

AGENDA
IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT
PENSION / OPEB 115 TRUSTS BOARD MEETING
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2026

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CALL TO ORDER 3:30 p.m.

<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	Board Member: Dan Ferons	_____
	Board Member: Doug Reinhart	_____
	Board Member: Paul Cook	_____

<u>ALSO PRESENT</u>	Neveen Adly	_____	Eileen Lin	_____
	Jennifer Davis	_____	Dan Quirk, SageView	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____

PUBLIC COMMENT NOTICE

Public comments are limited to three minutes per speaker on each subject. If you wish to address the Committee on any item, you may attend the meeting in person and submit a "speaker slip." You may also submit a public comment in advance of the meeting by emailing comments@irwd.com before 7:30 a.m. on Tuesday, February 3, 2026.

COMMUNICATIONS

1. Meeting Minutes: Neveen Adly
2. Public Comments
3. Determine the need to discuss and/or take action on item(s) introduced, which came to the attention of the District subsequent to the agenda being posted.
4. Determine which items may be approved without discussion.

INFORMATION

5. MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT 115 TRUSTS BOARD FOR PENSION TRUST AND OPEB TRUST – DAVIS / ADLY

Recommendation: That the minutes of the November 4, 2025 Board Meetings of the Irvine Ranch Water District 115 Trusts Board for Pension Trust and OPEB Trust be approved as presented.

ACTION

PENSION 115 TRUST

6. IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT PENSION 115 TRUST INVESTMENT REVIEW AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025 – DAVIS / ADLY

Recommendation: Staff to implement changes to the investment portfolio, if any.

OPEB 115 TRUST

7. IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT OPEB 115 TRUST INVESTMENT REVIEW AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025 – DAVIS / ADLY

Recommendation: Staff to implement changes to the investment portfolio, if any.

OTHER BUSINESS

8. Directors' Comments

9. Adjourn

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February 3, 2026
Prepared by: J. Davis
Submitted by: N. Adly
Approved by: Paul A. Cook *AC*

115 TRUSTS BOARD

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT 115 TRUSTS BOARD FOR PENSION TRUST AND OPEB TRUST

SUMMARY:

Provided as Exhibit "A" and Exhibit "B" are the minutes of the November 4, 2025 meetings of the Irvine Ranch Water District 115 Trusts Board for Pension Trust and OPEB Trust for approval.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

None.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

This item is not a project as defined in the California Environmental Quality Act Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15378.

RECOMMENDATION:

THAT THE MINUTES OF THE NOVEMBER 4, 2025 BOARD MEETINGS OF THE IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT 115 TRUSTS BOARD FOR PENSION TRUST AND OPEB TRUST BE APPROVED AS PRESENTED.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit "A" – November 4, 2025 Minutes of the Irvine Ranch Water District 115 Trusts Board for Pension Trust

Exhibit "B" – November 4, 2025 Minutes of the Irvine Ranch Water District 115 Trusts Board for OPEB Trust

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT 115 TRUSTS FOR PENSION TRUST

November 4, 2025

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the Irvine Ranch Water District (IRWD) 115 Trust was called to order by Chair Swan at 11:30am on November 4, 2025.

Directors Present: Chair Peer Swan, Vice Chair Steve La Mar, and Paul Cook

Also Present: Assistant Treasurers, Eileen Lin and Jennifer Davis, Executive Director of Finance and Administrative Services Neveen Adly, and Dan Quirk of SageView Advisory Group.

COMMUNICATION: None.

ITEMS RECEIVED TOO LATE TO BE AGENDIZED: None.

ACTION CALENDAR

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING

Jennifer Davis presented the minutes from the August 5, 2025 meeting.

On MOTION by La Mar, seconded by Swan and affirmed by Paul Cook, the minutes of the August 5, 2025 meeting were approved as presented.

Trust Investment Review

- A capital markets and legislative update was provided by SageView.
- All trust investment options were reviewed as of 09/30/2025. All options are currently performing in line with benchmarks or above 50th percentile peer group rankings.
- The Portfolio return and expense ratio, style analysis, and asset allocation by fund were reviewed. Of note was the following:
 - As of September 30, 2025, the IRWD Post-Retirement Benefits Trust market value was \$148,005,212 up from \$139,732,246 at June 30, 2025.
 - For the quarter, the net total return was 5.92%, compared to the custom peer-group fund benchmark return of 5.02%.
 - For the trailing twelve months, the total return was 12.07%, beating the custom peer-group fund benchmark return of 10.72%.
 - The portfolio is primarily allocated to index funds, leading to a low overall expense ratio of 0.10%.
 - The two actively scored funds by SageView score in the upper half of peer group rankings, while all index funds receive a pass rating.

- The board confirmed a desire to rebalance the portfolio to existing target weights while also swapping out the Vanguard Institutional Index (tracking the S&P 500) for the Fidelity 500 Index, which has a slightly lower expense ratio. The trades were implemented the next day to reflect the target portfolio:

11/4/2025		
FDRXX	Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	0%
BCOIX	Baird Core Plus Institutional	20%
VWEAX	Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond	15%
	Fixed Income	35%
FXAIX	Fidelity 500 Index	40%
VHYAX	Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	12%
VEXAX	Vanguard Extended Market Index	9%
VTMNX	Vanguard Developed Markets Index	4%
	Equity	65%
	Total	100%

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Chair Swan adjourned the meeting.

APPROVED and SIGNED this 3rd day of February 2026.

Board Member, IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT
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Secretary, IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT
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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
OF THE IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT 115 TRUSTS FOR OPEB TRUST

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Directors Present: Chair Peer Swan, Vice Chair Steve La Mar, and Paul Cook

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COMMUNICATION: None.

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 - As of September 30, 2025, the IRWD Post-Retirement Benefits OPEB Trust market value was \$13,855,296, up from \$13,084,863 on June 30, 2025.
 - For the quarter, the net total return was 5.88%, compared to the custom peer-group fund benchmark return of 5.02%.
 - For the trailing twelve months, the total return was 12.34%, beating the custom peer-group fund benchmark return of 10.72%.
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February 3, 2026
Prepared by: J. Davis
Submitted by: N. Adly
Approved by: Paul A. Cook *PA*

115 TRUSTS BOARD

IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT PENSION 115 TRUST INVESTMENT REVIEW AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025

SUMMARY:

Staff and a representative from IRWD's pension investment advisor, SageView Investment Advisors, will present the Portfolio Investment Review for the quarter ended December 31, 2025, and provide an update on current market conditions and any recommended portfolio changes.

BACKGROUND:

Quarterly Investment Review:

As of December 31, 2025, the IRWD Pension 115 Trust market value was \$151,108,717, which was a net increase of \$2,049,017 from the prior quarter end. The change was due to an increase in market value of \$938,019, and dividends distributions in the amount of \$1,126,185. Trust expenses for the quarter included \$15,000 paid to SageView Advisory Group and \$187 for transaction and reporting fees paid to Fidelity. Assets in the Trust are sufficient to meet the District's current CalPERS unfunded liability. A summary of the Pension 115 Trust Assets as of December 31, 2025 is provided as Exhibit "A".

For the quarter ended December 31, 2025, the portfolio return was 2.09% compared to the index-based custom benchmark return of 1.84%. For the one-year period ended December 31, 2025, the return was 14.43%, compared to the index-based custom benchmark return of 12.78%. The Portfolio Investment Review as of December 31, 2025 is provided as Exhibit "B".

A representative from SageView will present the Portfolio Investment Review for the quarter ended December 31, 2025, update the Board on current market conditions, and provide any recommended portfolio changes for the Board's consideration.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Fiscal impacts are as described above.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

This item is not a project as defined in the California Environmental Quality Act Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15378.

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RECOMMENDATION:

STAFF TO IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO THE INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO, IF ANY.

LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit "A" – Summary of Pension 115 Trust Assets as of December 31, 2025
Exhibit "B" – The Portfolio Investment Review as of December 31, 2025

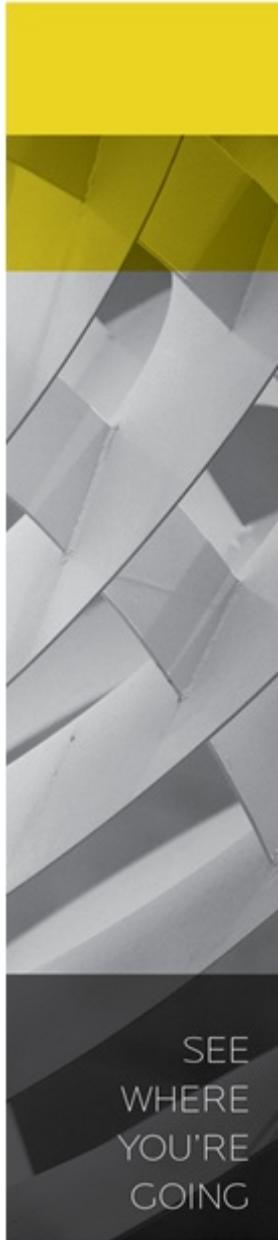
Exhibit "A"

Irvine Ranch Water District
 Summary of Pension 115 Trust Assets
 December 31, 2025

Investment	Quarterly Return	Month End September 30, 2025	Bought and Sold During the Quarter	Balances after Purchases and Sales	Month End December 31, 2025	Incr/(Decr) During Quarter ⁽¹⁾	Percent of Portfolio
EQUITIES							
Vanguard Institutional Index Fund	NA	\$62,457,104	(\$63,511,591)	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0%
Fidelity 500 Index Fund	2.65%	0	59,697,000	59,697,000	60,263,726	566,726	39.9%
Vanguard Extended Mkt (small/mid) Index Fund	0.15%	14,212,801	(678,000)	13,534,801	13,555,228	20,427	9.0%
Vanguard Developed Market Index	5.68%	5,908,828	0	5,908,828	6,244,621	335,793	4.1%
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Admiral	2.43%	17,910,744	180,000	18,090,744	18,532,130	441,386	12.3%
FIXED INCOME							
Baird Core Plus Bond Fund	1.10%	27,013,491	2,553,000	29,566,491	29,886,998	320,506	19.8%
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Fund	1.75%	20,463,920	1,735,000	22,198,920	22,577,941	379,021	14.9%
CASH-SHORT TERM							
Cash Reserves		38,324	24,591	62,915	48,073	(14,842)	0.0%
Closing Balance		\$148,005,212	\$0	\$149,059,700	\$151,108,717	\$2,049,017	100.0%

1) Increases and/or decreases net of reallocation of funds.

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Portfolio Investment Review

Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust

For period ending December 31, 2025

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Section I

Market Overview

The views are those of SageView Advisory Group and should not be construed as investment advice. All information is believed to be from reliable sources; however, we make no representation as to its completeness or accuracy. All economic and performance information is historical and not indicative of future results. The market indices discussed are unmanaged. Investors cannot directly invest in unmanaged indices. Additional risks are associated with international investing, such as currency fluctuations, political and economic stability, and differences in accounting standards. Please consult your financial advisor for more information.

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Q4 2025 By The Numbers

Broad-Based Market Gains in 2025



2025 was a strong year for capital markets. Equities delivered double-digit returns both domestically and internationally, with broad gains across most categories. In fixed income, the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index returned over 7%, marking its strongest performance in five years. Precious metals also posted sharp gains in the second half of the year, as central banks continued shifting reserves away from the U.S. dollar and toward gold.

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US Morningstar categories positive in 2025

+64.3%

Gold return in 2025

-6.4%

Bitcoin return 2025

Impact of Tariffs Less Than Feared



Markets faced significant uncertainty in April 2025 following President Trump's announcement of broad reciprocal tariffs against most nations. Prominent economists warned of slower U.S. growth and rising inflation, raising concerns about a stagflationary outcome. To date, those fears have not materialized. Inflation moderated toward the Federal Reserve's 2% target, while third-quarter GDP growth surprised to the upside at 4.3%, supporting solid overall economic performance for the year.

+2.7%

CPI Inflation (Trailing 12 Months, December)

\$29.4B

U.S. Trade Deficit (October 2025, Goods & Services), versus \$140.5B in March 2025

+4.9%

Nonfarm Business Sector Labor Productivity (-1.5% Q1 2025)

International Over Domestic



International equities markedly outperformed U.S. markets in 2025, supported by favorable rate environments, increased European defense spending, and more attractive valuations. A weaker U.S. dollar further boosted unhedged international performance. Emerging markets stood out, led by Taiwan's AI-related semiconductor growth and India's resilient domestic economy, with the MSCI Emerging Markets Index posting its strongest annual return since 2017.

-9.4%

U.S. Dollar Index 2025 (worst year since 2017)

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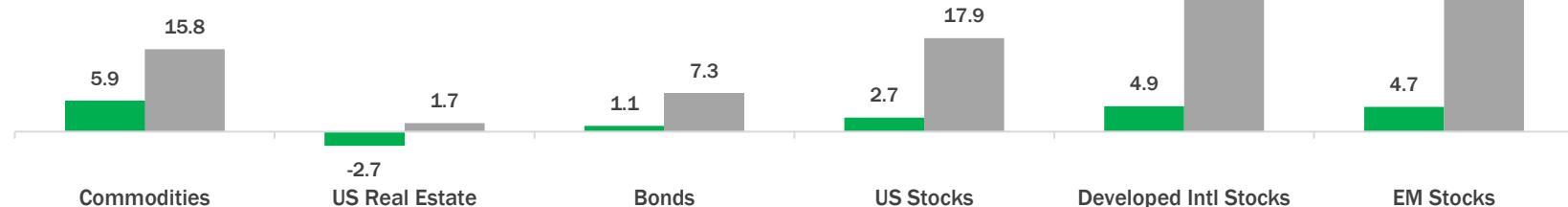
Years since 2010 the S&P 500 has outperformed MSCI ACWI

+13.3%

Outperformance of MSCI EAFE vs S&P 500 2025

■ Q4 2025

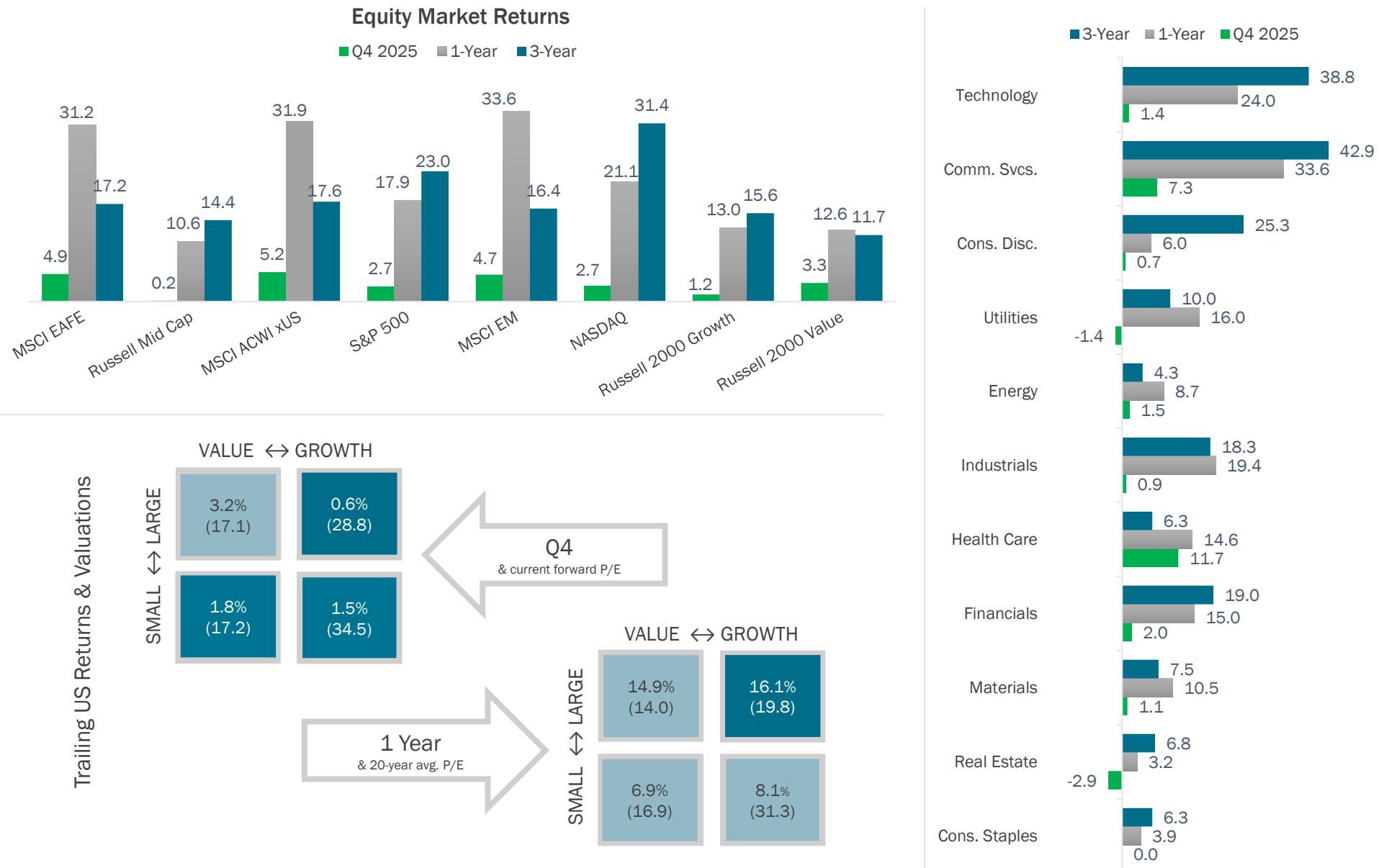
■ 1-Year



"Sources: Morningstar Direct, accessed January 9, 2026. Returns shown are cumulative total returns and include dividends. Commodities are represented by the Bloomberg Commodities Index; U.S. Real Estate by the FTSE NAREIT All REITs Index; U.S. Bonds by the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index; U.S. Stocks by the S&P 500 Index; Developed International Stocks by the MSCI EAFE Index; and Emerging Markets Stocks by the MSCI EM Index. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Equities

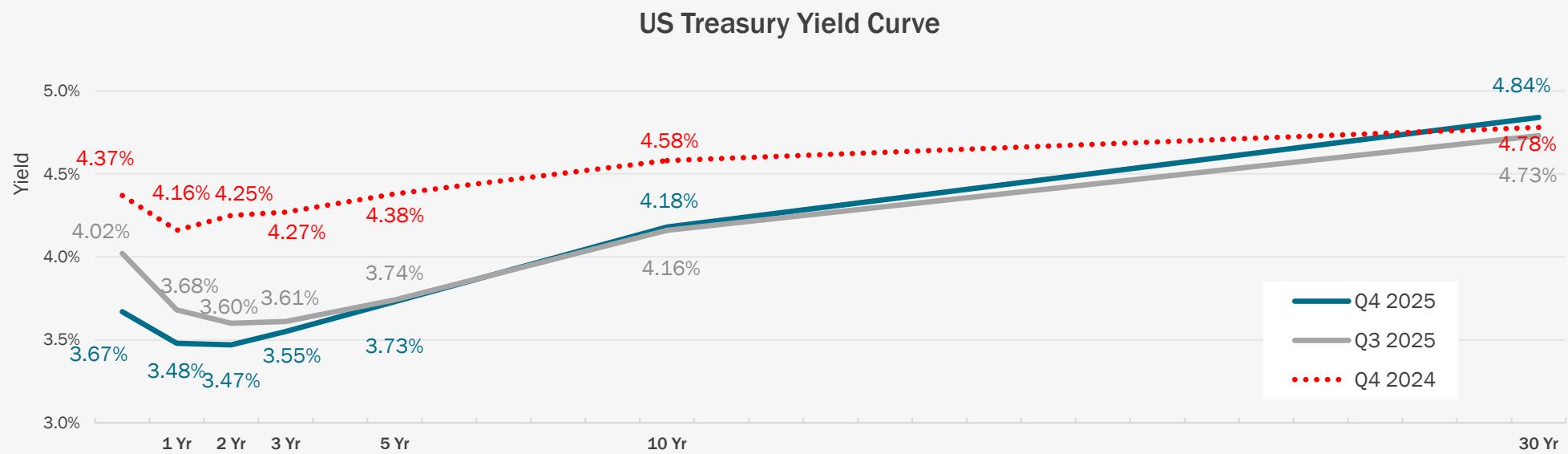
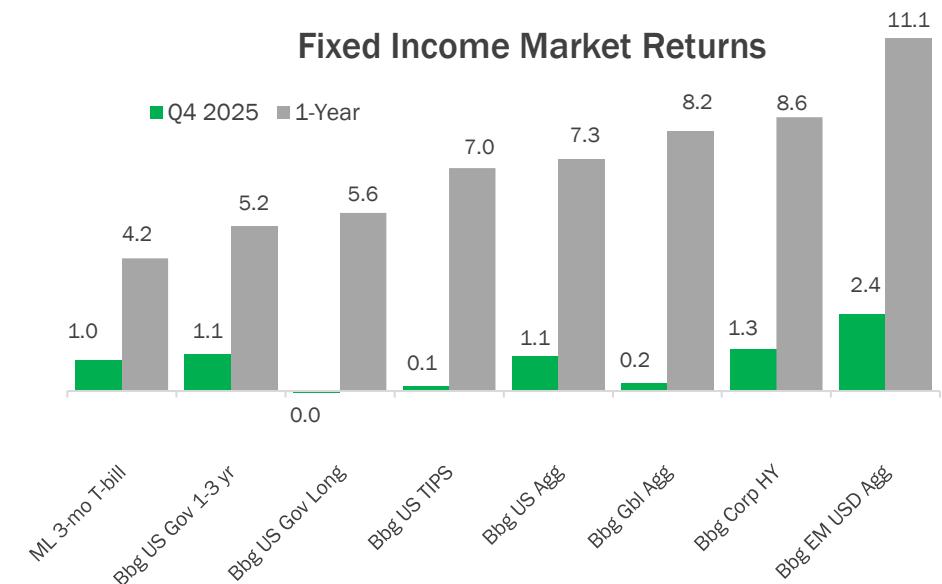
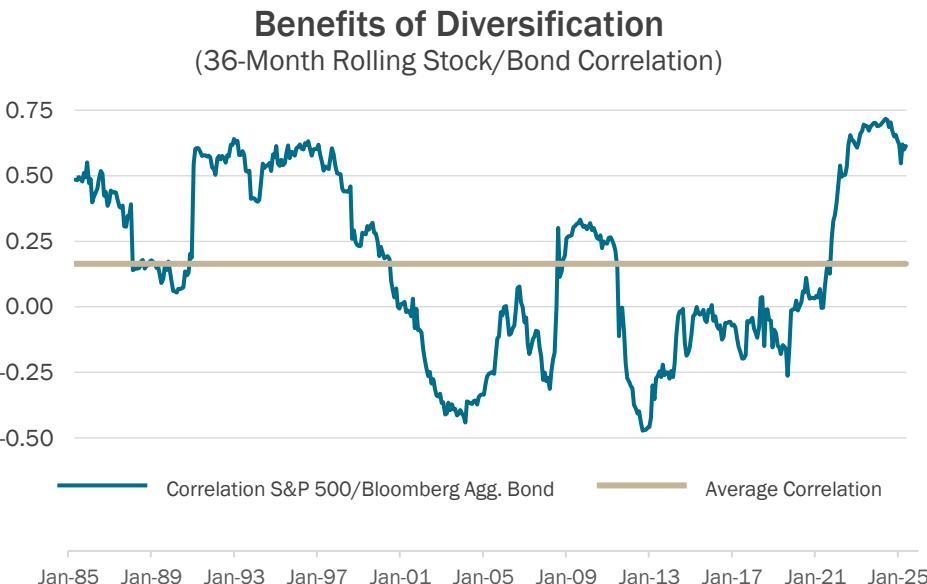
Domestic equity markets posted a third consecutive year of double-digit returns, supported by strong earnings growth, AI-related investment, and easing monetary policy. Foreign stocks (MSCI ACWI ex-US) outperformed the S&P 500 for the first time since 2009, aided by a weaker U.S. dollar, increased European defense spending, and more attractive valuations. Leadership broadened in the fourth quarter, with Value outperforming Growth, an uncommon recent outcome, and Health Care rebounding despite the absence of an ACA subsidy extension, pointing to improving fundamentals.



Sources: Index and sector return data sourced from Morningstar Direct, accessed January 9, 2025. Style box returns and valuations sourced from JPMorgan Guide to the Markets, 12/31/2025. Style box returns pertain to Morningstar categories. Valuations pertain to the Russell style indices.

Fixed Income

The yield curve steepened meaningfully in 2025, driving stronger price increases in short- and intermediate-term bonds than in longer-duration bonds. In response to slowing job growth, the Fed cut rates three times, including twice in the fourth quarter. The Aggregate Bond Index delivered its strongest return since 2020, aided by attractive starting yields and falling short-term rates. After rising sharply in 2022, stock-bond correlations are moving back toward their long-term average of roughly 0.2, improving diversification benefits.





Section II

Investment Summary

Executive Summary and Observations

- Assets total \$151,108,7172 at December 31, 2025, up from \$148,005,212 at September 30, 2025
- Trade activity during the quarter:
 - Vanguard S&P 500 Index substituted with lower cost Fidelity S&P 500 index; rebalance to target allocations as shown below:

Target Allocation vs. Actual

Ticker	Fund	12/31/2025	12/31/2025	12/31/2025
		% Target	% Actual	\$ Actual
FDRXX	Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	0.0%	0.0%	48,073
BCOIX	Baird Core Plus Institutional	20.0%	19.8%	29,886,998
VWEAX	Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond	15.0%	14.9%	22,577,941
	Fixed Income	35.0%	34.8%	52,513,011
FXAIX	Fidelity 500 Index	40.0%	39.9%	60,263,726
VHYAX	Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	12.0%	12.3%	18,532,130
VEXAX	Vanguard Extended Market Index	9.0%	9.0%	13,555,228
VTMNX	Vanguard Developed Markets Index	4.0%	4.1%	6,244,621
	Equity	65.0%	65.2%	98,595,705
	Total	100%	100.0%	151,108,717

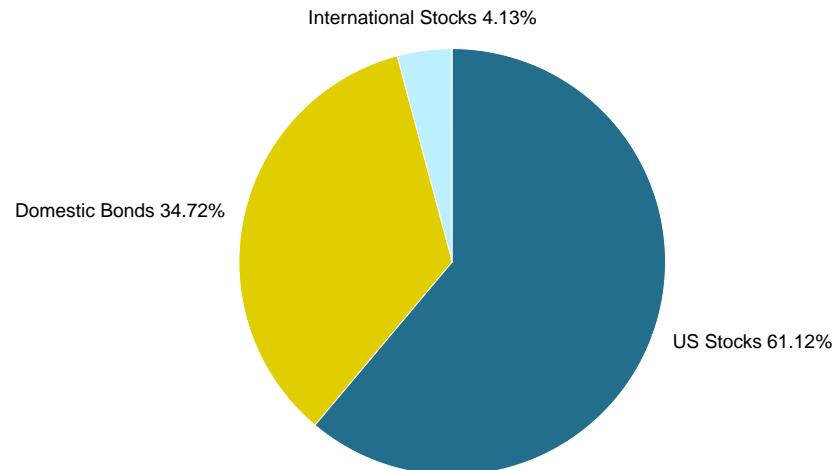
- For the quarter, the net total return was 2.09%, compared to the custom peer-group fund benchmark of 1.84%.
- For the past 12 months, the net total return was 14.43%, beating the custom peer-group fund return of 12.78%.
- Since November 2016, the portfolio has gained over \$88 million in investment returns.
- The portfolio is heavily allocated to index funds, leading to a low overall expense ratio of 0.10%.
- Baird Core Plus and Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond score in the upper half of SageView's peer group quantitative rankings, while all index funds receive a pass rating.



Asset Allocation by Fund

As of 12/31/2025

Fund	% of Plan Assets	Total Assets
Fidelity 500 Index	39.88%	\$60,263,726.12
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	19.78%	\$29,886,997.50
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	14.94%	\$22,577,941.25
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	12.26%	\$18,532,130.19
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	8.97%	\$13,555,227.72
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	4.13%	\$6,244,621.16
Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	0.03%	\$48,072.68
Total Market Value:	100.00%	\$151,108,716.62



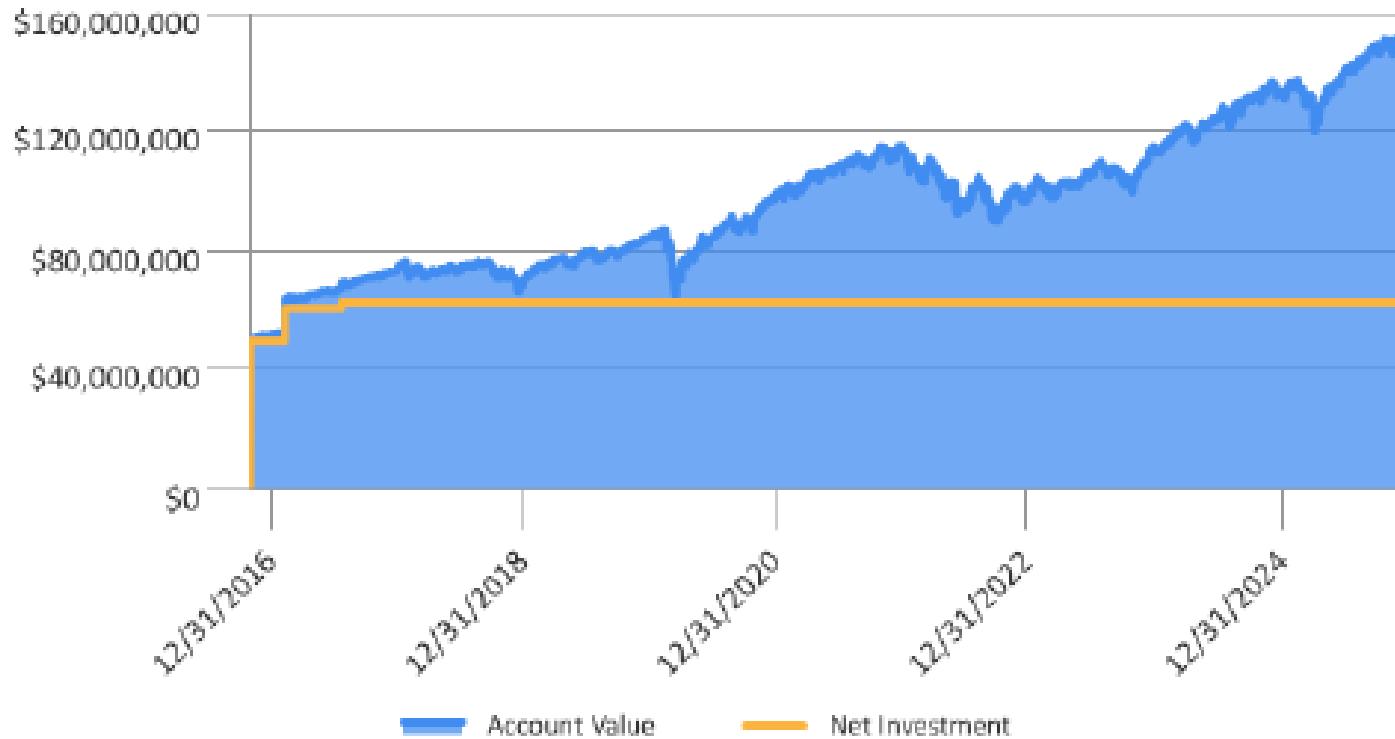
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Investment Growth Over Time

As of 01/31/2025

Investment Growth



Fund Performance Summary

As of 12/31/2025

Fund Benchmark Category	Asset Class	(%) of Plan	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Years Annualized	5 Years Annualized	10 Years Annualized	Expense Ratio	SageView Ranking
Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	Money Market-Taxable	0.03%	0.93	4.01	4.01	4.58	3.00	1.93	0.39	NA
ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD*			0.97	4.18	4.18	4.81	3.17	2.18		
Cat: Morningstar Money Market - Taxable			0.90	3.90	3.90	4.52	2.96	1.89	0.40	
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	Intermediate Core-Plus Bond	19.78%	1.10	7.47	7.47	5.61	0.32	2.87	0.30	TOP DEC
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD*			1.10	7.30	7.30	4.66	-0.36	2.01		
Cat: Morningstar Intermediate Core-Plus Bond			1.05	7.40	7.40	5.38	0.17	2.50	0.77	
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	High Yield Bond	14.94%	1.75	9.46	9.46	9.17	4.21	5.69	0.12	2 ND QUAR
ICE BofA US High Yield TR USD*			1.35	8.50	8.50	10.03	4.50	6.45		
Cat: Morningstar High Yield Bond			1.27	8.01	8.01	9.25	4.22	5.55	0.87	
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	Large Value	12.26%	2.43	15.39	15.39	13.06	12.66	11.30	0.08	Pass
FTSE High Dividend Yield TR USD*			2.47	15.50	15.50	13.14	12.75	11.38		
Cat: Morningstar Large Value			3.15	15.00	15.00	13.89	11.65	10.72	0.85	
Fidelity 500 Index	Large Blend	39.88%	2.65	17.86	17.86	22.99	14.41	14.81	0.02	Pass
S&P 500 TR USD*			2.66	17.88	17.88	23.01	14.42	14.82		
Cat: Morningstar Large Blend			2.22	15.57	15.57	20.12	12.69	13.33	0.73	
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	Mid-Cap Blend	8.97%	0.15	11.42	11.42	17.76	6.19	11.01	0.05	Pass
S&P Completion TR USD*			0.13	11.32	11.32	17.59	6.06	10.89		
Cat: Morningstar Mid-Cap Blend			1.06	9.08	9.08	13.22	8.86	10.26	0.86	
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	Foreign Large Blend	4.13%	5.68	35.16	35.16	17.94	9.13	8.73	0.03	Pass
FTSE Dv Ex US TR USD*			6.36	34.94	34.94	18.47	9.69	9.19		
Cat: Morningstar Foreign Large Blend			4.35	30.38	30.38	16.73	8.11	8.05	0.86	

*Investment Policy Benchmark

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Investment Discussion Summary - Current Investments

Fund Name % of Plan Assets Category	Comment Date	Comments
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst 19.78 Intermediate Core-Plus Bond	09/30/2025	<p>Performance Update (9/30/2025): The Baird Core Plus fund employs a bottom-up investment approach, emphasizing relative value primarily through security selection, with additional contributions from sector selection and yield curve positioning. With credit spreads tight relative to history, the strategy has moved to a more neutral stance toward corporate credit. While price upside is limited, yields remain attractive. The team favors shorter maturities to reduce rate sensitivity and has increased allocations to higher-quality securitized assets and Treasuries as alternatives to credit. They also hold a constructive view on financials, particularly banks and insurers positioned well for uncertainty. A modest underweight to emerging markets has been a headwind, though the team is comfortable with its BBB and BB exposures. Looking ahead, the focus remains on adding carry and shorter-term credit to sustain a yield advantage over the index. Performance has been consistently strong, with solid results across trailing and calendar-year periods.</p> <p>Strategy Summary: The fund utilizes a duration neutral approach relative to the benchmark. Typically, portfolio managers hope to generate the most excess return (about 40% of alpha) through security selection, then sector allocation (30% of alpha), yield curve positioning (25% of alpha), and lastly trade execution (5% of alpha). Credit analysts first determine which issuers appear to offer the best value within each sector. Only US dollar denominated securities are utilized in this fund with no use of derivative securities. The prospectus benchmark for the strategy is the Bloomberg US Universal Index. The standard category benchmark is the Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index. Fund comments are relative to the prospectus benchmark.</p>
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm 14.94 High Yield Bond	09/30/2025	<p>Performance Update (9/30/2025): The Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond Fund employs fundamental credit selection to construct a broadly diversified portfolio aimed at delivering high and sustainable current income. Within the high-yield sector, the strategy typically emphasizes higher credit quality and lower return volatility compared to its competitors. While long-term performance has been strong, the fund has underperformed its peers in calendar years 2023 and 2024. Concerns about consumer health and spending have led the management team to adopt a more defensive stance. This cautious approach, in a market environment where risk-taking has been rewarded, contributed to the fund trailing peers as credit spreads continued to tighten. Performance this year has been strong, with the fund's defensive positioning holding up well during the April spread widening. Additionally, credit selection-particularly avoiding tariff- and trade-sensitive names-has contributed to positive relative performance.</p> <p>Strategy Summary: The Fund invests primarily in a diversified group of high yielding, higher risk corporate bonds with medium and lower range credit quality ratings. The Fund invests at least 80% of its assets in corporate bonds that are rated below Baa by Moody's. The Fund may not invest more than 20% of its assets in any of the following, in the aggregate: bonds with credit ratings lower than B or the equivalent, convertible securities, preferred stocks, and fixed and floating rate loans of medium to lower range credit quality. The standard category benchmark is the BB Barclays US Corporate High Yield Bond Index. Fund comments are relative to the prospectus benchmark.</p>

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IPS Historical Ranking

Fund Name	03/2023	06/2023	09/2023	12/2023	03/2024	06/2024	09/2024	12/2024	03/2025	06/2025	09/2025	12/2025
Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP QUAR	TOP QUAR	TOP DEC
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	TOP QUAR	TOP QUAR	2 ND QUAR	TOP QUAR	2 ND QUAR							
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Fidelity 500 Index	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Institutional Index I	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

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Fund Score Summary

	# of Funds	Average SageView Score
Total Available Standalone Investments	8	24
Core Investments	8	24
Asset Allocation Investments	0	NA

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Fund Score Summary

Fund Name	Ticker	Total Return Composite Ranking	Rolling 12 Mo Perf. (5 Yrs.)	RSquared (3 Yrs)	Modified Sharpe Ratio (36 Mos.)	Alpha (60 Mos.)	Up Capture Ratio (10 Yrs.)	Down Capture Ratio (10 Yrs.)	Batting Average (10 Yrs.)	Expense Ratio	SageView Normalized Ranking
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	BCOIX	33%	35%	4%	36%	32%	35%	28%	14%	10%	9%
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	VWEAX	43%	46%	50%	48%	49%	63%	34%	41%	3%	38%

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Baird Core Plus Bond Inst

BCOIX

Ranking Vs. Peers - Intermediate Core-Plus Bond

December 31, 2025

Intermediate Core-Plus Bond Universe: 769 Funds

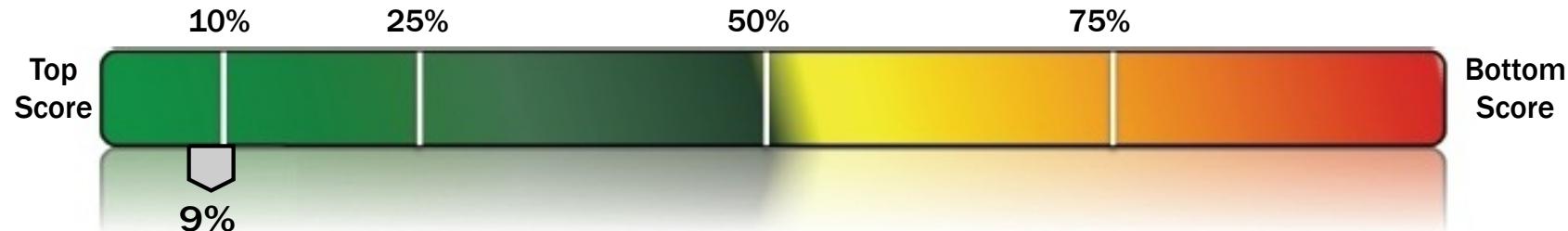
Performance Ranking	Ranking
Total Return Composite Ranking	33.30%
10 Year	26.00%
5 Year	29.00%
3 Year	36.00%
1 Year	49.00%
Rolling 12 Month - 5 Years	34.92%

Ratio Statistics	Ranking
Modified Sharpe Ratio - 36 Months	36.00%
Alpha - 60 Months	32.00%
Up Capture Ratio - 10 Years	35.00%
Down Capture Ratio - 10 Years	28.00%
Batting Average - 10 Years	14.00%

Fund Expense	Ranking
Expense Ratio	0.3 10.00%

Style Consistency	Ranking
Style Consistency to Benchmark	
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD	R2 4.00%

SageView Normalized Ranking	
SageView Normalized Ranking	9.00%
STATUS	TOP DECILE



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Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm

VWEAX

Ranking Vs. Peers - High Yield Bond

December 31, 2025

High Yield Bond Universe: 676 Funds

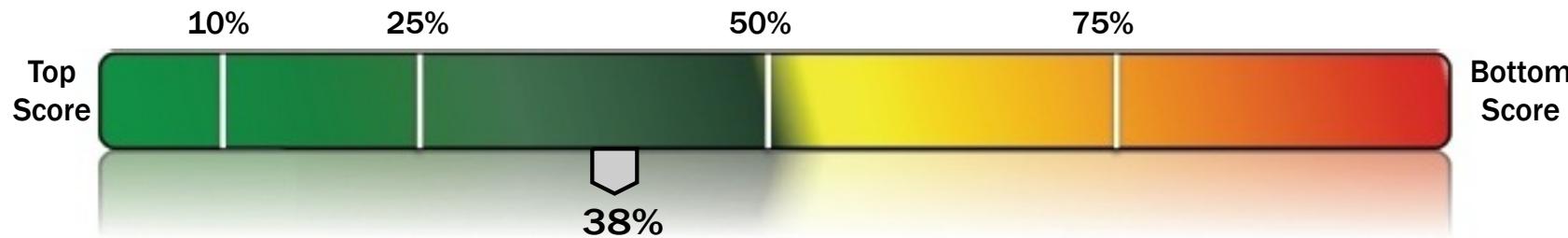
Performance Ranking		Ranking
Total Return Composite Ranking		42.50%
10 Year	44.00%	
5 Year	48.00%	
3 Year	53.00%	
1 Year	7.00%	
Rolling 12 Month - 5 Years		46.12%

Ratio Statistics		Ranking
Modified Sharpe Ratio - 36 Months		48.00%
Alpha - 60 Months		49.00%
Up Capture Ratio - 10 Years		63.00%
Down Capture Ratio - 10 Years		34.00%
Batting Average - 10 Years		41.00%

Fund Expense		Ranking
Expense Ratio		0.12

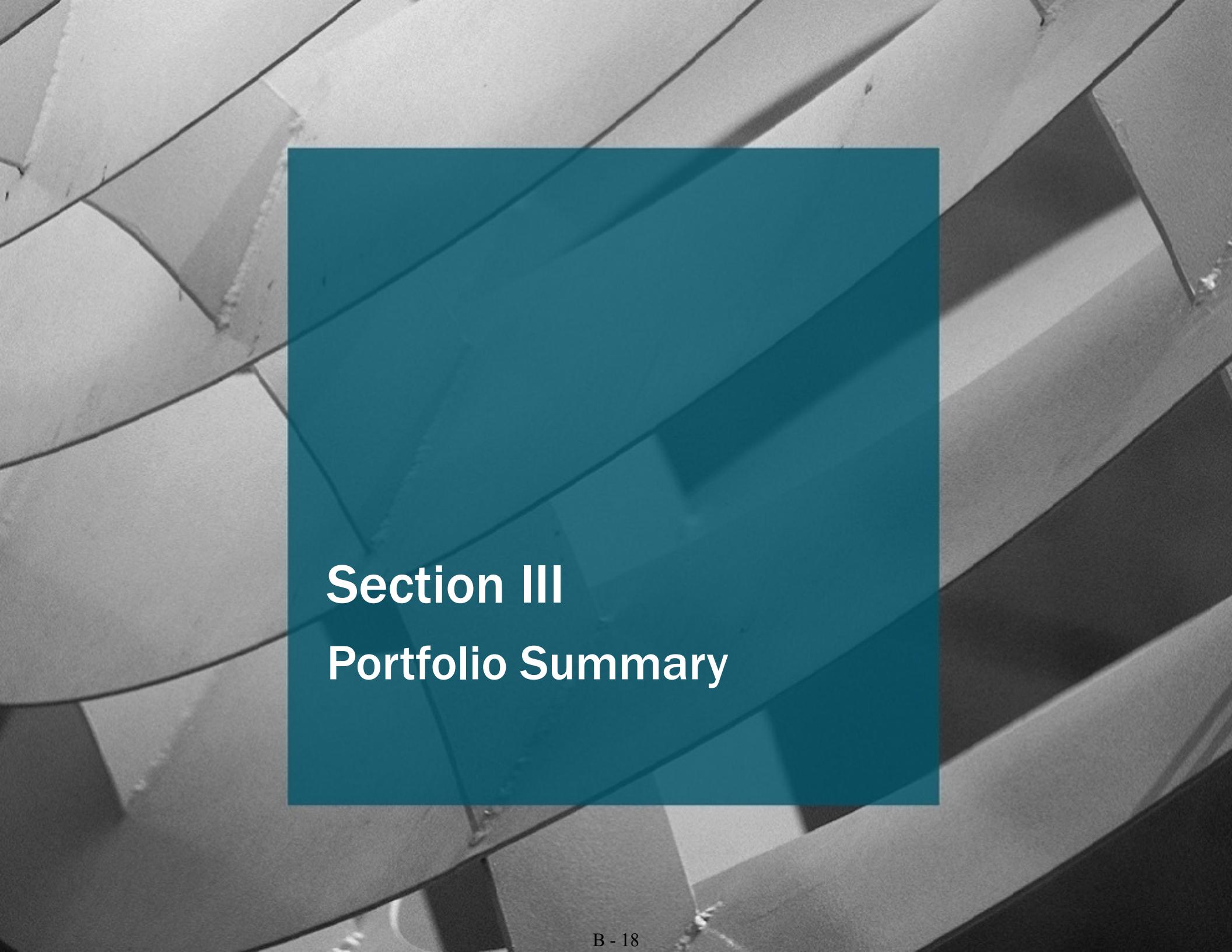
Style Consistency		Ranking
Style Consistency to Benchmark		
Bloomberg US HY 2% Issuer Cap TR USD	R2	50.00%

SageView Normalized Ranking	
SageView Normalized Ranking	38.00%
STATUS	2nd QUARTILE



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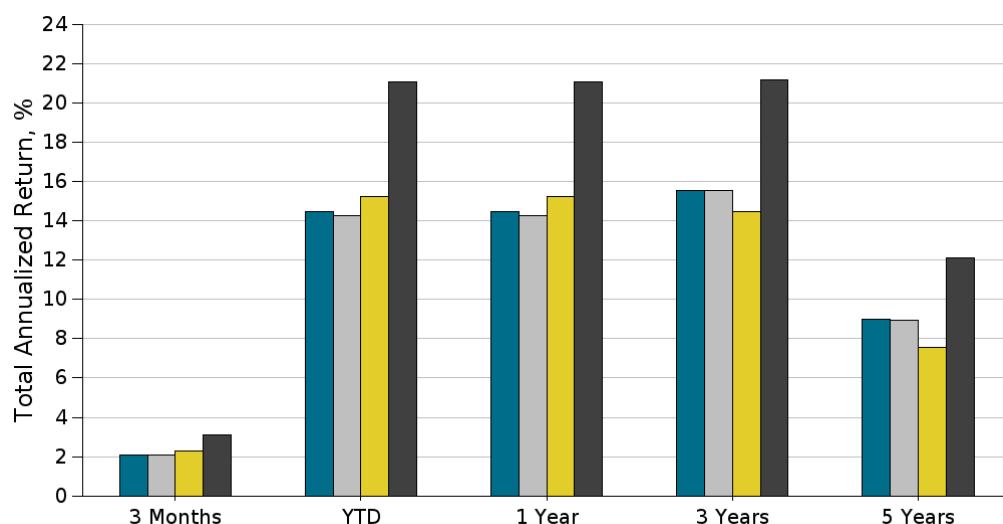


Section III Portfolio Summary

Portfolio Return vs. Custom Benchmark

As of 12/31/2025

Performance As Of December 31, 2025	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Std Dev 5 Yr	Prospectus Exp Ratio
Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust	2.09	14.43	14.43	17.94	9.01	11.31	0.10
Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust Custom Benchmark	2.07	14.29	14.29	15.53	8.94	11.33	NA
Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust Custom Category Averages Benchmark	1.84	12.78	12.78	14.05	8.28	12.17	0.79
Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10	2.30	15.23	15.23	14.46	7.55	10.07	NA
MSCI World NR USD	3.12	21.09	21.09	21.17	12.15	14.38	NA



- Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust
- Irvine Ranch Water District Post-Employment Benefits Trust Custom Benchmark
- Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10
- MSCI World NR USD

¹Industry Average Expense Ratio Source: 401(k) Averages Book, 24th Edition, published by HR Investment Consultants

The Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10 consists of 60% MSCI World NR USD, 30% Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD and 10% ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD

¹Industry Average Exp Ratio 0.52%. Based on plan assets \$100Mil+

Benchmark	Weight
S&P 500 TR USD	39.88%
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD	19.78%
ICE BofA US High Yield TR USD	14.94%
FTSE High Dividend Yield TR USD	12.26%
S&P Completion TR USD	8.97%
FTSE Dv Ex US TR USD	4.13%
ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD	0.03%

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Management Style Analysis

As of 12/31/2025

Domestic Equity Style Box

	VALUE	BLEND	GROWTH
LARGE CAP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm (\$143.27 bn) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fidelity 500 Index (\$465.35 bn) Vanguard Institutional Index I (\$465.30 bn) 	
MID CAP		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral (\$8.46 bn) 	
SMALL CAP			

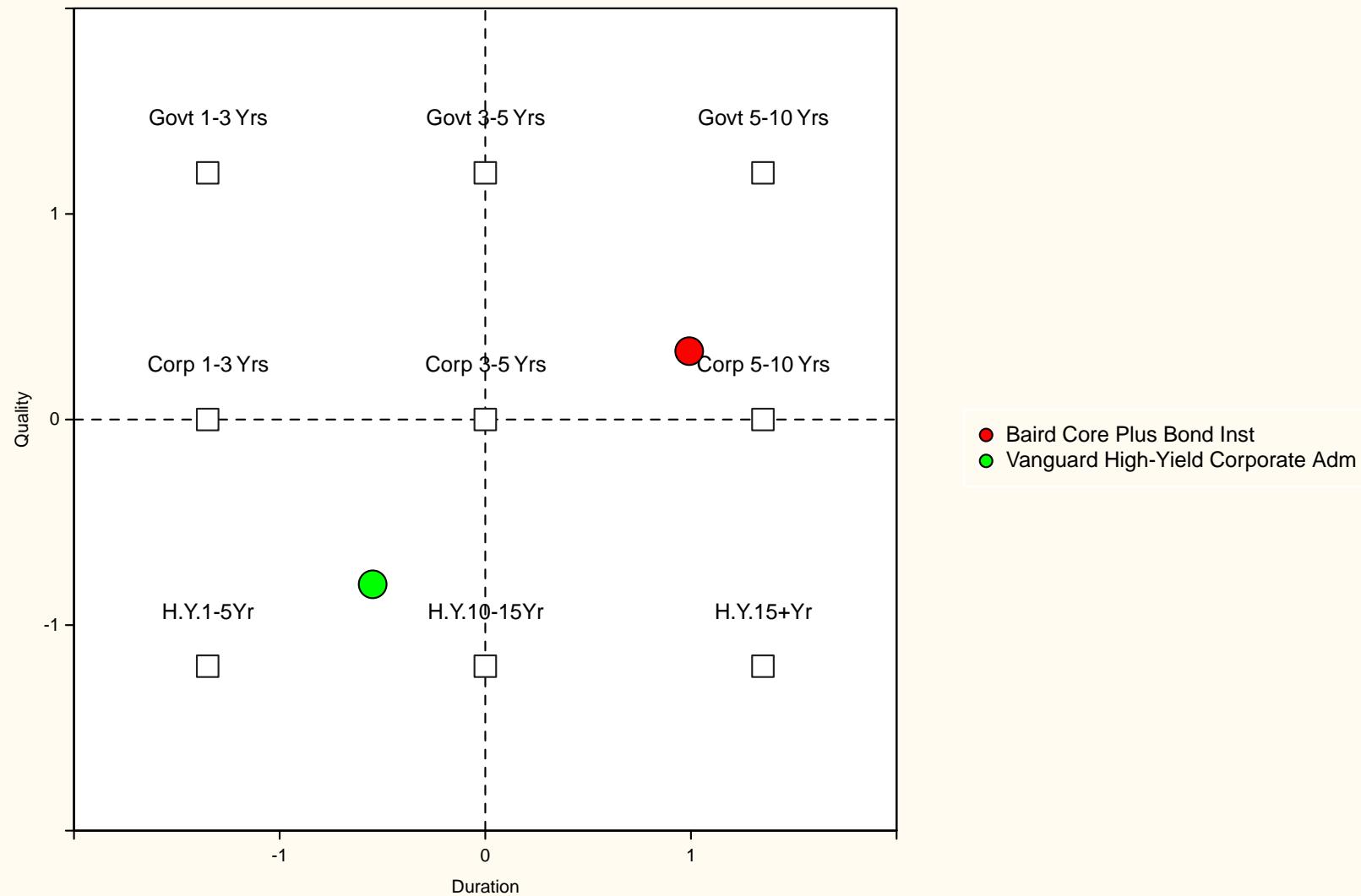
Average Market Cap. listed in parentheses

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Manager Style Box

Fixed Income - Single Computation
January 2016 - December 2025

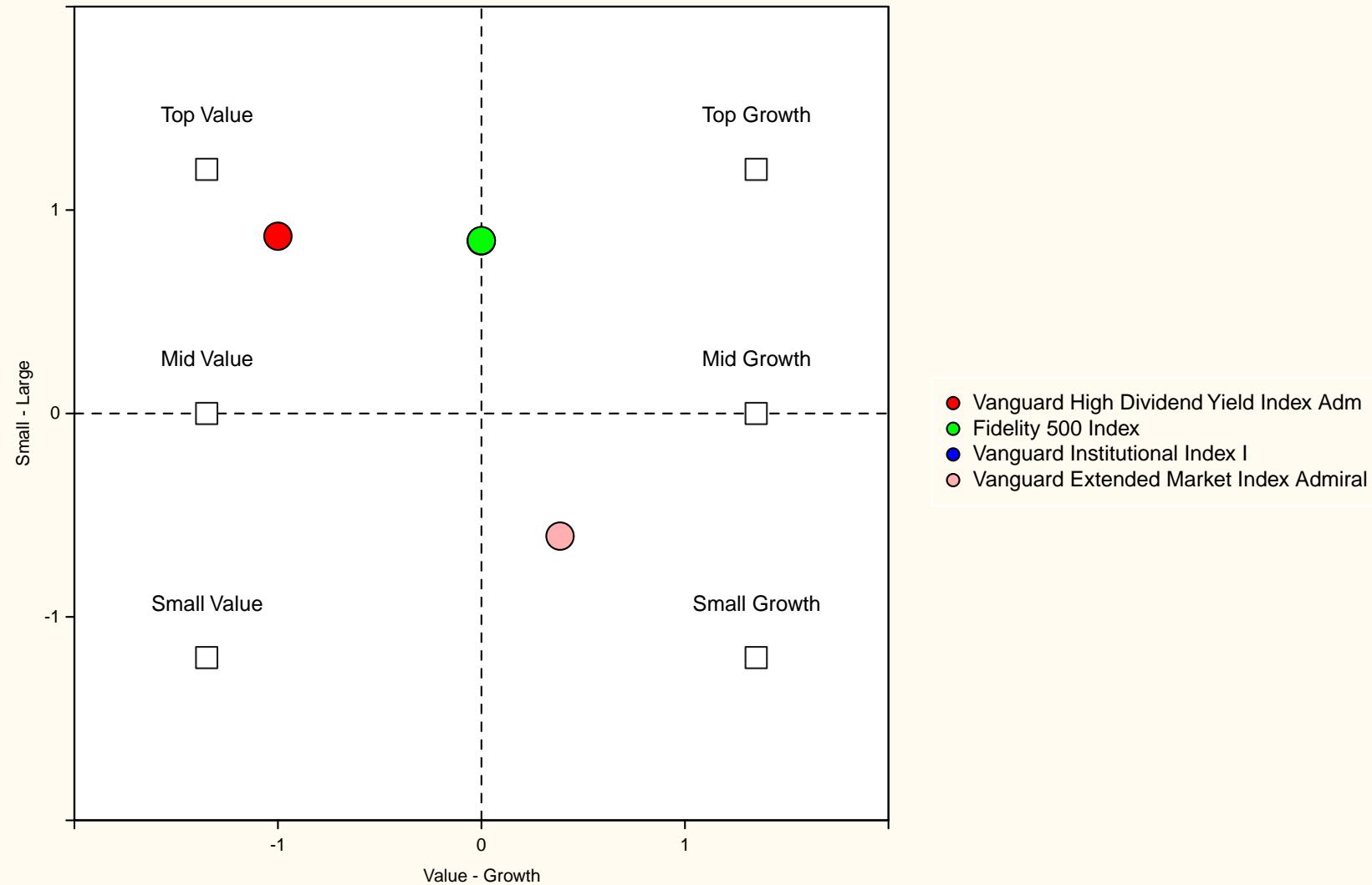


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Manager Style Box

Equity - Single Computation
January 2016 - December 2025

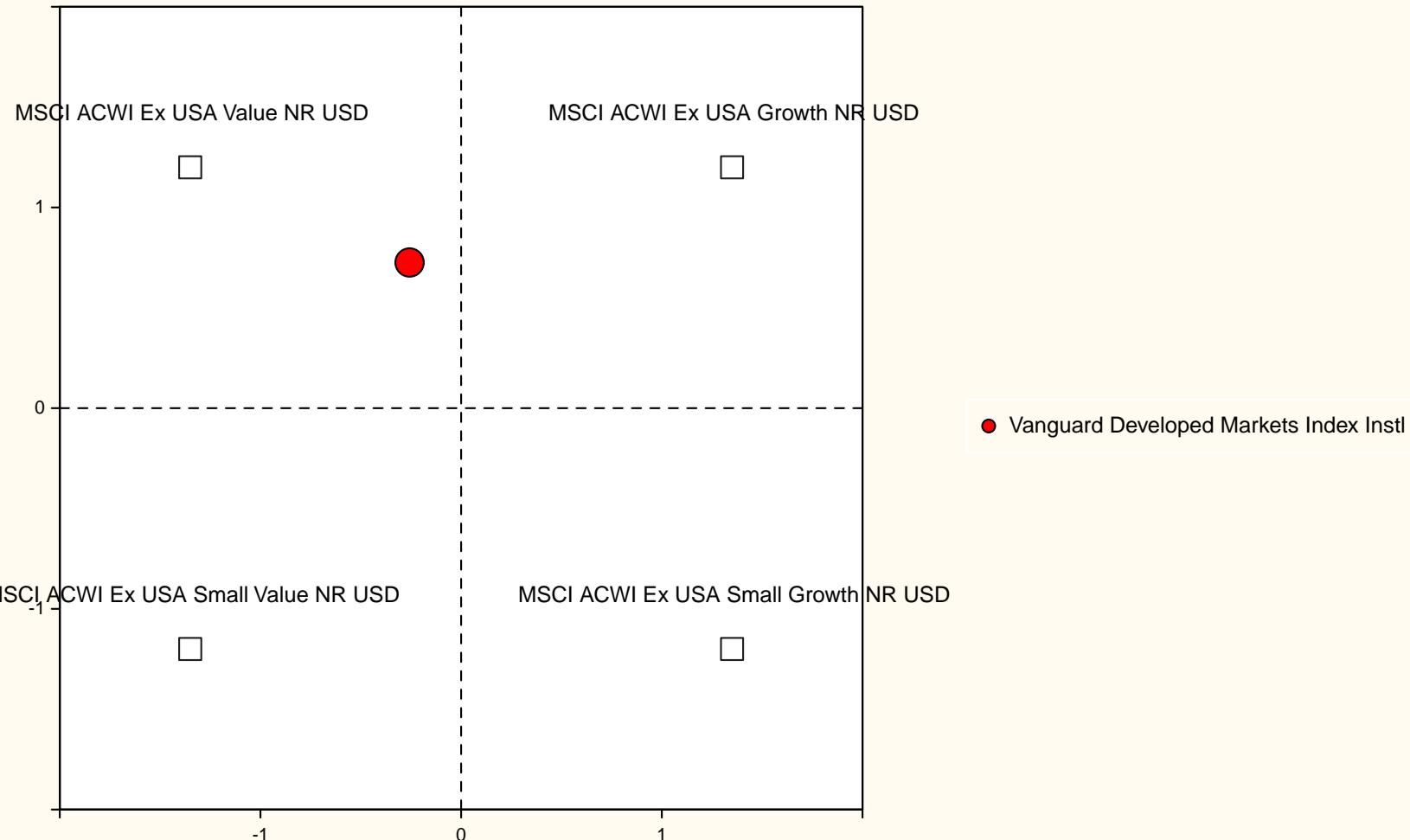


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Manager Style Box

International Equity - Single Computation
January 2016 - December 2025



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Section IV

Appendix

Active Investment Options Analysis Criteria

All active plan investment options are reviewed quarterly against their peer group and index benchmark to determine the performance and quality of each offering. Each are evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Trailing 1, 3, 5 and 10 year returns – Total return is a basic measure of a fund's performance. Fund returns over each period are factored into a weighted average, based on the life of a fund. Recent returns receive a slightly higher weighting, while older returns, which may have been produced under different conditions, are weighted less.
2. Rolling period returns – A rolling period return divides a longer time frame into smaller time periods. A rolling 12-month return over five years is computed by first calculating a single period return over the first twelve months. Next, it calculates the 12-month return for months 2-13. The process continues until finally reaching the 12-month period spanning months 48-60. The final rolling figure reflects the average of all of the 12-month returns.
3. Batting Average – Batting average is calculated by (1) tallying the number of months in a given observation window where the investment return is greater than the return of the peer group median return and (2) dividing this amount by the total number of months in the observation window. The result is a ratio that ranges between 0 and 1. A batting average of greater than 0.50 signifies that the investment has outperformed the peer group more frequently than it has underperformed, irrespective of the magnitude of any outperformance or underperformance.
4. Style Consistency to the appropriate index – We utilize R-squared to assess whether the funds selected for the plan continue to operate and perform as expected within their appropriate asset class. R-squared measures the closeness between a fund's returns and movements in the benchmark. All active funds have some deviation from their benchmark, but excessive deviation could indicate that a fund is drifting away from its stated category mandate.
5. Modified Sharpe Ratio – The standard Sharpe Ratio calculation is calculated by subtracting the risk-free rate of return (the US Treasury Bill is typically used) from the portfolio return and dividing the result by the portfolio's standard deviation. A higher Sharpe ratio indicates that the portfolio was able to generate a higher return per unit of risk. Modified Sharpe Ratio is a related statistic that is equal to the Sharpe Ratio under normal circumstances. However, the Modified Sharpe calculation adds an exponent to the denominator that effectively raises the denominator to the -1 power in circumstances in which an investment's excess return is negative. This modification ensures that investments with both negative excess returns and higher standard deviations rank lower than investment with negative excess returns and lower standard deviations. Under the standard Sharpe Ratio calculation, the opposite is true.
6. Alpha – The use of Alpha allows us to gauge the effectiveness of the manager. Alpha is the difference between the portfolio's actual return and its expected return given the funds level of risk as calculated by beta.
7. Up Capture Ratio – The up capture ratio calculates the percentage of return of an index that a fund has captured during up market cycles. It tracks the fund's relative performance versus the appropriate index when the index is going up.
8. Down Capture Ratio – The down capture ratio calculates the percentage of return of an index a fund has captured during down market cycles. Funds that perform well in this category tend to reduce the downside loss for investors during bear markets.
9. Expense Ratio – The expense ratio is compared to the appropriate category average expense and then given a score based upon that percentage. This rewards low-cost funds and penalizes high-cost funds. Expense ratios are effectively "double weighted" in our scoring methodology, because performance returns are already net of expenses. Since fiduciaries are encouraged to carefully manage expenses, we believe explicitly factoring in fund fees is prudent.

Each fund is benchmarked to a specific market index, and fund performance is evaluated and compared to a relevant peer group using Morningstar category classifications. A fund is given a peer group ranking for each criterion, shown as a percentage. The percentage rankings for all criteria are then averaged to give a fund its average ranking score. All funds with at least a three year track record are scored in the above manner. A fund is then classified as Top Decile, top Quartile, 2nd Quartile, 3rd Quartile or 4th Quartile based upon the overall score compared to all other funds within that particular asset category.

Passive Investment Options Analysis Criteria

All passive investment options are reviewed quarterly against their peer group and index benchmark to determine the performance and quality of each offering. Each are evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Expense Ratio – The percentage of fund assets, net of reimbursements, used to pay for operating expenses and management fees, including 12b-1 fees, administrative fees, and all other asset-based costs incurred by the fund, except brokerage costs. Fund expenses are reflected in the fund's NAV. Sales charges are not included in the expense ratio. The Prospectus Net Expense Ratio is collected annually from a fund's prospectus.
2. Tracking Error – A measure of the difference in returns between an investment and a benchmark. Tracking error is reported as a standard deviation of the difference between the returns of an investment and its benchmark.
3. R-Squared – A statistical metric that ranges from zero to 100 and measures the percentage of portfolio's performance that is explained by the movement of its benchmark index. R-Squared is helpful in assessing the reliability of alpha and beta in explaining a portfolio risk and return characteristics. An r-squared of 100 would mean that the portfolio's performance movements are perfectly correlated with those of the benchmark over time, and would suggest that alpha and beta may be relied upon with a high degree of confidence.
4. Beta – A measure of the volatility, or systematic risk, of an investment in comparison to a market index as a whole. Beta is calculated using regression analysis. Beta represents the tendency of an investment's returns to respond to moves in the market or index that it's calculated against. A beta of 1 indicates that the investment's price moves with the market. A beta of less than 1 means that the investment is theoretically less volatile than the market. A beta of greater than 1 indicates that the investment's price is theoretically more volatile than the market. The reliability of an investment's beta is a function of the investment's r-squared value in relation to the benchmark. A high r-squared value signifies that the beta measure is reliable, while a low r-squared signifies that it is potentially inaccurate.

Each of the criteria above carries a proprietary weight. An index fund is evaluated and ranked in each of the above criteria relative to their peer group. A fund is given a peer group ranking for each criterion. The percentage rankings for all criteria are then weighted to give a fund its average ranking score.

The raw score is then normalized on a scale of 1 to 100, with 1 being the best and 100 the worst. The top 75% of the funds in a category receive a passing score, while the bottom 25% fail.

February 3, 2026
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115 TRUSTS BOARD

IRVINE RANCH WATER DISTRICT OPEB 115 TRUST INVESTMENT REVIEW AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2025

SUMMARY:

Staff and a representative from IRWD's pension investment advisor SageView Investment Advisors will present the Portfolio Investment Review for the quarter ended December 31, 2025, provide an update on current market conditions, and any recommended portfolio changes.

BACKGROUND:

Quarterly Investment Review:

As of December 31, 2025, the IRWD OPEB 115 Trust market value was \$14,141,036, which was a net increase of \$198,505 from the prior quarter. The change was due to an increase in market value of \$98,881, and dividend distributions in the amount of \$105,399. Trust expenses for the quarter included \$5,625 for advisor fees paid to SageView and \$150 for transaction and reporting fees paid to Fidelity. Assets in the Trust fund a portion of the District's current OPEB liability. A summary of the OPEB 115 Trust Assets as of December 31, 2025, is provided as Exhibit "A".

For the quarter ended December 31, 2025, the portfolio return was 2.06% compared to the index-based custom benchmark return of 1.84%. For the one-year period ended December 31, 2025, the return was 14.27%, compared to the index-based custom benchmark return of 12.78%. The Portfolio Investment Review as of December 31, 2025, is provided as Exhibit "B".

A representative from SageView will present the Portfolio Investment Review for the quarter ended December 31, 2025, update the Board on current market conditions, and provide any recommended portfolio changes for the Board's consideration.

FISCAL IMPACTS:

Fiscal impacts are as described above.

ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE:

This item is not a project as defined in the California Environmental Quality Act Code of Regulations, Title 14, Chapter 3, Section 15378.

RECOMMENDATION:

STAFF TO IMPLEMENT CHANGES TO THE INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO, IF ANY.

115 Trusts Board: Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB 115 Trust Investment Review as of
December 31, 2025
February 3, 2026
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LIST OF EXHIBITS:

Exhibit "A" – Summary of 115 Trust Assets as of December 31, 2025 OPEB
Exhibit "B" – The Portfolio Investment Review as of December 31, 2025 OPEB

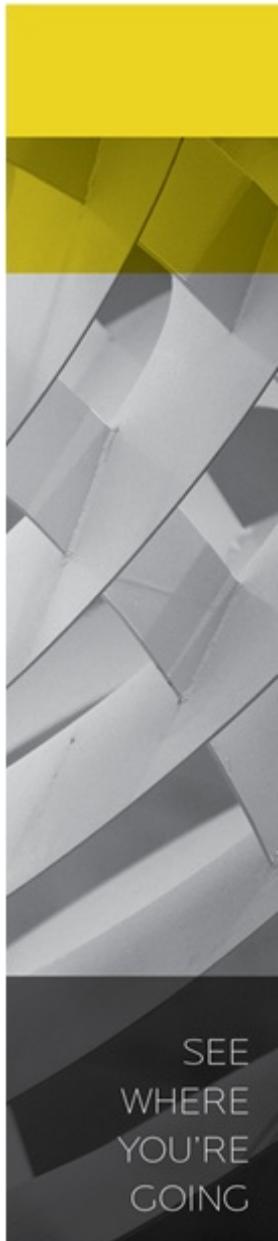
Exhibit "A"

Irvine Ranch Water District
 Summary of OPEB 115 Trust Assets
 December 31, 2025

Investment	Quarterly Return	Quarter End September 30, 2025	Bought and Sold During the Quarter	Balances after Purchases and Sales	Quarter End December 31, 2025	Incr/(Decr) During Quarter ⁽¹⁾	Percent of Portfolio
EQUITIES							
Vanguard Institutional Index Fund	NA	\$5,848,714	(\$5,935,949)	\$0	\$0	\$0	0.0%
Fidelity 500 Index Fund	2.65%	0	5,579,500	5,579,500	5,632,377	52,877	39.8%
Vanguard Extended Mkt (small/mid) Index	0.15%	1,330,938	(64,700)	1,266,238	1,268,148	1,910	9.0%
Vanguard Developed Market Index	5.68%	553,323	0	553,323	584,768	31,445	4.1%
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	2.43%	1,677,229	15,500	1,692,729	1,734,018	41,289	12.3%
FIXED INCOME							
Baird Core Plus Bond Fund	1.10%	2,526,840	239,000	2,765,840	2,795,822	29,982	19.8%
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Fund	1.75%	1,916,306	160,000	2,076,306	2,111,770	35,464	14.9%
CASH-SHORT TERM							
Cash Reserves		1,945	6,649	8,594	14,133	5,538	0.1%
Closing Balance		\$13,855,296	(\$0)	\$13,942,531	\$14,141,036	\$198,505	100.0%

1) Increases and/or decreases net of reallocation of funds.

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Portfolio Investment Review

Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust

For period ending December 31, 2025

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Section I

Market Overview

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Q4 2025 By The Numbers

Broad-Based Market Gains in 2025



2025 was a strong year for capital markets. Equities delivered double-digit returns both domestically and internationally, with broad gains across most categories. In fixed income, the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index returned over 7%, marking its strongest performance in five years. Precious metals also posted sharp gains in the second half of the year, as central banks continued shifting reserves away from the U.S. dollar and toward gold.

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US Morningstar categories positive in 2025

+64.3%

Gold return in 2025

-6.4%

Bitcoin return 2025

Impact of Tariffs Less Than Feared



Markets faced significant uncertainty in April 2025 following President Trump's announcement of broad reciprocal tariffs against most nations. Prominent economists warned of slower U.S. growth and rising inflation, raising concerns about a stagflationary outcome. To date, those fears have not materialized. Inflation moderated toward the Federal Reserve's 2% target, while third-quarter GDP growth surprised to the upside at 4.3%, supporting solid overall economic performance for the year.

+2.7%

CPI Inflation (Trailing 12 Months, December)

\$29.4B

U.S. Trade Deficit (October 2025, Goods & Services), versus \$140.5B in March 2025

+4.9%

Nonfarm Business Sector Labor Productivity (-1.5% Q1 2025)

International Over Domestic



International equities markedly outperformed U.S. markets in 2025, supported by favorable rate environments, increased European defense spending, and more attractive valuations. A weaker U.S. dollar further boosted unhedged international performance. Emerging markets stood out, led by Taiwan's AI-related semiconductor growth and India's resilient domestic economy, with the MSCI Emerging Markets Index posting its strongest annual return since 2017.

-9.4%

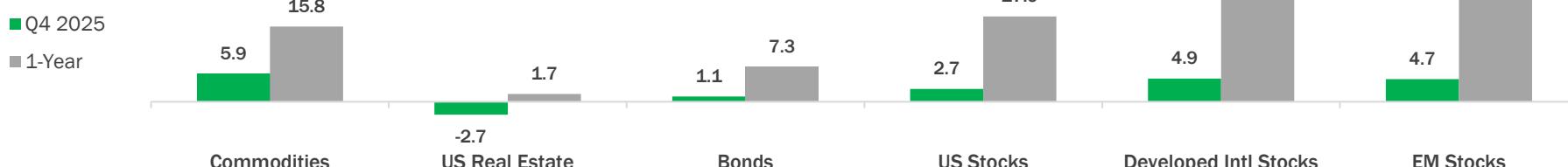
U.S. Dollar Index 2025 (worst year since 2017)

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Years since 2010 the S&P 500 has outperformed MSCI ACWI

+13.3%

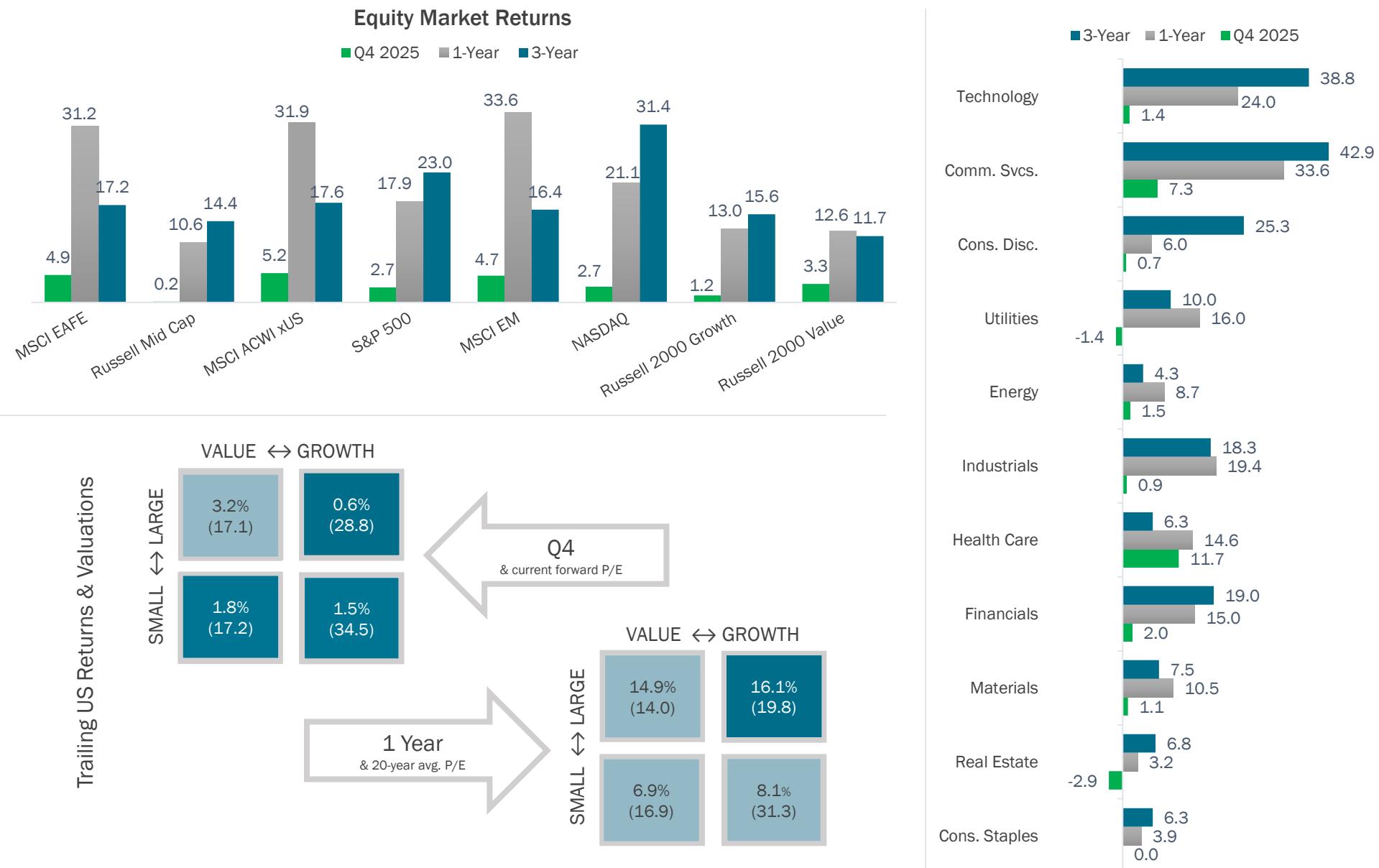
Outperformance of MSCI EAFE vs S&P 500 2025



"Sources: Morningstar Direct, accessed January 9, 2026. Returns shown are cumulative total returns and include dividends. Commodities are represented by the Bloomberg Commodities Index; U.S. Real Estate by the FTSE NAREIT All REITs Index; U.S. Bonds by the Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Index; U.S. Stocks by the S&P 500 Index; Developed International Stocks by the MSCI EAFE Index; and Emerging Markets Stocks by the MSCI EM Index. Bureau of Economic Analysis, Bureau of Labor Statistics.

Equities

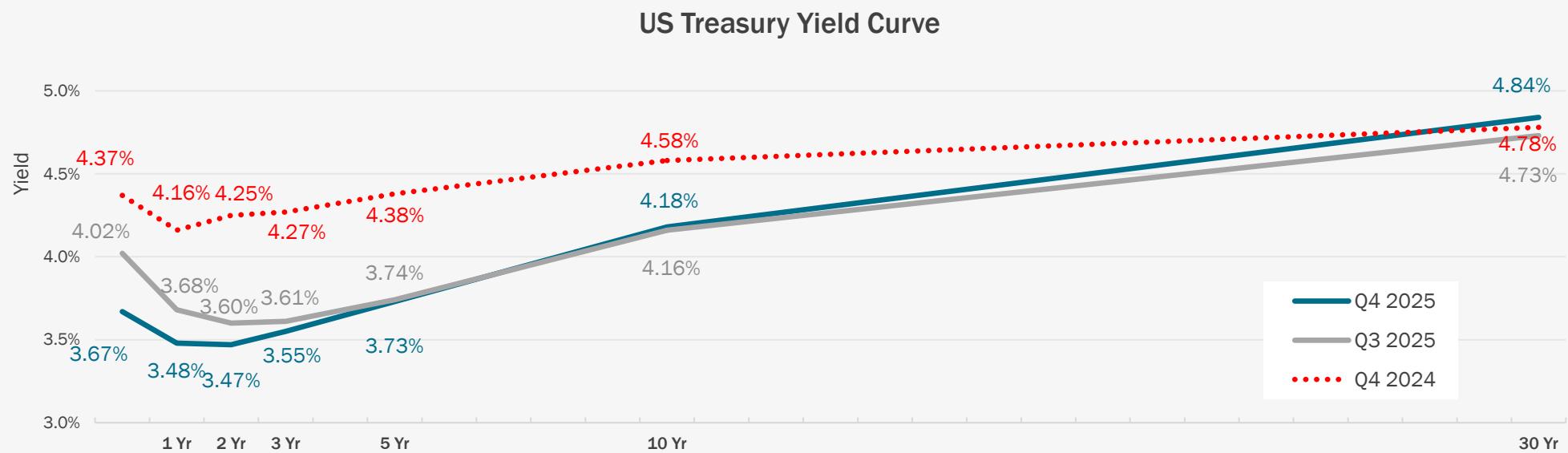
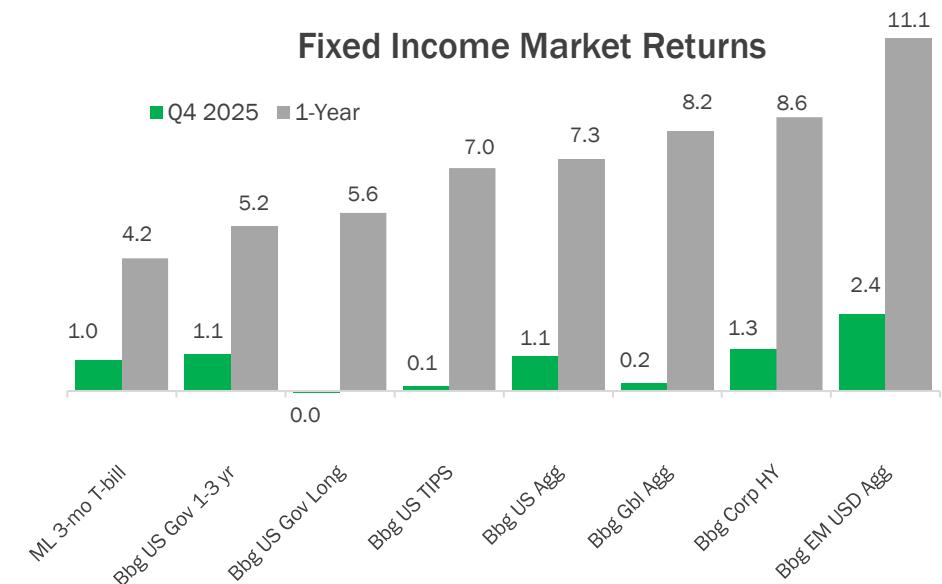
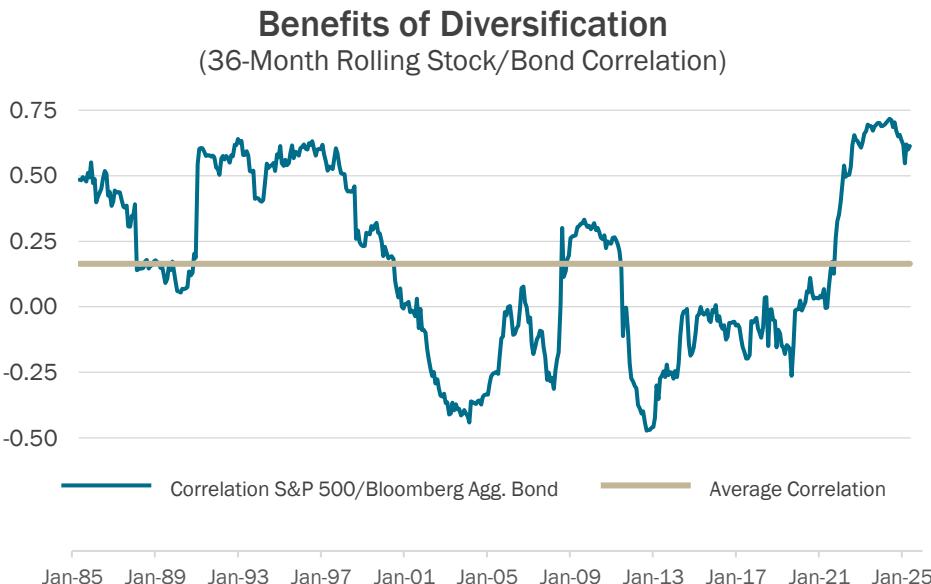
Domestic equity markets posted a third consecutive year of double-digit returns, supported by strong earnings growth, AI-related investment, and easing monetary policy. Foreign stocks (MSCI ACWI ex-US) outperformed the S&P 500 for the first time since 2009, aided by a weaker U.S. dollar, increased European defense spending, and more attractive valuations. Leadership broadened in the fourth quarter, with Value outperforming Growth, an uncommon recent outcome, and Health Care rebounding despite the absence of an ACA subsidy extension, pointing to improving fundamentals.



Sources: Index and sector return data sourced from Morningstar Direct, accessed January 9, 2025. Style box returns and valuations sourced from JPMorgan Guide to the Markets, 12/31/2025. Style box returns pertain to Morningstar categories. Valuations pertain to the Russell style indices.

Fixed Income

The yield curve steepened meaningfully in 2025, driving stronger price increases in short- and intermediate-term bonds than in longer-duration bonds. In response to slowing job growth, the Fed cut rates three times, including twice in the fourth quarter. The Aggregate Bond Index delivered its strongest return since 2020, aided by attractive starting yields and falling short-term rates. After rising sharply in 2022, stock-bond correlations are moving back toward their long-term average of roughly 0.2, improving diversification benefits.





Section II

Investment Summary

Executive Summary and Observations

- Assets totaled \$14,141,036 at December 31, 2025, up from \$13,855,296 at September 30, 2025.
- Trade activity during the quarter:
 - Vanguard S&P 500 Index substituted with lower cost Fidelity S&P 500 index; rebalance to target allocations as shown below:

Target Allocation vs. Actual

Ticker	Fund	12/31/2025	12/31/2025	12/31/2025
		% Target	% Actual	\$ Actual
FDRXX	Fidelity Government Cash Reserves	0.0%	0.1%	14,133
BCOIX	Baird Core Plus Institutional	20.0%	19.8%	2,795,822
VWEAX	Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond	15.0%	14.9%	2,111,770
	Fixed Income	35.0%	34.8%	4,921,725
FXAIX	Fidelity 500 Index	40.0%	39.8%	5,632,377
VHYAX	Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	12.0%	12.3%	1,734,018
VEXAX	Vanguard Extended Market Index	9.0%	9.0%	1,268,148
VTMNX	Vanguard Developed Markets Index	4.0%	4.1%	584,768
	Equity	65.0%	65.2%	9,219,311
	Total	100%	100.0%	14,141,036

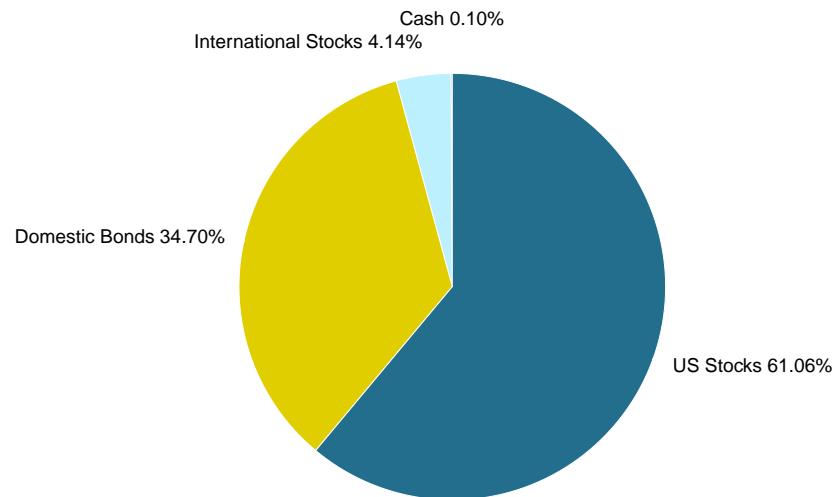
- For the quarter, the net total return was 2.06%, compared to the custom peer-group fund benchmark of 1.84%.
- For the past 12 months, the net total return was 14.27%, beating the custom peer-group fund return of 12.78%.
- Since November 2016, the portfolio has gained over \$4.1 million in investment returns.
- The portfolio is heavily allocated to index funds, leading to a low overall expense ratio of 0.10%.
- Baird Core Plus and Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond score in the upper half of SageView's peer group quantitative rankings, while all index funds receive a pass rating.



Asset Allocation by Fund

As of 12/31/2025

Fund	% of Plan Assets	Total Assets
Fidelity 500 Index	39.83%	\$5,632,377.22
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	19.77%	\$2,795,822.17
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	14.93%	\$2,111,770.13
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	12.26%	\$1,734,018.11
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	8.97%	\$1,268,148.18
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	4.14%	\$584,767.90
CASH	0.10%	\$14,132.72
Total Market Value:	100.00%	\$14,141,036.43



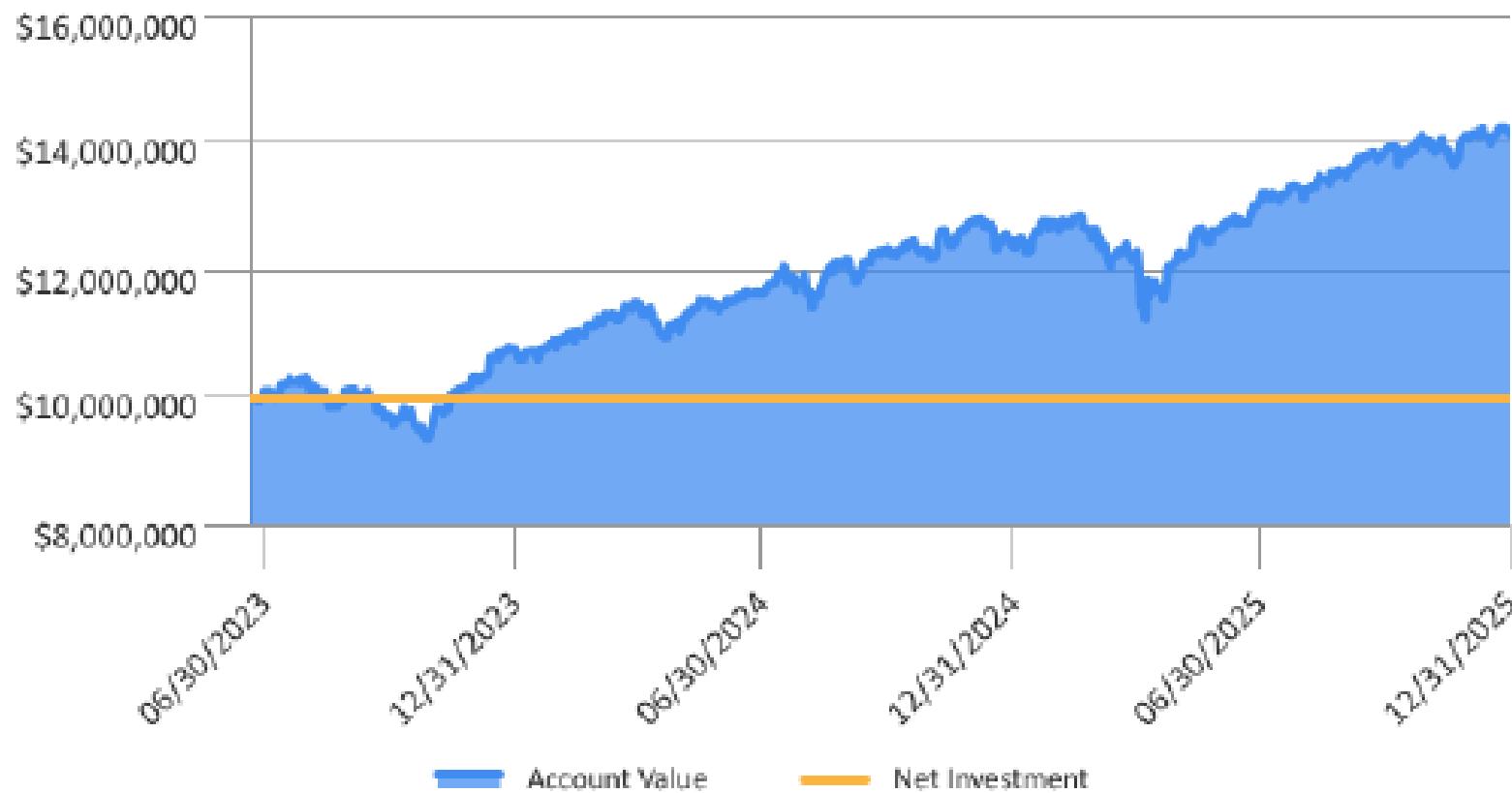
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Investment Growth

As of 12/31/2025

Investment Growth



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Fund Performance Summary

As of 12/31/2025

Fund Benchmark Category	Asset Class	(%) of Plan	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Years Annualized	5 Years Annualized	10 Years Annualized	Expense Ratio	SageView Ranking
Fidelity Treasury Money Market	Money Market-Taxable	0.00%	0.91	3.93	3.93	4.53	2.97	1.89	0.42	NA
ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD*			0.97	4.18	4.18	4.81	3.17	2.18		
Cat: Morningstar Money Market - Taxable			0.90	3.90	3.90	4.52	2.96	1.89	0.40	
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	Intermediate Core-Plus Bond	19.77%	1.10	7.47	7.47	5.61	0.32	2.87	0.30	TOP DEC
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD*			1.10	7.30	7.30	4.66	-0.36	2.01		
Cat: Morningstar Intermediate Core-Plus Bond			1.05	7.40	7.40	5.38	0.17	2.50	0.77	
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	High Yield Bond	14.93%	1.75	9.46	9.46	9.17	4.21	5.69	0.12	2ND QUAR
Bloomberg US HY 2% Issuer Cap TR USD*			1.31	8.62	8.62	10.06	4.50	6.52		
Cat: Morningstar High Yield Bond			1.27	8.01	8.01	9.25	4.22	5.55	0.87	
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	Large Value	12.26%	2.43	15.39	15.39	13.06	12.66	11.30	0.08	Pass
FTSE High Dividend Yield TR USD*			2.47	15.50	15.50	13.14	12.75	11.38		
Cat: Morningstar Large Value			3.15	15.00	15.00	13.89	11.65	10.72	0.85	
Fidelity 500 Index	Large Blend	39.83%	2.65	17.86	17.86	22.99	14.41	14.81	0.02	Pass
S&P 500 TR USD*			2.66	17.88	17.88	23.01	14.42	14.82		
Cat: Morningstar Large Blend			2.22	15.57	15.57	20.12	12.69	13.33	0.73	
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	Mid-Cap Blend	8.97%	0.15	11.42	11.42	17.76	6.19	11.01	0.05	Pass
S&P Completion TR USD*			0.13	11.32	11.32	17.59	6.06	10.89		
Cat: Morningstar Mid-Cap Blend			1.06	9.08	9.08	13.22	8.86	10.26	0.86	
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	Foreign Large Blend	4.14%	5.68	35.16	35.16	17.94	9.13	8.73	0.03	Pass
FTSE Developed ex US All Cap NR USD*			6.06	34.56	34.56	17.77	8.92	8.52		
Cat: Morningstar Foreign Large Blend			4.35	30.38	30.38	16.73	8.11	8.05	0.86	

*Investment Policy Benchmark

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Investment Discussion Summary - Current Investments

Fund Name % of Plan Assets Category	Comment Date	Comments
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst 19.77 Intermediate Core-Plus Bond	09/30/2025	<p>Performance Update (9/30/2025): The Baird Core Plus fund employs a bottom-up investment approach, emphasizing relative value primarily through security selection, with additional contributions from sector selection and yield curve positioning. With credit spreads tight relative to history, the strategy has moved to a more neutral stance toward corporate credit. While price upside is limited, yields remain attractive. The team favors shorter maturities to reduce rate sensitivity and has increased allocations to higher-quality securitized assets and Treasuries as alternatives to credit. They also hold a constructive view on financials, particularly banks and insurers positioned well for uncertainty. A modest underweight to emerging markets has been a headwind, though the team is comfortable with its BBB and BB exposures. Looking ahead, the focus remains on adding carry and shorter-term credit to sustain a yield advantage over the index. Performance has been consistently strong, with solid results across trailing and calendar-year periods.</p> <p>Strategy Summary: The fund utilizes a duration neutral approach relative to the benchmark. Typically, portfolio managers hope to generate the most excess return (about 40% of alpha) through security selection, then sector allocation (30% of alpha), yield curve positioning (25% of alpha), and lastly trade execution (5% of alpha). Credit analysts first determine which issuers appear to offer the best value within each sector. Only US dollar denominated securities are utilized in this fund with no use of derivative securities. The prospectus benchmark for the strategy is the Bloomberg US Universal Index. The standard category benchmark is the Bloomberg US Aggregate Bond Index. Fund comments are relative to the prospectus benchmark.</p>
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm 14.93 High Yield Bond	09/30/2025	<p>Performance Update (9/30/2025): The Vanguard High Yield Corporate Bond Fund employs fundamental credit selection to construct a broadly diversified portfolio aimed at delivering high and sustainable current income. Within the high-yield sector, the strategy typically emphasizes higher credit quality and lower return volatility compared to its competitors. While long-term performance has been strong, the fund has underperformed its peers in calendar years 2023 and 2024. Concerns about consumer health and spending have led the management team to adopt a more defensive stance. This cautious approach, in a market environment where risk-taking has been rewarded, contributed to the fund trailing peers as credit spreads continued to tighten. Performance this year has been strong, with the fund's defensive positioning holding up well during the April spread widening. Additionally, credit selection-particularly avoiding tariff- and trade-sensitive names-has contributed to positive relative performance.</p> <p>Strategy Summary: The Fund invests primarily in a diversified group of high yielding, higher risk corporate bonds with medium and lower range credit quality ratings. The Fund invests at least 80% of its assets in corporate bonds that are rated below Baa by Moody's. The Fund may not invest more than 20% of its assets in any of the following, in the aggregate: bonds with credit ratings lower than B or the equivalent, convertible securities, preferred stocks, and fixed and floating rate loans of medium to lower range credit quality. The standard category benchmark is the BB Barclays US Corporate High Yield Bond Index. Fund comments are relative to the prospectus benchmark.</p>

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IPS Historical Ranking

Fund Name	03/2023	06/2023	09/2023	12/2023	03/2024	06/2024	09/2024	12/2024	03/2025	06/2025	09/2025	12/2025
CASH	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Fidelity Treasury Money Market	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP DEC	TOP QUAR	TOP QUAR	TOP DEC
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	TOP QUAR	TOP QUAR	2 ND QUAR	TOP QUAR	2 ND QUAR							
Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Fidelity 500 Index	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Institutional Index I	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass
Vanguard Developed Markets Index Instl	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass

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Fund Score Summary

	# of Funds	Average SageView Score
Total Available Standalone Investments	9	24
Core Investments	9	24
Asset Allocation Investments	0	NA

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Fund Score Summary

Fund Name	Ticker	Total Return Composite Ranking	Rolling 12 Mo Perf. (5 Yrs.)	RSquared (3 Yrs)	Modified Sharpe Ratio (36 Mos.)	Alpha (60 Mos.)	Up Capture Ratio (10 Yrs.)	Down Capture Ratio (10 Yrs.)	Batting Average (10 Yrs.)	Expense Ratio	SageView Normalized Ranking
Baird Core Plus Bond Inst	BCOIX	33%	35%	4%	36%	32%	35%	28%	14%	10%	9%
Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm	VWEAX	43%	46%	50%	48%	49%	63%	34%	41%	3%	38%

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Baird Core Plus Bond Inst

BCOIX

Ranking Vs. Peers - Intermediate Core-Plus Bond

December 31, 2025

Intermediate Core-Plus Bond Universe: 769 Funds

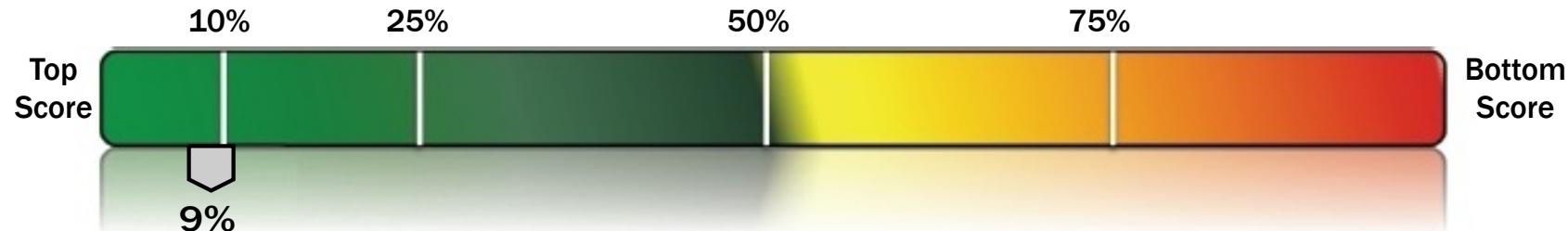
Performance Ranking	Ranking
Total Return Composite Ranking	33.30%
10 Year	26.00%
5 Year	29.00%
3 Year	36.00%
1 Year	49.00%
Rolling 12 Month - 5 Years	34.92%

Ratio Statistics	Ranking
Modified Sharpe Ratio - 36 Months	36.00%
Alpha - 60 Months	32.00%
Up Capture Ratio - 10 Years	35.00%
Down Capture Ratio - 10 Years	28.00%
Batting Average - 10 Years	14.00%

Fund Expense	Ranking
Expense Ratio	0.3 10.00%

Style Consistency	Ranking
Style Consistency to Benchmark	
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD	R2 4.00%

SageView Normalized Ranking	
SageView Normalized Ranking	9.00%
STATUS	TOP DECILE



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Vanguard High-Yield Corporate Adm

VWEAX

Ranking Vs. Peers - High Yield Bond

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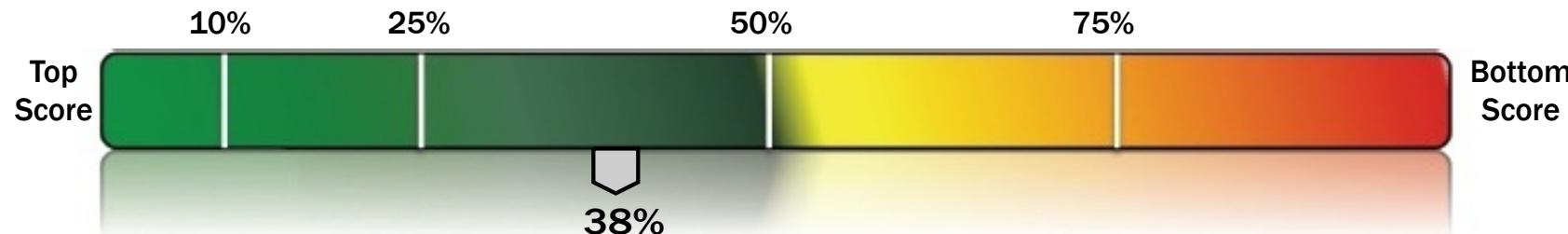
High Yield Bond Universe: 676 Funds

Performance Ranking		Ranking
Total Return Composite Ranking		42.50%
10 Year	44.00%	
5 Year	48.00%	
3 Year	53.00%	
1 Year	7.00%	
Rolling 12 Month - 5 Years		46.12%

Ratio Statistics		Ranking
Modified Sharpe Ratio - 36 Months		48.00%
Alpha - 60 Months		49.00%
Up Capture Ratio - 10 Years		63.00%
Down Capture Ratio - 10 Years		34.00%
Batting Average - 10 Years		41.00%

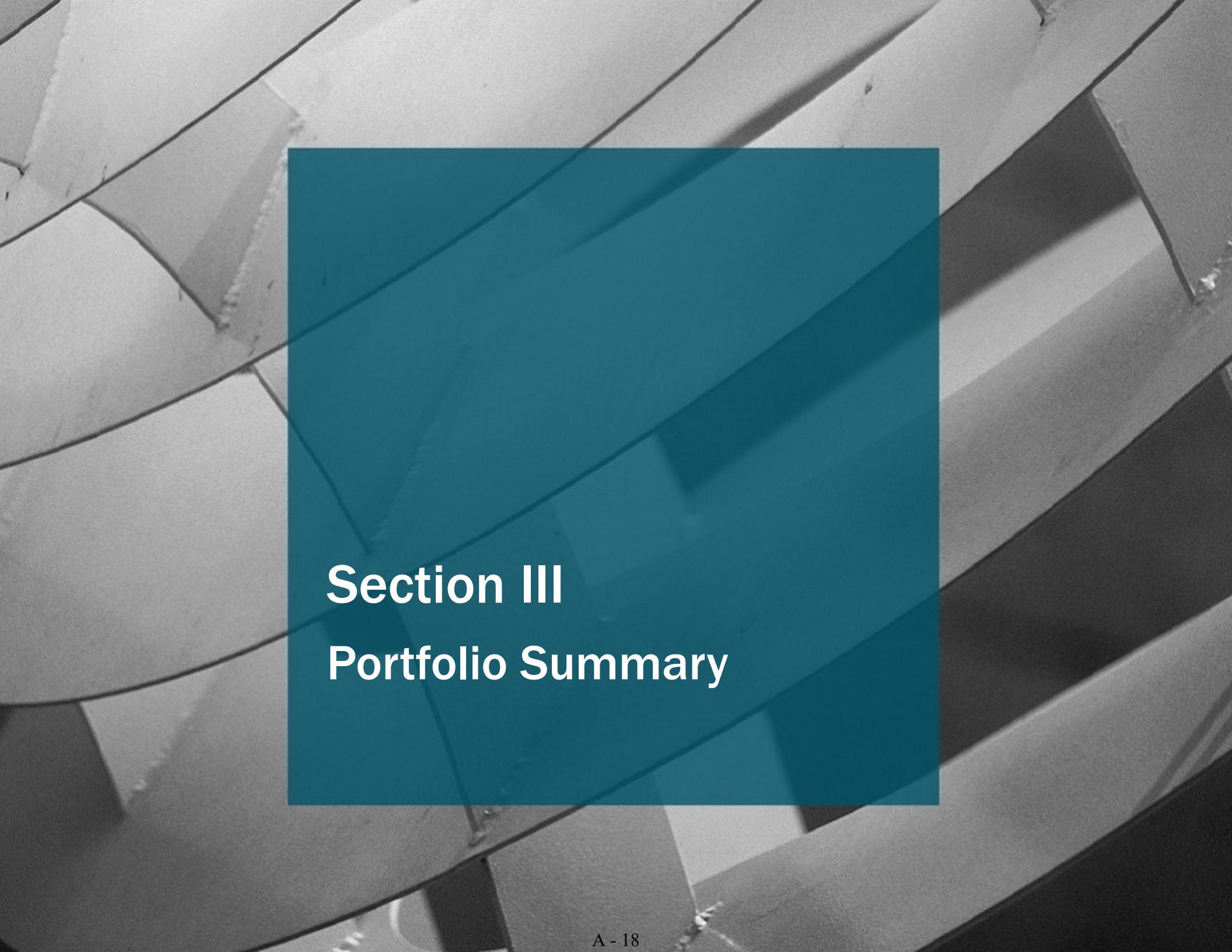
Style Consistency		Ranking
Style Consistency to Benchmark		
Bloomberg US HY 2% Issuer Cap TR USD	R2	50.00%

		SageView Normalized Ranking
SageView Normalized Ranking		38.00%
STATUS		2nd QUARTILE



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Section III Portfolio Summary

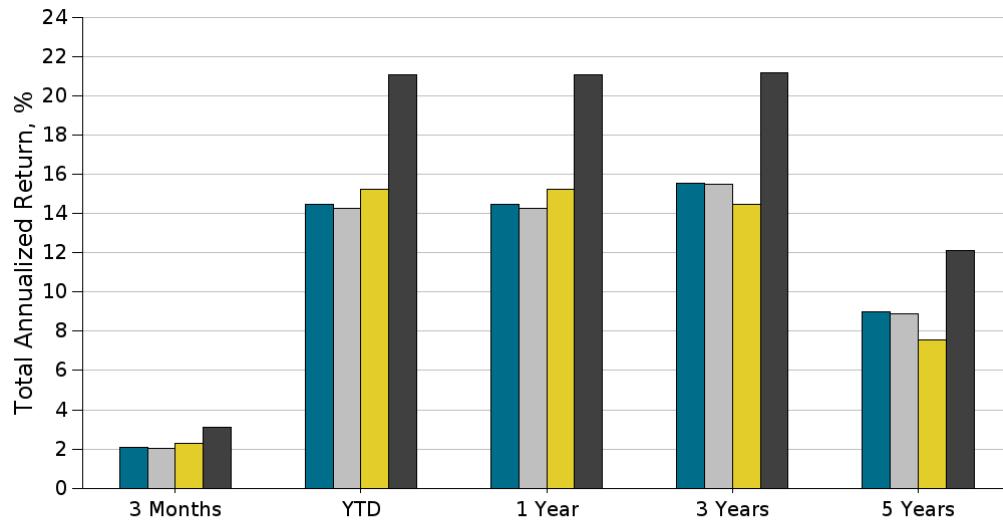
Portfolio Return vs. Custom Benchmark

As of 12/31/2025

Performance As Of December 31, 2025	3 Month	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Std Dev 5 Yr	Prospectus Exp Ratio
Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust	2.06	14.43	14.43	15.57	9.01	11.33	0.10
Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust Custom Benchmark	2.04	14.28	14.28	15.50	8.90	11.31	NA
Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust Custom Category Averages Benchmark	1.84	12.77	12.77	14.04	8.28	12.17	0.79
Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10	2.30	15.23	15.23	14.46	7.55	10.07	NA
MSCI World NR USD	3.12	21.09	21.09	21.17	12.15	14.38	NA

¹Industry Average Exp Ratio 0.74%. Based on plan assets \$10Mil - \$24.9Mil

Benchmark	Weight
S&P 500 TR USD	39.83%
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD	19.77%
Bloomberg US HY 2% Issuer Cap TR USD	14.93%
FTSE High Dividend Yield TR USD	12.26%
S&P Completion TR USD	8.97%
FTSE Developed ex US All Cap NR USD	4.14%
ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD	0.10%



- Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust
- Irvine Ranch Water District OPEB Trust Custom Benchmark
- Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10
- MSCI World NR USD

¹Industry Average Expense Ratio Source: 401(k) Averages Book, 24th Edition, published by HR

Investment Consultants

The Institutional Portfolio 60-30-10 consists of 60% MSCI World NR USD, 30% Bloomberg US Agg Bond

TR USD and 10% ICE BofA US 3M Trsy Bill TR USD

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Management Style Analysis

As of 12/31/2025

Domestic Equity Style Box

	VALUE	BLEND	GROWTH
LARGE CAP	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vanguard High Dividend Yield Index Adm (\$143.27 bn) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fidelity 500 Index (\$465.35 bn) Vanguard Institutional Index I (\$465.30 bn) 	
MID CAP		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Vanguard Extended Market Index Admiral (\$8.46 bn) 	
SMALL CAP			

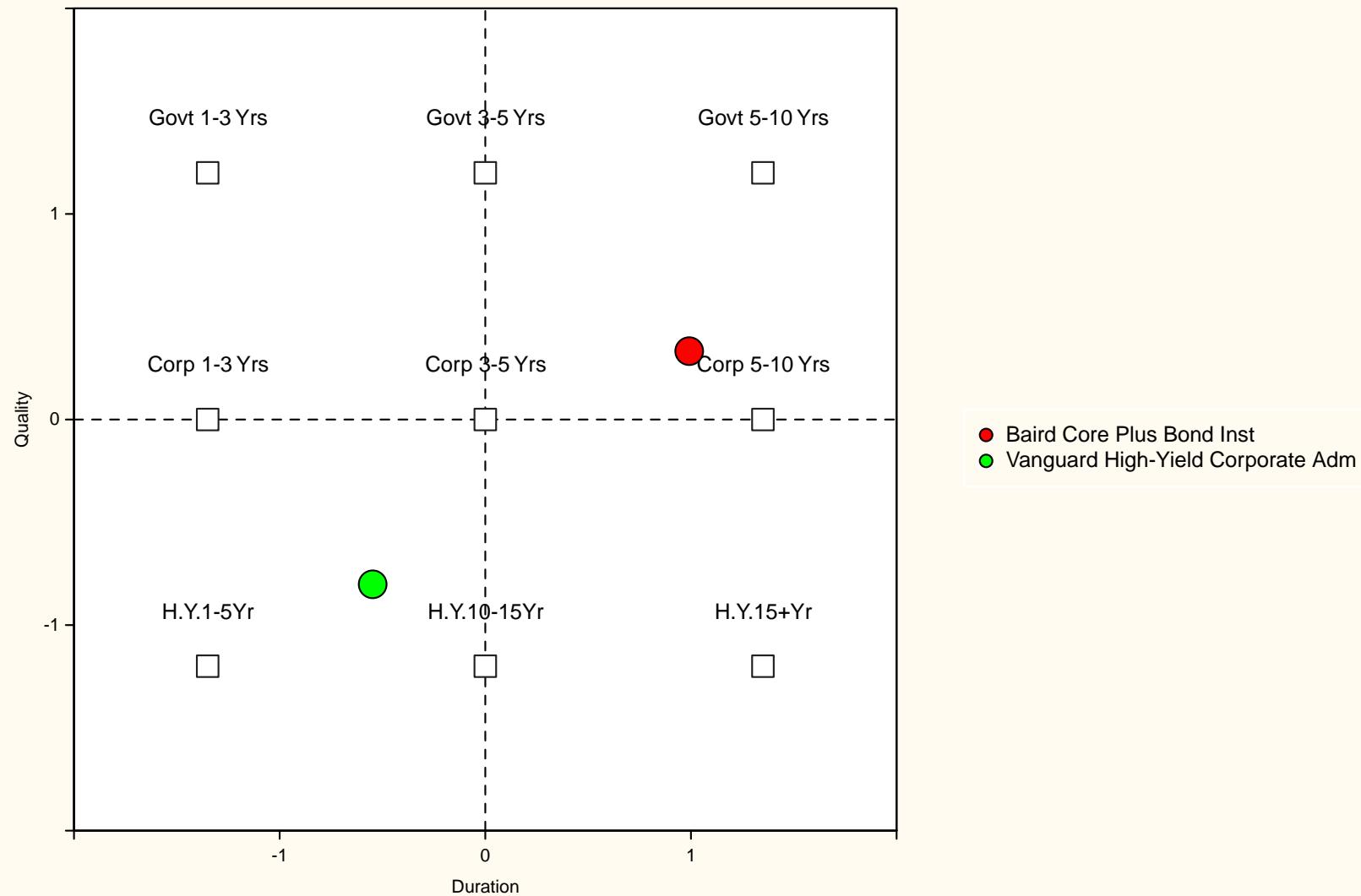
Average Market Cap. listed in parentheses

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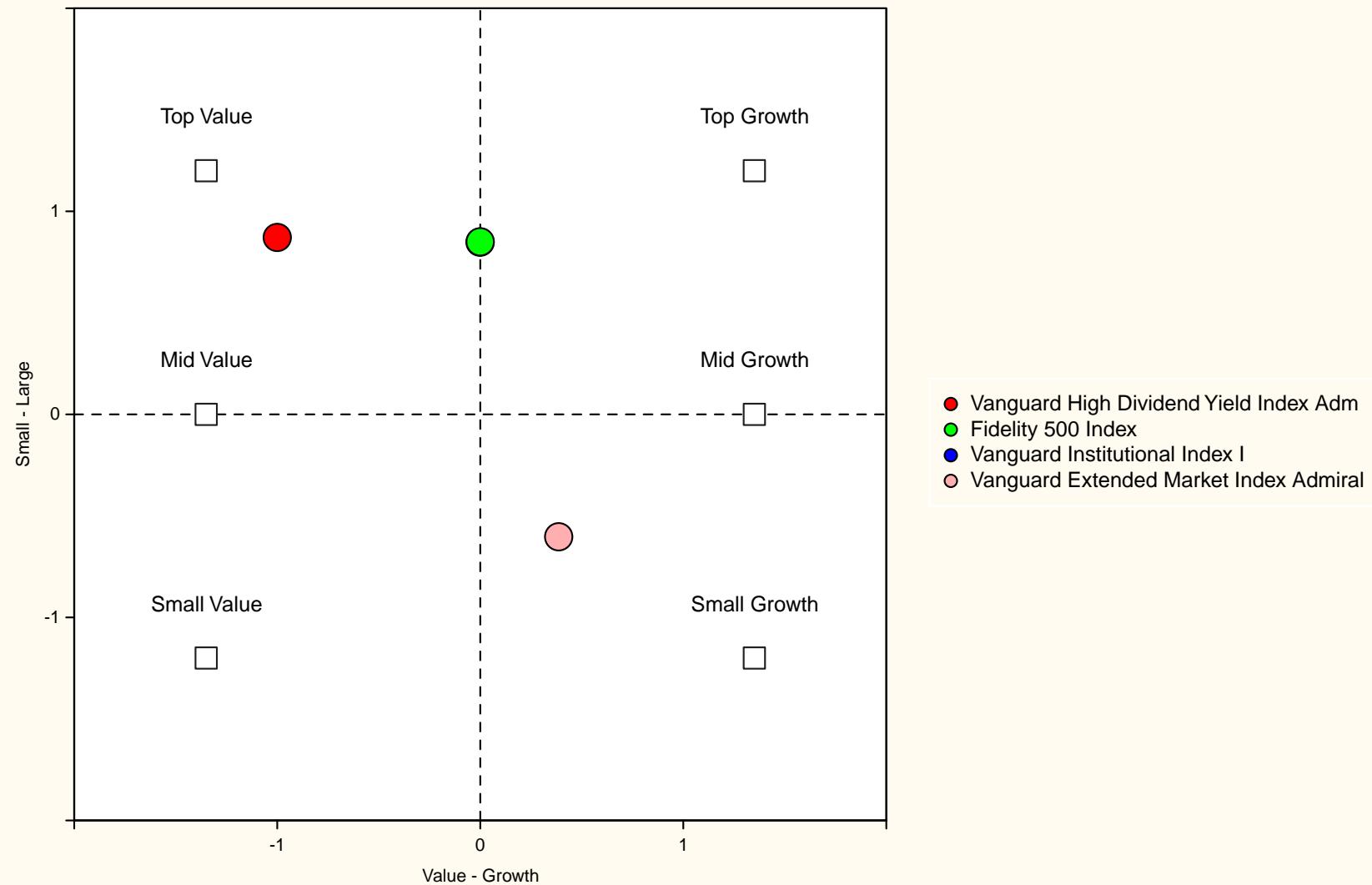


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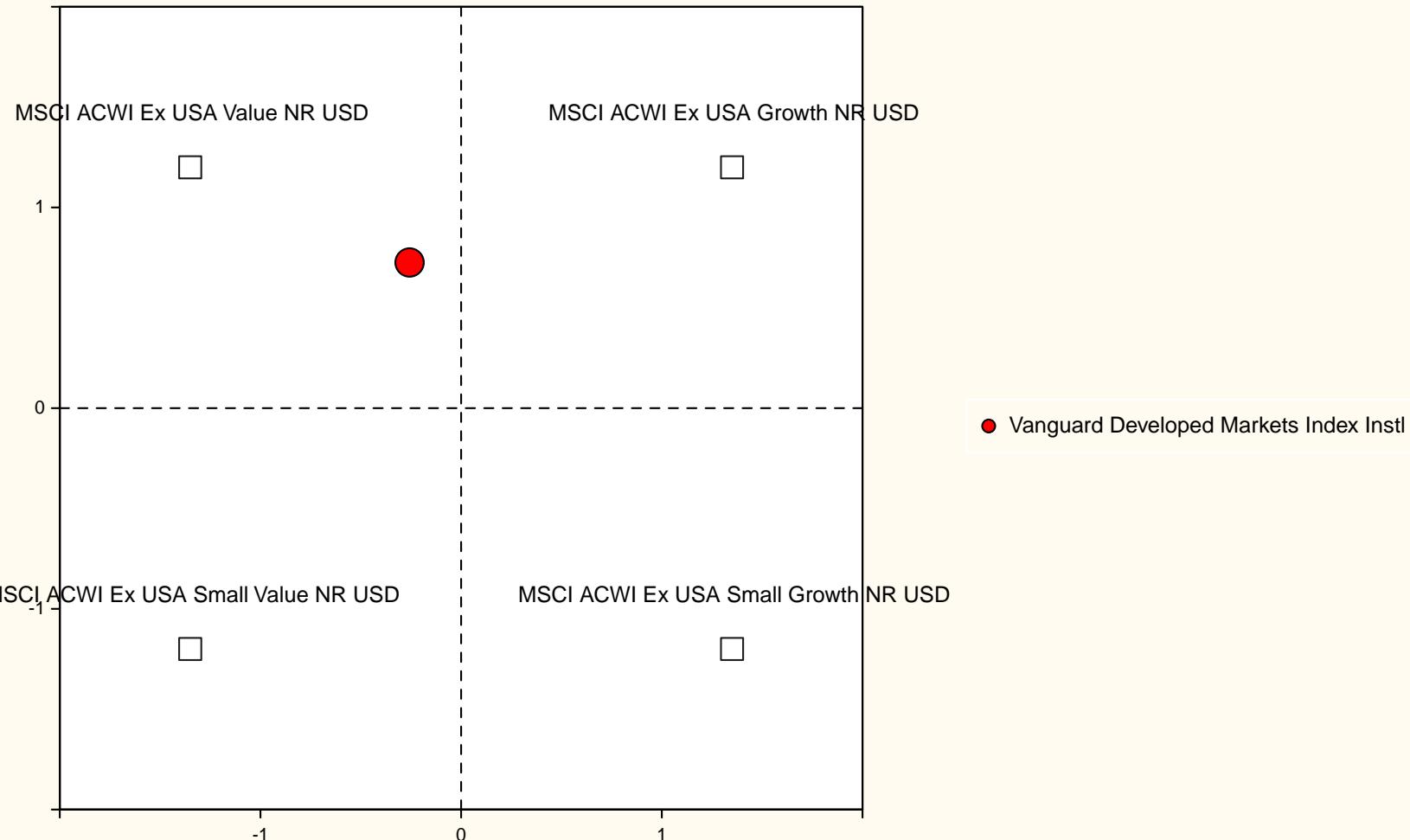


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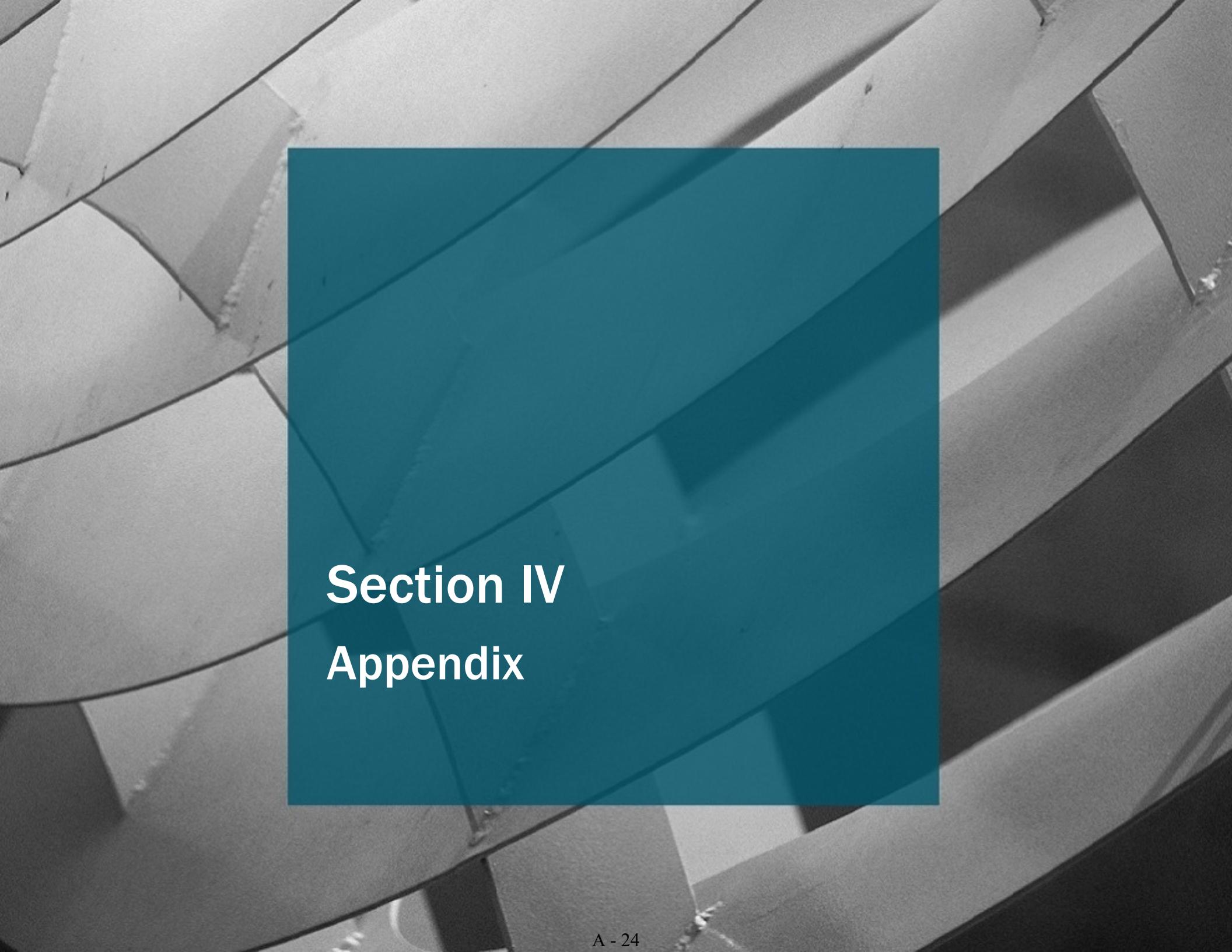
Manager Style Box

International Equity - Single Computation
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Section IV Appendix

Active Investment Options Analysis Criteria

All active plan investment options are reviewed quarterly against their peer group and index benchmark to determine the performance and quality of each offering. Each are evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Trailing 1, 3, 5 and 10 year returns – Total return is a basic measure of a fund's performance. Fund returns over each period are factored into a weighted average, based on the life of a fund. Recent returns receive a slightly higher weighting, while older returns, which may have been produced under different conditions, are weighted less.
2. Rolling period returns – A rolling period return divides a longer time frame into smaller time periods. A rolling 12-month return over five years is computed by first calculating a single period return over the first twelve months. Next, it calculates the 12-month return for months 2-13. The process continues until finally reaching the 12-month period spanning months 48-60. The final rolling figure reflects the average of all of the 12-month returns.
3. Batting Average – Batting average is calculated by (1) tallying the number of months in a given observation window where the investment return is greater than the return of the peer group median return and (2) dividing this amount by the total number of months in the observation window. The result is a ratio that ranges between 0 and 1. A batting average of greater than 0.50 signifies that the investment has outperformed the peer group more frequently than it has underperformed, irrespective of the magnitude of any outperformance or underperformance.
4. Style Consistency to the appropriate index – We utilize R-squared to assess whether the funds selected for the plan continue to operate and perform as expected within their appropriate asset class. R-squared measures the closeness between a fund's returns and movements in the benchmark. All active funds have some deviation from their benchmark, but excessive deviation could indicate that a fund is drifting away from its stated category mandate.
5. Modified Sharpe Ratio – The standard Sharpe Ratio calculation is calculated by subtracting the risk-free rate of return (the US Treasury Bill is typically used) from the portfolio return and dividing the result by the portfolio's standard deviation. A higher Sharpe ratio indicates that the portfolio was able to generate a higher return per unit of risk. Modified Sharpe Ratio is a related statistic that is equal to the Sharpe Ratio under normal circumstances. However, the Modified Sharpe calculation adds an exponent to the denominator that effectively raises the denominator to the -1 power in circumstances in which an investment's excess return is negative. This modification ensures that investments with both negative excess returns and higher standard deviations rank lower than investment with negative excess returns and lower standard deviations. Under the standard Sharpe Ratio calculation, the opposite is true.
6. Alpha – The use of Alpha allows us to gauge the effectiveness of the manager. Alpha is the difference between the portfolio's actual return and its expected return given the funds level of risk as calculated by beta.
7. Up Capture Ratio – The up capture ratio calculates the percentage of return of an index that a fund has captured during up market cycles. It tracks the fund's relative performance versus the appropriate index when the index is going up.
8. Down Capture Ratio – The down capture ratio calculates the percentage of return of an index a fund has captured during down market cycles. Funds that perform well in this category tend to reduce the downside loss for investors during bear markets.
9. Expense Ratio – The expense ratio is compared to the appropriate category average expense and then given a score based upon that percentage. This rewards low-cost funds and penalizes high-cost funds. Expense ratios are effectively "double weighted" in our scoring methodology, because performance returns are already net of expenses. Since fiduciaries are encouraged to carefully manage expenses, we believe explicitly factoring in fund fees is prudent.

Each fund is benchmarked to a specific market index, and fund performance is evaluated and compared to a relevant peer group using Morningstar category classifications. A fund is given a peer group ranking for each criterion, shown as a percentage. The percentage rankings for all criteria are then averaged to give a fund its average ranking score. All funds with at least a three year track record are scored in the above manner. A fund is then classified as Top Decile, top Quartile, 2nd Quartile, 3rd Quartile or 4th Quartile based upon the overall score compared to all other funds within that particular asset category.

Passive Investment Options Analysis Criteria

All passive investment options are reviewed quarterly against their peer group and index benchmark to determine the performance and quality of each offering. Each are evaluated using the following criteria:

1. Expense Ratio – The percentage of fund assets, net of reimbursements, used to pay for operating expenses and management fees, including 12b-1 fees, administrative fees, and all other asset-based costs incurred by the fund, except brokerage costs. Fund expenses are reflected in the fund's NAV. Sales charges are not included in the expense ratio. The Prospectus Net Expense Ratio is collected annually from a fund's prospectus.
2. Tracking Error – A measure of the difference in returns between an investment and a benchmark. Tracking error is reported as a standard deviation of the difference between the returns of an investment and its benchmark.
3. R-Squared – A statistical metric that ranges from zero to 100 and measures the percentage of portfolio's performance that is explained by the movement of its benchmark index. R-Squared is helpful in assessing the reliability of alpha and beta in explaining a portfolio risk and return characteristics. An r-squared of 100 would mean that the portfolio's performance movements are perfectly correlated with those of the benchmark over time, and would suggest that alpha and beta may be relied upon with a high degree of confidence.
4. Beta – A measure of the volatility, or systematic risk, of an investment in comparison to a market index as a whole. Beta is calculated using regression analysis. Beta represents the tendency of an investment's returns to respond to moves in the market or index that it's calculated against. A beta of 1 indicates that the investment's price moves with the market. A beta of less than 1 means that the investment is theoretically less volatile than the market. A beta of greater than 1 indicates that the investment's price is theoretically more volatile than the market. The reliability of an investment's beta is a function of the investment's r-squared value in relation to the benchmark. A high r-squared value signifies that the beta measure is reliable, while a low r-squared signifies that it is potentially inaccurate.

Each of the criteria above carries a proprietary weight. An index fund is evaluated and ranked in each of the above criteria relative to their peer group. A fund is given a peer group ranking for each criterion. The percentage rankings for all criteria are then weighted to give a fund its average ranking score.

The raw score is then normalized on a scale of 1 to 100, with 1 being the best and 100 the worst. The top 75% of the funds in a category receive a passing score, while the bottom 25% fail.