

Boston Retirement System

November Flash Report (Gross)

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Index Performance Summary as of 11/30/2017

	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Q1	Q2	Q3	Oct	Nov	YTD
EM Equity	78.5%	18.9%	-18.4%	18.2%	-2.6%	-2.2%	-14.9%	11.2%	11.4%	6.3%	7.9%	3.5%	0.2%	32.5%
Int'l Developed Equity	31.8%	7.8%	-12.1%	17.3%	22.8%	-4.9%	-0.8%	1.0%	7.2%	6.1%	5.4%	1.5%	1.0%	23.1%
US Large Cap	26.5%	15.1%	2.1%	16.0%	32.4%	13.7%	1.4%	12.0%	6.1%	3.1%	4.5%	2.3%	3.1%	20.5%
US Small/Mid Cap	34.4%	26.7%	-2.5%	17.9%	36.8%	7.1%	-2.9%	17.6%	3.8%	2.1%	4.7%	1.5%	3.3%	16.4%
EM Local Credit	22.0%	15.7%	-1.8%	16.8%	-9.0%	-5.7%	-14.9%	9.9%	6.5%	3.6%	3.6%	-2.8%	1.7%	12.9%
US High Yield	58.2%	15.1%	5.0%	15.8%	7.4%	2.5%	-4.5%	17.1%	2.7%	2.2%	2.0%	0.4%	-0.3%	7.2%
Global Credit	-6.5%	-5.3%	-5.3%	-4.1%	2.7%	-0.6%	3.3%	2.1%	1.8%	2.6%	1.8%	-0.4%	1.1%	7.0%
US Long Treasuries	-12.9%	9.4%	29.9%	3.6%	-12.7%	25.1%	-1.2%	1.3%	1.4%	4.0%	0.6%	-0.1%	0.7%	6.7%
US Credit	5.9%	6.5%	7.8%	4.2%	-2.0%	6.0%	0.5%	2.6%	0.8%	1.4%	0.8%	0.1%	-0.1%	3.1%
US TIPS	11.4%	6.3%	13.6%	7.0%	-8.6%	3.6%	-1.4%	4.7%	1.3%	-0.4%	0.9%	0.2%	0.1%	2.1%
Commodities	18.9%	16.8%	-13.3%	-1.1%	-9.5%	-17.0%	-24.7%	11.8%	-2.3%	-3.2%	2.5%	2.1%	-0.5%	-1.2%

S&P 500 = US Large Cap
Russell 2500 = US Small/Mid Cap
MSCI EAFE = International Developed Equity
MSCI EM = Emerging Market Equity
Barclays Agg = US Credit
Barclays Long Treasury = US Long Treasuries
Barclays High Yield = US HY
Barclays Global Agg = Global Credit
GBI-EM Global Diversified = EM Local Credit
Bloomberg Commodity = Commodities
Barclays US TIPS = US TIPS



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Total Fund Performance Detail (Gross)

	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	Policy %	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	Fiscal YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	Return (%)	Since
Total Composite*	4,866,557,619	100.0	100.0	0.9	3.8	16.2	18.0	7.1	8.7	5.5	8.1	Aug-94
Allocation Index				1.1	4.0	15.0	17.1	6.9	8.4	5.1		Aug-94
Policy Index				1.0	3.8	14.8	17.1	7.2	8.6	5.4		Aug-94
PRIT Core Fund/Teachers*	1,560,417,698	32.1		1.0	3.8	15.6	17.8	8.2	10.0		10.3	Jul-10
Total Equity	2,736,327,837	56.2	52.0	1.7	6.0	25.5	27.9	9.3	12.3			
Large Cap Comp	1,036,441,985	21.3	19.0	3.2	8.3	23.5	25.5	12.1	17.2	9.2	9.6	Dec-04
Rhumbline Advisors	132,933,095	2.7		3.1	7.6	20.4	22.8	10.9	15.7	8.4	10.0	Aug-94
DE Shaw Core Enhanced	236,046,496	4.9		3.4	7.9	21.3	23.8	11.6	16.3		15.1	Oct-09
JP Morgan 130/30	190,898,501	3.9		3.0	7.7	21.2	22.8	11.0	17.0		15.0	Oct-09
S&P 500				3.1	7.6	20.5	22.9	10.9	15.7	8.3	14.3	Oct-09
DE Shaw 130/30	209,633,097	4.3		3.1	8.2	24.9	27.0	14.5	17.5		16.7	Oct-09
Russell 1000				3.0	7.7	20.3	22.6	10.7	15.7	8.4	14.3	Oct-09
J&W Seligman	130,722,626	2.7		4.9	12.0	19.4	22.2	11.5	17.4	9.6	10.1	Jan-97
Russell 1000 Value				3.1	6.9	12.0	14.8	8.3	14.2	6.8	8.5	Jan-97
Zevenbergen Capital	73,219,332	1.5		1.4	4.3	34.1	33.8	11.1	19.6	10.4	11.6	Aug-94
Intech	62,988,838	1.3		2.8	10.8	34.2	35.5	14.3	17.6	9.7	9.9	Oct-06
Russell 1000 Growth				3.0	8.4	29.2	30.8	13.1	17.1	9.9	10.5	Oct-06
Small Cap Comp	345,892,905	7.1	6.0	3.2	9.6	26.1	28.1	11.2	15.1	10.2	10.3	Dec-04
Westfield Capital Management	136,999,391	2.8		4.6	9.9	29.6	30.1	9.6	14.7	10.6	11.4	Sep-03
Russell 2000 Growth				2.9	10.2	22.0	23.7	11.3	15.8	9.2	9.9	Sep-03
Bernzott	105,649,080	2.2		2.5	10.3	28.0	29.4				18.1	Nov-15
Russell 2000 Value				2.9	10.3	8.9	13.4	10.9	14.2	8.2	17.4	Nov-15
Aristotle	103,234,370	2.1		2.0	8.5	20.0	24.3				18.0	Nov-15
Russell 2000				2.9	10.2	15.1	18.3	11.1	15.0	8.7	16.3	Nov-15

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	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	Policy %	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	Fiscal YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	Return (%)	Sinc
Total Non-US Equity	1,353,992,947	27.8	27.0	0.2	3.5	27.1	30.0	6.8	7.7	2.6	6.8	Aug-9
International Equity	881,094,155	18.1	19.0	0.2	4.4	25.1	28.7	6.7	9.0		7.5	Dec-1
Todd	218,141,740	4.5		0.2	4.2	25.9	27.4				15.3	Apr-
MSCI ACWI ex USA Gross				0.8	4.7	24.9	28.2	6.2	7.5	1.9	17.9	Apr-
Panagora Asset Management	286,534,706	5.9		0.4	3.5	21.7	26.3	8.3	10.3	3.8	6.5	Aug-
Fisher	236,001,965	4.8		0.0	5.9	28.5	33.3	8.1	9.7	3.5	5.6	Feb-0
MSCI EAFE				1.0	5.1	23.1	27.3	6.0	8.2	1.5	3.9	Feb-
Segall Bryant Hamill	140,000,000	2.9									0.0	Nov-
MSCI EAFE Small Cap				1.6	6.2	29.6	33.3	13.0	13.2	5.1	1.6	Nov-
Emerging Markets	472,898,793	9.7	8.0	0.1	1.7	31.2	32.3	7.2	4.8		4.2	Dec-
Vontobel	104,564,991	2.1		2.1	2.0	32.5	32.2	5.5	5.1	6.0	11.5	Oct-0
Polunin	117,098,530	2.4		-1.0	0.4	32.5	32.9	11.1			10.6	Oct-
SSgA Emerging Markets	139,892,940	2.9		-1.4	1.5	31.1	33.5	4.6			3.8	Oct-
MSCI Emerging Markets				0.2	3.3	32.5	32.8	6.1	4.6	1.4	5.5	Oct-
Lazard	111,342,333	2.3		1.4	3.2	28.8	30.2	8.2			6.5	Oct-
MSCI Emerging Markets Small Cap				1.8	5.4	29.1	28.9	6.1	5.6	2.5	5.7	Oct-
Total Fixed Income	1,093,724,960	22.5	24.0									
Core Fixed Income	505,019,596	10.4	11.0	-0.1	0.1	3.7	4.1	2.8	2.5	4.9	4.9	Dec-
Wells Asset Management	118,111,641	2.4		-0.1	-0.5	3.3	3.5	2.6	2.5	5.4	5.3	May-
BlackRock SIO	172,069,447	3.5		0.0	1.0	4.9	5.9				3.5	Aug-
BBgBarc US Aggregate TR				-0.1	-0.5	3.1	3.2	2.1	2.0	4.0	2.4	Aug-
IR&M	214,838,508	4.4		-0.1	-0.4	3.0	3.0				3.2	Jul-
IR&M Custom Benchmark				0.0	-0.4	2.6	2.7	1.9	1.9	3.9	2.4	Jul-

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⁻ IR&M Custom Benchmark reflects BC Agg since inception through 04/30/2017, as of 05/01/2017 forward it reflects 60% BC Agg/40% BC US TIPS.

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	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	Policy %	1 Mo (%)	3 Mo (%)	Fiscal YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	Return (%)	Since
Value Added Fixed Income	588,705,364	12.1	13.0	0.1	0.5	8.9	10.2	3.8	3.1		-	
High Yield Income	387,027,132	8.0	9.0	-0.3	1.1	7.6	9.2	5.8	6.0	7.5	7.4	Jan-06
Crescent Capital	122,027,528	2.5		-0.3	0.8	5.7	7.5				6.3	May-15
50/50 S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan/BBgBarc High Yield				-0.1	1.1	5.4	7.0	4.8	5.1	6.5	4.8	May-15
DDJ	135,452,374	2.8		-0.6	1.5	11.3	13.7				7.7	May-15
75% BC HY 25% S&P Leverage Loan				-0.2	1.1	6.3	8.1				5.3	May-15
GoldenTree Multi Spec Opp Credit	127,761,873	2.6		0.2	1.0	6.2	7.2				7.2	Dec-16
3-Month LIBOR + 7%				0.7	2.1	7.6	8.3	7.8	7.6	7.9	8.3	Dec-16
S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan				0.1	1.1	3.7	4.9	3.9	4.1	4.8	4.9	Dec-16
Emerging Market Debt	178,420,584	3.7	4.0	0.8	-0.8	11.9	12.9	-0.5	-1.8		-0.1	Nov-11
Loomis Sayles Emerging Debt & Currencies	178,420,584	3.7		0.8	-0.8	11.9	12.9	-0.5	-1.8		-0.1	Nov-11
Custom EMD				0.7	-0.8	10.8	12.6	-0.8	-1.9	3.2	-0.2	Nov-11
Global Fixed Income	23,257,648	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.0	8.4	8.1	2.6	1.2	4.1	5.3	Jul-95
Loomis Sayles	23,257,648	0.5		1.0	0.0	8.4	8.1	2.6	1.2	4.1	6.0	Nov-99
Citi WGBI				1.4	-0.3	7.3	6.6	1.5	-0.1	2.6	4.3	Nov-99
Total Alternative Assets	1,008,517,651	20.7	24.0									
Hedge Fund Composite	334,473,128	6.9	7.0	-0.3	0.8	3.0	3.8	-0.3	3.2	1.6	3.4	Nov-04
Mesirow Absolute Return Class J	61,691,572	1.3		-0.4	0.7	2.8	2.4	-2.6	2.5	0.7	3.1	Nov-04
GAM	54,369,640	1.1		-0.8	0.5	3.4	4.3	0.7	3.7	1.0	0.8	Nov-07
Permal	74,799,237	1.5		-0.5	0.1	2.0	3.2	0.8	3.8	4.1	4.1	Nov-07
Entrust	65,583,905	1.3		-0.6	0.5	1.6	2.3	-2.6	1.3		1.6	Apr-12
Grosvenor	77,937,508	1.6		0.4	2.1	5.1	6.5	2.5			4.2	Jul-13
HFRI Fund of Funds Composite Index				0.0	1.7	6.9	7.8	2.5	4.1	1.0	3.6	Jul-13
Real Estate Composite	433,786,417	8.9	10.0	0.0	2.4	5.9	8.2	10.6	11.6	3.4	-	
Private Equity & Debt	240,258,106	4.9	7.0	0.0	3.4	7.3	8.6	5.6	7.3	5.5	-	
Cash	27,987,170	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.2	Oct-04

^{*}One or more accounts have been excluded from the composite for the purposes of performance calculations and market value.

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⁻ Real Estate and Private Equity & Debt report on a quarterly basis, valuations are as of 06/30/2017.

⁻ Entrust is preliminary.

Fund Performance Detail

PE/RE Summary

Quarter Ending June 30, 2017

Target Weight	Weight in Fund		Committed Capital	Cumulative Distribution	Contributed Capital	QTR	Last Year	Valuation
7.0%	5.1%	Private Equity & Debt IRR	\$717,509,174	\$492,363,783	\$533,131,808	3.4%	8.6%	\$240,258,106
10.0%	9.1%	Real Estate IRR	\$839,996,934	\$656,819,675	\$744,785,046	2.4%	8.2%	\$433,786,417

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