



MONTHLY PERFORMANCE REPORT

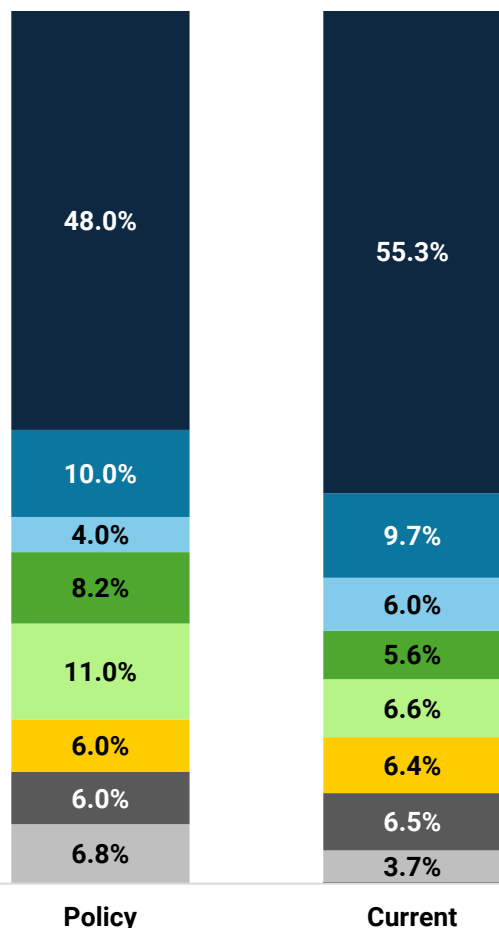
ALAMEDA COUNTY EMPLOYEES'
RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

JULY 31, 2026



ASSET ALLOCATION VS. POLICY

Asset Allocation vs. Target



	Total Exposure (\$)	(%)	Policy (%)	Difference ¹ (%)
Public Equity ²	8,303,967,762	55.3	48.0	7.3
Safe Haven Fixed Income ³	1,459,422,832	9.7	10.0	-0.3
Risk Seeking Fixed Income	904,822,567	6.0	4.0	2.0
Real Estate	839,344,886	5.6	8.2	-2.6
Private Equity	998,626,121	6.6	11.0	-4.4
Absolute Return	965,532,828	6.4	6.0	0.4
Real Assets	983,923,519	6.5	6.0	0.5
Private Credit	551,317,681	3.7	6.8	-3.1
Cash + Overlay ⁴	22,350,116	0.1	0.0	0.1
Total Fund⁵	15,029,308,311	100.0	100.0	0.0

¹ Difference between Total Exposure and Policy.

² Public Equity Total Exposure is the sum of Physical Exposure, \$8.0B, and Overlay Exposure, \$277.7M, for a Total Equity Exposure of \$8.3B.

³ Safe Haven Fixed Income Total Exposure is the sum of Physical Exposure, \$1.4B, and Overlay Exposure, \$72.3M, for a Total Safe Haven Fixed Income Exposure of \$1.5B.

⁴ Cash + Overlay Exposure is the sum of Physical Cash Exposure, \$286.9M, Parametric Account Value, \$85.4M, and Overlay Exposure, -\$349.9M, for a Total Cash + Overlay Exposure of \$22.4M.

⁵ Totals may not add to 100% due to rounding.

CASH FLOW SUMMARY BY MANAGER

	1 Month Ending July 31, 2026			
	Beginning Market Value	Net Cash Flows	Net Investment Change	Ending Market Value
Total Fund	\$15,061,770,500	-\$19,742,764	-\$12,719,424	\$15,029,308,311
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Market Commentary

Growth stocks lagged in July as enthusiasm for AI-related companies cooled while value maintained its lead, besting growth by the widest margin in over 25 years. The Russell 1000 Value Index gained 3.8% as its growth counterpart lost 4.8%, an 860-basis point-margin only surpassed four times, around the dot-com era between 1999 and 2001.

Despite worries around the concentration of growth equities within the S&P 500, the index declined a modest 0.1% in July; during this period, the MSCI Emerging Markets Index lost 3.1% as AI- and growth-centric companies in Korea and Taiwan dragged down returns. Meanwhile, the MSCI EAFE Index was up 2.0%—a rare feat in a growth-dominated market—further underscoring the disparity between value and growth stocks.

The Federal Open Market Committee kept its policy rate unchanged at a range of 3.50%-3.75% at its July meeting, overcoming a small cohort of dissenting votes that were in favor of a rate hike. Inflation data remains persistently elevated above the Federal Reserve's target level of 2.0%, and after seven months and five meetings of no changes in policy, three committee members voted in favor of a rate hike.

Portfolio Commentary

ACERA's Total Fund returned -0.08% for the month on a gross-of-fee basis, outperforming the Policy Index (Gross) by 6 bps. Public Equity underperformed its benchmark by 4 bps. Total Fixed Income outperformed its benchmark by 13 bps.

The Total Fund had an investment loss of \$12.7 million, ending the month with a market value of \$15.0 billion.

TOTAL FUND PERFORMANCE DETAIL

	Allocation		Performance (%)										
	Market Value (\$)	% of Portfolio	1 Mo (%)	YTD (%)	1 Yr (%)	3 Yrs (%)	5 Yrs (%)	10 Yrs (%)	15 Yrs (%)	20 Yrs (%)	25 Yrs (%)	Inception (%)	Inception Date
Total Fund (Gross)	15,029,308,311	100.0	-0.08	8.64	16.25	12.29	7.36	9.64	8.98	7.95	8.00	9.60	Oct-85
Total Fund (Net)	15,029,308,311	100.0	-0.11	8.48	15.97	12.01	7.15	9.42	8.72	7.68	7.71	9.41	Oct-85
<i>Policy Index (Gross)</i>			-0.14	7.64	15.43	11.71	7.61	9.44	9.09	8.17	8.08	9.82	
<i>Policy Index (Net)</i>			-0.15	7.45	15.09	11.43	7.45	9.35	9.04	8.13	8.05	9.80	
<i>Allocation Index</i>			0.02	7.95	15.94	12.34	7.48	9.39	8.93	7.88	7.89		
Total Fund w/o Overlay (Gross)	14,943,899,548	99.4											Oct-85
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Policy Index as of 9/1/2025 is comprised of 48% MSCI ACWI IMI, 5% Bloomberg US Aggregate, 2.5% Bloomberg US TIPS, 2.5% Bloomberg US Treasury, 2% Bloomberg Global Aggregate, 2% Bloomberg Global High Yield, 6% HFRI FOF Conservative Index, 11% Cambridge Associates Global PE and VC 1Q Lagged, 6% Real Asset Blend Index, 6.8% S&P/LSTA Leveraged Loan + 200 bps, and 8.2% NCREIF ODCE.

Allocation Index is calculated using composite level weights and associated benchmarks.

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Public Equity (Net)	8,026,308,355	53.4	-0.30	13.00	23.87	17.37	9.61	12.35	10.83	8.91	8.48	7.72	Jul-99
<i>MSCI AC World IMI (Net)</i>			-0.26	11.48	22.27	17.87	10.40	12.02	10.22	8.40	8.34	7.19	
William Blair Small Cap Growth (Net)	396,395,899	2.6	-4.97	16.29	26.08	13.45	6.27					12.72	Nov-19
<i>Russell 2000 Growth Index</i>			-5.86	15.02	28.42	14.32	5.07					10.49	
Bivium Intl Equity (Net)	579,695,530	3.9	2.14	9.28	19.67	13.45	6.37					9.71	Nov-18
<i>MSCI World ex USA*</i>			2.06	11.44	25.00	16.24	8.81					10.38	
Arga Emerging Mkts Fund (Net)	544,345,898	3.6	4.38	46.83	77.51							73.44	Jul-25
<i>MSCI Emerging Markets (Net)</i>			-3.07	20.04	36.44							35.61	
<i>MSCI Emerging Markets Value (Net)</i>			-0.68	22.17	39.10							37.60	
William Blair Emerging Mkts Growth (Net)	701,765,664	4.7	-8.97	21.15	38.59	19.91						17.55	Dec-22
<i>MSCI Emerging Markets IMI (Net)</i>			-3.51	18.11	33.03	18.24						17.93	
<i>MSCI Emerging Markets IMI Growth Index (Net)</i>			-5.63	16.07	30.56	17.84						17.17	
BlackRock MSCI World Index Fund	5,793,065,528	38.5	0.53									7.23	Mar-26
<i>MSCI World Index (Net)</i>			0.51									7.06	

Gross-of-fee performance for public assets is available upon request.

MSCI World ex USA* Index is comprised of MSCI World ex US (Net) effective 1/1/2024. From 9/1/2023 to 12/31/2023, it was comprised of MSCI World ex US Gross. From inception to 8/31/2023, it was comprised of MSCI ACWI ex USA Gross.

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Total Fixed Income (Net)	2,291,978,273	15.3	-0.88	0.13	3.63	4.58	0.15	2.51	3.38	4.51	5.10		Oct-86
<i>Fixed Income Blend</i>			-1.01	-0.47	2.65	3.89	-0.57	1.34	2.00	3.27	3.79	5.44	
Safe Haven Fixed Income (Net)	1,387,155,706	9.2	-1.26	-0.29	3.02							4.49	Jan-25
<i>Safe Haven Blended Benchmark</i>			-1.10	-0.44	2.50							4.07	
Baird Advisors (Net)	1,387,155,706	9.2	-1.26	-0.29	3.02	4.32	0.04	2.00	3.05	3.95		4.08	Nov-01
<i>Blmbg. U.S. Aggregate Index</i>			-1.30	-0.69	2.71	3.73	-0.40	1.35	2.08	3.19		3.36	
Risk Seeking Fixed Income (Net)	904,822,567	6.0	-0.29	0.85	4.77							7.50	Jan-25
<i>Risk Seeking Blended Benchmark</i>			-0.41	0.55	4.00							6.65	
Loomis Sayles (Net)	627,536,518	4.2	-0.89	-0.19	3.84	6.79	1.66	4.21	4.89	5.99	6.69	6.76	Jan-01
<i>Blmbg. U.S. Credit: BAA Bond</i>			-1.62	-0.51	3.05	5.14	0.14	2.77	3.63	4.81	4.99	5.22	
Brandywine (Net)	277,286,049	1.8	1.10	2.92	6.55	2.86	-1.54	1.41	2.18	3.70		5.32	Jan-02
<i>Brandywine Custom Benchmark</i>			-0.50	-0.87	1.20	2.34	-2.29	0.06	0.54	2.19		3.22	

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Fixed Income Blend Index is comprised of 75% Bloomberg US Aggregate, 10% Bloomberg US High Yield, and 15% FTSE WGBI ex US effective 7/1/2021.

Safe Haven Blended Benchmark is comprised of 50% Bloomberg US Aggregate, 25% Bloomberg US TIPS, and 25% Bloomberg US Treasury since inception.

Risk Seeking Blended Benchmark is comprised of 50% Bloomberg Global Aggregate and 50% Bloomberg Global High Yield since inception.

Brandywine Custom Benchmark is comprised of FTSE World Government Bond Index effective 1/1/2024. From inception to 12/31/2023, it was comprised of Bloomberg Global Aggregate Index.

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Real Estate (Net)	839,344,886	5.6	0.93	2.96	4.39	-1.58	1.82	4.42	7.10	4.77	5.89	5.50	Apr-86
Real Estate Blend			0.00	2.75	4.45	-0.62	2.73	4.63	7.25	6.28	7.40	7.08	
NCREIF ODCE			0.00	2.75	4.45	-0.62	2.73	4.63	7.26	5.40	6.61	6.59	
Private Equity (Net)	998,626,121	6.6	0.00	3.18	7.52	9.10	7.13	13.46	13.46			7.53	Dec-08
Private Equity Blend			0.00	3.85	11.63	7.69	7.79	13.53	14.28			15.40	
CJA Global All PE (Qtr Lag)			0.00	3.66	10.86	7.42	7.74	12.57	11.86			10.55	
Absolute Return (Net)	965,532,828	6.4	0.91	6.95	11.03	10.00	8.98	6.06				5.24	Oct-11
Absolute Return Blend			-1.52	3.42	8.62	8.03	4.68	5.02				4.76	
HFRI Fund of Funds Composite Index			-1.97	6.43	13.43	9.60	5.59	5.63				4.80	
Real Assets (Net)	983,923,519	6.5	1.52	10.30	19.71	12.61	10.98	6.43				1.81	Oct-11
Real Asset Blend			2.15	13.14	25.10	15.48	12.41	9.63				8.09	
Private Credit (Net)	551,317,681	3.7	0.12	2.81	5.37	7.16	7.44					6.91	Nov-19
Private Credit Benchmark			0.96	3.31	6.37	9.38	8.00					7.47	
Cash (Net)	286,867,884	1.9	0.32	2.17	3.97	4.68	3.72	2.44	1.66	1.74	1.80	3.11	Oct-85
90 Day U.S. Treasury Bill			0.33	2.08	3.82	4.61	3.59	2.37	1.60	1.67	1.77	3.29	

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Real Estate Blend Index is comprised of NCREIF ODCE effective 10/1/2011. From 6/1/2001 to 9/30/2011, it was comprised of NCREIF Property. From inception to 5/31/2001, it was comprised of Wilshire RE.

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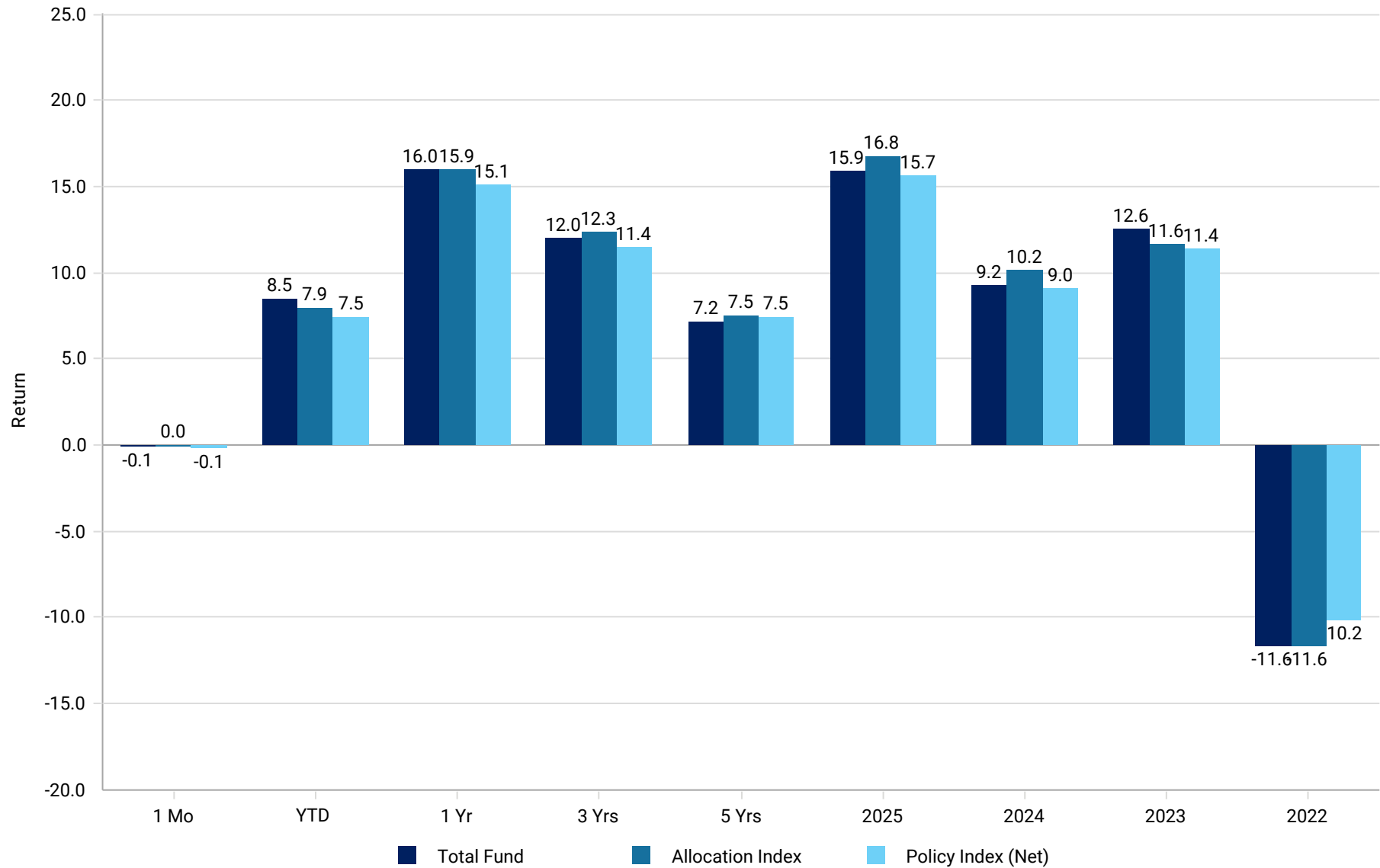
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Real Asset Blend Index is comprised of (67% S&P Global Infrastructure and 33% S&P Global LargeMidCap Commodity & Resources) + 100 bps effective 5/1/2025. From 1/1/2021 to 4/30/2025, it was comprised of 5% Bloomberg Commodity, 60% S&P Global Infrastructure, and 35% S&P Global Large Mid Commodity & Resource.

Private Credit Benchmark is comprised of Morningstar LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan + 200 bps effective 1/1/2025. From inception to 12/31/2024, it was comprised of S&P/LSTA U.S. Leveraged Loan 100 + 175 bps.

RETURN SUMMARY

Return Summary (net of fees)



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