Teachers' Retirement System

of the State of Kentucky



Gary L. Harbin, CPA Executive Secretary

Budget Review Subcommittee

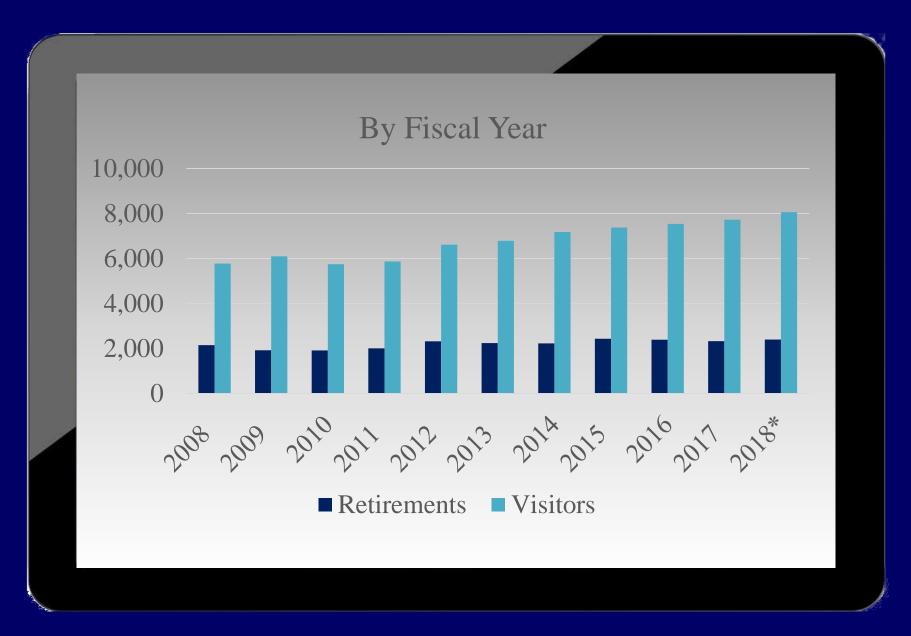
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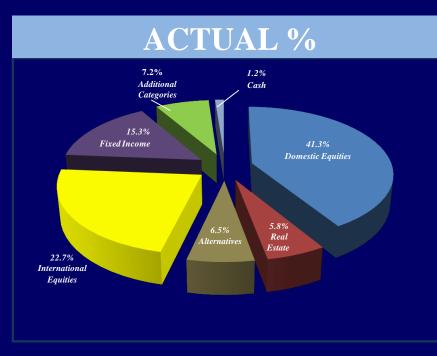
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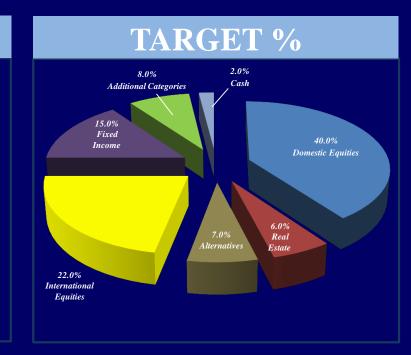


Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Kentucky Pension Fund Investment Update

For the period ended June 30, 2018

(\$ in millions)	\$'s	Actual %	Target %	Strategic Ranges
Domestic Equities	\$8,164.9	41.3%	40.0%	34.0 - 48.0%
Real Estate	1,150.7	5.8%	6.0%	4.0 - 8.0%
Alternatives	1,282.8	6.5%	7.0%	4.0 - 10.0%
International Equities	4,502.8	22.7%	22.0%	18.0 - 25.0%
Fixed Income	3,036.0	15.3%	15.0%	12.0 - 19.0%
Additional Categories	1,428.8	7.2%	8.0%	5.0 - 11.0%
Cash	\$236.7	1.2%	2.0%	1.0 - 3.0%
Total	\$19,802.7	100.0%	100.0%	



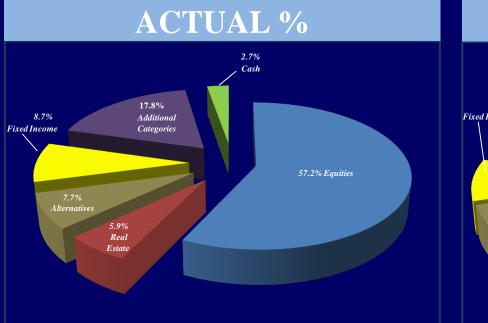


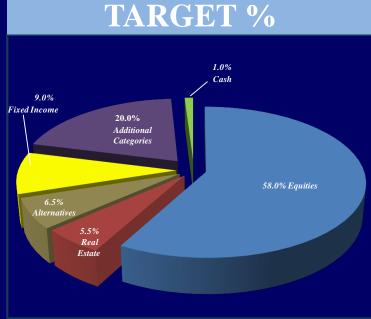
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Insurance Trust Fund Update

For the period ended June 30, 2018

(\$ in millions)	\$'s	Actual %	Target %	Strategic Ranges
Equities	\$607,135.0	57.2%	58.0%	51.0 - 64.0%
Real Estate	62,962.6	5.9%	5.5%	3.0 - 10.0%
Alternatives	81,232.6	7.7%	6.5%	3.0 - 11.0%
Fixed Income	92,417.0	8.7%	9.0%	6.0 - 12.0%
Additional Categories	188,639.1	17.8%	20.0%	16.0 - 25.0%
Cash	\$28,906.9	2.7%	1.0%	0.0 - 4.0%
Equities	\$607,135.0	57.2%	58.0%	51.0 - 64.0%
Total	\$19,802.7	100.0%	100.0%	





INVESTMENT PERFORMANCE

TRS PENSION RETURNS

AS OF JUNE 30, 2018

	Quarter	1-year	3-year	5-year	10-year	20-year
Gross	1.39%	10.81%	8.16%	9.44%	8.02%	6.27%
Benchmarks	1.33%	9.30%	8.15%	8.98%	7.48%	N/A
Rankings	Top 26%	Top 2%	Top 8%	Top 8%	Top 2%	N/A
Net	1.25%	10.51%	7.86%	9.22 %	7.80%	6.14%

30-year compounded gross return

8.39%

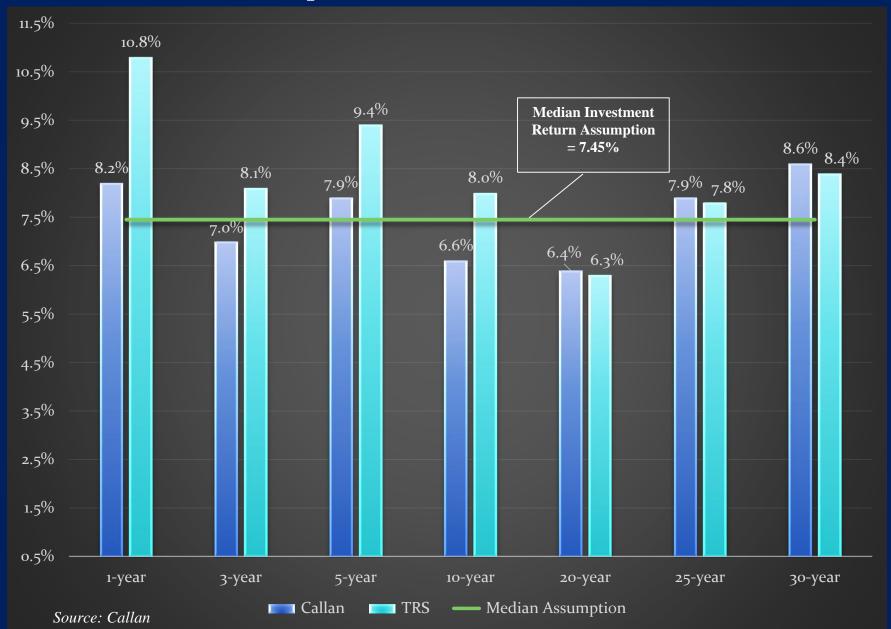
Record Assets

Assets of about \$21 billion In pension, health insurance & life insurance trusts



Dollars in millions (FY 2018 – preliminary/unaudited)

Callan Associates reports median annualized public pension investment returns for periods ended June 30, 2018



TRS Approach

- TRS never has used placement agents.
- TRS has not used hedge funds.
- All fees disclosed in annual report and quarterly on website.
- TRS has fiduciary duty in procurement.

Private Equity

- Regulated by the Securities and Exchange Commission
- All private equity fees paid by TRS are disclosed in annual report and quarterly on website.
- Alternatives are less than 7 percent of TRS portfolio
 - Private Equity is less than 5 percent
 - Has provided some of the best returns of any asset class

Private Equity

Recent TRS private equity net returns			
2012	9.7%		
2013	8.7%		
2014	18.6%		
2015	11.7%		
2016	5.0%		
2017	11.7%		
2018	19.0%		

Modeling Using Market Assumptions

Horizon Survey 2017 Assumptions

Asset Class	Asset Allocation Target	Projected Return
U.S. Large Cap Equity ¹	37.4%	7.8%
U.S. Small Cap Equity ¹	2.6%	8.4%
Developed Int'l Equity ²	16.5%	7.6%
Emerging Markets Equity ²	5.5%	8.7%
Fixed Income - Inv. Grade	15.0%	4.4%
Real Estate	7.0%	6.7%
Private Equity	7.0%	10.1%
Additional Category: High Yield	2.0%	6.2%
Other Additional Categories ³	5.0%	5.7%
Cash	2.0%	3.2%
Total TRSK ⁴	100.0%	7.7%

1 Domestic mid cap equity is modeled as 80% domestic large cap equity and 20% domestic small cap equity 2 International equity is modeled as 75% developed markets and 25% emerging markets

3 Other Additional Categories is modeled as 50% high yield and 50% bank loans

4 Inflation rate assumption is 2.4%

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Current TRS Return Assumption: 7.5%

Historical Market Returns

1926-2017

What this is: The annualized return for every 30-year period beginning with 1926 to 1955 and continuing through 1988 to 2017 (63 30-year periods).

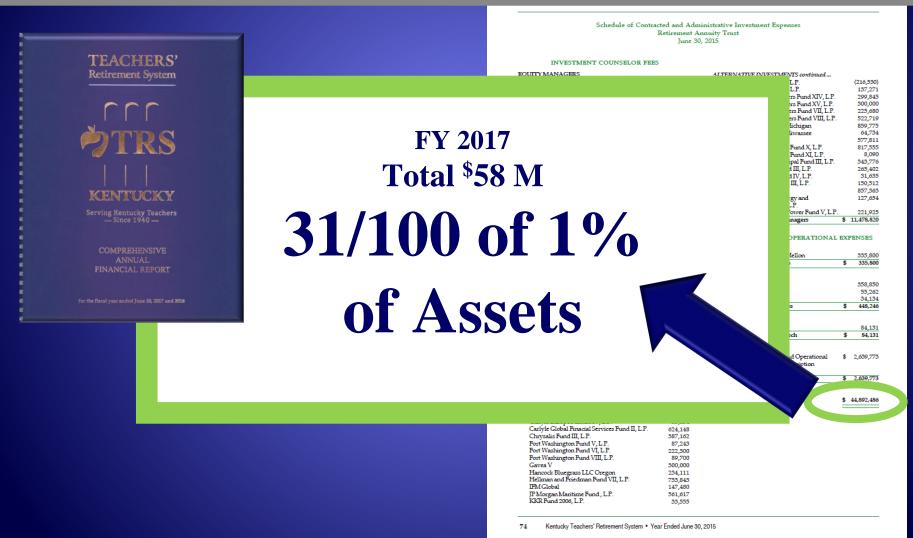
	S&P	60% S&P/
	500 Index	40% Corporate Bonds
Average	11.2%	9.1%
Median	10.9%	8.9%
Minimum	8.5%	6.6%
Maximum	13.7%	12.1%

Sources: Dimensional Fund Advisors (using Standard & Poor's Index Services Group & Morningstar Ibbotson SBBI Yearbook)

Current TRS Return Assumption: 7.5%

Transparent Low Fees & Investment Costs

Fees & investment costs documented annually in the TRS annual report



TRS Expenses vs. Other Systems

As of June 30, 2017	Percentage of Liabilities	
TRS Kentucky	0.0324%	
Kansas Public Employees	0.0428%	
Louisiana Teachers	0.0483%	
New Mexico Public Employees	0.0569%	
Ohio Teachers Retirement System	0.0688%	
Kentucky Retirement Systems	0.0758%	
Georgia Employees	0.0866%	
Indiana Public Employees	0.1281%	



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Protecting & Preserving Teachers' Retirement Benefits