# State of Wisconsin Investment Board

## **Fact Sheet**



The State of Wisconsin Investment Board (SWIB), created in 1951, is responsible for managing the assets of the fully-funded Wisconsin Retirement System (WRS), the State Investment Fund (SIF), and other state trust funds.

One of the largest U.S. public pension funds, SWIB manages more than \$156 billion in assets and serves over 691,000 beneficiaries of the WRS.

### **Board of Trustees**

SWIB is governed by a nine-member Board of Trustees that determines the asset allocation, performance benchmarks, and the annual budget.

# Leadership

Edwin Denson,

Executive Director/Chief Investment Officer

Rochelle Klaskin,

Deputy Executive Director/Chief Operating Officer

Anne-Marie Fink,

Head of Private Markets & Funds Alpha

Todd Mattina,

Head of Asset & Risk Allocation

Nick Stanton,

Head of Multi-Asset Strategies

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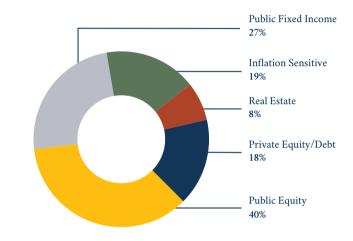
Head of Fixed Income Strategies

# **SWIB Employees**

Total number of authorized full-time positions:

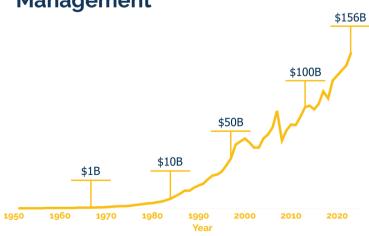
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#### **Core Fund Asset Allocation\***



\*Totals exceed 100% due to overall leverage of Core Fund assets

# Historical Assets Under Management



## **Investments**



SWIB's investment strategy is designed to weather a variety of economic environments, protect WRS members from major benefit reductions, and keep contributions stable.

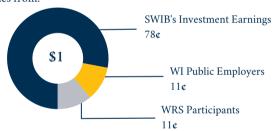
## **Core Fund Performance**

YTD	Performance <sup>^</sup>	Benchmark*
5 Year	9.40%	8.72%
10 Year	7.09%	6.69%

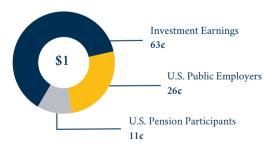
<sup>^</sup>Performance measured net of external manager fees

# **Shared Responsibility**

Every dollar paid to WRS participants comes from:

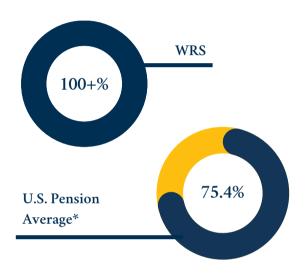


Every dollar paid to the average U.S. pension participant comes from:\*



<sup>\*</sup>According to National Association of State Retirement Administrators Issue Brief Nov. 2023

### **Funded Status**



\*According to National Conference on Public Employee Retirement Systems (NCPERS) 2024 Public Retirement Systems Study

## **WI Investments**

Since 2018, SWIB has invested more than \$557 million in companies that are headquartered in Wisconsin or have a significant presence in the state.

The WRS paid \$7.2 billion in benefits in 2023, and 20% of Wisconsin residents benefit from the WRS either directly or through a family member.\*

\*According to the National Institute of Retirement Security's Pensionomics 2023 Report

<sup>\*</sup>Performance measurement set by the Board of Trustees