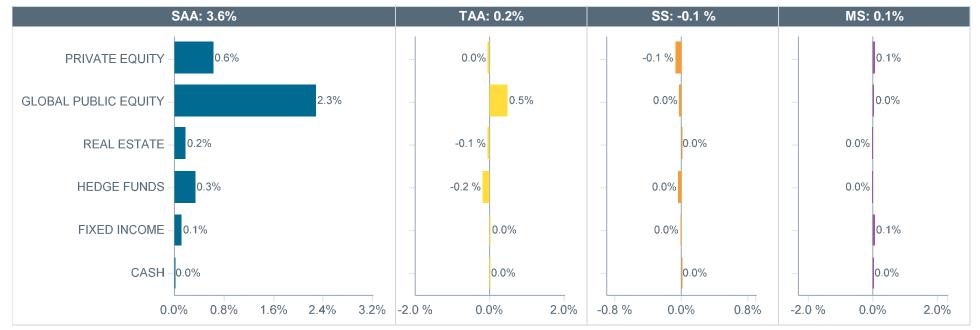


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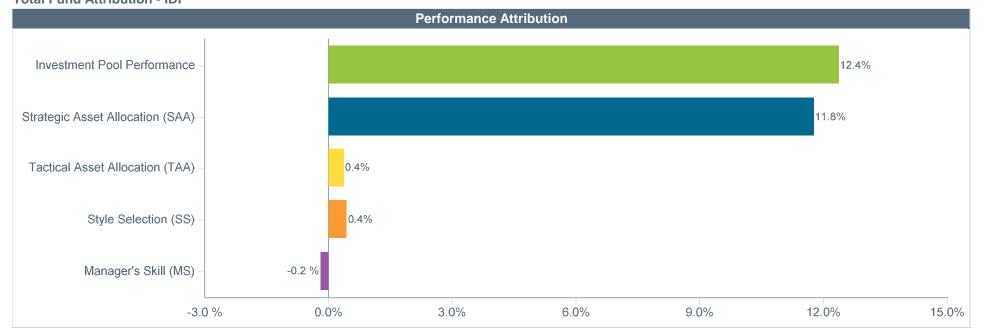


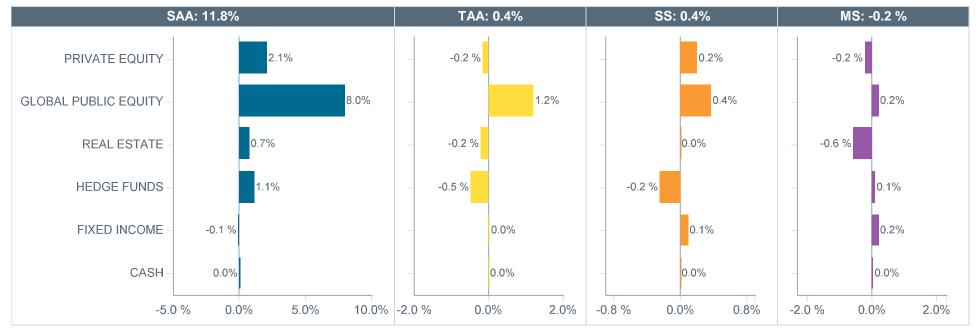


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#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance Composites - NET OF FEES

	Allocati	on		Performance (%)							
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	Since Incep.	Inception Date
TOTAL FUND	28,459	100.0	3.7	11.2	12.4	6.1	8.0	8.3	3.9	9.7	01/01/1981
Total Fund Custom Benchmark*			3.6	10.7	11.8	6.4	8.2	8.4	5.2	N/A	
Total Fund Public Mkt Equiv Benchmark*			3.5	11.9	13.1	7.1	9.2	9.3	5.8	N/A	
PRIVATE EQUITY	4,108	14.4	3.9	9.2	13.0	7.4	10.2	11.2	7.5	10.9	01/01/1986
Burgiss All Private Equity Custom Index (Qtr Lag)			3.5	9.9	14.2	9.5	12.8	13.1	8.3	16.6	
Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag)			3.8	16.1	22.1	12.4	18.0	18.8	10.5	14.3	
GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY	15,613	54.9	5.3	18.0	20.0	8.3	11.1	10.1	3.6	6.9	01/01/2002
MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net)			5.3	17.2	18.7	7.7	10.4	9.3	4.2	7.2	
REAL ESTATE	2,278	8.0	1.2	2.1	0.1	5.7	8.2	9.2	2.0	8.7	03/01/1984
Real Estate Custom Benchmark*			1.5	4.0	5.7	9.6	10.7	12.0	4.3	N/A	
Consumer Price Index+3% (Qtr Lag)*			1.2	3.7	4.7	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.7	N/A	
HEDGE FUNDS	1,301	4.6	1.7	4.0	6.7	0.2	2.1	2.6	2.1	2.2	05/01/2007
HF Custom Index*			2.8	8.6	8.9	2.9	6.6	6.2	5.5	5.5	
HFRI FOF: Strategic Index			2.8	8.6	8.9	2.9	4.5	3.3	1.0	1.5	
FIXED INCOME	4,511	15.9	1.1	4.1	1.9	2.4	2.6	4.1	4.9	8.7	01/01/1981
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index			0.8	3.1	0.1	2.7	2.1	3.0	4.3	7.9	
CASH	649	2.3	0.3	1.2	1.4	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.9	3.7	01/01/1987
BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index			0.3	0.6	0.7	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.5	3.4	



#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Calendar Years

**Composites - NET OF FEES** 

	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007
TOTAL FUND	6.5	0.4	6.4	13.6	12.0	2.7	11.9	9.2	-28.7	17.2
Total Fund Custom Benchmark*	7.3	1.2	6.3	13.7	11.4	3.6	11.3	18.7	-25.4	14.3
Total Fund Public Mkt Equiv Benchmark*	8.4	0.6	7.6	15.5	15.7	0.9	11.3	18.7	-25.4	14.3
PRIVATE EQUITY	6.8	6.4	13.1	12.6	11.4	12.7	16.5	-7.8	-6.8	35.8
Burgiss All Private Equity Custom Index (Qtr Lag)	8.8	9.6	16.3	15.7	12.3	12.8	15.6	-9.8	-7.0	33.3
Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag)	18.4	2.5	21.3	25.2	34.1	3.6	14.3	-3.6	-19.2	20.0
GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY	8.4	-1.8	3.3	26.3	17.6	-7.0	15.4	35.8	-48.6	12.8
MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net)	8.4	-2.2	3.8	23.6	16.4	-7.9	14.3	36.4	-42.3	11.2
REAL ESTATE	3.2	9.9	10.9	13.7	9.9	10.5	2.3	-29.3	-10.9	22.4
Real Estate Custom Benchmark*	9.9	12.9	11.4	12.4	12.8	13.7	6.7	-31.7	-2.5	17.4
Consumer Price Index+3% (Qtr Lag)*	4.5	3.0	4.7	4.2	5.1	7.0	4.2	1.7	8.1	N/A
HEDGE FUNDS	4.2	-6.0	2.5	6.0	7.0	-3.0	7.4	14.7	-15.6	N/A
HF Custom Index*	-0.1	-0.5	4.1	22.2	6.7	3.3	3.3	4.0	3.8	5.6
HFRI FOF: Strategic Index	-0.1	-0.5	3.1	10.5	5.8	-7.3	6.3	13.2	-25.2	12.8
FIXED INCOME	5.6	-2.7	6.2	-1.4	10.0	6.2	11.7	31.9	-17.4	6.1
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index	2.6	0.5	6.0	-2.0	4.2	7.8	6.5	5.9	5.2	7.0
CASH	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.5	3.4	5.1
BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	2.1	5.0



## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance PRIVATE EQUITY - NET OF FEES

	Allocation	on			Performance (%)								
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
PRIVATE EQUITY	4,108	14.4	3.9	9.2	13.0	7.4	10.2	11.2	7.5	6.8	6.4	10.9	01/01/1986
Burgiss All Private Equity Custom Index (Qtr Lag)			3.5	9.9	14.2	9.5	12.8	13.1	8.3	8.8	9.6	16.6	
Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag)			3.8	16.1	22.1	12.4	18.0	18.8	10.5	18.4	2.5	14.3	
Buyouts	2,412	8.5	4.5	10.8	15.4	9.6	12.4	14.0	9.4	10.8	7.8	13.2	04/01/1986
Burgiss Buyout Custom Index (Qtr Lag)			4.5	12.3	17.1	10.0	13.2	13.6	8.5	11.6	6.9	24.8	
Special Situations	674	2.4	4.8	14.6	15.8	6.4	9.7	9.8	7.8	1.1	1.7	12.4	01/01/1995
Burgiss Special Situations Custom Index (Qtr Lag)			2.0	7.4	11.2	5.7	9.2	9.5	6.3	6.1	2.9	11.2	
Venture Capital	1,022	3.6	1.9	2.3	5.9	2.8	4.8	7.6	4.2	1.2	6.1	6.2	01/01/1986
Burgiss Venture Capital Custom Index (Qtr Lag)			1.9	4.7	8.7	10.2	13.2	13.8	9.0	3.3	21.1	14.2	

Performance shown is net of fees. Performance is annualized for periods greater than one year. Allocations shown may not sum up to 100% exactly due to rounding. Burgiss index data has been provided by StepStone.



## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY - NET OF FEES

	Allocation	on						Performan	ce (%)				
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY	15,613	54.9	5.3	18.0	20.0	8.3	11.1	10.1	3.6	8.4	-1.8	6.9	01/01/2002
MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net)			5.3	17.2	18.7	7.7	10.4	9.3	4.2	8.4	-2.2	7.2	
Global Mandates	821	2.9	4.2	19.6	17.8	9.7	11.6	10.4	6.5	6.4	2.4	7.7	11/01/2006
MSCI World Index (Net)			4.8	16.0	18.2	7.7	11.0	10.1	4.2	7.5	-0.9	5.3	
Walter Scott & Ptnrs Glbl Gr Eq (SA)	821	2.9	4.2	19.6	17.8	9.7	11.6	10.7	7.4	6.4	2.4	8.3	10/01/2006
MSCI World Index (Net)			4.8	16.0	18.2	7.7	11.0	10.1	4.2	7.5	-0.9	5.6	
U.S. Equity	8,256	29.0	4.8	13.9	17.2	9.9	13.6	14.1	5.5	11.2	-0.5	10.7	01/01/1981
Russell 3000 Index*			4.6	13.9	18.7	10.7	14.2	14.3	7.6	12.7	0.5	10.9	
MCM Russell 3000 Index (SA)	870	3.1	4.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.6	06/01/2017
Russell 3000 Index			4.6	13.9	18.7	10.7	14.2	14.3	7.6	12.7	0.5	5.5	
U.S. Mid/Large Cap Equity	5,921	20.8	4.6	14.6	18.4	10.3	14.1	14.6	5.9	11.0	0.3	9.4	01/01/1994
Russell 1000 Index			4.5	14.2	18.5	10.6	14.3	14.4	7.5	12.1	0.9	9.6	
Iridian Asset Mgmt MCV (SA)	474	1.7	6.4	20.6	19.7	8.1	16.0	16.1	10.4	4.1	-3.6	14.0	03/01/1995
Russell Mid Cap Index			3.5	11.7	15.3	9.5	14.3	13.8	8.1	13.8	-2.4	11.3	
MCM Russell 1000 Index (SA)	5,447	19.1	4.5	14.1	18.5	10.6	14.3	N/A	N/A	12.2	0.9	15.2	01/01/2012
Russell 1000 Index			4.5	14.2	18.5	10.6	14.3	14.4	7.5	12.1	0.9	15.3	
U.S. Small Cap Equity	1,465	5.1	5.7	11.3	11.0	7.9	10.7	11.7	5.9	10.6	-5.8	9.4	01/01/1994
Russell 2000 Index*			5.7	10.9	18.7	10.9	14.0	13.8	8.3	18.6	-2.9	10.8	
S&P Sm Cap 600 Index (Cap Wtd)			6.0	8.9	21.1	14.1	15.6	15.6	9.3	26.6	-2.0	10.9	
Emerald Adv Div Sm Cap Grth (SA)	592	2.1	6.4	17.5	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.1	12/01/2016
Russell 2000 Grth Index			6.2	16.8	21.0	12.2	14.3	14.2	8.5	11.3	-1.4	18.4	
MCM Russell 2000 Core Index (SA)	302	1.1	5.7	10.9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.1	12/01/2016
Russell 2000 Index			5.7	10.9	20.7	12.2	13.8	13.5	7.8	21.3	-4.4	14.1	
MCM Russell 2000 Val Index (SA)	571	2.0	5.1	5.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	10.0	12/01/2016
Russell 2000 Val Index			5.1	5.7	20.5	12.1	13.3	12.8	7.1	31.7	-7.5	10.0	



## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY - NET OF FEES

	Allocation	on					F	Performan	ce (%)				
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
Non-U.S. Equity	6,534	23.0	6.2	24.8	23.2	6.0	8.1	6.3	0.8	3.4	-4.0	6.7	11/01/1995
MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net)*			6.3	21.5	19.6	5.2	7.3	5.4	1.5	4.4	-4.6	6.0	
Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity	5,467	19.2	5.5	24.2	23.2	6.4	9.2	7.6	1.3	2.0	-1.9	6.7	01/01/2002
MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net)			6.3	21.5	19.6	5.2	7.3	5.5	1.6	4.4	-4.6	7.4	
Non-U.S. Dev Mid/Large Cap Equity	4,853	17.1	5.7	26.3	25.0	6.5	9.1	7.8	0.7	1.3	-2.4	6.1	01/01/2002
MSCI World Ex US Index (Net)			5.6	19.2	18.7	4.6	7.8	6.0	1.3	2.7	-3.0	6.4	
BlackRock MSCI World ex US Index (CF)	4,842	17.0	5.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.0	06/01/2017
MSCI Wrld Ex US Index (USD) (Net)			5.6	19.2	18.7	4.6	7.8	6.0	1.3	2.7	-3.0	5.7	
Artisan Int'l Growth Eq (SA)	1	0.0	-14.4	-14.0	-21.0	-8.5	0.2	2.8	-0.4	-9.0	-3.2	6.9	04/01/2003
MSCI ACW Ex US Index (Net)*			6.2	21.1	19.6	4.7	7.0	5.2	0.8	4.5	-5.7	9.0	
MCM MSCI World Ex US Index (SA)	7	0.0	-3.5	0.4	0.1	-1.0	4.4	N/A	N/A	3.3	-2.8	5.7	01/01/2012
MSCI World Ex US Index (Net)			5.6	19.2	18.7	4.6	7.8	6.0	1.3	2.7	-3.0	8.5	
Morgan Stanley Inv Mgmt Int'l Eq (SA)	2	0.0	-12.3	7.6	4.7	0.5	5.3	5.6	2.0	-1.7	1.1	6.2	12/01/1999
MSCI EAFE Index (Net)*			5.4	20.0	19.1	5.0	8.4	6.4	1.3	1.0	-0.8	3.9	
Templeton Int'l Eq (SA)	1	0.0	0.4	-10.3	-9.2	-5.5	1.2	1.6	-1.4	1.1	-2.8	6.0	01/01/1995
MSCI ACW Ex US Index (Net)*			6.2	21.1	19.6	4.7	7.0	5.2	0.8	4.5	-5.7	5.4	
Non-U.S. Dev Small Cap Equity	614	2.2	4.3	25.0	26.8	9.9	12.3	8.9	4.6	7.3	1.0	7.7	10/01/1993
MSCI Wrld Ex US Sm Cap Index (Net)			7.3	23.8	20.4	9.6	11.2	8.8	4.0	4.3	5.5	N/A	
Harris Assoc Int'l SCV (SA)	614	2.2	4.3	25.0	26.8	9.9	12.3	9.3	6.3	7.3	1.0	12.6	07/01/2003
MSCI Wrld Ex US Sm Cap Index (Net)			7.3	23.8	20.4	9.6	11.2	8.8	4.0	4.3	5.5	10.5	



## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY - NET OF FEES

	Allocatio	n		Performance (%)									
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
<b>Emerging Markets Equity</b>	1,067	3.7	9.6	33.2	27.6	6.5	4.9	2.4	-0.7	10.3	-12.4	8.1	01/01/2002
MSCI Emg Mkts Index (Net)			7.9	27.8	22.5	4.9	4.0	2.5	1.3	11.2	-14.9	10.7	
Ashmore Emerging Small Cap Equity (SA)	147	0.5	4.5	21.5	19.2	5.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.3	-5.0	3.5	05/01/2013
MSCI Emg Mkts Sm Cap Index (Net)			5.6	22.5	14.9	3.1	4.6	1.9	1.7	2.3	-6.8	2.6	
BlackRock Emg Mkts Index (CF)	172	0.6	7.9	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.9	07/01/2017
MSCI Emg Mkts Index (USD) (Net)			7.9	27.8	22.5	4.9	4.0	2.5	1.3	11.2	-14.9	7.9	
Macquarie Emerging Markets Equity (SA)	329	1.2	10.6	36.3	29.6	5.5	N/A	N/A	N/A	10.7	-13.5	5.8	05/01/2013
MSCI Emg Mkts Index (Net)			7.9	27.8	22.5	4.9	4.0	2.5	1.3	11.2	-14.9	3.5	
GlobeFlex Emerging Small Cap (SA)	99	0.3	7.3	32.9	27.5	5.6	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.8	-12.2	7.2	08/01/2013
MSCI Emg Mkts Sm Cap Index (Net)			5.6	22.5	14.9	3.1	4.6	1.9	1.7	2.3	-6.8	5.1	
Martin Currie Emerging Markets Equity (SA)	319	1.1	12.7	39.5	33.3	9.5	N/A	N/A	N/A	12.6	-13.2	6.6	01/01/2014
MSCI Emg Mkts Index (Net)			7.9	27.8	22.5	4.9	4.0	2.5	1.3	11.2	-14.9	4.6	
Northern Trust Equity Transition (SA)	2	0.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	01/01/2012

Artisan Int'l Growth Eq (SA), MCM MSCI World Ex US Index (SA), Morgan Stanley Inv Mgmt Int'l Eq (SA), and Templeton Int'l Eq (SA) are currently undergoing liquidation.



#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance REAL ESTATE - NET OF FEES

	Alloca	tion					Pe	erformance	e (%)				
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
REAL ESTATE	2,278	8.0	1.2	2.1	0.1	5.7	8.2	9.2	2.0	3.2	9.9	8.7	03/01/1984
Real Estate Custom Benchmark*			1.5	4.0	5.7	9.6	10.7	12.0	4.3	9.9	12.9	N/A	
Consumer Price Index+3% (Qtr Lag)*			1.2	3.7	4.7	3.9	4.4	4.7	4.7	4.5	3.0	N/A	
Core Real Estate Funds	335	1.2	1.1	4.3	6.3	9.8	10.8	12.1	5.7	9.9	12.2	7.2	09/01/1986
NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)*			1.5	5.0	6.9	10.6	11.2	12.6	3.9	9.3	14.5	6.3	
Non-Core Real Estate	1,578	5.5	1.2	3.6	-0.1	5.9	8.4	9.4	1.3	0.3	10.8	7.0	03/01/1984
NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)*			1.5	5.0	6.9	10.6	11.2	12.6	3.9	9.3	14.5	6.6	
Non-Core Open-End Funds	70	0.2	1.6	4.5	7.2	5.7	8.9	10.5	6.6	4.6	6.7	6.6	09/01/2007
NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)*			1.5	5.0	6.9	10.6	11.2	12.6	3.9	9.3	14.5	4.4	
Real Estate Separate Accounts	1,095	3.8	0.7	2.9	-3.1	5.1	6.9	7.7	1.1	-2.3	11.4	5.6	06/01/1988
NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)*			1.5	5.0	6.9	10.6	11.2	12.6	3.9	9.3	14.5	6.3	
Non-Core Closed-End Funds	414	1.5	2.4	5.4	6.6	7.5	11.2	12.4	0.7	6.0	9.5	7.9	03/01/1984
NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)*			1.5	5.0	6.9	10.6	11.2	12.6	3.9	9.3	14.5	6.6	
REITs	230	8.0	1.6	-5.3	-4.8	2.5	7.4	10.3	4.1	14.0	4.6	10.0	04/01/1996
S&P Developed Global Index (Qtr Lag)*			2.3	-0.4	0.9	4.6	8.8	11.1	2.9	16.2	3.5	10.0	
Timberland	134	0.5	1.0	-3.0	-1.8	-0.2	1.1	-0.1	-0.4	-0.2	4.3	4.9	03/01/1993
Consumer Price Index+3% (Qtr Lag)*			1.2	3.7	4.7	6.3	7.6	5.6	5.8	4.5	9.3	9.4	



#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance HEDGE FUNDS - NET OF FEES

	Allocatio	n	Performance (%)										
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
HEDGE FUNDS HISTORY	1,301	4.6	1.7	4.0	6.7	0.2	2.1	2.6	2.1	4.2	-6.0	3.9	01/01/2002
HEDGE FUNDS	1,301	4.6	1.7	4.0	6.7	0.2	2.1	2.6	2.1	4.2	-6.0	2.2	05/01/2007
HF Custom Index*			2.8	8.6	8.9	2.9	6.6	6.2	5.5	-0.1	-0.5	5.5	
HFRI FOF Strategic Index			2.8	8.6	8.9	2.9	4.5	3.3	1.0	-0.1	-0.5	1.5	
Direct Hedge Funds	28	0.1	3.1	6.5	9.6	1.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.9	-5.0	2.0	10/01/2013
Hoplite Partners, L.P.	1	0.0	0.0	1.6	-1.6	2.0	N/A	N/A	N/A	-6.0	3.2	1.8	10/01/2013
HFRI Eq Hedge (Tot) Index			3.5	9.6	11.0	4.6	6.3	4.9	2.9	5.5	-1.0	5.1	
Luxor Capital Partners LP	15	0.1	4.7	18.8	34.0	-1.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.9	-19.1	-1.8	01/01/2014
HFRI ED: (Tot) Index			1.9	5.9	9.7	3.7	5.9	5.1	3.9	10.6	-3.6	3.6	
Pine River Fund Ltd.	10	0.0	2.3	-1.6	-0.1	-0.7	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.7	-2.5	0.7	10/01/2013
HFRI Rel Value (Tot) Index			1.2	4.0	5.9	3.4	4.9	5.1	4.9	7.7	-0.3	4.4	
Samlyn Onshore Fund LP	2	0.0	0.0	6.5	8.9	4.3	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.2	-1.1	3.8	07/01/2014
HFRI Eq Hedge (Tot) Index			3.5	9.6	11.0	4.6	6.3	4.9	2.9	5.5	-1.0	3.8	
Stelliam Fund LP	1	0.0	0.0	0.8	2.6	-0.6	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.3	-11.9	2.2	02/01/2014
HFRI Eq Hedge (Tot) Index			3.5	9.6	11.0	4.6	6.3	4.9	2.9	5.5	-1.0	4.5	



#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance HEDGE FUNDS - NET OF FEES

	Allocation Performance (%)												
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inceptior Date
Absolute Return	60	0.2	-2.1	-2.0	-3.0	-1.3	0.0	1.0	0.8	-3.1	1.9	0.7	07/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.7	
Arden Inst'l LP	17	0.1	-3.5	-2.4	-2.8	1.5	4.9	4.5	2.7	-2.5	9.6	3.1	10/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.8	
BAAM Custom ARS Fund LP	17	0.1	0.0	-5.2	-5.7	-6.3	-2.2	-0.2	-0.3	-2.5	-11.7	2.9	01/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	
Mesirow Multi-Manager Fund III LP	9	0.0	-7.3	-2.0	-5.4	2.5	6.3	6.0	4.1	-7.5	21.3	5.7	10/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	
MS Institutional Fund of Hedge Funds SPV LP (CF)	6	0.0	0.2	6.9	10.0	2.1	5.9	5.4	3.0	3.9	-4.3	4.5	07/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	
PAAMCO Newport Sequoia Fund LLC	8	0.0	1.4	-0.4	-2.2	1.6	-16.1	-13.4	-9.6	-0.1	4.0	-3.6	07/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.4	
Rock Creek Penn Quarter LP	3	0.0	-0.2	-1.9	-5.8	-8.9	-2.7	-1.0	-1.4	-12.6	-7.5	-0.4	10/01/200
3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%*			1.1	3.1	4.1	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.6	3.7	3.2	3.8	
Funds-of-Hedge Funds	1,212	4.3	1.9	5.8	8.6	3.3	6.4	N/A	N/A	2.7	0.4	6.2	04/01/201
HFRI FOF Comp Index			2.3	5.6	6.5	2.2	3.8	2.9	1.1	0.5	-0.3	3.5	
Arden Keystone Fund LP	29	0.1	-1.6	3.9	6.7	0.4	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.4	-4.4	3.2	05/01/201
HFRI FOF Comp Index			2.3	5.6	6.5	2.2	3.8	2.9	1.1	0.5	-0.3	3.1	
Blackstone Keystone Fund	1,068	3.8	2.2	6.4	9.3	4.3	8.0	N/A	N/A	2.9	2.3	8.6	07/01/201
HFRI FOF Comp Index			2.3	5.6	6.5	2.2	3.8	2.9	1.1	0.5	-0.3	4.1	
Entrust Keystone Fund	115	0.4	0.5	2.6	4.7	0.6	4.8	N/A	N/A	2.8	-3.5	4.6	04/01/201
HFRI FOF Comp Index			2.3	5.6	6.5	2.2	3.8	2.9	1.1	0.5	-0.3	3.5	



## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance FIXED INCOME - NET OF FEES

	Allocation	Performance (%)											
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
FIXED INCOME	4,511	15.9	1.1	4.1	1.9	2.4	2.6	4.1	4.9	5.6	-2.7	8.7	01/01/1981
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index			0.8	3.1	0.1	2.7	2.1	3.0	4.3	2.6	0.5	7.9	
Core Plus Fixed Income	1,135	4.0	1.8	6.4	6.6	1.9	4.9	N/A	N/A	11.1	-8.5	4.9	10/01/2012
Brandywine Global Opp (SA)	198	0.7	3.3	13.5	6.3	3.0	2.8	N/A	N/A	5.0	-8.4	4.9	02/01/2011
FTSE Wrld Gov't Bond Index			1.8	6.4	-2.7	0.9	-0.4	0.8	3.0	1.6	-3.6	1.1	
Pyramis Glbl Adv HY CMBS (SA)	304	1.1	1.6	5.4	4.2	4.8	7.6	10.3	7.2	3.1	3.9	8.9	04/01/1997
Bloomberg US CMBS ex AAA Index			1.1	4.9	1.9	3.5	3.4	5.8	-0.5	4.6	0.1	N/A	
SEI Struc Cred: HY Bank Loans (CF)	297	1.0	1.8	9.7	14.2	6.9	8.0	11.5	N/A	17.8	-5.9	13.5	05/01/2008
FTSE High Yield Market Index			1.9	6.5	8.5	5.3	5.9	7.2	7.4	17.8	-5.6	7.9	
Stone Harbor EMD (SA)	148	0.5	3.7	11.4	6.4	6.4	4.4	5.8	7.7	14.0	-0.3	8.4	04/01/2005
JPM Emg Mkt Bond Index			2.4	8.7	4.2	6.1	4.3	6.1	7.3	10.2	1.2	7.9	
Stone Harbor Glbl HY (SA)	189	0.7	1.9	5.6	7.5	4.2	5.4	6.3	6.7	13.7	-4.3	7.9	07/01/2000
FTSE High Yield Market Index			1.9	6.5	8.5	5.3	5.9	7.2	7.4	17.8	-5.6	7.4	



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	Allocation		ation Performance (%)										
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
Core Fixed Income	2,022	7.1	1.0	3.8	0.9	3.0	2.4	3.8	4.8	3.5	0.0	5.0	01/01/2002
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index			0.8	3.1	0.1	2.7	2.1	3.0	4.3	2.6	0.5	4.6	
Mellon Cap Mgmt Bond Index (SA)	1,228	4.3	0.8	3.2	0.0	2.7	2.0	2.8	4.1	2.5	0.5	7.3	04/01/1984
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index*			0.8	3.1	0.1	2.7	2.1	3.0	4.3	2.6	0.5	7.6	
PIMCO Core Bond Fund (SA)	611	2.1	1.0	4.2	1.2	3.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.5	0.1	2.3	01/01/2013
Bloomberg US Agg ex Trsy			1.1	3.7	1.1	3.1	2.5	3.4	4.6	3.6	0.4	2.6	
Taplin, Canida & Habacht Corp FI (SA)	183	0.6	1.6	5.9	3.9	3.7	3.5	4.7	5.7	8.2	-3.8	6.0	12/01/2000
Bloomberg US Credit Index			1.3	5.1	2.0	3.9	3.2	4.4	5.5	5.6	-0.8	5.9	
Global TIPS	808	2.8	1.1	2.4	-0.6	1.7	0.3	1.9	3.1	4.6	-1.7	3.2	02/01/2003
Bloomberg US Trsy: US TIPS Index			0.9	1.7	-0.7	1.6	0.0	2.6	3.9	4.7	-1.4	4.4	
Brown Brothers TIPS (SA)	214	0.8	0.8	1.7	-0.7	1.8	0.2	N/A	N/A	4.9	-1.1	0.9	02/01/2012
Bloomberg US Trsy: US TIPS Index			0.9	1.7	-0.7	1.6	0.0	2.6	3.9	4.7	-1.4	0.7	
New Century Global TIPS (SA)	113	0.4	2.5	6.3	0.1	2.0	1.6	N/A	N/A	3.8	-4.3	1.9	02/01/2012
Bloomberg Wrld Gov Infl-Lnkd Index (Unhedged)			2.2	5.5	-0.1	1.6	1.1	2.8	3.4	4.0	-4.7	1.4	
NISA Inv Adv TIPS (SA)	481	1.7	0.9	1.8	-0.7	1.6	0.0	1.5	2.9	4.7	-1.4	3.1	04/01/2007
Bloomberg US Trsy: US TIPS Index*			0.9	1.7	-0.7	1.6	0.0	1.5	2.9	4.7	-1.4	N/A	
Nominal U.S. Treasuries	546	1.9	0.4	2.5	-4.1	2.6	1.2	N/A	N/A	0.5	1.2	2.1	09/01/2011
Bloomberg US Trsy Bellwethers: 10 Yr			0.3	2.4	-4.6	2.2	1.0	2.8	4.7	-0.2	0.9	2.2	
PIMCO US Treasuries (SA)	546	1.9	0.4	3.0	-3.3	3.0	1.5	N/A	N/A	1.1	1.5	2.3	09/01/2011
Bloomberg US Trsy Bellwethers: 10 Yr			0.3	2.4	-4.6	2.2	1.0	2.8	4.7	-0.2	0.9	2.2	



#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Asset Allocation & Performance

**CASH - NET OF FEES** 

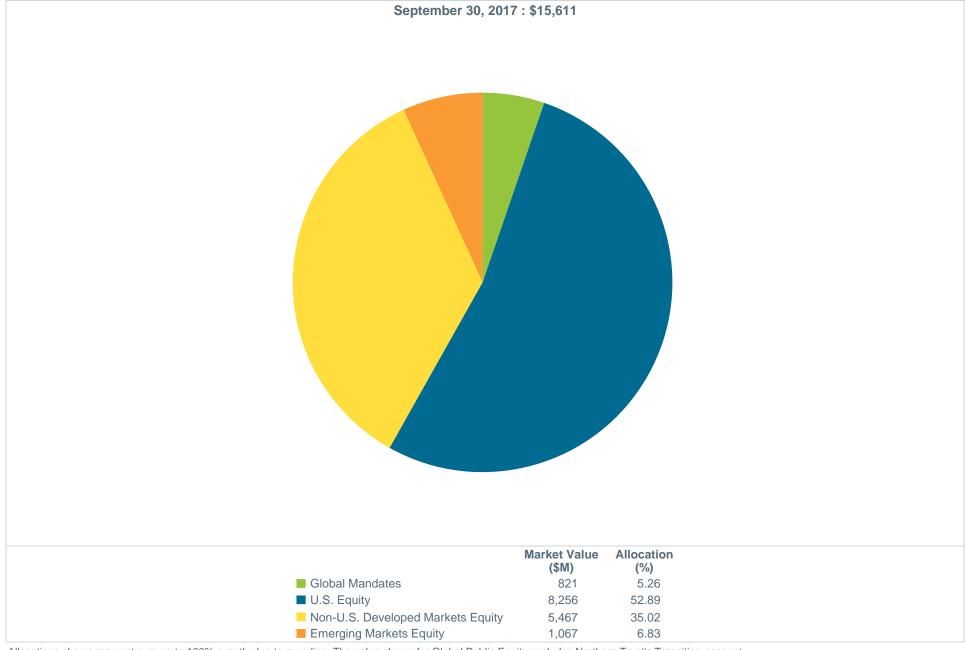
	Allocatio	Allocation						Performance (%)					
	Market Value (\$M)	%	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	Since Incep.	Inception Date
CASH	649	2.3	0.3	1.2	1.4	0.9	0.7	0.5	0.9	0.6	0.7	3.7	01/01/1987
Cash Equivalents BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index	649	2.3	<b>0.3</b> <i>0.3</i>	<b>1.2</b> <i>0.6</i>	<b>1.4</b> <i>0.7</i>	<b>0.9</b> <i>0.3</i>	<b>0.7</b> <i>0.2</i>	<b>0.5</b> <i>0.2</i>	<b>0.9</b> 0.5	<b>0.6</b> 0.3	<b>0.7</b> <i>0.1</i>	<b>3.7</b> 3.4	01/01/1987
Cash Management (SA)  BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index	649	2.3	0.3 <i>0.3</i>	1.2 0.6	1.4 0.7	0.9 <i>0.3</i>	0.7 <i>0.</i> 2	0.5 <i>0.2</i>	0.9 <i>0.</i> 5	0.6 <i>0.3</i>	0.7 <i>0.1</i>	3.7 3.4	01/01/1987



# **Sub-Composites**



**Asset Allocation by Sub-Composite** 



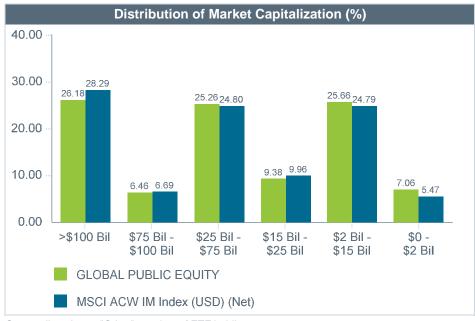
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#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System GLOBAL PUBLIC EQUITY vs. MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) Portfolio Characteristics

Portfo	lio Characteristics	
	Portfolio	Benchmark
Wtd. Avg. Mkt. Cap (\$M)	94,776	102,588
Median Mkt. Cap (\$M)	3,696	1,694
Price/Earnings Ratio	19.75	19.13
Price/Book Ratio	2.74	2.71
5 Yr. EPS Growth Rate (%)	9.12	9.28
Current Yield (%)	2.24	2.37
Beta (5 Years, Monthly)	1.00	1.00
Number of Securities	5,157	8,603

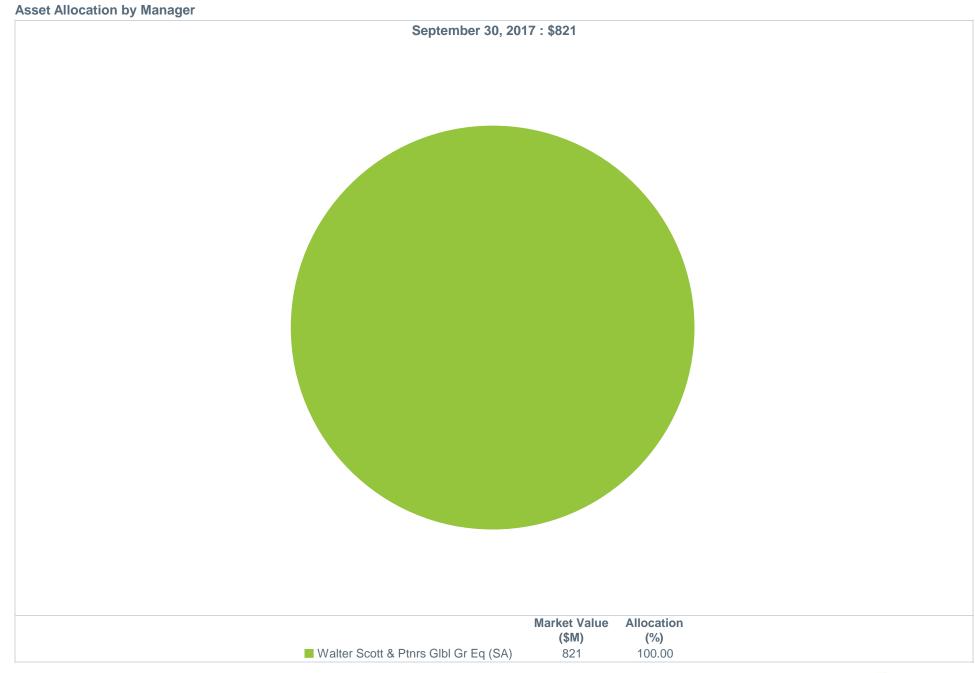






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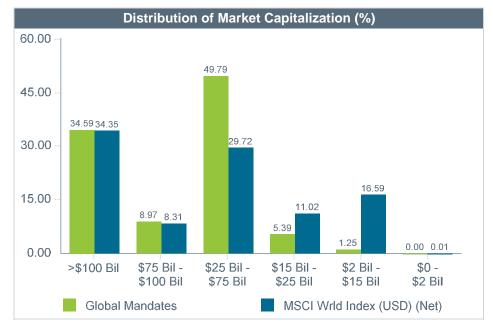




#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Global Mandates vs. MSCI Wrld Index (USD) (Net) Portfolio Characteristics

Top Ten Equity Holdings										
	Portfolio Weight (%)	Benchmark Weight (%)	Active Weight (%)	Quarterly Return (%)						
Mastercard Inc	3.88	0.35	3.53	16.47						
Adobe Systems Inc	3.35	0.19	3.16	5.47						
Keyence Corp	2.88	0.13	2.75	20.96						
Intuitive Surgical Inc	2.77	0.10	2.67	11.81						
Taiwan Semiconductor Mfg (ADR)	2.75	0.00	2.75	7.41						
TJX Companies Inc (The)	2.74	0.12	2.62	2.61						
AIA Group Ltd	2.69	0.23	2.46	1.34						
Lvmh Moet Hennessy Louis Vuitton	2.61	0.20	2.41	10.86						
Amphenol Corp	2.53	0.07	2.46	14.92						
Suncor Energy Inc.	2.52	0.15	2.37	20.86						
% of Portfolio	28.72	1.54	27.18							

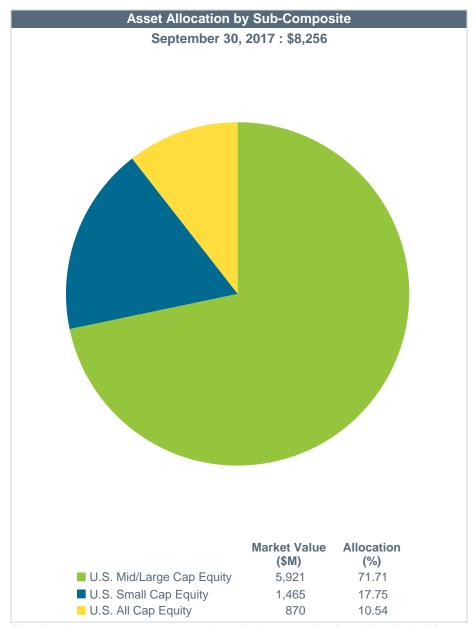
Portfolio Characteristics							
	Portfolio	Benchmark					
Vtd. Avg. Mkt. Cap (\$M)	114,425	123,123					
Median Mkt. Cap (\$M)	64,169	12,783					
Price/Earnings Ratio	24.86	19.96					
Price/Book Ratio	4.34	2.78					
5 Yr. EPS Growth Rate (%)	8.54	8.72					
Current Yield (%)	1.89	2.44					
Beta (5 Years, Monthly)	0.87	1.00					
Number of Securities	56	1,652					

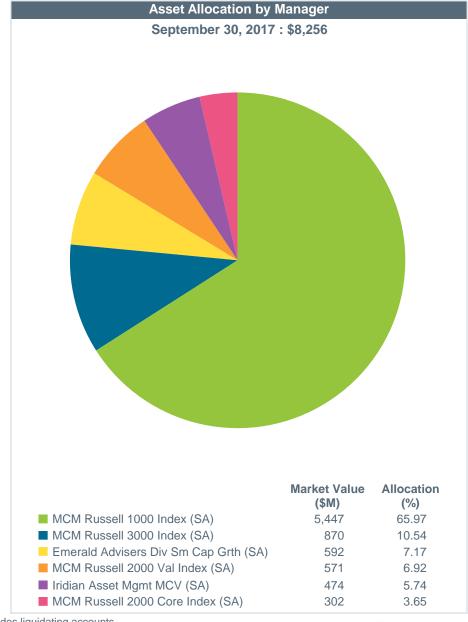






**Asset Allocation by Sub-Composite & Manager** 





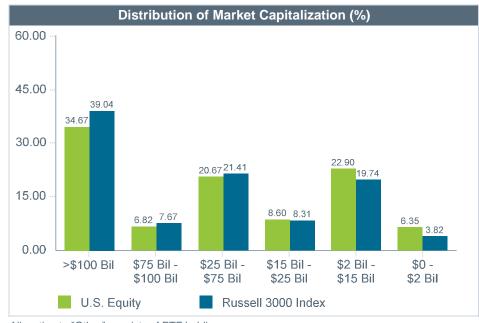
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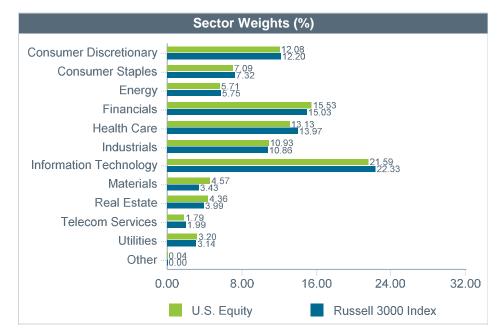


#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System U.S. Equity vs. Russell 3000 Index

	Top Ten Eq	uity Holdings		
	Portfolio Weight (%)	Benchmark Weight (%)	Active Weight (%)	Quarterly Return (%)
Apple Inc	2.74	3.09	-0.35	7.45
Microsoft Corp	1.91	2.14	-0.23	8.64
Facebook Inc	1.36	1.53	-0.17	13.17
Amazon.com Inc	1.30	1.47	-0.17	-0.69
Berkshire Hathaway Inc	1.20	1.35	-0.15	8.24
Johnson & Johnson	1.19	1.35	-0.16	-1.10
Exxon Mobil Corp	1.18	1.33	-0.15	2.54
JPMorgan Chase & Co	1.15	1.30	-0.15	5.06
Alphabet Inc	0.99	1.11	-0.12	5.54
Alphabet Inc	0.99	1.11	-0.12	4.74
% of Portfolio	14.01	15.78	-1.77	

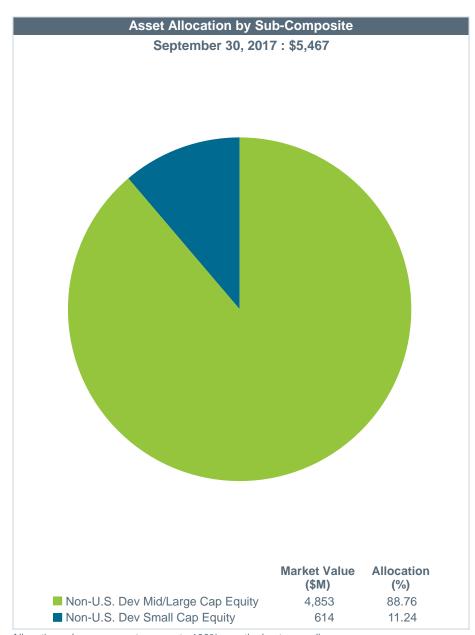
Portfolio Characteristics								
	Portfolio	Benchmark						
Wtd. Avg. Mkt. Cap (\$M)	131,423	146,514						
Median Mkt. Cap (\$M)	1,678	1,673						
Price/Earnings Ratio	22.19	22.34						
Price/Book Ratio	3.02	3.16						
5 Yr. EPS Growth Rate (%)	9.70	10.25						
Current Yield (%)	1.83	1.88						
Beta (5 Years, Monthly)	1.02	1.00						
Number of Securities	2,994	2,981						

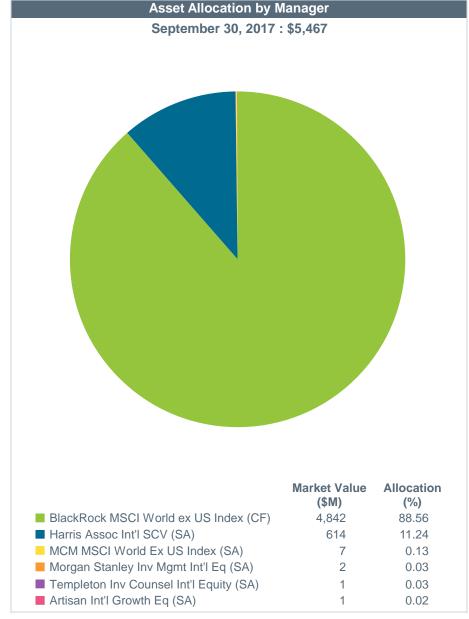




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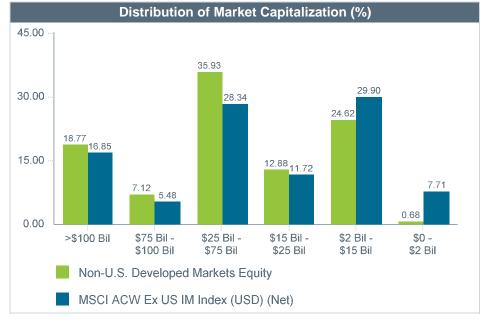
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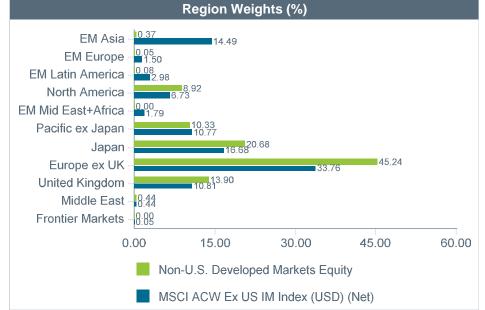


#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Non-U.S. Developed Markets Equity vs. MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net) Portfolio Characteristics

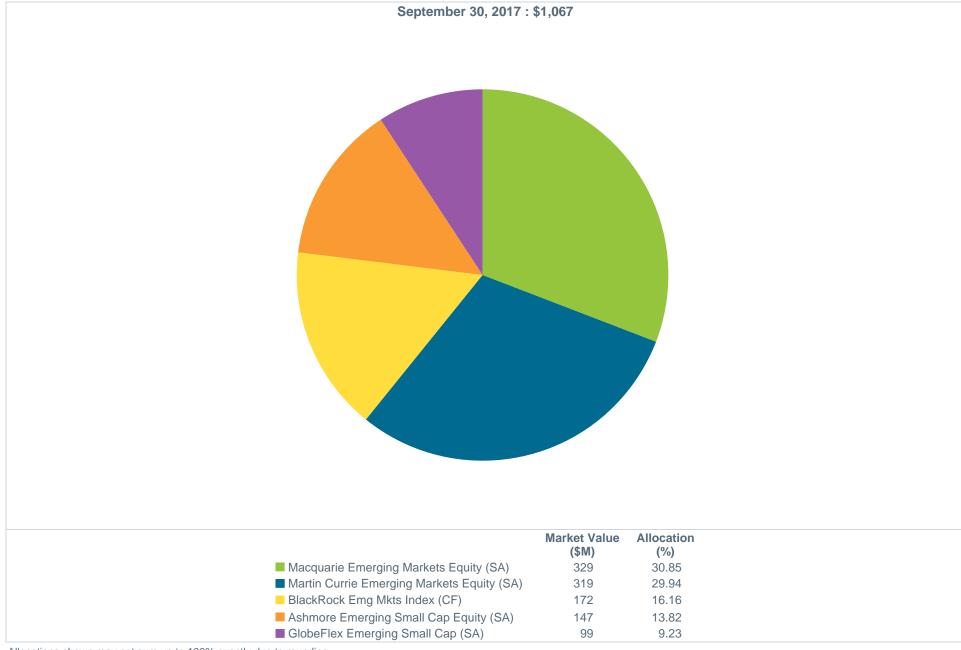
Top Ten Equity Holdings										
	Portfolio Weight (%)	Benchmark Weight (%)	Active Weight (%)	Quarterly Return (%)						
Nestle SA, Cham Und Vevey	1.58	1.08	0.50	-3.80						
HSBC Holdings PLC	1.21	0.82	0.39	8.04						
Novartis AG	1.16	0.79	0.37	2.83						
Roche Holding AG	1.09	0.74	0.35	0.20						
Toyota Motor Corp	0.96	0.64	0.32	15.32						
British American Tobacco PLC	0.88	0.59	0.29	-6.73						
Royal Dutch Shell PLC	0.83	0.56	0.27	16.02						
Total SA	0.78	0.52	0.26	10.31						
BP PLC	0.77	0.52	0.25	13.20						
Royal Bank of Canada	0.71	0.46	0.25	7.49						
% of Portfolio	9.97	6.72	3.25							

Portfolio Characteristics								
Portfolio	Benchmark							
58,762	56,467							
10,490	1,462							
17.08	16.37							
2.22	2.28							
6.95	8.29							
3.12	2.88							
0.98	1.00							
1,079	6,157							
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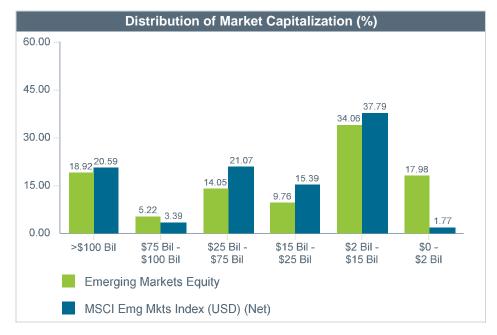


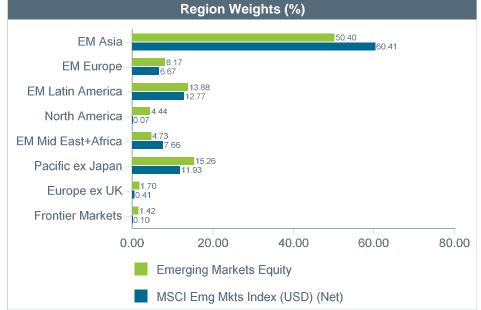


## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Emerging Markets Equity vs. MSCI Emg Mkts Index (USD) (Net) Portfolio Characteristics

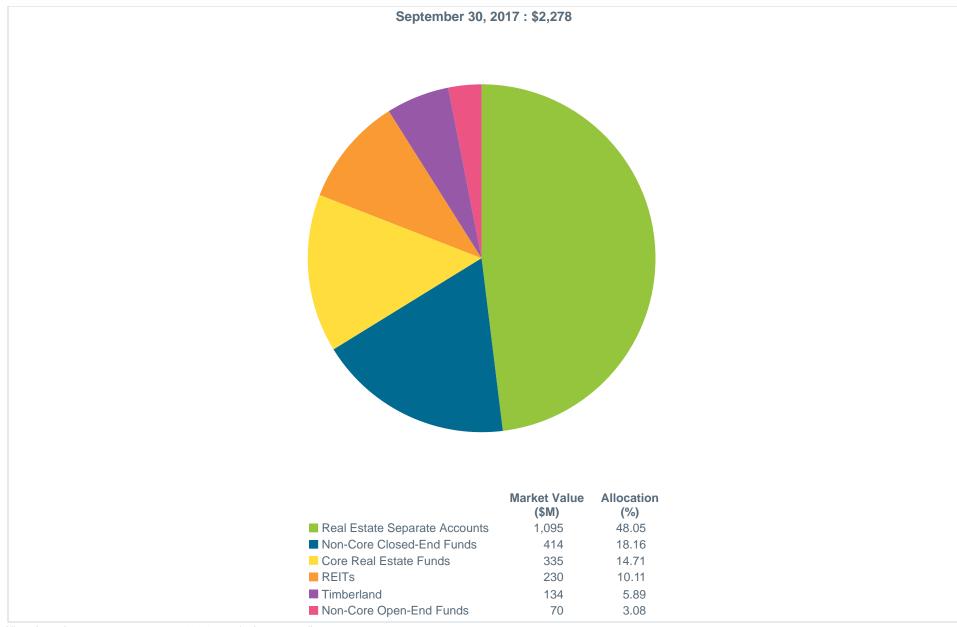
Benchmark Weight (%)	Active Weight	Quarterly
	(%)	Return (%)
4.38	0.95	7.96
4.88	-0.55	20.34
3.92	0.08	22.58
3.51	-1.42	7.41
0.00	1.78	2.34
3.51	-1.80	4.02
0.62	1.02	13.33
1.89	-0.28	11.65
1.09	0.51	15.84
0.13	1.41	34.93
23.93	1.70	
	23.93	23.93 1.70

Portfolio Characteristics								
	Portfolio	Benchmark						
Wtd. Avg. Mkt. Cap (\$M)	74,322	81,292						
Median Mkt. Cap (\$M)	4,633	5,881						
Price/Earnings Ratio	15.01	14.40						
Price/Book Ratio	2.45	2.53						
5 Yr. EPS Growth Rate (%)	11.75	10.74						
Current Yield (%)	2.03	2.45						
Beta (5 Years, Monthly)	0.99	1.00						
Number of Securities	1,095	839						





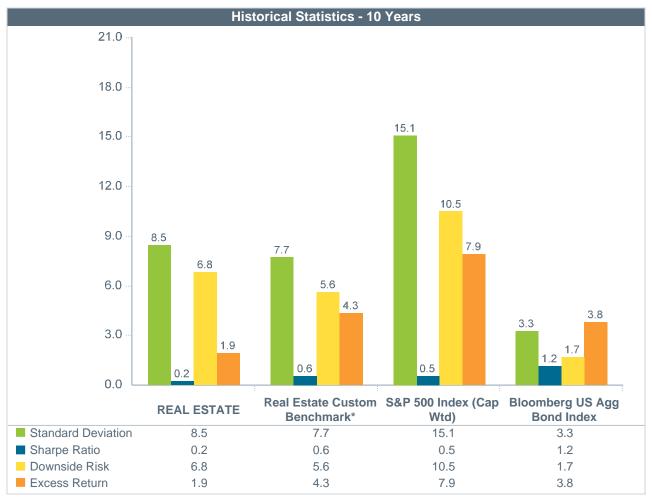




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Comparative Performance												
	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	2014	Since Incep.	Inception Date
REAL ESTATE	1.2	2.1	0.1	5.7	8.2	9.2	2.0	3.2	9.9	10.9	8.7	03/01/1984
Real Estate Custom Benchmark*	1.5	4.0	5.7	9.6	10.7	12.0	4.3	9.9	12.9	11.4	N/A	
Difference	-0.3	-1.9	-5.6	-3.9	-2.5	-2.8	-2.3	-6.7	-3.0	-0.5	N/A	

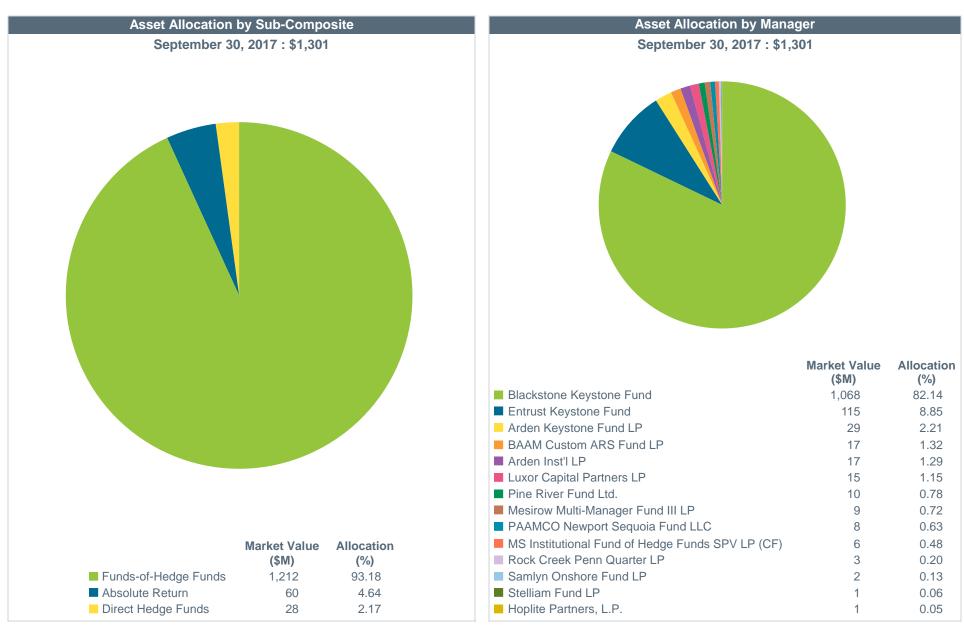


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#### Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System HEDGE FUNDS

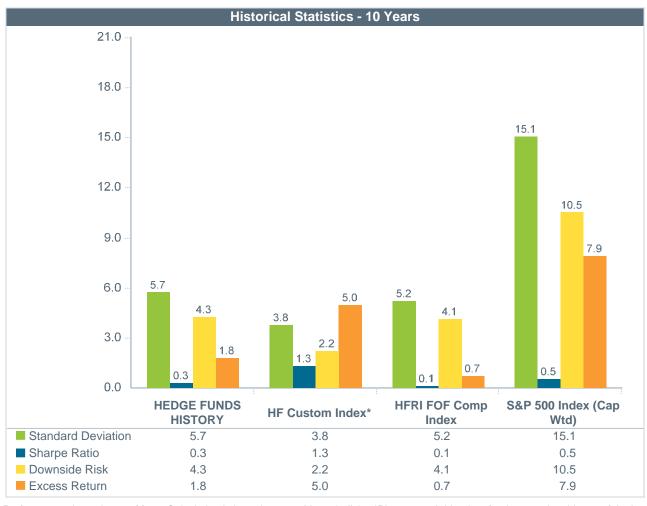
**Asset Allocation by Sub-Composite & Manager** 



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Comparative Performance												
	QTD	CYTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2016	2015	2014	Since Incep.	Inception Date
HEDGE FUNDS HISTORY	1.7	4.0	6.7	0.2	2.1	2.6	2.1	4.2	-6.0	2.5	3.9	01/01/2002
HF Custom Index*	2.8	8.6	8.9	2.9	6.6	6.2	5.5	-0.1	-0.5	4.1	4.6	
Difference	-1.1	-4.6	-2.2	-2.7	-4.5	-3.6	-3.4	4.3	-5.5	-1.6	-0.7	

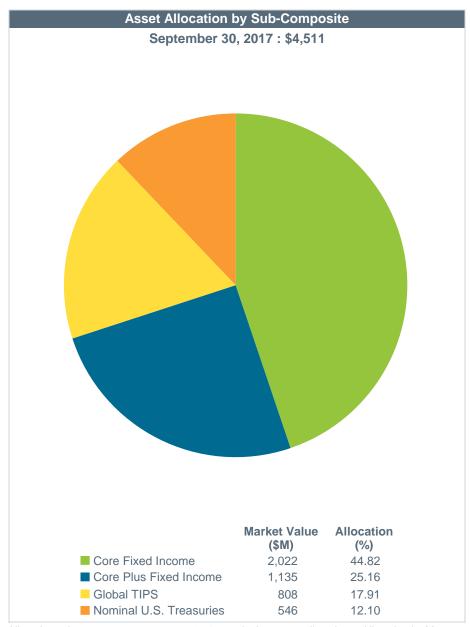


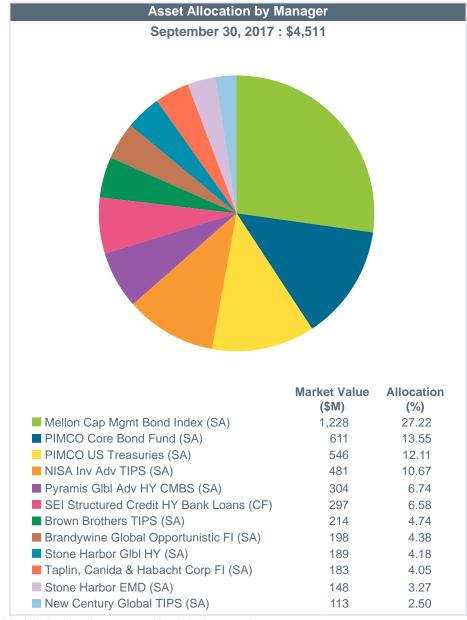
Actual Correlation - 10 Ye	ears
	Actual Correlation
HF Custom Index*	0.37
S&P 500 Index (Cap Wtd)	0.60
Russell 2000 Index	0.55
MSCI EAFE Index (USD) (Net)	0.67
MSCI Emg Mkts Index (USD) (Net)	0.66
Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index	-0.07
Bloomberg US Trsy: US TIPS Index	0.22
Wilshire US REIT Index	0.28
HFRI FOF Comp Index	0.86
Bloomberg Cmdty Index (TR)	0.82
3 Mo US T-Bill Index	-0.18
Cons Price Index (Unadjusted)	0.35

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**Asset Allocation by Sub-Composite & Manager** 





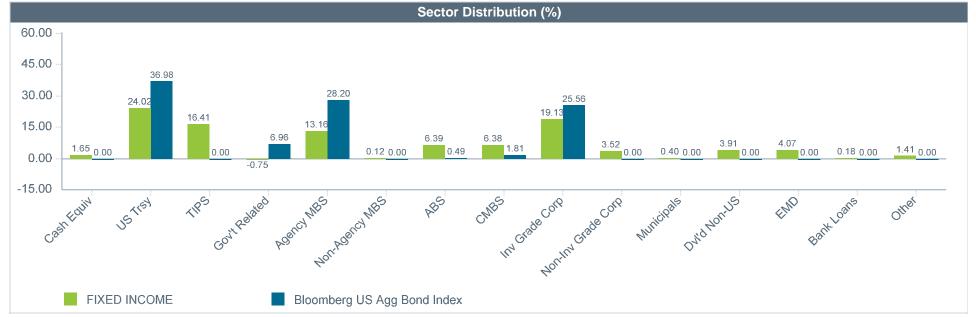
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# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System FIXED INCOME vs. Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index

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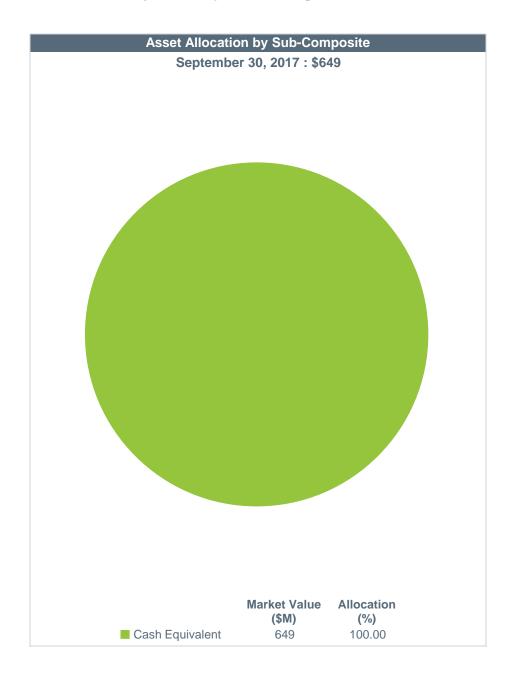
	Portfolio Characteristics	
	Portfolio	Benchmark
Effective Duration	4.82	5.96
Avg. Maturity	6.26	8.25
Avg. Quality	Aa2	Aa1/Aa2
Yield To Maturity (%)	2.52	2.55
Coupon Rate (%)	2.17	3.06

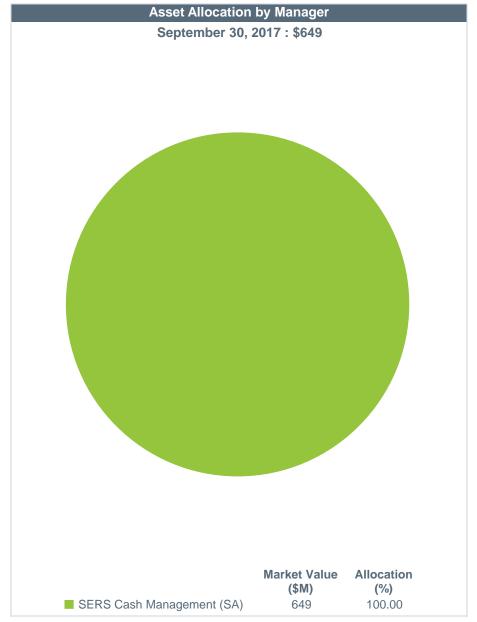


Allocation to "Other" consists of equity, warrants, accrued interest, unrealized G/L on forwards, high yield and other securitized products. Data shown does not include liquidating accounts and fixed income transition accounts. Effective Duration, Average Quality, and Yield to Maturity statistics have been estimated using the manager's benchmark when statistics are not provided by the manager.



**Asset Allocation by Sub-Composite & Manager** 







# Capital Markets Review

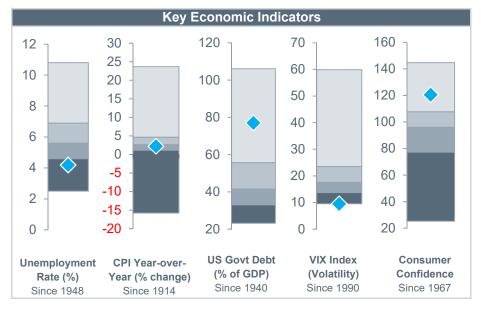


Capital Markets Review As of September 30, 2017

# Third Quarter Economic Environment

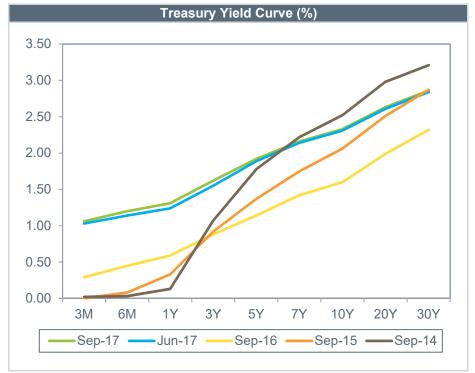
# **Key Economic Indicators**

Expectations for continued global growth, as well as US fiscal policy stimulus, were again cited as the primary factors driving equity markets to record levels. Oil markets also traded higher during the period, albeit within recent ranges, with WTI crude reaching \$52 per barrel. While no material price action occurred on the announcement, market participants noted Standard & Poor's downgrade of China from AA to A+, suggesting deterioration of economic fundamentals for the world's second largest economy could be a risk to global growth going forward. Global monetary policy was also in focus, with the FOMC announcing its intent to start its balance sheet normalization strategy in October. The announcement elicited limited price action, as market participants suggested the policy change was well telegraphed through speeches by policy makers and FOMC meeting minutes. Finally, US interest rates reached 2017 lows for key maturities before rising late in the period on a renewed sense of optimism regarding the economic growth outlook.



Economic Indicators	Sep-17		Jun-17	Sep-16	Sep-14	20 Yr
Federal Funds Rate (%)	1.06	_	1.06	0.29	0.07	2.18
Breakeven Infl 1 Yr (%)	1.24	$\blacktriangle$	0.72	0.95	-0.19	N/A
Breakeven Infl 10 Yr (%)	1.85	$\blacktriangle$	1.74	1.61	1.97	N/A
CPI YoY (Headline) (%)	2.2	$\blacktriangle$	1.6	1.5	1.7	2.1
Unemployment Rate (%)	4.2	$\blacksquare$	4.4	4.9	5.9	5.9
Real GDP YoY (%)	2.3	$\blacktriangle$	2.2	1.5	3.2	2.3
PMI - Manufacturing	60.80		57.80	51.70	55.90	52.28
USD Total Wtd ldx	88.11	$\blacksquare$	90.54	90.01	81.08	86.81
WTI Crude Oil per Barrel (\$)	51.7	$\blacktriangle$	46.0	48.2	91.2	57.1
Gold Spot per Oz (\$)	1,280.2	<b>A</b>	1,241.6	1,315.8	1,208.2	818.4

Market Performance (%)	QTD	CYTD	1 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr
S&P 500 (Cap Wtd)	4.48	14.24	18.61	14.22	7.44
Russell 2000	5.67	10.94	20.74	13.79	7.85
MSCI EAFE (Net)	5.40	19.96	19.10	8.38	1.34
MSCI EAFE SC (Net)	7.46	25.42	21.84	12.85	4.63
MSCI Emg Mkts (Net)	7.89	27.78	22.46	3.99	1.32
Bloomberg US Agg Bond	0.85	3.14	0.07	2.06	4.27
BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill	0.27	0.57	0.65	0.22	0.47
NCREIF ODCE (Gross)	1.87	5.43	7.66	11.59	5.03
Wilshire US REIT	0.61	2.44	0.10	9.51	5.55
HFRI FOF Comp	2.31	5.60	6.51	3.85	1.07
Bloomberg Cmdty (TR)	2.52	-2.87	-0.29	-10.47	-6.83





US Equity Review As of September 30, 2017

# **Third Quarter Review**

### **Broad Market**

Domestic equity markets were driven to record levels during the quarter. Fiscal stimulus, along with expectations for continued global growth, were cited as primary factors for US equity appreciation.

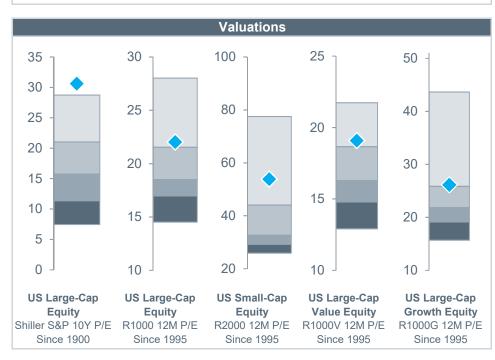
# **Market Cap**

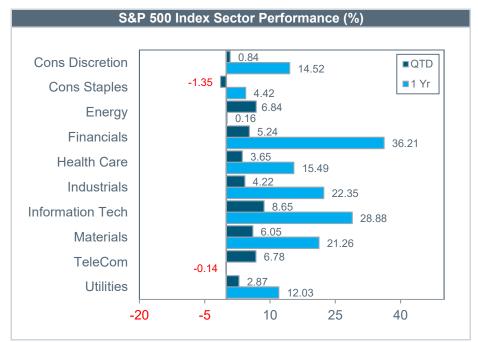
US small cap stocks outperformed large cap stocks, with the Russell 2000 index returning 5.7% versus the Russell 1000 index return of 4.5%.

# **Style and Sector**

Growth stocks continued to outperform value across all market caps. Within the large cap growth segment, information technology, health care, and financial stocks outperformed other sectors over the period. Managers targeting these sectors generally benefited from the exposure, but delivered mixed results relative to their respective indices.







Valuation data courtesy of Bloomberg Professional Service and Robert J. Shiller, Irrational Exuberance, Second Edition. P/E metrics shown represent the 5th through 95th percentiles to minimize the effect of outliers.



**Non-US Equity Review** As of September 30, 2017

# Third Quarter Review

### **Broad Market**

Expectations for continued global growth and US fiscal policy stimulus were positive drivers to international equity markets, as the MSCI ACWI Ex US index rose approximately 6.2%.

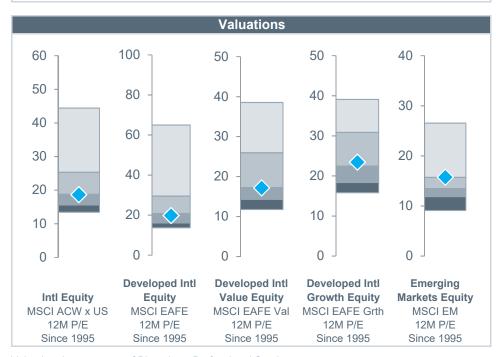
# Region

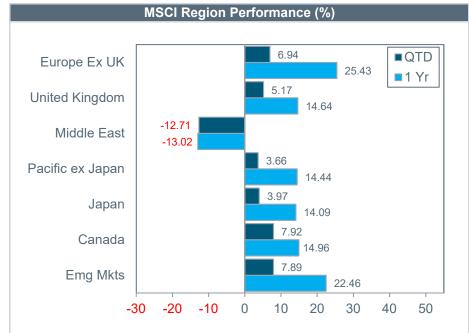
European market returns heavily influenced broad international market exposure, as ECB policy makers scaled back expectations for the removal of accomodative monetary policy.

# Market Cap & Style

Developed international stocks performed well on an absolute and relative basis when compared to their domestic counterparts, but trailed relative to emerging markets. Growth stocks outperformed value in both developed and emerging markets, but market cap size performance among market type was mixed. Small caps continued to outperform value in developed markets, while large cap outperformed small cap in emerging markets.







Valuation data courtesy of Bloomberg Professional Service.

P/E metrics shown represent the 5th through 95th percentiles to minimize the effect of outliers.

All returns are shown net of foreign taxes on dividends.



Fixed Income Review As of September 30, 2017

# Third Quarter Review

### **Broad Market**

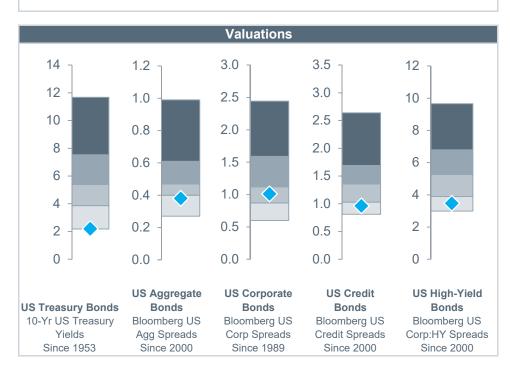
The yield curve flattened materially during the period on the increased likelihood of further rate hikes by the FOMC amidst a general lack of confidence in long-run economic growth prospects. Still, the Bloomberg Barclays US Aggregate Bond index returned 0.8% in Q3, as a slight increase in yields was not enough to keep bonds from posting a positive return.

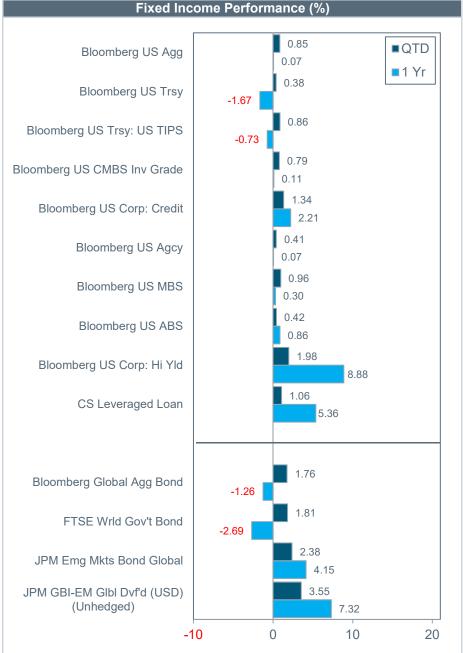
### **Credit Market**

High yield credit spreads reached a three-year low while investment grade credit spreads matched its lowest point since 2007.

## International

Local currency emerging market debt continues to post strong performance as the JPMorgan GBI-EM Global Diversified index returned 3.6% for the quarter. It has been one of the strongest performing asset classes on a year-to-date basis, with a return of 14.3%.







Valuations shown represent the 5th through 95th percentiles to minimize the effect of outliers.



# Third Quarter Review - Absolute Return

# **General Market - Hedge Funds**

Hedge funds largely provided positive performance, with fundamental and event-driven strategies leading while macro oriented managers continued to struggle. Multi-Strategy manager returns were generally positive during the quarter, but have experienced wide dispersion year-to-date. The best performing broad hedge fund category for both the quarter and year-to-date has been traditional Equity Long-Short (ELS).

# **General Market - Global Tactical Asset Allocation (GTAA)**

Performance for GTAA Managers continued to build on a strong year for most strategies. Quarterly returns varied widely given a diverse group of managers, but most core GTAA allocation managers outperformed a static US 60/40 portfolio both during the quarter, and also year-to-date. Generally, those that ranked among the top of peers tended to rely on value oriented investment processes that have resulted in significant equity, fixed income and currency exposure within emerging markets.

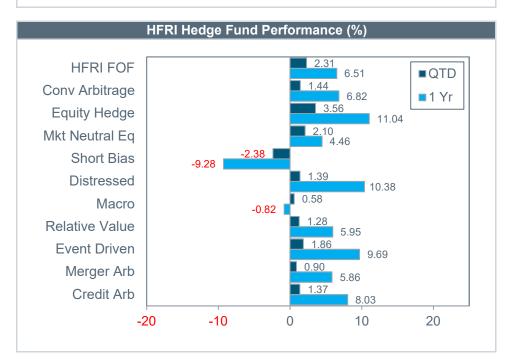
# Third Quarter Review - Real Assets

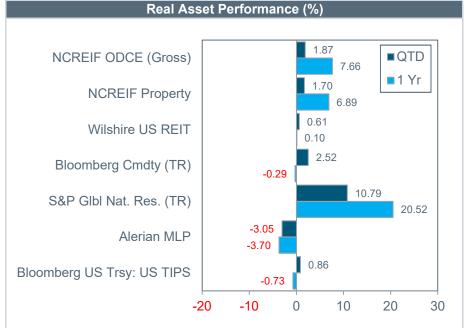
# **General Market - Diversified Inflation Strategies (DIS)**

Diversified Inflation Strategies ("DIS") performed relatively well, with some even outperforming a static US 60/40 portfolio despite a low-inflation environment. This occurred in a quarter where inflation levels remained low, but rose from 1.6% in June, to 2.2% based on the most recently available headline CPI release in September.

### **General Market - Real Estate**

Real estate valuations remain healthy, supported by continuing strength in the overall economy. The core private real estate index, NCREIF-ODCE returned 1.9%, on a preliminary basis, during Q3, comprised of 1.1% income and 0.8% appreciation. Market participants characterized this as another quarter of normalizing returns reinforcing investor expectations of lower returns going forward as the market enters the later stages of the recovery. Investors in publicly traded real estate trailed their private market counterparts during the quarter as measured by FTSE/NAREIT All REIT's index return of 1.2%.







Annual Asset Class Performance As of September 30, 2017

	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	YTD
Best	61.34	33.16	34.00	35.97	39.38	8.44	78.51	28.60	22.49	20.00	38.82	31.78	15.02	21.31	27.78
1	55.81	31.45	26.19	32.18	16.23	5.24	58.21	26.85	15.99	18.23	32.39	19.31	9.59	17.13	25.42
	47.25	25.55	21.39	26.34	15.97	2.06	46.78	22.04	13.56	17.59	29.30	13.69	4.23	11.96	19.96
	38.59	20.25	21.36	19.31	11.63	-2.35	31.78	18.88	9.24	17.32	22.78	12.50	1.38	11.74	14.24
	36.18	18.33	13.82	18.37	11.17	-10.01	28.60	16.83	7.84	16.35	13.94	5.97	0.55	11.19	10.94
	28.96	13.06	13.54	16.32	10.25	-21.37	27.17	16.36	4.98	16.00	8.96	4.89	0.05	8.77	7.65
	28.68	11.14	7.49	15.79	6.97	-26.16	26.46	15.12	2.11	15.81	7.44	3.64	-0.27	7.24	7.00
	23.93	10.88	5.34	11.86	6.60	-33.79	18.91	15.06	0.10	10.94	1.86	3.37	-0.81	6.67	5.60
	11.61	9.15	4.91	10.39	5.49	-35.65	11.47	10.16	-4.18	8.78	0.07	2.45	-1.44	4.68	5.43
	9.28	8.56	4.55	4.85	5.00	-37.00	11.41	7.75	-5.72	6.98	-2.02	0.04	-3.30	2.65	3.14
	8.39	8.46	3.07	4.34	1.87	-39.20	5.93	6.54	-12.14	4.79	-2.60	-2.19	-4.41	2.18	2.44
	5.88	6.86	2.84	2.72	1.45	-43.38	1.92	6.31	-13.32	4.21	-8.61	-4.90	-4.47	1.00	1.72
<b>1</b>	4.11	4.34	2.74	2.07	-1.57	-47.01	0.21	5.70	-15.94	0.11	-8.83	-4.95	-14.92	0.51	0.57
Worst	1.15	1.33	2.43	0.49	-17.55	-53.33	-29.76	0.13	-18.42	-1.06	-9.52	-17.01	-24.66	0.33	-2.87
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# Addendum & Glossary



# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Addendum

#### **Performance Related Comments**

- Performance shown is net of fees except where noted.
- Allocations shown may not sum up to 100% exactly due to rounding.
- RVK, Inc. began monitoring the assets of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System as of 10/01/2011. Prior historical data was provided by BNY Mellon and Rocaton. Subsequent restructuring of composites during Q4 2012 caused staff to direct BNY to recalculate select composites. This updated history was provided to RVK from inception through 12/31/2012 and cannot be independently verified by RVK due to the absence of accounting history related to newly created historical composites.
- Gross performance shown for the Total Fund Composite is calculated by BNY Mellon by adding the estimated annual expense ratio to the net return stream.
- Manager-reported performance may differ from custodian-reported performance for Hedge Fund managers due to cash flows and valuation revisions.
- Due to the nature of the fund, the market value and performance for SEI Structured Credit High Yield Bank Loans (CF) is lagged by one month. However, the manager page uses product specific performance that is not lagged.
- Beginning in Q2 2012, PAAMCO Newport Sequoia Fund LLC reports performance on a two month lag.
- Due to the nature of the asset classes, performance for Buyouts, Special Situations, Venture Capital, Core Real Estate, Non Core Real Estate, Real Estate Separate Accounts, Timberland and REITs are lagged by one quarter.
- RVK calculates performance beginning with the first full month following inception.
- Total Fund Composite performance shown for calendar years 1981-1984 was updated to be consistent with the 1983-1985 CAFR letters as directed by SERS staff. RVK received the updated calendar year performance for 1981-1984 directly from BNY Mellon. Each calendar year return was converted to twelve equal monthly returns so that the linked performance matches each total calendar year performance. It is important to note that the methodology used to derive these monthly returns may affect the accuracy of risk measures for periods including 1981-1984. The updated calendar year performance and all linked performance shown has not been independently reviewed by RVK.
- Liquidating accounts with market values under \$1 million are not shown in this report, but are included in the composites' market values and performance calculations.
- Fixed Income characteristics and allocations are provided by the managers.
- SERS investments in Absolute Return are in liquidation.
- In Q3 2016, Real Estate was reestablished as a stand-alone asset class.
- In Q3 2016, the following transitions occurred due to the 2016-2017 restructuring: Private Energy was reclassified as a sub-strategy within the Private Equity asset class, Commodities were reclassified as a stand-alone asset class within Hedge Funds, Harvest Fund Advisors MLP and Kayne Anderson MLP were reclassified as Core Plus Fixed Income, and Short-Term Notes were reclassified as a stand-alone strategy within Fixed Income.
- In Q4 2016, MCM Russell 1000 Growth Index (SA), Diamond Hill LC (SA), Epoch LC Value (SA), Emerald Adv PA Sm Cap Core Eq (SA), and Mellon Cap Mgmt PA Quant Eq (SA) were liquidated and Emerald Adv Div Sm Cap Grth (SA), MCM Russell 2000 Core Index (SA), MCM Russell 2000 Val Index (SA) were funded with the proceeds.
- On 03/31/2017, Delaware Investments adopted the name of its parent company, Macquarie Investment Management.
- In Q2 2017, Artisan Int'l Growth Eq (SA), MCM MSCI World Ex US Index (SA), Morgan Stanley Inv Mgmt Int'l Eq (SA), Templeton Int'l Eq (SA), Hoplite Partners, L.P., Stelliam Fund LP, BAAM Custom Commodities Fund LP, MacKay Shields Core Fixed Income (SA), UBS Core Bond (SA), and Wellington US Treasuries (SA) were terminated. Market values shown represent residual assets. MCM Russell 3000 Index (SA) and BlackRock MSCI World ex US Index (CF) were funded with the proceeds.
- In Q3 2017, Samlyn Onshore Fund LP, PNC Short Duration (SA), StoneRidge Short Duration (SA), Waterfall Asset Mgmt ABS (SA), Kayne Anderson MLP, and Harvest Fund Advisors MLP were liquidated. Market values shown represent residual assets.



# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Addendum

#### **Peer Group and Index Comments**

- The All Public Plans > \$1 Billion-Total Fund plan sponsor universe includes public funds with total fund market values over \$1B in the Investment Metrics (IM) and BNY Mellon universe.
- See the following pages for the complete historical composition of indices marked with an asterisk (\*).
- Indices show N/A for since inception returns when the fund contains more history than the corresponding benchmark.

Plan Sponsor Peer Groups - RVK utilizes the Mellon Analytical Solutions Trust Universe along with the Investment Metrics Plan Sponsor Universe. The combined Mellon Analytical Solutions Trust Universe and Investment Metrics Plan Sponsor Universe is used for comparison of total fund composite results and utilizes actual client returns compiled from consultant and custodial data. The Plan Sponsor Peer Group database includes performance and other quantitative data for over 1,273 plans which include corporate, endowment, foundation, public, and Taft Hartley plans, across 6 standard peer groups. Plan Sponsor Peer Groups are gross of fees.

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# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System **Custom Benchmark Composition**

Manager/Composite/Benchmark Name Total Fund Custom Benchmark* (Historical performance through 9/30/2011 was provided	Benchmark Composition The custom index is calculated monthly using January 1st and December 31st actual plan weights of the asset allocation structure.	Since Inception
by Rocaton)	The custom index is calculated using the Strategic Target Weights.	8/1/2007
	The custom index is calculated using 12/31/2009 actual plan weights and the 2010 target weights.	1/1/2010
	The custom index is calculated using 2011 target weights, and consists of:	10/1/2011
	24.5% SERS - Private Equity Composite Returns 3.9% MSCI World Index (Net) 9.6% Russell 3000 Index 16.5% MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net) 15.5% 3 Mo LIBOR Index+3% 9.5% Townsend Stylized Benchmark 3% Commodities & Infrastructure Custom Benchmark 17.5% Fixed Income Custom Index*  21% SERS - Private Equity Composite Returns 32% MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) 15% Real Estate Custom Benchmark* 12% Hedge Funds Custom Benchmark* 17% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index 3% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US Treasury Bill Index  20% SERS - Private Equity Composite Returns 37% MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) 17% Real Estate Custom Benchmark* 8% HF Custom Index* 15% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index 3% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US Treasury Bill Index	7/1/2012 4/1/2014
	The custom index is calculated using interim target weights, and currently consists of:	7/1/2016
	16% SERS - Private Equity Composite Returns 43% MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) 12% Real Estate Custom Benchmark* 12% HF Custom Index* 14% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index 3% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US Treasury Bill Index	
Total Fund Public Mkt Equiv Benchmark*	The custom index is calculated monthly using January 1st and December 31st actual plan weights of the	Inception

(Historical performance through 9/30/2011 was provided by Rocaton)

asset allocation structure.

The custom index is calculated using the Strategic Target Weights.



Manager/Composite/Benchmark Name	Benchmark Composition	Since
	The custom index is calculated using 12/31/2009 actual plan weights and the 2010 target weights.	1/1/2010
	The custom index is calculated using 2011 target weights, and consists of:	10/1/2011
	24.5% Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag) 3.9% MSCI World Index (Net) 9.6% Russell 3000 Index 16.5% MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net) 15.5% 3 Mo LIBOR Index+3% 9.5% Consumer Price Index+3% 3% Consumer Price Index+3% 17.5% Fixed Income Custom Index*	
	17.5% Fixed Income Custom Index*  21% Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag) 32% MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) 15% Consumer Price Index+3% 12% Hedge Funds Custom Benchmark* 17% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index	7/1/2012
	3% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US Treasury Bill Index	4/1/2014
	20% Russell 3000 Index+3% (Qtr Lag) 37% MSCI ACW IM Index (USD) (Net) 17% Consumer Price Index+3% 8% HF Custom Index* 15% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index 3% BofA Merrill Lynch 3 Month US Treasury Bill Index	
	The custom index is calculated using interim target weights, and currently consists of:	7/1/2016
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# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Custom Benchmark Composition

Manager/Composite/Benchmark Name Burgiss Custom Indices	Benchmark Composition The custom indices utilize the Burgiss private equity database and are provided by StepStone. They are calculated using the time-weighted returns for a composite of funds based on their specified strategies and with the same vintage dates as SERS's funds. For all Burgiss benchmarks, Geographic Focus, Industry Focus, Fund Size, and Currency are all inclusive across countries, industries, funds, and currencies, respectively. Asset Class compositions are listed below for each index.	<u>Since</u>
Burgiss All Private Equity Custom Index (Qtr Lag) Burgiss Buyout Custom Index (Qtr Lag) Burgiss Special Situations Custom Index (Qtr Lag) Burgiss Venture Capital Custom Index (Qtr Lag)	Asset Class: Corporate Finance, Generalist, Venture Capital Asset Class: Corporate Finance/Buyout Asset Class: Corporate Finance/Distressed Securities, Corporate Finance/Mezzanine, Corporate Finance/Special Situations Asset Class: Venture Capital	
US Equity	100% Wilshire 5000 Value Wtd Total Index 100% Russell 3000 Index	Inception 1/1/1999
US Small Cap Equity	100% Wilshire 4500 Completion Index 100% Russell 2500 Index	Inception 1/1/1999
	100% Russell 2000 Index	12/1/2016
Non-US Equity (Historical performance through 9/30/2008 was provided by Rocaton)	80% SERS Custom Core International Index 20% FTSE Europe & Pacific Medium/Small Cap Index	Inception
	80% MSCI EAFE Index (Free) 20% FTSE Europe & Pacific Medium/Small Cap Index	2/1/2000
	80% MSCI EAFE Index (Free) 20% S&P World Equity EMI EPAC	7/1/2000
	68.56% MSCI EAFE Index (Free) 17.15% S&P World Equity EMI EPAC 14.29% MSCI EMF Index (Net) (Effective 1/1/2001)	11/1/2000
	85.71% S&P World Equity EMI EPAC 14.29% MSCI EMF Index (Net) (Effective 1/1/2001)	5/1/2001
	Month-End% S&P World Equity EMI EPAC Month-End% MSCI EMF Index (Net) (Effective 1/1/2001)	1/1/2002
	62.98% MSCI EAFE Index (Net) 15.74% S&P EMI EPAC (Gross)	10/1/2006



# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Custom Benchmark Composition

Manager/Composite/Benchmark Name	Benchmark Composition 21.28% MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Net) 64.8% MSCI EAFE Index (Net)	Since
	16.2% S&P EMI EPAC (Gross) 19.0% MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Net) 100% MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (Net)	7/1/2007 10/1/2008
	65.5% MSCI EAFE IM Index (Net) 34.5% MSCI Emerging Markets Index (Net)	1/1/2010
	100% MSCI ACW Ex US IM Index (USD) (Net)	1/1/2011
Morgan Stanley Inv Mgmt Int'l Eq (SA)	100% MSCI EAFE Free Index (Net) 100% S&P Developed Ex US Large/Mid Cap TR Index (Gross) 100% MSCI EAFE Index (Net)	Inception 5/1/2001 10/1/2006
Templeton Int'l Eq (SA)	100% SERS Custom Core International Index 100% MSCI ACW Ex US Free Index (Gross) 100% S&P Global Ex US BM TR Index (Gross) 100% S&P Global Ex US Lg Mid Cap Index (Gross) 100% MSCI EAFE Index (Net) 100% MSCI ACW Ex US Index (USD) (Net)	Inception 2/1/2000 5/1/2001 1/1/2004 10/1/2006 1/1/2010
Artisan Int'l Growth Eq (SA)	100% S&P Global Ex US BM TR Index (Gross) 100% MSCI EAFE Index (Net) 100% MSCI ACW Ex US Index (Net)	Inception 10/1/2006 1/1/2010
Real Estate Custom Benchmark*	Provided by Townsend  The custom index is calculated monthly using beginning of the month asset class weights applied to each corresponding primary benchmark return.	Inception 1/1/2013
Core Real Estate Funds	100% All Open-end Funds Index.  NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)	Inception 7/1/2016



# Commonwealth of Pennsylvania State Employees' Retirement System Custom Benchmark Composition

Manager/Composite/Benchmark Name	Benchmark Composition	Since
Non-Core Open-End Funds	100% All Open-end Funds Index.  NCREIF ODCE Index (AWA) (Net) (Qtr Lag)	Inception <b>7/1/2016</b>
REITs	Wilshire Real Estate Securities Index S&P Citigroup Global Index (Qtr Lag)	Inception 1/1/2006
Timberland	NCREIF Timberland Index (Quarterly) Consumer Price Index+3% (Qtr Lag)	Inception <b>7/1/2016</b>
HF Custom Index*	3 Mo LIBOR Index	Inception
	3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%	1/1/2009
	65% Russell 3000 Index	
	35% 3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%	7/1/2012
	100% HFRI FOF: Strategic Index	4/1/2014
Absolute Return Composite & Underlying Managers	3 Mo LIBOR Index	Inception
	3 Mo LIBOR Index+3%	1/1/2009
Commodities Custom Benchmark*	100% BAAM Custom Index	Inception
NISA Inv Adv TIPS (SA)	The Custom TIPS Benchmark is a custom blend of TIPS determined monthly based on the following rules of inclusion and weighting:  1. Identify all TIPS with real durations between 4 and 6 years and find the average duration of all such	Inception
	securities.  2. Identify all TIPS with real durations between 2 and 4 years and find the average duration of all such securities.	
	<ol> <li>Weight each of the buckets created in steps 1 and 2 such that the weighted average real duration of all included securities is 4.0 years.</li> </ol>	
	If there are less than two securities identified in #1 above, the two TIPS with real durations immediately above 4 years will be identified. If there are less than two securities identified in #2 above, the two TIPS with real durations immediately below 4 years will be identified.	
	100% Bloomberg US Trsy: US TIPS Index	1/1/2013
Mellon Cap Mgmt Bond Index (SA)	20% Bloomberg US Gov: Intermediate Term Bond Index 30% Bloomberg US Gov: Long Term Bond Index 25% Bloomberg US Corp: Investment Grade Index 25% Bloomberg US MBS Index	Inception
	100% Bloomberg US Agg Bond Index	1/1/2003



Active Share - Measures the degree to which the holdings of a fund differ from the holdings of the benchmark. Active share is calculated by taking the sum of the absolute value of the differences of the weight of each holding in the fund versus the weight of each holding in the benchmark and dividing by two

Alpha - A measure of the difference between a portfolio's actual returns and its expected performance, given its level of risk as measured by beta. It is a measure of the portfolio's historical performance not explained by movements of the market or a portfolio's non-systematic return.

**Alpha Ratio** - A measure of a portfolio's non-systematic return per unit of downside risk. It is measured by dividing the alpha of a portfolio by the downside risk. The non-systematic return is a measure of a portfolio's historical performance not explained by movements of the market.

Average Quality - Bond quality ratings are reported using the investment managers' and the index providers' preferred rating agency. Average Quality for managers unable to provide this statistic is instead provided by Morningstar; if unavailable on Morningstar, it has been estimated using a credit quality distribution provided by the manager. There are two primary rating agencies in the US. Moody's assigns ratings on a system that employs up to four symbols (consisting of letters and numbers) such as, Aaa, Aa2, etc., with Aaa being the highest or safest rating. Standard & Poor's (S&P) employs a system that uses + and - along with letters such as AAA, AA+, etc. The two rating agencies' systems are summarized below:

S&P	Moody's	<b>Explanation</b>	S&P	Moody's	Explanation
Higher Credit Quality – Investment Grade			Lower Credit Quality – Below Investment Grade		
AAA	Aaa	Prime/Highest credit quality	BB+	Ba1	Speculative/Low credit quality
AA+	Aa1	High credit quality	BB	Ba2	
AA	Aa2		BB-	Ba3	
AA-	Aa3		B+	B1	Highly speculative
A+	A1	Upper-medium credit quality	В	B2	
Α	A2		B-	B3	
A-	A3		CCC+	Caa1	Substantial credit/default risk
BBB+	Baa1	Lower-medium credit quality	CCC	Caa2	Extremely speculative
BBB	Baa2		CCC-	Caa3	
BBB-	Baa3		CC	Ca	Vulnerable to default
			С	Ca	
			D	С	In default

Beta - A measure of the sensitivity of a portfolio to the movements in the market. It is a measure of a portfolio's non-diversifiable or systematic risk.

**Box Plots** - A graphical representation of the distribution of observations. From top to bottom, the four boxes represent the spread between the maximum value and the minimum value in each quartile. A quartile represents the values that divide the observations into four quarters (i.e., 1<sup>st</sup> quartile, 2<sup>nd</sup> quartile, 3<sup>rd</sup> quartile, and 4<sup>th</sup> quartile). The median observation is where the 2<sup>nd</sup> quartile and 3<sup>rd</sup> quartile meet.

Buy and Hold Attribution - At the beginning of the time period under analysis, the manager and benchmark portfolios are broken down into segments (i.e., styles, sectors, countries, and regions) based on the desired type of attribution. The formula assumes zero turn-over to the manager and benchmark portfolios throughout the period and calculates the segment returns ("buy and hold returns") to arrive at performance attribution. Due to portfolio turnover, buy and hold attribution may not accurately represent quarterly performance relative to the benchmark. Country, region, sector, and style allocations are as of the date one quarter prior to the reporting date, and the returns shown are for those segments throughout the quarter reported. Due to disclosure guidelines set by each investment manager, equity characteristics shown are as of the most recent date available. The following is the methodology for segment classification:

Sector - Attribution is calculated using the Global Industry Classification Standard (GICS) which is a detailed and comprehensive structure for sector and industry analysis. Stocks are classified by their primary sector, as defined by S&P Capital IQ data.

Country/Region - Attribution is calculated using the Morgan Stanley Capital International (MSCI) region standards. Stocks are classified by their domicile country/region, as defined by S&P Capital IQ data.

Style - Stocks are classified into the following style boxes: large/mid/small vs. growth/neutral/value. Stocks are classified along large/mid/small categories at the time of the Russell index rebalancing, using the index market cap boundaries as cutoff points. Stocks are classified along growth/neutral/value categories at the time of the Russell index rebalancing, using the price/book ratio as supplied by S&P Capital IQ. Stocks in the Russell 3000 Index portfolio are sorted by price/book ratio; names with the highest price/book ratio that make up 1/3 of the total market capitalization are assigned to the growth category, names that make up the subsequent 1/3 of the total market capitalization are assigned to the neutral category, while the balance of the names are assigned to the value category.

Portfolio Characteristics and Buy and Hold Attribution reports utilize product-specific data for all mutual funds and commingled funds.

# **Capital Markets Review -**

Breakeven Inflation - Measures the expected inflation rate at each stated maturity by taking the difference between the real yield of the inflation-linked maturity curve and the yield of the closest nominal Treasury maturity.

**Consumer Confidence** - Measures domestic consumer confidence as defined by the degree of optimism on the state of the economy that consumers express through saving and spending.

Consumer Price Index (CPI) - Measures the change in the price level of consumer goods and services.

Federal Funds Rate - The interest rate at which a depository institution lends funds maintained at the Federal Reserve to another depository institution overnight. It is one of the most influential interest rates in the US economy, since it affects monetary and financial conditions, which in turn have a bearing on key aspects of the broad economy including employment, growth and inflation.

Option-Adjusted Spread - Measures the flat spread of an index or bond to the Treasury yield curve after removing the effect of any embedded options.

Purchasing Managers Index (PMI) - Measures economic activity by surveying purchasing managers on a monthly basis as to whether business conditions have improved, worsened, or stayed the same.

Real Gross Domestic Product (Real GDP) - An inflation-adjusted measure that reflects the value of all goods and services produced by an economy in a given year.

US Dollar Total Weighted Index - Measures the value of the US Dollar relative to a basket of other world currencies. It is calculated as the weighted geometric mean of the dollar's value versus the EUR, GBP, CAD, SEK, CHF, and JPY.

Unemployment Rate - The percentage of the total labor force that is unemployed but actively seeking employment.

VIX - Measures the implied volatility of S&P 500 Index options by looking at the market's expectation of the S&P 500 Index volatility over the next 30 day period. Commonly referred to as the "fear index" or the "fear gauge."

Consistency - The percentage of quarters that a product achieved a rate of return higher than that of its benchmark. The higher the consistency figure, the more value a manager has contributed to the product's performance.

Convexity - A measure of the shape of the curve that describes the relationship between bond prices and bond yields.

**Correlation** - A statistical measure of the relationship between asset class returns. A value of 1.00 is a perfect correlation; that is, the asset classes always move in the same direction. A value of -1.00 indicates a perfect negative correlation, in which the asset classes always move in opposite directions of each other. A value of 0 indicates there is no relationship between the direction of returns of the two asset classes. Correlation calculations only consider the direction of changes relative to two variables and not the magnitude of those changes.

Coupon Rate - The percentage rate of interest paid on a bond or fixed income security; it is typically paid twice per year.

Current Yield - The annual income of a security divided by the security's current price.

**Down Market Capture** - Down market by definition is negative benchmark return and down market capture represents the ratio in % terms of the average portfolios return over the benchmark during the down market period. The lower the value of the down market capture the better the product's performance.

**Downside Risk** - A measure similar to standard deviation, but focuses only on the negative movements of the return series. It is calculated by taking the standard deviation of the negative monthly returns. The higher the factor, the riskier the product.

Earnings Per Share - It is backward looking, calculated using the one year current EPS divided by the one year EPS five years ago.

Effective Duration - The approximate percentage change in a bond's price for a 100 basis point change in yield.

Excess Return vs. Market - Average of the monthly arithmetic difference between the manager's return and the benchmark return over a specified time period, shown on an annualized basis.

Excess Return vs. Risk Free - Average of the monthly arithmetic difference between the manager's return and the risk-free return (i.e., BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index unless specified otherwise) over a specified time period, shown on an annualized basis.

Excess Risk - A measure of the standard deviation of a portfolio's performance relative to the risk free return.

**Expense Ratios** - Morningstar is the source for mutual fund expense ratios.

Gain/Loss - The net increase or decrease in the market value of a portfolio excluding its Net Cash Flow for a given period.

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**Information Ratio** - Measured by dividing the active rate of return by the tracking error. The higher the information ratio, the more value-added contribution by the manager.

Liability Driven Investing (LDI) - A method to optimally structure asset investments relative to liabilities. The change in liabilities is estimated by the Ryan Labs Generic PPA Index of appropriate duration for that Plan. This benchmark is based on generic data and is therefore an approximation. RVK is not an actuarial firm, and does not have actuarial expertise.

Estimated Funded Status - The estimated ratio of a Plan's assets relative to its future liabilities. This is calculated by dividing the Plan's asset market value by the estimated present value of its liabilities. The higher the estimated funded status, the better the Plan's ability to cover its projected benefit obligations. An estimated funded status of 100% indicates a Plan that is fully funded.

Estimated PV of Liabilities - An estimate of a Plan's future liabilities in present value terms. The beginning of the period liability is provided by the Plan's actuary. The period-end present value liability estimate provided in this report is derived by applying the estimated percentage change generated using the Ryan Labs Generic PPA Index with duration similar to that reported on the most recent actuarial valuation report.

Duration of Liabilities - The sensitivity of the value of a Plan's liabilities to changes in interest rates, as calculated by the Plan's actuary.

Duration of Assets - The dollar-weighted average duration of all the individual Plan assets.

**Estimated Plan Hedge Ratio** - The estimate of how well a Plan's investment portfolio is hedged against changes in interest rates - a primary driver of funded status movements. This is calculated by dividing the dollar-weighted values of both the Plan asset duration by the liability duration and multiplying by the estimated funded status. An estimated plan hedge ratio of zero indicates that the Plan's liabilities have not been hedged, whereas a value of one indicates fully hedged.

Modified Duration - The approximate percentage change in a bond's price for a 100 basis point change in yield, assuming the bonds' expected cash flows do not change.

**Mutual Fund Performance** - Whenever possible, manager performance is extended for any share class that does not have 10 years of history. Using Morningstar's methodology, a single ticker within the same fund family (often the oldest share class) is chosen to append historical performance.

Net Cash Flow - The sum, in dollars, of a portfolio's contributions and withdrawals. This includes all management fees and expenses only when performance shown is gross of fees.



#### Peer Groups -

Plan Sponsor Peer Groups - RVK utilizes the Mellon Analytical Solutions Trust Universe along with the Investment Metrics Plan Sponsor Universe. The combined Mellon Analytical Solutions Trust Universe and Investment Metrics Plan Sponsor Universe is used for comparison of total fund composite results and utilizes actual client returns compiled from consultant and custodial data. The Plan Sponsor Peer Group database includes performance and other quantitative data for over 2,100 plans which include corporate, endowment, foundation, public, and Taft Hartley plans. Plan Sponsor Peer Groups are gross of fees.

Institutional Peer Groups (Separate Account and Commingled Fund) - RVK utilizes the Investment Metrics Separate Account and Commingled Fund Manager Peer Groups for peer comparison and rankings. The Separate Account and Commingled Fund Peer Group database includes performance and other quantitative data for over 1,000 investment management firms, 6,400 investment products, across 100 standard peer groups. Separate Account and Commingled Fund Peer Groups are gross of fees.

Mutual Fund (MF) Peer Groups - RVK utilizes the Lipper Mutual Fund Manager Peer Groups for peer comparison and rankings. The Lipper Manager Peer Group database includes performance and other quantitative data for over 700 investment management firms and 24,500 investment products, across more than 140 standard peer groups. Mutual Fund Peer Groups are net of fees.

For more information on Peer Groups, visit https://www.invmetrics.com/style-peer-groups.

Percentile Rankings - Percentile rank compares an individual fund's performance with those of other funds within a defined peer group of managers possessing a similar investment style. Percentile rank identifies the percentage of a fund's peer group that has a higher return (or other comparative measurement) than the fund being ranked. Conversely, 100 minus the individual fund's ranking will identify the percentage of funds within the peer group that have a lower return than the fund being ranked.

1 - Highest Statistical Value 100 - Lowest Statistical Value

Example: American Funds AMCP;R-4 (RAFEX) is ranked in the 4<sup>th</sup> percentile within the IM US Equity Large-Cap Growth Funds (MF) Peer Group for the Sharpe Ratio. Within the IM US Equity Large-Cap Growth Funds peer group, 4% of the other funds performed better than American Funds AMCP;R-4 (RAFEX), while 96% of the funds performed worse.

Performance Methodology - RVK calculates performance for investment managers and composites using different methodologies.

Investment Managers - Performance is calculated for interim periods between all large external cash flows for a given month and geometrically linked to calculate period returns. An external cash flow is defined as cash, securities, or assets that enter or exit a portfolio. RVK defines a "large cash flow" as a net aggregate cash flow of ≥10% of the beginning-period portfolio market value or any cash flow that causes RVK calculated performance to deviate from manager/custodian reported performance in excess of 5 basis points for a given month.

Composites - The Modified Dietz methodology is utilized to calculate asset class, sub-asset class, and total fund composite performance. The Modified Dietz method calculates a time-weighted total rate of return that considers the timing of external cash flows; however, it does not utilize interim period performance to mitigate the impact of significant cash in- and outflows to the composite.

RVK calculates performance beginning with the first full month following inception. Since inception performance may vary from manager reported performance due to RVK using the first full month of returns as the inception date. Performance for both managers and composites is annualized for periods greater than one year.

Portfolio Characteristics - Due to disclosure guidelines set by each investment manager, portfolio characteristics shown are as of the most recent date available.

Price to Earnings Ratio - The ratio of a company's share price to its per-share earnings

Private Equity Quartile Ranks - Private Equity quartile ranks are generated using vintage year peer group data provided by Thomson Reuters, and are based on each fund's annualized, since inception internal rate of return (IRR). Three Private Equity peer groups are available via Thomson Reuters: Buyout, Venture, and All Private Equity. Ranks are available quarterly, at a one-quarter lag.

Return - Compounded rate of return for the period.

% Return - The time-weighted rate of return of a portfolio for a given period.

R-Squared - The percentage of a portfolio's performance explained by the behavior of the appropriate benchmark. High R-Squared means a higher correlation of the portfolio's performance to the appropriate benchmark.

Risk Free Benchmark - BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index unless specified otherwise.



**RVK Liquidity Rating** - A qualitative method for determining the relative amount of liquidity in a portfolio. The characteristics considered when determining relative liquidity include trading volume, gates for redemption, leverage, nature of transactions, and pricing mechanisms. The RVK Liquidity Rating is calculated using beginning of month investment weights applied to each corresponding asset class liquidity rating.

Asset Class	<b>RVK Liquidity Rating</b>	Asset Class	<b>RVK Liquidity Rating</b>
<u>Liquid Investments</u>		Less Liquid Investments	
T-Bills and Treasurys	100	Fixed Income Plus Sector	50
Cash Equivalents	98	Bank Loans	50
TIPS	95	Stable Value (Plan Sponsor Directed)	50
US Large Cap Equity	95	Absolute Return Strategies	35
Diversified Real Return	93	· ·	
Stable Value (Participant Directed)	91		
Non-US Large Cap Equity	90	Not Liquid Investments	
Global Tactical Asset Allocation	88	Core Real Estate	25
US Small Cap Equity	85	Core Plus Real Estate	15
REITS	85	Non-Core Real Estate	5
Non-US Small Cap Equity	85	Private Equity Funds of Funds	5
Emerging Markets Equity	85		
Core Fixed Income	85		
Core Plus Fixed Income	80		

Sector Allocation - Negative fixed income sector allocation reflects manager's use of derivatives, short selling, or interest rate swaps.

Sharpe Ratio - Represents the excess rate of return over the risk-free return (i.e., BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index unless specified otherwise), divided by the standard deviation of the excess return to the risk free asset. The result is the absolute rate of return per unit of risk. The higher the value, the better the product's historical risk-adjusted performance.

Simple Alpha - The difference between the manager's return and the benchmark's return.

**Spread Duration** - The approximate percentage change in a bond's price for a 100 basis point change in its spread over a Treasury of the same maturity.

Standard Deviation - A statistical measure of the range of a portfolio's performance. The variability of a return around its average return over a specified time period.

Time Period Abbreviations - QTD - Quarter-to-Date. CYTD - Calendar Year-to-Date. FYTD - Fiscal Year-to-Date. YOY - Year Over Year.

Thematic Classification - Represents dedicated manager allocations; as such, thematic allocations are approximations. RVK categorizes the following asset classes as Alpha, Capital Appreciation, Capital Preservation, and Inflation:

<u>Alpha</u>
Absolute Return Strategies
Currency Overlay

Capital Appreciation
Public Equity
Private Equity
Preferred Securities
High Yield
Convertible Fixed Income
TALF Funds
Distressed Debt
<b>Emerging Market Fixed Incon</b>
Value Added Real Estate
Opportunistic Real Estate

Capital Preservation
Core Fixed Income
CMBS Fixed Income
Asset Backed Fixed Income
Domestic Core Plus Fixed Income
Mortgage Backed Fixed Income
International Developed Fixed Income
Cash Equivalents
Stable Value

<u>Inflation</u>
TIPS Bank Loans
Core Real Estate
Real Return
Inflation Hedges
REITS
Commodities

Total Fund Attribution – The Investment Decision Process (IDP) model provides an approach to evaluating investment performance that applies to all asset classes and investment styles. The IDP model is based on a top-down hierarchy framework of investment decisions, with each decision contributing to the overall profit or loss. The IDP approach starts from the strategic asset allocation and follows the flow of the investments down to the manager's skill.

Strategic Asset Allocation (SAA) – The percentage return gained or lost from the long-term strategic asset allocation decision, the most significant determinant of long-term performance. SAA is the product of the target asset allocation multiplied by the corresponding benchmark returns.

Tactical Asset Allocation (TAA) – The percentage return gained or lost from not having been precisely allocated at the target asset allocation mix, whether by deviations that are tactical in nature or a by-product of moving towards the target mix. TAA is the product of the actual asset allocation multiplied by the broad asset class benchmarks, less the SAA.

Style Selection (SS) – The percentage return gained or lost from intentional style biases within each asset class (e.g. value rather than core or overweight to emerging markets relative to benchmark). SS is the product of the actual manager allocation within each asset class multiplied by their specific benchmark, less TAA.

Manager's Skill (MS) – The percentage return gained or lost from manager value added relative to their specific benchmark. MS is the product of the actual manager allocation multiplied by their achieved excess return.

**Total Fund Beta** - Total Fund Beta is calculated using the S&P 500 as the benchmark. It represents a measure of the sensitivity of the total fund to movements in the S&P 500 and is a measure of the Total Fund's non-diversifiable or systematic risk.

Tracking Error - A measure of the standard deviation of a portfolio's performance relative to the performance of an appropriate market benchmark.



**Treynor Ratio** - Similar to Sharpe ratio, but focuses on beta rather than excess risk (standard deviation). Treynor ratio represents the excess rate of return over the risk-free rate (i.e., BofA ML 3 Mo US T-Bill Index unless specified otherwise) divided by the beta. The result is the absolute rate of return per unit of risk. The higher the value, the better historical risk-adjusted performance.

Unit Value - The dollar value of a portfolio, assuming an initial nominal investment of \$100, growing at the compounded rate of %Return for a given period.

**Up Market Capture** - Up market by definition is positive benchmark return and up market capture represents the ratio in % terms of the average portfolios return over the benchmark during the up market period. The higher the value of the up market capture the better the product's performance.

Yield to Maturity - The rate of return achieved on a bond or other fixed income security assuming the security is bought and held to maturity and that the coupon interest paid over the life of the bond will be reinvested at the same rate of return. The 30-Day SEC Yield is similar to the Yield to Maturity and is reported for mutual funds.

Yield to Worst - The bond yield calculated by using the worst possible yield taking into consideration all call, put, and optional sink dates.



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