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EMPLOYEES'
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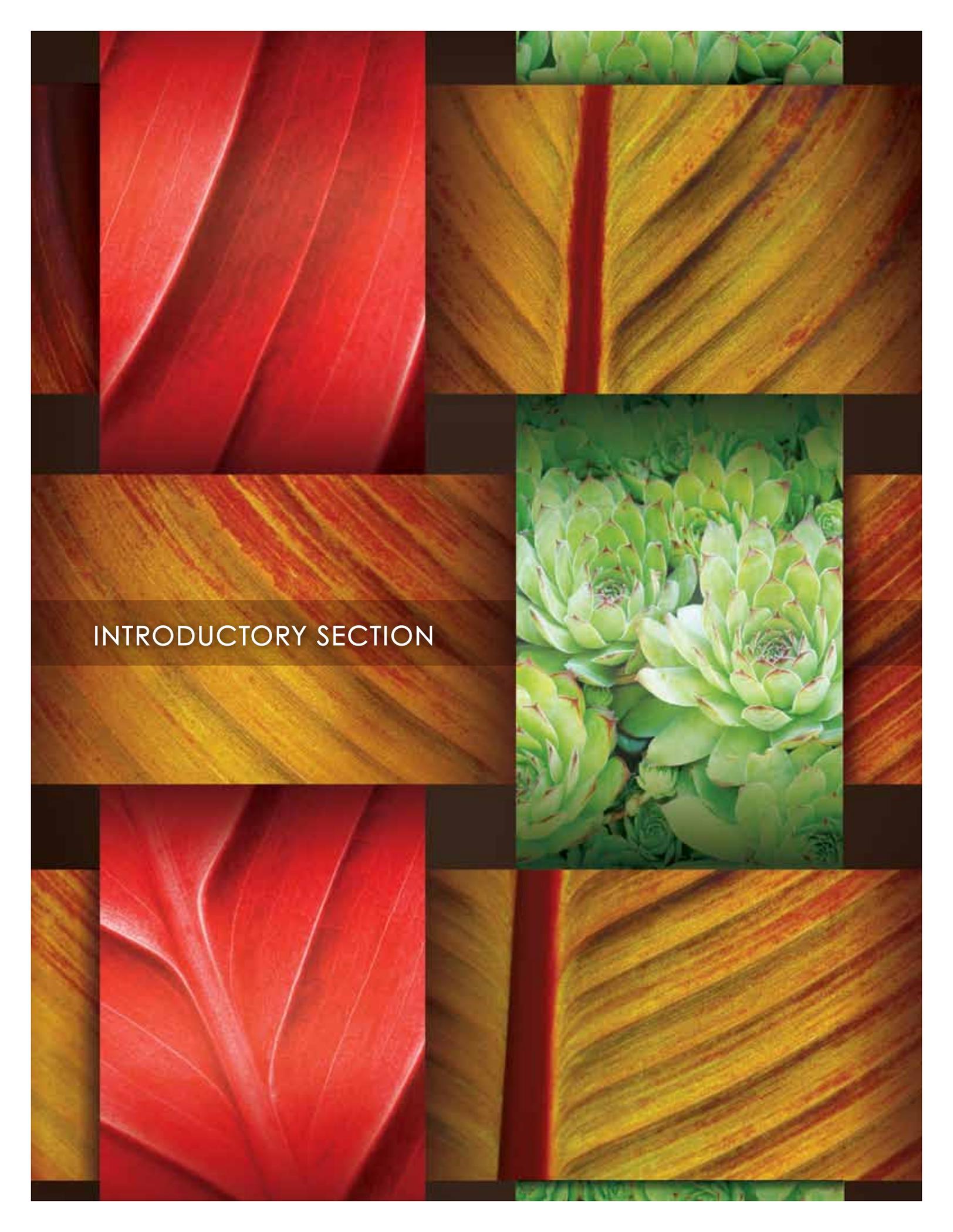
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INTRODUCTORY SECTION

LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL



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December 5, 2011

Board of Retirement
Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System
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Dear Board Members:

As Chief Executive Officer of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System ("SCERS" or the "System"), I am pleased to present this Comprehensive Annual Financial Report ("CAFR" or the "Report") for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010.

The System

SCERS is a multiple-employer public employee retirement system, enacted and administered in accordance with the provisions of the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (California Government Code Section 31450, et seq.) ("1937 Act"). Since its establishment by the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors in 1941, SCERS has provided retirement, disability, and survivors' benefits to eligible participants of the System. Under Article XVI, Section 17 of the Constitution of the State of California, the SCERS Board of Retirement is vested with plenary authority and fiduciary responsibility for the investment of monies and the administration of the System. Together, the provisions of the State Constitution and the 1937 Act establish SCERS as a separate and independent governmental entity from the public employers that participate in SCERS. At June 30, 2011, the County of Sacramento; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento; and eleven Special Districts participated in SCERS.

The Comprehensive Annual Financial Report

Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data and the completeness and fairness of the presentation in this CAFR rests with the management of the System. To the best of management's knowledge and belief, the enclosed data is accurate in all material respects and is reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of operations of the System.

I trust that readers of this Report and participants of the System will find this information helpful in understanding SCERS and its commitment to financial integrity and participant service.



SCERS Mission Statement and Core Values

We are dedicated to providing the highest level of retirement services and managing system resources in an effective and prudent manner.

In fulfilling our mission as a retirement system, we are committed to:

- ◇ The highest levels of professionalism and fiduciary responsibility
- ◇ Acting with integrity
- ◇ Competent, courteous and respectful service to all
- ◇ Open and fair processes
- ◇ Safeguarding confidential information
- ◇ Cost-effective operations
- ◇ Stable funding and minimal contribution volatility
- ◇ Effective communication and helpful education
- ◇ Maintaining a highly competent and committed staff
- ◇ Continuous improvement
- ◇ Planning strategically for the future

Accounting System and Reports

Management of SCERS is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal controls designed to ensure that the System's assets are protected from loss, theft, or misuse. Responsibility for the accuracy, completeness, and fair presentation of information, and all disclosures in this CAFR and in the System's records, rests with SCERS' management. Macias Gini & O'Connell LLP, a certified public accounting firm, has audited the financial statements and related disclosures. The financial audit provides reasonable assurance that SCERS' financial statements are presented in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States and are free from material misstatement. The internal controls are designed to provide reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that these objectives are met. The concept of reasonable assurance recognizes that: (1) The cost of a control should not exceed the benefits likely to be derived; and (2) The assessment of costs and benefits requires estimates and judgments by management.

This report has been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") as promulgated by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB"). GAAP requires that management provide a narrative introduction, overview, and analysis to accompany the basic financial statements in the form of management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A"). This letter of transmittal is designed to complement the MD&A and should be read in conjunction with it. The System's MD&A can be found immediately following the independent auditor's report.

Investments – General Authority and SCERS

Article XVI, Section 17 of the Constitution of the State of California provides that "notwithstanding any other provisions of law or this Constitution, the Retirement Board of a public pension or retirement system shall have plenary authority and fiduciary responsibility for investment of monies and administration of the system...." Article XVI, Section 17(a) further provides that "...the Retirement Board of a public pension or retirement system shall have sole and exclusive fiduciary responsibility over the assets...."

SCERS maintains an overall investment policy designed to achieve a diversified investment portfolio. An integral part of the investment policy is the strategic asset allocation, which is designed to provide an optimal mix of asset classes with return expectations that correspond to expected liabilities. The strategic asset allocation also emphasizes maximum diversification of the portfolio to protect the System from the possibility that a particular asset class may experience poor investment performance in a given period.

For the year ended June 30, 2011, SCERS' investments provided a 22.7% rate of return (gross of fees), compared to the investment policy benchmark return of 22.5%.



LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL (CONTINUED)

More detailed information regarding SCERS' strategic asset allocation, professional investment advisors, and investment performance can be found in the Investment Section of this Report.

Actuarial Funding Status

SCERS' overall funding objective is to meet long-term benefit promises by maintaining a well-funded plan status through a combination of superior investment returns and employer and employee contributions which are both minimized and maintained as level as possible for each generation of active members. The greater the level of overall plan funding, the larger the ratio of assets accumulated to the actuarial accrued liability and the greater the investment potential. The advantage of a well-funded plan is that the benefits earned by participants are funded during their working careers and not by future generations of taxpayers. To help reduce year-to-year volatility in employer contribution rates due to fluctuations in investment performance, SCERS smooths the calculation of actuarial assets over a rolling seven-year period. This not only stabilizes contribution rates but also improves the ability of the employer to plan for possible future increases or decreases in the rates.

SCERS engaged an independent actuarial consulting firm, The Segal Company, to conduct its annual actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2011. Triennially, the System requests that its actuary perform an analysis of the appropriateness of all economic and non-economic assumptions. The most recent triennial analysis was performed as of June 30, 2010, and as a result of that analysis, the Board of Retirement approved certain changes to the actuarial assumptions, which were incorporated in the actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2011.

At June 30, 2011, SCERS' funding ratio was 87.0%, with the actuarial value of assets totaling \$6,420.8 million and the actuarial accrued liability totaling \$7,382.9 million. The decrease in the funding ratio (down from 87.7%) was mainly due to investment returns (after "smoothing") lower than the 7.75% investment return assumption offset to some degree by lower than expected active employee salary growth, benefit payment cost-of-living adjustments ("COLA") increases, and changes in actuarial assumptions. Deferred losses under the smoothing methodology exceeded deferred gains by \$280.2 million as of June 30, 2011. Deferred investment gains/(losses) prior to July 1, 2008 will be amortized over a five-year period. Deferred investment gains/(losses) incurred after July 1, 2008 will be amortized over a seven-year period.

Budget

The Board of Retirement approves SCERS' annual budget. Effective fiscal year 2010-2011, the 1937 Act limits SCERS' annual administrative expenses, excluding the costs of administration for computer software and hardware and computer technology consulting services ("IT costs"), to twenty-one hundredths of one percent (0.21%) of the System's actuarial accrued liability. Prior to fiscal year 2010-2011, the limit was eighteen hundredths of one percent (0.18%) of the System's total assets. SCERS' administrative expenses have historically been below the limitation. For the year ended June 30, 2011, administrative expenses of \$6.0 million, excluding IT costs, were 0.08% of the System's actuarial accrued liability. For the year ended June 30, 2010, administrative expenses of \$5.9 million were 0.11% of the prior year's total assets.

Significant Events

The following are significant events which occurred during the fiscal year:

- ◇ Worked with the Voter Registration and Electronics Office to conduct a SCERS Board election for new three-year terms for one Board Member who represents the Miscellaneous Members, and for Board Members to serve as the Retiree representative and the Alternate Retiree representative. Diana Gin was elected to represent the Miscellaneous Members, Nancy Wolford-Landers was re-elected as the Retiree representative, and Michael DeBord was elected as the Alternate Retiree representative.
- ◇ Worked with a real estate professional to identify and evaluate options for SCERS' administrative office lease space needs in light of the anticipated lease expiration in December 2011. Negotiated and entered into a new ten-year lease term at substantial cost savings, while upgrading the technology, security and professional appearance of the space. Successfully relocated SCERS office in February 2011 on an accelerated construction schedule while remaining open for business throughout the move.



LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL (CONTINUED)

- ◇ Designed and implemented new audio-visual technologies into SCERS Board Room and conference rooms.
- ◇ Implemented new security system and policy, securing the work area. New technology includes employee badges, a security camera system and duress alarms.
- ◇ Upgraded phone system to a digital Voice-over Internet Protocol (“VoIP”) System with features that turn the user’s phone into a complete communication system integrated with the user’s computer.
- ◇ Continued to review, revise and upgrade the appearance and effectiveness of written materials and the SCERS websites. Commenced working on a comprehensive communications plan and integration of new SCERS logo.
- ◇ Worked with a consultant to redesign SCERS public website.
- ◇ Engaged a human resources consultant to develop, implement, and train staff on a comprehensive Human Resource Plan including a performance evaluation system and general human resources policies and procedures.
- ◇ Created the job specification and salary range for the Deputy Chief Investment Officer (“Deputy CIO”) position and collaborated with the County Department of Personnel Services to solicit and interview for one vacant Investment Officer position.
- ◇ Developed and implemented additional educational programs and material for SCERS members.
- ◇ Standardized and enhanced communications for disability retirement applicants.
- ◇ Revised and updated the service retirement application package.
- ◇ Obtained a substantial preliminary distribution in litigation against Westridge Capital Management.
- ◇ Submitted Application for IRS Determination Letter.
- ◇ Favorably settled litigation against the Weyerhaeuser Corporation involving a real property transaction.
- ◇ Continued to analyze, assess and develop recommendations regarding ways to improve the performance of SCERS’ investment portfolio, improve the selection of investment managers, and enhance the services provided by outside consultants.
- ◇ Developed plans to refine SCERS’s alternative assets portfolio structure to achieve the goals of lowering risk, enhancing returns and lowering the cost of the alternative assets program by: (1) Diversifying the types of investment strategies employed by alternative asset managers; (2) Investing directly with managers; and (3) Hiring an alternative assets consultant.
- ◇ Established an enhanced protocol for request for proposals (“RFP”) and conducted searches for an alternative assets consultant and general investment consultant. SCERS hired Cliffwater, LLC as the alternative assets consultant in January, 2011 and Strategic Investment Solutions, Inc. (“SIS”) as the general investment consultant in February, 2011. SIS replaced Mercer Investment Consulting, Inc.
- ◇ Began work with SIS on the asset liability study to determine SCERS’ asset allocation policy and targets. This study is typically completed every 3-5 years and was last conducted at SCERS in 2007.
- ◇ Established a direct Private Equity program by developing: (1) A long-term Private Equity Asset Allocation Structure; (2) A twelve month Private Equity Plan; (3) Delegating greater authority to Staff and investment consultant in the selection of investment managers; and (4) Hiring the first direct Private Equity investment manager.
- ◇ Began transformation of one of SCERS’ hedge Fund of Funds relationships into a strategic partnership, whereby the Fund of Funds manages a diversified separate account portfolio of hedge funds and provides discretionary investment management, investment advice and education to SCERS’ Board and Staff.
- ◇ Enhanced SCERS’ capabilities for assuring investment manager compliance with SCERS’ investment policies, individual manager agreements, and SCERS’ portfolio guidelines with a systematic approach to compliance monitoring services provided by State Street Bank (“SSB”).



LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL (CONTINUED)

- ◇ Hired Turner Investment Partners to manage a U.S. small capitalization growth investment strategy. Hired Mondrian Investment Partners to manage an international small capitalization strategy. Terminated European Credit Management Limited.
- ◇ Committed 16 million Euro (approximately \$23.0 million as of June 30, 2011) to Waterland Private Equity Fund V, L.P. and \$10 million to Khosla Ventures IV, L.P. PIMCO TALF American Reinvestment and Recovery Fund successfully completed its investments and returned all capital and profits to SCERS.
- ◇ Conducted Board education sessions pertaining to investment opportunities, refining the alternative assets portfolio structure, anticipated changes to the public markets portfolio, private equity, asset allocation, liabilities forecasting and actuarial matters.
- ◇ SCERS Chief Executive Officer Richard Stensrud testified before the Little Hoover Commission and presented an overview of the 1937 Act Retirement Systems to the Joint Assembly & Senate PERS Committees.

Certificate of Achievement

The Government Finance Officers Association of the United States and Canada (“GFOA”) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to SCERS for its comprehensive annual financial report for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2010 and 2009. In order to be granted this national award, a governmental entity must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized CAFR that meets the highest standards of governmental financial reporting. This was the twelfth consecutive year that the System has achieved this prestigious award.

A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year. Management believes that this current comprehensive annual financial report continues to meet the requirements for earning a Certificate of Achievement, and it will be submitted to the GFOA for consideration for the award.

SCERS also received the GFOA Award for Outstanding Achievement in Popular Annual Financial Reporting (“PAFR”) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010.

Acknowledgements

This Report is intended to provide complete and reliable information with respect to the responsible stewardship of SCERS. The compilation of this Report is a product of the combined and dedicated effort of the System’s staff. This Report is also a reflection of the leadership of the SCERS Board in assuring the prudent fiduciary oversight of SCERS. I would like to take this opportunity to express my thanks to the SCERS Board, staff, and advisors for their commitment to SCERS and for working so diligently to ensure the successful operation of the System.

Respectfully submitted,



Richard Stensrud
Chief Executive Officer



CERTIFICATE OF ACHIEVEMENT

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June 30, 2010

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Linda C. Davison

President

Jeffrey R. Egan

Executive Director



BOARD OF RETIREMENT



President
James A. Diepenbrock
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Present term expires June 30, 2012



1st Vice President
John B. Kelly
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Present term expires December 31, 2012



2nd Vice President
William D. Johnson
Elected by Safety Members
Present term expires December 31, 2012



Trustee
Diana Gin
Elected by Miscellaneous Members
Present term expires December 31, 2013



Trustee
Winston H. Hickox
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Present term expires June 30, 2012



Trustee
Kathy O'Neil
Elected by Miscellaneous Members
Present term expires December 31, 2012



Ex-Officio
Julie Valverde
Sacramento County Director of Finance
Member mandated by law



Trustee
Nancy Wolford-Landers
Elected by Retired Members
Present term expires December 31, 2013



Trustee
Robert L. Woods
Appointed by Board of Supervisors
Present term expires June 30, 2013



Alternate Safety Trustee
John Conneally
Elected by Safety Members
Present term expires December 31, 2012



Alternate Retiree Trustee
Michael DeBord
Elected by Retired Members
Present term expires December 31, 2013

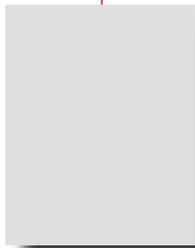


ORGANIZATION CHART

BOARD OF RETIREMENT



Richard Stensrud
Chief Executive Officer



Vacant
Chief Investment Officer



James G. Line
General Counsel



John W. Gobel, Sr.
Chief Benefits Officer



Kathryn T. Regalia
Chief Operations Officer



Scott Chan
Deputy Chief Investment Officer

- Investment policy and objectives
- Investment compliance and performance reporting
- Asset allocation rebalancing
- Conduct manager searches
- Manager due diligence
- Proxy voting and corporate governance
- Board education on investment issues

- Legal representation and counsel to SCERS Board and staff
- Coordinate and oversee the selection and work of outside legal counsel
- Evaluation of securities litigation
- Analysis of state and federal legislation
- Legislative proposals, contracts, resolutions and opinions
- Legal education programs
- Legal service planning and budgeting



Suzanne Likarich
Retirement Services Manager

- Service, disability, deferred, and reciprocal retirements
- Pension payroll administration
- Seminar presentations and member retirement counseling
- Retirement publications and communications
- Death benefits and service credit purchases
- Community property interest resolution

- Accounting and financial reporting
- Budgeting and cash flow analysis
- Human resources
- Facilities and safety
- Information technology and telecommunications
- Administration and records

PARTICIPATING EMPLOYERS

<u>Employer</u>	<u>Date Entered System</u>
County of Sacramento	July 1, 1941
County of Sacramento, Elected Officials: Board of Supervisors Sheriff Assessor District Attorney	July 1, 1941
U.C. Davis Medical Center	July 1, 1941
Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District*	March 1, 1957
Sunrise Recreation and Park District	August 1, 1961
Fair Oaks Cemetery District	March 1, 1962
Carmichael Recreation and Park District	January 1, 1967
Florin Fire District*	July 1, 1974
Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District	February 1, 1976
Sacramento Employment and Training Agency ("S.E.T.A.")	June 1, 1979
Orangevale Recreation and Park District	March 3, 1987
Elk Grove Cosumnes Cemetery District	April 28, 1987
Galt-Arno Cemetery District	July 1, 1987
Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento**	June 25, 2006

* Florin Fire District terminated its membership on June 30, 1996. Members are currently part of Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District.

** Prior to June 25, 2006, Superior Court member information was included in the totals for the County of Sacramento.



PROFESSIONAL CONSULTANTS

Actuary

The Segal Company

Auditor

Macias Gini & O'Connell LLP

Custodian

State Street California, Inc.

Investment Consultant

Cliffwater LLC

Strategic Investment Solutions, Inc.

Legal Counsel

County of Sacramento,

Office of the County Counsel

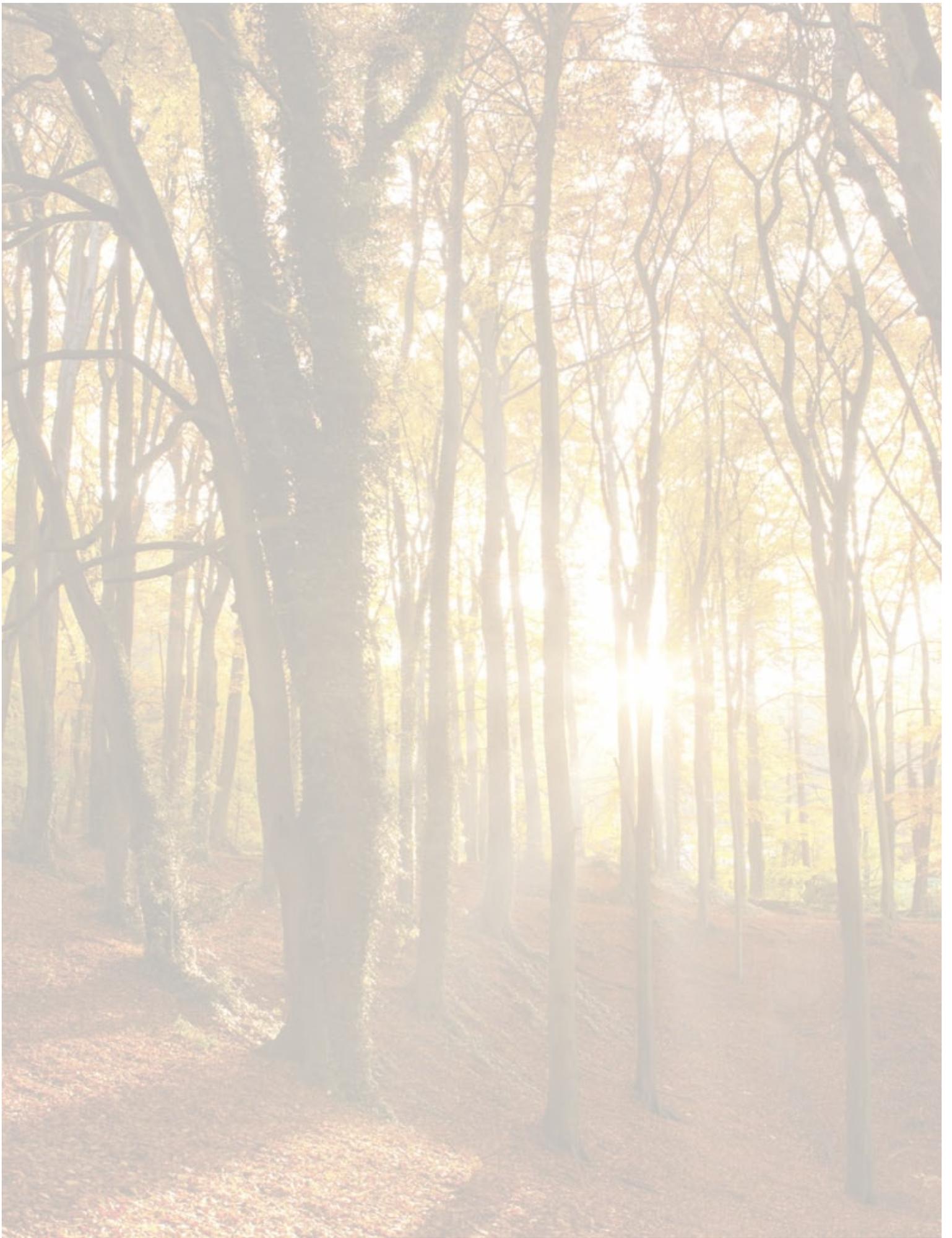
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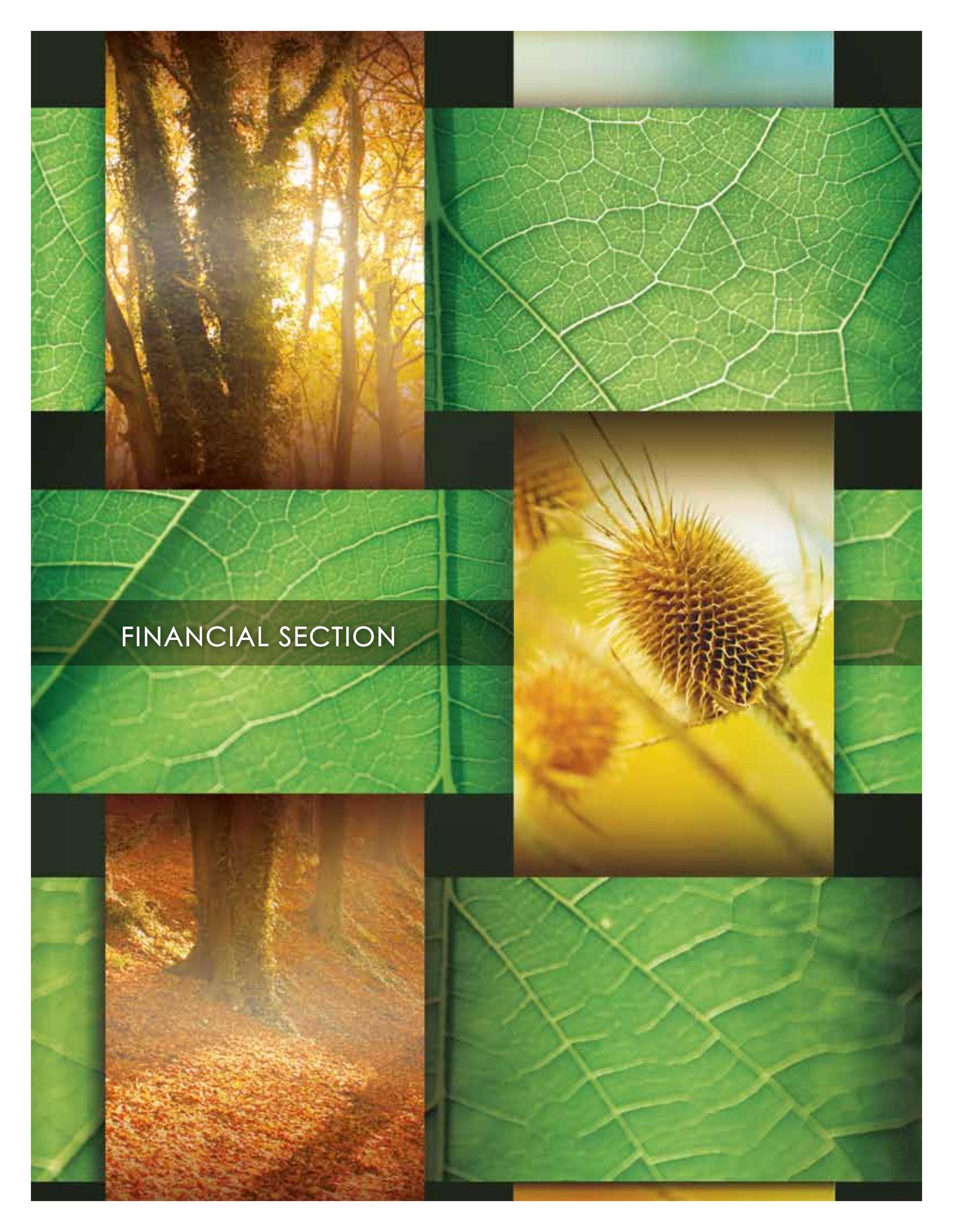
Jones Day

Nossaman, LLP

Note: Investment professionals are listed on page 66, and a schedule of manager fees is located on pages 70 and 71 of this report in the Investment Section.





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FINANCIAL SECTION

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Retirement of the
Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System
Sacramento, California

We have audited the accompanying statements of fiduciary net assets of the pension trust fund and the statements of fiduciary assets and liabilities of the agency fund of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System (the System), as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, and the related statements of changes in fiduciary net assets of the pension trust fund for the years then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the System's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the System's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the fiduciary net assets of the pension trust fund and the fiduciary assets and liabilities of the agency fund of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, and the changes in fiduciary net assets of the pension trust fund for the years then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As described in Note 6, based on the most recent actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2011, the System's independent actuary determined that, at June 30, 2011, the value of the System's actuarial accrued liability exceeded the actuarial value of its assets by \$962.1 million. The most recent actuarial value of assets as of June 30, 2011 does not reflect the remaining deferred investment losses that will be recognized in the future.

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have issued our report dated December 5, 2011, on our consideration of the System's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations and contracts and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit.

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Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America require that the management's discussion and analysis, the Schedule of Funding Progress and the Schedule of Employer Contributions, as listed in the table of contents, be presented to supplement the basic financial statements. Such information, although not a part of the basic financial statements, is required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board, who considers it to be an essential part of financial reporting for placing the basic financial statements in an appropriate operational, economic, or historical context. We have applied certain limited procedures to the required supplementary information in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, which consisted of inquiries of management about the methods of preparing the information and comparing the information for consistency with management's responses to our inquiries, the basic financial statements, and other knowledge we obtained during our audit of the basic financial statements. We do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on the information because the limited procedures do not provide us with sufficient evidence to express an opinion or provide any assurance.

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The introductory section, other supplemental information in the financial section, the investment, actuarial and statistical sections are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. The other supplemental information in the financial section is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the other supplemental information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole. The introductory, investment, actuarial and statistical sections have not been subjected to auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we do not express an opinion or provide any assurance on them.

Maciar Meiri & O'Connell LLP

Sacramento, California
December 5, 2011



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

This section presents management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") of the financial activities of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System ("SCERS") for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010. Readers are encouraged to consider the narrative overview and information presented in this MD&A in conjunction with the Letter of Transmittal beginning on page 6 of this Report and the Financial Statements, Notes to the Basic Financial Statements, Required Supplementary Information, and Other Supplemental Information that follows.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

As of June 30, 2011, the net assets of SCERS held in trust for pension benefits ("net assets") totaled \$6.141 billion. This represented an increase of \$1.160 billion or 23.3% from the \$4.981 billion in SCERS net assets as of June 30, 2010, which, in turn, represented an increase of \$573.1 million or 13.0% over the \$4.408 billion in net assets as of June 30, 2009.

Additions to net assets were \$1.447 billion, \$837.0 million, and \$(1.087) billion for the years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, respectively. Improved investment returns were the primary reason for the increases in total additions for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, with net investment gains of \$1.207 billion and \$617.5 million, respectively.

Deductions in net assets were \$287.2 million and \$263.9 million for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. The total deductions for the year ended June 30, 2011 increased \$23.3 million or 8.8% over the year ended June 30, 2010, which, in turn, saw an increase in total deductions of \$22.3 million or 9.2% over the year ended June 30, 2009. Increased monthly benefit payments due to an increase in the number of retirees and the annual cost-of-living adjustment were the primary reasons for the increase in total deductions for both years.

SCERS' funding objective is to meet long-term benefit obligations through contributions and investment income. In order to help achieve level and predictable contribution costs from one year to the next, SCERS bases the determination of contribution rates on an actuarial asset valuation method that gradually adjusts to the market value of assets ("asset smoothing"). Under this actuarial asset valuation methodology, any investment market returns for the year that are above or below the assumed investment return rate (currently 7.75%) are recognized over seven years ("smoothing"). This 'smoothed' value is referred to as the 'Actuarial Value of Assets.' By using the Actuarial Value of Assets to determine the contribution rates, SCERS is able to avoid the year-to-year volatility in contribution rates that would come from using the market value of assets.

As of June 30, 2011, the funded ratio of SCERS (i.e., the ratio of the actuarial value of assets to actuarial accrued liability) was 87.0%, down from 87.7% as of June 30, 2010. Per the actuarial valuation report, the total unrecognized investment loss as of June 30, 2011 totaled \$280.2 million. Unless offset by future investment gains or other favorable experience, the recognition of the \$280.2 million over the next six years is expected to have an impact on the System's funded ratio and the aggregate employer contribution rate. It should be noted, however, that the strong investment performance in the past two fiscal years has substantially reduced the future impact of the investment losses incurred in 2008 and 2009.

The System's unfunded actuarial accrued liability increased from \$873.5 million as of June 30, 2010 to \$962.1 million as of June 30, 2011. This increase is mainly due to actuarial investment returns (after "smoothing") lower than the 7.75% investment return assumption offset to some degree by lower-than-expected active employee salary growth and benefit payment cost-of-living adjustments ("COLA") increases as well as other changes in actuarial assumptions.



OVERVIEW OF THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

This MD&A serves as an introduction to the basic financial statements, which are comprised of the following components:

- ◇ Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets - Pension Trust Fund
- ◇ Statements of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets - Pension Trust Fund
- ◇ Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets - Agency Fund
- ◇ Notes to the Basic Financial Statements
- ◇ Required Supplementary Information
- ◇ Other Supplemental Information

The **Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets - Pension Trust Fund** are snapshots of account balances at fiscal year end. These statements reflect assets available for future payments to retirees and their beneficiaries, and liabilities owed as of fiscal year end.

The **Statements of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets - Pension Trust Fund** reflect all the activities that occurred during the year and show the impact of those activities as additions or deductions to the plan. The trend of additions versus deductions to the plan will indicate whether SCERS' financial position is improving or deteriorating over time.

The fiduciary fund statements report SCERS' net assets held in trust for pension benefits. Over time, increases or decreases in net assets serve as one indicator of whether SCERS' financial health is improving or deteriorating. Other factors, such as market conditions or the System's funded status, should also be considered in measuring the System's overall health.

The **Statements of Fiduciary Net Assets - Agency Fund** reflect assets held by SCERS in a custodial capacity or as an agent on behalf of others and do not measure the results of operations.

The **Notes to the Basic Financial Statements** are an integral part of the financial reports and provide additional information that is essential for a full understanding of the data provided in the financial statements.

In addition to the financial statements and accompanying notes, this Report presents certain **Required Supplementary Information** concerning SCERS' progress in funding its obligations to provide benefits to System members. The schedule of funding progress includes historical trend information about the actuarially funded status of the plan and the progress made in accumulating sufficient assets to pay benefits when due. The schedule of employer contributions presents historical trend information about the annual required contribution of the employers and the actual contributions made. These schedules provide information to help promote an understanding of the changes in the funded status of the plan over time.

Schedules of administrative expenses, investment management expenses, payments to consultants, and statements of changes in assets and liabilities for agency fund are presented as **Other Supplemental Information** following the Required Supplementary Information.



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (CONTINUED)

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

Assets and Funded Ratio

SCERS' net assets held in trust for pension benefits as of June 30, 2011 totaled \$6.141 billion, an increase of \$1.160 billion or 23.3% from the \$4.981 billion in net assets as of June 30, 2010, which, in turn, represented an increase of \$573.1 million or 13.0% over the \$4.408 billion in net assets as of June 30, 2009. The increase in net assets for the year ended June 30, 2011 was due to investment gains as SCERS continued to experience a strong recovery from the negative levels of fiscal year 2008-2009. Investments in all asset classes within the SCERS portfolio generated positive returns. The increase in net assets for the year ended June 30, 2010 was due to investment gains as a result of the recovery in the U.S. and global economies. During the 2009-2010 fiscal year, equity and fixed income asset classes delivered substantial gains. The real estate asset class was the only asset class to experience negative returns, as economic distress continued to work its way through the commercial real estate markets. All net assets are available to meet SCERS' obligations to plan participants and beneficiaries.

The significant increase in cash and short-term investments as of June 30, 2011 compared to the prior year was due to the sales of real estate properties, financing of real estate properties, an increase in dividends and distributions, and funds being set aside to replace and fund two new investment managers and to fund planned purchases. The decrease in receivables and investment purchased payable as of June 30, 2011 compared to the prior year was the result of the decrease in trading activity by the external investment managers to capture the upside in positions purchased in the prior fiscal year.

NET ASSETS

As of June 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Millions)

Assets	2011	2010	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
Cash and short-term investments	\$647.6	\$342.7	\$304.9	89.0%
Receivables	98.8	132.9	(34.1)	(25.7)
Investments, at fair value	5,730.0	4,851.8	878.2	18.1
Securities lending collateral	594.8	561.2	33.6	6.0
Other assets	3.3	33.8	(30.5)	(90.2)
Total assets	7,074.5	5,922.4	1,152.1	19.5
Liabilities				
Investment purchased payable	173.8	233.4	(59.6)	(25.5)
Mortgages payable	137.7	115.6	22.1	19.1
Securities lending liability	594.8	561.2	33.6	6.0
Other liabilities	27.6	31.2	(3.6)	(11.5)
Total liabilities	933.9	941.4	(7.5)	(0.8)
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits	\$6,140.6	\$4,981.0	\$1,159.6	23.3%



NET ASSETS

As of June 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Millions)

Assets	2010	2009	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
Cash and short-term investments	\$342.7	\$445.4	\$(102.7)	(23.1)%
Receivables	132.9	91.3	41.6	45.6
Investments, at fair value	4,851.8	4,174.5	677.3	16.2
Securities lending collateral	561.2	539.2	22.0	4.1
Other assets	33.8	40.2	(6.4)	(15.9)
Total assets	5,922.4	5,290.6	631.8	11.9
Liabilities				
Investment purchased payable	233.4	147.1	86.3	58.7
Mortgages payable	115.6	177.2	(61.6)	(34.8)
Securities lending liability	561.2	539.2	22.0	4.1
Other liabilities	31.2	19.2	12.0	62.5
Total liabilities	941.4	882.7	58.7	6.7
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits	\$4,981.0	\$4,407.9	\$573.1	13.0 %

SCERS retained an independent actuarial firm, The Segal Company, to perform annual actuarial valuations to determine the funded status of the System and annual required contribution rates. An actuarial valuation is similar to an inventory process. On the valuation date, the assets available for the payment of retirement benefits are appraised. These assets are compared with the actuarial liability, which is the actuarial present value of all future benefits expected to be paid with respect to each member. The purpose of the valuation is to determine what future contributions will be needed by the members and participating employers to pay all expected future benefits.

As of June 30, 2011, the funded ratio of SCERS (i.e., the ratio of the actuarial value of assets to actuarial accrued liability) was 87.0%, down from the funded ratio of 87.7% as of June 30, 2010. In general terms, this ratio means that as of June 30, 2011, SCERS had approximately 87 cents available for each dollar of anticipated future liability.

The Required Supplementary Information and Actuarial Section of this Report provide additional actuarial information.



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (CONTINUED)

Reserves

SCERS' reserves are established in accordance with the requirements of the 1937 Act, utilizing contributions and the accumulation of investment income, after satisfying administrative and investment expenses. Under GASB Statement No. 25, *Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans*, investments are stated at fair value instead of cost and include the recognition of unrealized gains and losses. In addition, for actuarial purposes, effective July 1, 2008, SCERS began utilizing a seven-year smoothing methodology under which a portion of the market gains and losses is recognized and allocated to the reserves through interest crediting. Prior to June 30, 2008, SCERS had utilized a five-year smoothing period. The difference between the market value of assets (equivalent to the net assets held in trust for pension benefits) and the smoothed actuarial value of assets is tracked in the market stabilization reserve.

Higher-than-expected investment performance for the year substantially changed SCERS market stabilization reserve from \$(1.236) billion as of June 30, 2010 to \$(280.2) million as of June 30, 2011.

NETS ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS AT FAIR VALUE AS OF JUNE 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

	2011	2010	2009
Employee reserves	\$655,798	\$648,595	\$634,272
Employer reserves	2,339,365	2,358,614	2,232,274
Retiree reserves	3,333,263	3,116,520	2,848,041
Retiree death benefit reserves	14,708	14,707	14,061
Retiree health care benefit designations	699	1,567	1,567
Contingency reserve	76,991	76,991	-
Total reserves and designations	6,420,824	6,216,994	5,730,215
Unallocated earnings – undesignated	-	-	-
Smoothed actuarial value of assets	6,420,824	6,216,994	5,730,215
Market stabilization reserve	(280,180)	(1,236,032)	(1,322,357)
Net assets available for benefits, at fair value	\$6,140,644	\$4,980,962	\$4,407,858



Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets - Pension Trust Fund

The following tables present the changes in net assets for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, respectively.

CHANGE IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS
For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30
(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Millions)

	2011	2010	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
Additions				
Employee contributions	\$57.2	\$52.4	\$4.8	9.2%
Employer contributions	182.9	167.1	15.8	9.5
Net income from investment activities	1,228.4	635.1	593.3	93.4
Net income from securities lending	2.0	2.3	(0.3)	(13.0)
Other income	4.7	4.8	(0.1)	(2.1)
Investment fees and expenses	(28.4)	(24.7)	(3.7)	(15.0)
Total additions	<u>1,446.8</u>	<u>837.0</u>	<u>609.8</u>	<u>72.9</u>
Deductions				
Benefits paid	276.2	253.1	23.1	9.1
Withdrawal of contributions	4.4	4.9	(0.5)	(10.2)
Administrative expenses	6.6	5.9	0.7	11.9
Total deductions	<u>287.2</u>	<u>263.9</u>	<u>23.3</u>	<u>8.8</u>
Increase in net assets	1,159.6	573.1	586.5	102.3
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, beginning	<u>4,981.0</u>	<u>4,407.9</u>	<u>573.1</u>	<u>13.0</u>
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, ending	<u>\$6,140.6</u>	<u>\$4,981.0</u>	<u>\$1,159.6</u>	<u>23.3%</u>



MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS (CONTINUED)

CHANGE IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS For the Fiscal Years Ended June 30 (Dollar Amounts Expressed in Millions)

	2010	2009	Increase/ (Decrease)	% Change
Additions				
Employee contributions	\$52.4	\$54.6	\$(2.2)	(4.0)%
Employer contributions	167.1	177.0	(9.9)	(5.6)
Net income/(loss) from investment activities	635.1	(1,307.8)	1,942.9	148.6
Net income from securities lending	2.3	5.6	(3.3)	(58.9)
Other income	4.8	1.7	3.1	182.4
Investment fees and expenses	(24.7)	(17.9)	(6.8)	(38.0)
Total additions	837.0	(1,086.8)	1,923.8	177.0
Deductions				
Benefits paid	253.1	232.3	20.8	9.0
Withdrawal of contributions	4.9	3.3	1.6	48.5
Administrative expenses	5.9	6.0	(0.1)	(1.7)
Total deductions	263.9	241.6	22.3	9.2
Increase/(decrease) in net assets	573.1	(1,328.4)	1,901.5	143.1
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, beginning	4,407.9	5,736.3	(1,328.4)	(23.2)
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, ending	<u>\$4,981.0</u>	<u>\$4,407.9</u>	<u>\$573.1</u>	<u>13.0 %</u>

Additions to Net Assets

Financing for the benefits SCERS provides to its members comes primarily through the collection of employer and member (employee) retirement contributions and from income on investments. For the years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, total additions were \$1.447 billion, \$837.0 million, and \$(1.087) billion, respectively.

For the years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, combined employer and employee contributions were \$240.1 million, \$219.5 million, and \$231.6 million, respectively. Fiscal year 2010-2011 employer and employee contributions increased primarily due to an increase in contribution rates. The decrease in employer and employee contributions in fiscal year 2009-2010 were primarily due to the decrease in total number of active members, and the corresponding decrease in total annual compensation, as a result of layoffs in the Sacramento County workforce.

Net investment gains were \$1.207 billion, \$617.5 million, and \$(1.318) billion for the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011, 2010 and 2009, respectively. The net investment gain for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011 was due to investment gains as SCERS continued to experience a strong recovery from the negative levels of fiscal year 2008-2009. The net investment gain for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2010 was due to the recovery in the U.S. and global equity and fixed income markets following the 2008 global credit crisis. The Investment Section of this Report provides a detailed discussion of the investment markets and investment performance.



Deductions from Net Assets

SCERS' assets were primarily used for the payment of benefits to members and their beneficiaries, for the payment of contribution refunds to terminated employees, and for the cost of administering the System. For the years ended June 30, 2011, 2010, and 2009, total deductions were \$287.2 million, \$263.9 million, and \$241.6 million respectively.

Deductions increased \$23.3 million or 8.8% in the year ended June 30, 2011 and \$22.3 million or 9.2% in the year ended June 30, 2010. The primary cause of the increase in deductions in both years was increased monthly benefit payments due to an increase in the number of retired members and the annual cost-of-living adjustment.

The Board of Retirement approves SCERS' annual budget. Effective fiscal year 2010-2011, the 1937 Act limits SCERS' annual administrative expenses, excluding the costs of administration for computer software and hardware and computer technology consulting services ("IT costs"), to twenty-one hundredths of one percent (0.21%) of the System's actuarial accrued liability. For the year ended June 30, 2011, administrative expenses of \$6.0 million, excluding IT costs, were 0.08% of the System's actuarial accrued liability.

Prior to fiscal year 2010-2011, the limit was eighteen hundredths of one percent (0.18%) of the System's total assets. For the year ended June 30, 2010, administrative expenses of \$5.9 million were 0.11% of the prior year's total assets. SCERS' administrative expenses have historically been below the limitation.

SCERS' FIDUCIARY RESPONSIBILITIES

SCERS Board of Retirement and management staff are fiduciaries of the pension trust fund. Under the California Constitution and California state law, the net assets must be used exclusively for the benefit of plan participants and their beneficiaries.

REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

This Report is designed to provide the Board of Retirement, SCERS members, participating employers, taxpayers, and other stakeholders and interested parties with a general overview of SCERS' finances and to show accountability for the money SCERS receives.

Questions about this Report or requests for additional financial information may be addressed to:

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Sacramento, CA 95814

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STATEMENTS OF FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS

PENSION TRUST FUND
AS OF JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010
(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

	2011	2010
Assets		
Cash invested with Sacramento County Treasurer	\$7,670	\$6,969
Other cash and cash equivalents	31,314	52,484
Short-term investments with fiscal agents	608,571	283,212
Cash and short-term investments	647,555	342,665
Receivables		
Employee and employer contributions	5,466	6,921
Accrued investment income	30,262	21,082
Securities sold	63,111	104,856
Total receivables	98,839	132,859
Investments, at fair value		
US government and agency securities	424,797	443,897
Domestic corporate bonds	556,910	550,076
International bonds	71,992	58,429
Common and preferred stock - domestic	2,370,900	1,791,533
Common and preferred stock - international	1,363,530	1,116,352
Private equity	68,401	36,515
Opportunities	247,870	265,001
Real estate	625,632	590,038
Securities lending collateral	594,787	561,201
Total investments	6,324,819	5,413,042
Other assets	3,327	33,826
Total assets	7,074,540	5,922,392
Liabilities		
Warrants payable	3,593	947
Accounts payable and other accrued liabilities	24,020	30,253
Mortgages payable	137,694	115,596
Investment purchased payable	173,802	233,433
Securities lending liability	594,787	561,201
Total liabilities	933,896	941,430
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits	\$6,140,644	\$4,980,962

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN FIDUCIARY NET ASSETS

PENSION TRUST FUND

FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

	2011	2010
Additions		
Contributions		
Employee	\$57,151	\$52,413
Employer	182,921	167,142
Total contributions	240,072	219,555
Investment income		
From investment activities		
Net appreciation (depreciation) in investment fair value:		
Securities	1,007,471	557,193
Real estate	76,932	(54,474)
Interest	48,037	51,035
Dividends	69,116	60,257
Real estate	26,839	21,122
Net gain from investment activities	1,228,395	635,133
From securities lending activities		
Securities lending income	2,418	2,699
Securities lending expense		
Borrower rebate expense	(278)	468
Securities lending management fees	(103)	(865)
Net income from securities lending	2,037	2,302
Other income	4,702	4,816
Investment fees and expenses	(28,359)	(24,770)
Net investment income	1,206,775	617,481
Total additions	1,446,847	837,036
Deductions		
Withdrawal of contributions	4,433	4,932
Administrative expenses	6,571	5,908
Benefits paid	276,161	253,092
Total deductions	287,165	263,932
Net increase	1,159,682	573,104
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, beginning	4,980,962	4,407,858
Net assets held in trust for pension benefits, ending	\$6,140,644	\$4,980,962

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



STATEMENTS OF FIDUCIARY ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

AGENCY FUND
AS OF JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010
(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Assets		
Receivables	<u>\$30</u>	<u>\$28</u>
Total assets	<u><u>\$30</u></u>	<u><u>\$28</u></u>
Liabilities		
Accounts payable	<u>\$30</u>	<u>\$28</u>
Total liabilities	<u><u>\$30</u></u>	<u><u>\$28</u></u>

The notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

NOTE 1 - PLAN DESCRIPTION

The Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System ("SCERS" or the "System") is a multiple-employer, cost-sharing public employee retirement system which operates under the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 (Section 31450 et seq. of the California Government Code). The System was created by resolution of the Sacramento County (the "County") Board of Supervisors on July 1, 1941, to provide retirement, disability, and death benefits for qualified employees of Sacramento County and participating Special Districts ("Special Districts" or "Member Districts"). SCERS is governed by a nine member Board of Retirement; four are appointed by the County Board of Supervisors, four are elected by the members of the System (two by the Miscellaneous members, one by the Safety members and one by the Retiree members), and the County Director of Finance serves as an Ex-Officio member. An alternate Safety member and an alternate Retiree member are also elected by those respective member groups. The System is legally and fiscally independent of the County.

At June 30, 2011, participating local government employers consisted of the County of Sacramento; Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento ("Superior Court"); and eleven Special Districts.

The System's membership consists of the following categories:

- Safety Tier One - Includes employees whose principal duties consist of law enforcement or fire suppression work or who occupy positions designated by law as safety positions and who have a membership start-date prior to June 25, 1995.
- Safety Tier Two - Includes employees whose principal duties consist of law enforcement or fire suppression work or who occupy positions designated by law as safety positions and who have a membership start-date on or after June 25, 1995.
- Miscellaneous Tier One - Includes all members other than Safety who have a membership start-date prior to September 27, 1981.
- Miscellaneous Tier Two - Includes all members other than Safety who have a membership start-date on or after September 27, 1981 and prior to June 27, 1993 and who elected not to become members of Miscellaneous Tier Three.
- Miscellaneous Tier Three - Includes all members other than Safety who have a membership start-date on or after June 27, 1993, and those Miscellaneous Tier Two members who elected to become members of this class.



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System's membership consisted of:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits:	2011	2010
Miscellaneous - Service	5,660	5,301
Miscellaneous - Beneficiary	961	943
Miscellaneous - Nonservice-Connected Disability	301	300
Miscellaneous - Service-Connected Disability	162	163
Safety - Service	1,216	1,133
Safety - Beneficiary	278	268
Safety - Nonservice-Connected Disability	19	29
Safety - Service-Connected Disability	224	209
Total Retirees and Beneficiaries	<u>8,821</u>	<u>8,346</u>

Terminated employees entitled to benefits but not yet receiving them:

Miscellaneous Tier 1	110	129
Miscellaneous Tier 2	251	270
Miscellaneous Tier 3	1,930	1,945
Safety Tier 1	136	139
Safety Tier 2	283	257
Total Terminated	<u>2,710</u>	<u>2,740</u>

Current Members:

Vested		
Miscellaneous Tier 1	297	362
Miscellaneous Tier 2	90	101
Miscellaneous Tier 3	8,095	7,878
Safety Tier 1	480	548
Safety Tier 2	1,311	1,293
Total Vested	<u>10,273</u>	<u>10,182</u>
Non-Vested		
Miscellaneous Tier 1	-	1
Miscellaneous Tier 3	2,039	2,970
Safety Tier 2	122	187
Total Non-Vested	<u>2,161</u>	<u>3,158</u>
Total Current Members	<u>12,434</u>	<u>13,340</u>



Pension Benefits

The System's benefits are established by the provisions of the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937 and provide for retirement, death, and disability benefits. All permanent full-time and part-time employees of the County, Superior Court and Member Districts are eligible to participate in the System. Upon reaching five years of service, participants have earned the right to receive a retirement benefit, subject to certain restrictions if retirement is prior to attaining age 50 or if less than 10 years of service has been achieved. Retirement benefits under each tier are as follows:

- Members covered under Safety Tier 1 who retire at age 50 are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, equal to 3 percent of their final-average salary for each year of credited service. This benefit includes a cost-of-living adjustment of up to 4 percent annually. Final-average salary is the member's average salary for the highest twelve consecutive months of credited service.
- Members covered under Safety Tier 2 who retire at age 50 are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, equal to 3 percent of their final-average salary for each year of credited service. This benefit includes a cost-of-living adjustment of up to 2 percent annually. Final-average salary is the member's average salary for the highest thirty-six consecutive months of credited service.
- Members covered under Miscellaneous Tier 1 who retire at age 50 are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, which is equal to 1.474 percent of their final-average salary for each year of credited service. This benefit includes a cost-of-living adjustment of up to 4 percent annually. Final-average salary is the member's average salary for the highest twelve consecutive months of credited service.
- Members covered under Miscellaneous Tier 2 who retire at age 50 are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, equal to 1.474 percent of their final-average salary for each year of credited service. There is no cost-of-living adjustment. Final-average salary is the member's average salary for the highest thirty-six consecutive months of credited service.
- Members covered under Miscellaneous Tier 3 who retire at age 50 are entitled to a retirement benefit, payable monthly for life, equal to 1.474 percent of their final-average salary for each year of credited service. This benefit includes a cost-of-living adjustment of up to 2 percent annually. Final-average salary is the member's average salary for the highest thirty-six consecutive months of credited service.

The retirement benefits of Miscellaneous Tier 1, 2, and 3 members who retire after age 50 are increased by an age factor for each quarter year of age up to a maximum of 2.611 percent of final-average salary for each year of credited service at age 62.

Effective June 29, 2003 the County Board of Supervisors applied these formulas for all SCERS members, including the employees of Member Districts, for service credit prospectively from June 29, 2003, and for County employees, retroactively to service credit which precedes that date. In accordance with applicable retirement law, each SCERS Member District's governing body determined whether or not to apply these formulas retroactively for service credits earned prior to June 29, 2003 by their employees.

Members whose employers determined not to retroactively apply the formulas to service credit earned prior to June 29, 2003 will continue to have their retirement benefits for that service calculated pursuant to the formulas in effect at the time the service was earned (i.e., Safety and Miscellaneous members who retire at age 50 earn 2 percent and 1.1 percent, respectively, of their final-average salary for each year of credited service).

Member Termination

Upon separation from employment with a participating employer, members' accumulated contributions are refundable with interest accrued through the prior six-month period ended June 30 or December 31. Interest on member accounts is credited semiannually on June 30 and December 31. Withdrawal of such accumulated contributions results in forfeiture of the related benefits.

Financing

Benefits payable by the System are financed through member contributions, employer contributions, and



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

earnings from investments. Member contributions are required by law. Contribution rates, which are actuarially determined, are based on age at entry into the System (a single rate is used for members entering the System after January 1, 1975). County, Superior Court and Member Districts' contributions are actuarially determined to provide for the balance of contributions needed. This rate includes an additional amount required to partially fund the annual cost-of-living increases for retired members of the Miscellaneous Tier 1 and Tier 3 and Safety Tiers. All contribution rates are reviewed and revised annually. The authority for both benefit provisions and contribution obligations is derived from the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937.

NOTE 2 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND PLAN ASSET MATTERS

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. SCERS has fiduciary funds at June 30, 2011 and 2010 which include pension trust and agency funds. The pension trust fund is used to report resources that are required to be held in trust for the members and the beneficiaries of the defined benefit pension plan, and the agency fund accounts for assets held by SCERS in a trustee capacity or as an agent on behalf of others. The pension trust fund is accounted for on the flow of economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. The agency fund is custodial in nature and does not measure the results of operations. Assets and liabilities are recorded using the accrual basis of accounting.

The System has adopted Governmental Accounting Standards Board ("GASB") Statement No. 25, *Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans*, as its source of accounting and reporting principles. Investments are valued at their fair value, which results in the recognition of fair value gains and losses. Member and employer contributions are recognized when due pursuant to formal commitments, as well as statutory or contractual requirements. Benefits and refunds are recognized when due and payable in accordance with the terms of the plan. Expenses are recorded when the corresponding liabilities are incurred, regardless of when payment is made. Investment purchases and sales are recorded on the trade date, not the settlement date.

Valuation of Investments

The majority of the investments held at June 30, 2011 is in the custody of, or controlled by, State Street Bank, the System's custodian. The System's investments consist of domestic and international fixed income, domestic and international equities, hedge funds (sub-asset class of equity), private equity, opportunities, and real estate. Investments are reported at fair value. The diversity of the investment types that the System has entered into requires a wide range of techniques to determine fair value. The overall valuation processes and information sources by major asset classifications are as follows:

Cash and Short-Term Investments

Cash deposited in the Sacramento County Treasurer's pool is stated at fair value. The value of the System's pool shares is determined on an amortized cost basis, which approximates fair value.

Short-term investments, which include highly-liquid investments expected to be utilized by the System within 30-90 days, are reported at fair value. These investments may include securities, which have a maturity in excess of 90 days but are readily marketable.

Fixed Income

Fixed income consists primarily of negotiable obligations of the U.S. Government and U.S. Government-sponsored agencies, corporations, and securitized offerings backed by residential and commercial mortgages. Certain securities, such as U.S. government bonds, have an active market for identical securities and can typically be valued using the close or last traded price on a specific date. Other securities that are not as actively traded are valued by pricing vendors, which use modeling techniques that include market observable inputs required to develop a fair value. Typical inputs include recent trades, yields, price quotes, cash flows, maturity, credit ratings and other assumptions based upon the specifics of the asset type.



Equities

The majority of the System's domestic and international equity securities are actively traded on major stock exchanges or over-the-counter. Investments listed or traded on a securities exchange are valued at fair value as of the close of trading on the valuation day. Fair value is determined based on the last reported trade price on the exchange considered to be the primary market for such security. Listed investments that are not traded on a particular day are valued at the last known price deemed best to reflect their fair value. Investments not traded on a securities exchange, but which are traded in any other market or over the counter, are valued based on prices obtained from third party service providers.

Private Equity

Private equity investments are made both on a direct basis and through externally managed fund-of-funds ("FoF"). Each FoF manager's investments consist of portfolio funds and co-investments as well as marketable securities held from time to time as a result of a distribution from a portfolio fund. Direct private equity fund investments consist of securities in portfolio companies as well as marketable securities. Typically, the fair value of all investments is determined by the fund manager in good faith and in compliance with the definition of fair value under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles or "GAAP" (FASB Accounting Standards Codification, Topic 820). In some circumstances, partnership agreements require reporting financial information and valuations in an accounting standard other than GAAP such as under International Financial Reporting Standards. The measure of fair value by the fund manager is typically conducted on a quarterly basis. Marketable securities are valued according to the most recent public market price with appropriate discounts to reflect any contractual or regulatory restriction upon sale. The fair value of each investment as reported does not necessarily represent the amount that may ultimately be realized, since such amounts depend upon future circumstances that cannot reasonably be determined until the position is actually liquidated. The fund's evaluation of the fair value of portfolio funds is based on the most recent available valuation information provided to it by the portfolio funds, adjusted for subsequent distributions from and capital contributions to such portfolio funds, if any. The evaluation of the fair value of co-investments is based on the most recent information available at the time of valuation ascribed to such investments by the sponsor partnership. If the manager does not agree with this valuation, holds different securities than the sponsor partnership, is unable to obtain the sponsor partnership's valuation, or has information that results in a different valuation, it may use its own internal evaluation of fair value. The assumptions are based upon the nature of the investment and the underlying business. The valuation techniques vary based upon investment type and involve a certain degree of expert judgment.

Opportunities

Opportunities investments are made in externally-managed funds. This segment includes a mix of investment securities which may include commodities and commodity futures, Treasury Inflation Protected Securities ("TIPS"), timber or agriculture land, real return strategies, direct private equity, direct hedge funds, debt securities and other unique strategies.

The System records its investment at fair value based on its proportionate interest in the net asset value of the funds. Assets and liabilities of the funds are measured at fair value using acceptable fair valuation methods and applications which give the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs. The fair value of opportunities is measured using one of the following methods that is appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data is available and applying the approach consistently until no longer appropriate.

Market approach - uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable assets or liabilities.

Income approach - uses valuation techniques to convert expected future amounts to a single present amount.

Cost approach - based on the amount that currently would be required to replace the service capacity of an asset.



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Real Estate

Real estate is held either directly via a real estate holding entity or as a limited partner in a commingled fund. Properties owned directly are subject to annual independent third party appraisals performed in accordance with the Uniform Standards of Professional Appraisal Practice. Real estate investments in a commingled fund are long-term and illiquid in nature. As a result, investors are subject to redemption restrictions which generally limit distributions and restrict the ability of limited partners to exit a partnership investment prior to its dissolution. Limited partner interest in commingled funds are valued by using the net asset value (“NAV”) of the partnership. The most significant input into the NAV of such an entity is the value of its investment holdings. These holdings are valued by the general partners on a continuous basis, audited annually and periodically appraised by an independent third party. The valuation assumptions are based upon both market and property specific inputs which are not observable and involve a certain degree of expert judgment. Certain real estate investments are leveraged, and the corresponding liability is recorded in the statement of fiduciary net assets. Refer to Note 9 for disclosures regarding mortgage obligations.

Securities Lending

Securities lending transactions are short-term collateralized loans of the System’s securities for the purpose of generating additional investment income. For each lending transaction, the System receives either cash collateral or non-cash collateral. The underlying securities out on loan are reported on the System’s statements of fiduciary net assets as if the lending transactions had not occurred. Cash collateral received for the loaned securities is reported as a securities lending liability on the System’s statements of fiduciary net assets. Cash collateral is reinvested in the lending agent’s cash collateral investment pool and is valued at amortized cost which approximates fair value. Non-cash collateral held is not reported on the statements of fiduciary net assets nor is there a corresponding liability reported on these statements as the System does not have the ability to pledge or sell them without a borrower default. Note 4 - *Cash and Investments* discloses the amount of securities lending non-cash collateral.

Other Assets

Other assets consist of other accounts receivable, prepaid expenses, net capital assets, and security deposits.

Administrative Expenses

Administrative costs are financed through employer and employee contributions and earnings from investments.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results may differ from those estimates.

Reclassification

Certain reclassifications have been made to June 30, 2010 balances to conform to the presentation as of and for the year ended June 30, 2011.

NOTE 3 - RETIREE MEDICAL AND DENTAL INSURANCE PROGRAM

Plan Description

The Sacramento County Retiree Medical and Dental Insurance Program (the “Program”) is an agent multiple-employer defined benefit medical and dental plan, which is sponsored, financed, and administered by nine participating employers. SCERS’ role in regard to the Program is limited to collecting monies from Sacramento County and remitting premium payments when due. The activities of the Program are accounted for in the agency fund.



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Below is the list of employers participating in the Program as of June 30, 2011:

- Carmichael Recreation and Park District
- County of Sacramento
- County of Sacramento Elected Officials
- Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District
- Orangevale Recreation and Park District
- Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District
- Sacramento Employment and Training Agency
- Sunrise Recreation and Park District
- Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento

The Program provides medical and/or dental subsidy/offset payments to eligible retirees. The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors, at its own discretion, sets the amount of subsidy/offset payment available to eligible County retirees on a year-to-year basis. The medical subsidy amounts for special districts' retirees are varied and are established by each of the member districts. As of June 30, 2011, there were 3,929 retired members and beneficiaries currently receiving medical subsidies. As of June 30, 2010, there were 3,872 retired members and beneficiaries receiving medical subsidies.

Eligibility

County members who retired on or before May 31, 2007 – According to the Program's Administrative Policy, only County safety and miscellaneous members who retired on or before May 31, 2007 and who were receiving a subsidy/offset on December 31, 2007, are eligible for the subsidy during the 2011 calendar year. For calendar year 2011, the monthly dental subsidy is \$0, and the monthly medical subsidy amounts range from \$40 to \$81 depending on the member's earned service credit. For calendar year 2010, the monthly dental subsidy was \$0, and the monthly medical subsidy amounts ranged from \$72 to \$144 depending on the member's earned service credit.

County members who retired after May 31, 2007 – According to the Program's Administrative Policy, only County safety and miscellaneous members from bargaining units 001, 003, 005, 007, 008, 010, 020, 021, and 025 who retired after May 31, 2007 may be eligible for a premium subsidy/offset effective January 1, 2011. For calendar year 2011, the monthly dental subsidy is \$25, and the monthly medical subsidy amounts range from \$122 to \$244 depending on the member's earned service credit.

Special Districts' members - The medical subsidy amounts for special districts' retirees are varied and are established by each of the member districts.

There are no vested benefits associated with the Program. The Program does not create any contractual, regulatory, or other vested entitlement to present or future retirees, their spouses, or dependents for medical and/or dental benefits, or subsidy/offset payments at any particular level, or at all. Sacramento County and other participating employers may, in their sole discretion, amend or terminate, in whole or in part, the Program by Resolution of the Board of Supervisors.

Contributions and Reserves

The System does not have any authority to establish or amend the obligations of the plan members and employers to contribute to the Program. SCERS does not determine the contribution rate or collect the required contributions from employers. SCERS' role in regards to the Program is limited to collecting monies from Sacramento County and paying the premiums when due. Monies received by the System in excess of liabilities to pay premiums are recognized as liabilities payable to the County. There are no net assets or legally required reserve accounts for the Program.

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 45, *Accounting and Financial Reporting by Employers for Postemployment Benefits Other Than Pensions*, each participating employer is required to disclose the Program information with regard to funding policy, the employer's annual OPEB cost and contributions made, the funded status and funding progress, and actuarial methods and assumptions used.



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Request for Information

Requests for additional financial information regarding the Program may be addressed to:

County of Sacramento, Department of Finance
Auditor-Controller Division
700 H Street, Room 3650
Sacramento, CA 95814

NOTE 4 - CASH AND INVESTMENTS

The investment authority for the System rests primarily through the “prudent person rule”, as set forth in Section 31595 of the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937, which establishes a standard for all fiduciaries, including anyone with investment authority on behalf of the System.

Cash Invested with Sacramento County Treasurer

The System invests cash held for benefit payments and general operations in the County Treasurer’s pool. The County Treasury Oversight Committee is responsible for regulatory oversight of the pool. The System’s share of the County Treasurer’s pool is separately accounted for, and interest earned, net of related expenses, is apportioned quarterly based on the relationship of the System’s average daily cash balance to the total of the pooled cash and investments.

The fair value of the System’s cash invested with the County Treasurer totaled \$7,670 and \$6,969 at June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively. The pool was not rated, and the weighted-average maturity of the pool was 190 days and 170 days at June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Interest earned but not received from the County Treasurer at year end is reported as a component of accrued investment income on the statements of fiduciary net assets. Cash and investments included within the County Treasurer’s pool are described in the County’s Comprehensive Annual Financial Report.

Other Cash and Cash Equivalents

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, other cash and cash equivalents constitute balances in bank demand deposit accounts of \$31,314 and \$52,484, respectively, of which \$14,231 and \$12,543 were not held in the System’s name. The System is exposed to custodial credit risk with respect to these deposits on the balances not held in the System’s name.

Short-Term Investments with Fiscal Agents

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, the fair value of the System’s short-term investments with fiscal agents was \$608,571 and \$283,212, respectively. The total consisted of investments in the State Street Short-Term Investment Fund (“STIF”). The STIF is designed to provide qualified benefit plans with an investment vehicle that may be accessed on a daily basis. The STIF is limited to investing in securities that are rated A-1 by Moody’s Investors Services and P-1 by Standard & Poor’s Corporation at the time of issuance. The STIF is not rated by credit rating agencies. Most investments range in maturity from overnight to 90 days with up to 20% of the STIF’s value eligible for investment between 90 days and 13 months. The weighted-average maturities were 33 and 30 days at June 30, 2011 and 2010. Net assets invested in the STIF from all participating custodial clients of State Street were \$63.2 billion and \$54.5 billion on June 30, 2011 and 2010, respectively.

Real Estate

In July 2007, SCERS modified the manner in which it invests its real estate allocation. The modified real estate allocation broadens SCERS’ real estate investments from being mostly in core properties through direct investment to include investments in commingled core real estate funds, value-added real estate investment funds, and publicly-traded real estate investment trust (“REIT”) stock investments. Of the capital committed to these new investment categories, \$10.9 million and \$19.2 million have not been funded as of June 30, 2011



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and 2010, respectively. Direct investments include offices, apartments, retail, and industrial properties (refer to Note 9 to the financial statements for mortgage payable related to directly held real estate investments). As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, real estate investments were \$625,632 and \$590,038, respectively.

Changes to Asset Allocation Policy and Unfunded Commitments

In July 2007, SCERS adopted a new Asset Allocation Policy which includes two additional asset classes:

Private Equity - This category of investment includes limited partnerships, funds and fund-of-funds that invest in domestic and international private venture capital, mezzanine capital, buyouts, and distressed debt.

Opportunities - This segment includes a mix of investment securities that offer good risk/adjusted investment returns and are expected to have a low correlation with SCERS' public equity and debt investments. Investments that may be included in this asset class are commodities and commodity futures, TIPS, timber or agriculture land, real return strategies, direct private equity, debt securities and other unique strategies. Investments will be assigned to this asset class based on the recommendation of the Chief Investment Officer and the Investment Consultant.

As of June 30, the securities in this asset class are as follows:

	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Blackstone Resources Select Offshore Commodities Fund	\$71,342	\$53,727
European Credit (Luxembourg) S.A.	-	49,086
GSCI Commodity Index CTF CMIZ	8,892	6,920
Metropolitan West Asset Management TALF	14,157	21,363
PIMCO Distressed Mortgage Fund I	18,654	20,070
PIMCO Distressed Mortgage Fund II	27,234	22,482
PIMCO TALF	-	3,404
REIT Index Fund	10,648	8,123
Resource Stock Index CTF	9,067	6,803
Stone Tower Structured Credit Recovery Fund	35,763	32,879
Strategic Commodities Fund	45,108	34,463
Treasury Inflation Protected Fund	7,005	5,681
Total	<u><u>\$247,870</u></u>	<u><u>\$265,001</u></u>

Based on its asset allocation model, SCERS has committed to invest \$362.4 million in ten investment portfolios in the two asset classes. A summary of the unfunded capital commitments as of June 30, 2011 and 2010 is as follows:

Private Equity	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
Abbott Capital Private Equity Fund VI	\$64,875	\$69,375
Goldman Sachs Private Equity	50,661	61,713
HarbourVest International VI	47,002	48,583
HarbourVest Partners VIII	20,794	27,650
Khosla Ventures IV	10,000	-
Waterland Private Equity Fund V	23,194	-
Total	<u><u>\$216,526</u></u>	<u><u>\$207,321</u></u>



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Securities Lending

State statutes permit the System to participate in securities lending transactions and, pursuant to a Securities Lending Authorization Agreement, the System has authorized State Street Bank and Trust Company ("State Street") to act as its agent in lending the System's securities to broker-dealers and banks pursuant to an approved loan agreement.

During the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, on behalf of the System, State Street loaned securities held by State Street as custodian, including U.S. government and agency obligations, domestic corporate bonds, and domestic and international equities and received, as collateral, U.S. and foreign currency, securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government, sovereign debt of foreign countries, and irrevocable bank letters of credit. The System does not have the ability to pledge or sell collateral securities absent a borrower default. Borrowers are required to deliver collateral for each loan equal to a minimum of 100% of the market value of the loaned security.

In accordance with GASB Statement No. 28, *Accounting and Financial Reporting for Securities Lending Transactions*, securities lending collateral reported in the statement of fiduciary net assets represents only cash collateral invested in the lending agent's cash collateral investment pool. SCERS did not impose any restrictions during the fiscal years on the amount of the loans that State Street made on its behalf. There were no failures to return loaned securities or pay distributions thereon by any borrowers during the fiscal years. Moreover, there were no losses during the fiscal years resulting from a default of the borrowers or State Street.

During the fiscal years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010, SCERS and the borrowers maintained the right to terminate all securities lending transactions on demand. The cash collateral received on each loan was invested, together with the cash collateral of other qualified tax-exempt plan lenders, in a collective investment pool. Because the loans were terminable at will, their duration did not generally match the duration of the investments made with cash collateral. Since the System held collateral from borrowers greater than the amounts borrowed, on June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System had minimal credit risk exposure to the borrowers. Furthermore, the lending agreement with the custodian requires the custodian to indemnify the System if the borrower fails to return the securities. The total collateral held and the fair value of securities on loan as of June 30, 2011 were \$626,949 and \$614,556, respectively. The total collateral held and the fair value of securities on loan as of June 30, 2010 were \$578,556 and \$563,519, respectively.

Additional information regarding the cash collateral investment pool (collateral pool) follows:

Method for Determining Fair Value. The fair value of investments held by the collateral pool is based upon valuations provided by a recognized pricing service.

Policy for Utilizing Amortized Cost Method. Because the collateral pool does not meet the requirements of Rule 2a-7 of the Investment Company Act of 1940, State Street has valued the collateral pool investments at fair value for reporting purposes.

Regulatory Oversight. The collateral pool is not registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission. State Street, and consequently the investment vehicles it sponsors (including the collateral pool), are subject to the oversight of the Federal Reserve Board and the Massachusetts Commissioner of Banks. The fair value of the System's position in the collateral pool is the same as the value of the collateral pool shares.

Collateral and related securities on loan at June 30, 2011 and 2010 were as follows:

Security Description	2011		Fair Value of Securities on Loan
	Cash Collateral Value	Other Collateral Value	
U.S. government and agency obligations	\$71,623	\$30,654	\$100,041
Domestic corporate bonds	44,589	-	43,690
Common and preferred stock – domestic	421,424	1,508	415,723
Common and preferred stock – international	57,151	-	55,102
Total	<u>\$594,787</u>	<u>\$32,162</u>	<u>\$614,556</u>



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Security Description	2010		
	Cash Collateral Value	Other Collateral Value	Fair Value of Securities on Loan
U.S. government and agency obligations	\$130,990	\$13,690	\$141,788
Domestic corporate bonds	68,335	82	67,016
Common and preferred stock – domestic	318,167	(3,603)	306,429
Common and preferred stock – international	43,709	7,186	48,286
Total	\$561,201	\$17,355	\$563,519

Term Asset-Backed Securities Loan Facility (TALF)

The Federal Reserve (the “Fed”) created the Term Asset-Backed Securities Loan Facility (“TALF”) in November 2008 to ‘make credit available to consumers and businesses on more favorable terms by facilitating the issuance of asset-backed securities (“ABS”) and improving the market conditions for ABS.’ The TALF program was later expanded to include certain commercial mortgage backed securities (“CMBS”).

Under the TALF program, the Fed lent up to \$1 trillion through June 30, 2010, with loans up to 95% of the lower of cost or market value of collateral investments in qualified ABS or CMBS. Upon loan settlement, the collateral investments are pledged toward repayment of the TALF loans. Collateral investments are held by the New York Fed’s custodial bank in the borrower’s name, and the Fed is granted a security interest in the investments. At the end of the loan term, borrowers may repay the loan, arrange for the sale of the collateral to repay the loan, or surrender the collateral to the Fed.

The general provisions of the TALF program require borrowers to disclose the liabilities, assets, and incomes associated with the TALF loans.

In April 2009, SCERS’ Board approved an investment in the Metropolitan West Asset Management (“MetWest”) TALF fund as a limited partner. The initial capital contribution for MetWest was made in July 2009. MetWest has borrowed from the TALF.

However, as a limited partner in this fund, SCERS does not own the underlying TALF securities but instead possesses a percentage of ownership in the limited partnership. Therefore, as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, SCERS did not have any obligations to repay the TALF loans.

Investment Risk Schedules

Pursuant to GASB Statement No. 40, the following schedules disclose the System’s investments subject to certain types of risk.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that an issuer or other counterparty to a debt instrument will not fulfill its obligations. This is measured by the assignment of ratings by nationally-recognized statistical rating organizations.

SCERS utilizes external investment managers to manage its portfolios. SCERS’ Investment Policy specifies that fixed income investments will include both active and enhanced index investments in U.S. Treasury and agency securities, corporate bonds, mortgage-backed and asset-backed securities and non-dollar denominated sovereign and corporate debt.

The actively-managed investments will have a minimum average credit quality rating of A by Moody’s Investor Services or A by Standard and Poor’s Corporation. Portfolio diversification is constrained by the following parameters in order to minimize overall market and credit risk:

- No more than 10% of the portfolio will be concentrated in any one issuer except U.S. Government and agency securities.



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- No more than 20% of the portfolio will be invested in high yield or below investment grade straight securities.
- No more than 15% of the portfolio will be invested in convertible securities, which include bonds and preferred issues.
- No more than 20% of the portfolio will be invested in non-U.S. dollar bonds.

The System's policy is that the enhanced index investments will have a credit quality rating similar to the Barclays Capital Aggregate Index. Portfolio diversification is constrained by the following parameters in order to minimize overall market and credit risk:

- The maximum holding in a single issuer, excluding U.S. Government and government-sponsored enterprises, is 5% of the portfolio's total market value.
- The minimum individual issue credit rating is BBB- by S&P, or an equivalent rating by Moody's, Fitch or Dominion Bond Rating Service.
- The portfolio duration will be within ± 0.25 years of the index duration as measured by the manager.
- All securities must be denominated in U.S. dollars.

The following tables depict the fixed income assets by credit rating as of June 30, 2011 and 2010:

Fixed Income As of June 30, 2011

S&P Quality Rating	Total	Securitized Obligations	Credit Obligations	U.S.	International Government	Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	Mortgage Pass-Through		
				Government & Agency Obligations			FHLMC	FNMA	GNMA
AAA	\$356,546	\$42,659	\$2,920	\$29,993	\$14,603	\$47,136	\$80,637	\$138,598	\$ -
AA+	12,086	3,153	8,776	-	-	157	-	-	-
AA	12,214	4,536	5,808	-	-	1,870	-	-	-
AA-	9,448	2,897	5,710	-	-	841	-	-	-
A+	55,434	38,763	16,671	-	-	-	-	-	-
A	64,542	16,993	45,907	-	-	1,642	-	-	-
A-	53,485	11,055	42,430	-	-	-	-	-	-
BBB+	37,952	3,349	34,603	-	-	-	-	-	-
BBB	61,131	2,376	58,755	-	-	-	-	-	-
BBB-	55,036	-	54,447	-	-	589	-	-	-
BB+	17,259	-	16,579	-	-	680	-	-	-
BB	16,546	1,103	15,397	-	-	46	-	-	-
BB-	10,577	-	10,005	-	-	572	-	-	-
B+	10,434	-	8,056	-	-	2,378	-	-	-
B	4,703	443	4,260	-	-	-	-	-	-
B-	8,348	168	3,999	-	-	4,181	-	-	-
CCC+	4,376	-	-	-	-	4,376	-	-	-
CCC	15,389	2,308	-	-	-	13,081	-	-	-
CCC-	7	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CC	3,076	-	-	-	-	3,076	-	-	-
D	1,023	18	-	-	-	1,005	-	-	-
NA	140,117	712	-	110,958	-	-	-	-	28,447
NR	103,970	13,776	20,355	-	9,173	24,502	19,955	16,209	-
Total	\$1,053,699	\$144,316	\$354,678	\$140,951	\$23,776	\$106,132	\$100,592	\$154,807	\$28,447



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Fixed Income As of June 30, 2010

S&P Quality Rating	Total	Securitized Obligations	Credit Obligations	U.S.	International Government	Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	Mortgage Pass-Through		
				Government & Agency Obligations			FHLMC	FNMA	GNMA
AAA	\$371,156	\$57,937	\$2,942	\$20,905	\$13,799	\$39,366	\$91,371	\$144,836	\$ -
AA+	13,010	1,589	10,572	-	-	849	-	-	-
AA	3,537	2,647	890	-	-	-	-	-	-
AA-	11,151	5,217	3,733	-	-	2,201	-	-	-
A+	34,251	21,261	12,990	-	-	-	-	-	-
A	73,482	18,229	55,253	-	-	-	-	-	-
A-	35,085	5,813	29,272	-	-	-	-	-	-
BBB+	35,091	722	34,336	-	-	33	-	-	-
BBB	49,650	2,603	47,047	-	-	-	-	-	-
BBB-	60,773	1,229	59,544	-	-	-	-	-	-
BB+	9,913	21	8,731	-	-	1,161	-	-	-
BB	17,519	-	16,938	-	-	581	-	-	-
BB-	16,368	2,881	11,912	-	-	1,575	-	-	-
B+	12,167	291	10,969	-	-	907	-	-	-
B	6,671	619	6,052	-	-	-	-	-	-
B-	7,473	781	2,096	-	-	4,596	-	-	-
CCC	17,972	1,271	-	-	-	16,701	-	-	-
CCC-	71	71	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CC	4,425	3	-	-	-	4,422	-	-	-
D	37	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NA	172,931	-	-	144,503	-	-	-	-	28,428
NR	99,669	20,341	36,926	111	7,302	21,247	4,915	8,827	-
Total	\$1,052,402	\$143,563	\$350,203	\$165,519	\$21,101	\$93,639	\$96,286	\$153,663	\$28,428

Obligations of the U.S. government or obligations explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government are not considered to have credit risk and do not require disclosure of credit quality. NA represents those securities that are exempt from the rating disclosure requirements, and NR represents those securities that are not rated.

Securities Lending Collateral Credit Risk

All of the cash collateral received for securities lending is invested in the Quality D Short-Term Investment Fund managed by State Street, which is not rated by credit rating agencies. At the time of purchase, all securities with maturities of 13 months or less must be rated at least A1, P1 or F1 and all securities with maturities in excess of 13 months must be rated A- or A3 by any two of the nationally-recognized statistical rating organizations or, if unrated, be of comparable quality. The fund may invest in other State Street managed vehicles provided they conform to the guidelines. As of June 30, 2011, since the System held collateral from borrowers greater than the amounts borrowed, the System had minimal credit risk exposure to the borrowers.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that changes in interest rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment. The investment guidelines negotiated with the actively-managed external portfolio managers give the managers the discretion to deviate within $\pm 20\%$ from the effective duration of the relevant Barclays Capital Aggregate benchmark based on the portfolio total.



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The following tables depict the duration in years of the long-term fixed income portfolio vs. the benchmark.

Long-Term Fixed Income Investments

Duration

As of June 30, 2011

Type of Securities	Fair Value	Effective Duration	Benchmark Duration	Difference
Securitized Obligations				
Asset-Backed Securities	\$43,933	7.75	3.21	4.54
Collateralized Mortgage-Backed Securities	100,383	3.97	3.53	0.44
Credit Obligations				
Corporate Bonds	325,349	5.47	6.17	(0.70)
Commingled Fund	19,159	NA	NA	NA
Yankees	3,671	6.00	5.50	0.50
Municipal Bonds	5,705	8.24	9.47	(1.23)
Private Placement	794	23.28	NA	NA
U.S. Government & Agency Obligations				
Agency Securities	29,993	3.55	3.02	0.53
U.S. Treasury	110,958	7.03	5.15	1.88
International Government	23,776	5.71	NA	NA
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	106,132	5.76	NA	NA
Mortgage Pass-Through				
FHLMC	100,592	5.08	4.00	1.08
FNMA	154,807	4.74	4.02	0.72
GNMA	28,447	5.38	4.28	1.10
Total Fair Value with Weighted Average Duration	\$1,053,699	5.48	4.86	0.62

Long-Term Fixed Income Investments

Duration

As of June 30, 2010

Type of Securities	Fair Value	Effective Duration	Benchmark Duration	Difference
Securitized Obligations				
Asset-Backed Securities	\$49,508	2.29	3.61	(1.32)
Collateralized Mortgage-Backed Securities	94,055	4.44	3.90	0.54
Credit Obligations				
Corporate Bonds	326,536	5.57	6.56	(0.99)
Commingled Fund	16,773	NA	NA	NA
Yankees	6,894	6.02	5.43	0.59
U.S. Government & Agency Obligations				
Agency Securities	20,905	3.50	2.99	0.51
U.S. Treasury	144,614	5.89	5.36	0.53
International Government	21,101	6.79	NA	NA
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	93,639	4.65	NA	NA
Mortgage Pass-Through				
FHLMC	96,286	1.86	2.19	(0.33)
FNMA	153,663	2.37	2.20	0.17
GNMA	28,428	2.60	2.44	0.16
Total Fair Value with Weighted Average Duration	\$1,052,402	4.37	4.33	0.04



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Securities Lending Collateral Interest Rate Risk

Cash collateral from loans of securities is invested in the State Street Quality D Short-Term Investment Fund. Quality D's Investment Policy Guidelines provide that the Investment Manager shall maintain the dollar-weighted average maturity of the Quality D Fund in a manner that the Investment Manager believes is appropriate to the objective of the Quality D Fund; provided, that (1) in no event shall any Eligible Security be acquired with a remaining legal final maturity of greater than 18 months, (ii) the Investment Manager shall maintain a dollar-weighted average maturity of the Quality D Fund not to exceed 75 calendar days and (iii) the Investment Manager shall maintain a dollar-weighted average maturity to final of the Quality D Fund not to exceed 180 calendar days. As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, the weighted average maturity was 32 days and 30 days, respectively.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Concentration of credit risk is the risk of loss attributed to the magnitude of a government's investment in a single issuer. As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System had no single issuer that exceeds 5% of total investments per GASB No. 40 disclosure requirements or any one issuer which represent 5% or more of total net assets in accordance with GASB No. 25. Investments issued or explicitly guaranteed by the U.S. government and investments in mutual funds, external investment pools, and other pooled investments are excluded.

The System's investment policy does not allow more than 2.5% of the System's assets to be invested in any one security, and as of June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System had no issuer that exceeds 2.5% of total investment. As noted in the previous discussion of credit risk, manager investment guidelines place limitations on the maximum holdings in any one issuer.

Custodial Credit Risk

Custodial credit risk is the risk that in the event a financial institution or counterparty fails, the System would not be able to recover the value of its deposits, investments, or securities. As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, 100% of the System's investments were held in the System's name, and the System is not exposed to custodial credit risk related to these investments. The System is exposed to custodial credit risk for uncollateralized cash and cash equivalents that are not covered by federal depository insurance. There are no general policies relating to custodial credit risk.



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(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that changes in exchange rates will adversely affect the fair value of an investment or a deposit. The following tables represent cash and investments held in a foreign currency as of June 30, 2011 and 2010.

As of June 30, 2011

Local Currency Name	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Equity	Fixed Income	Private Equity	Total
Australian Dollar	\$348	\$64,005	\$9,173	\$ -	\$73,526
Brazilian Real	1	3,116	-	-	3,117
Canadian Dollar	101	33,819	4,589	-	38,509
Danish Krone	65	7,431	-	-	7,496
Euro Currency	4,616	255,616	-	3,409	263,641
Hong Kong Dollar	204	60,785	-	-	60,989
Indonesian Rupiah	-	2,381	-	-	2,381
Israeli Shekel	6	2,338	-	-	2,344
Japanese Yen	2,401	186,539	-	-	188,940
Malaysian Ringgit	-	393	-	-	393
Mexican Peso	-	894	-	-	894
New Zealand Dollar	-	-	6,459	-	6,459
Norwegian Krone	473	14,170	-	-	14,643
Philippine Peso	17	929	-	-	946
Polish Zloty	-	404	-	-	404
Pound Sterling	341	139,040	3,555	-	142,936
Singapore Dollar	685	20,025	-	-	20,710
South African Rand	27	2,832	-	-	2,859
South Korean Won	-	8,180	-	-	8,180
Swedish Krona	176	13,619	-	-	13,795
Swiss Franc	589	55,766	-	-	56,355
Turkish Lira	-	926	-	-	926
Total	\$10,050	\$873,208	\$23,776	\$3,409	\$910,443



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

As of June 30, 2010

Local Currency Name	Cash & Cash Equivalents	Equity	Fixed Income	Private Equity	Total
Australian Dollar	\$464	\$56,219	\$10,128	\$ -	\$66,811
Brazilian Real	23	1,588	-	-	1,611
British Pound	3,131	118,471	3,706	-	125,308
Canadian Dollar	143	31,533	-	-	31,676
Danish Krone	51	4,010	-	-	4,061
Euro Currency	8,990	206,093	-	1,122	216,205
Hong Kong Dollar	1,576	47,654	-	-	49,230
Indonesian Rupiah	-	701	-	-	701
Israeli Shekel	21	1,615	-	-	1,636
Japanese Yen	3,369	172,485	325	-	176,179
Mexican Peso	-	604	-	-	604
New Zealand Dollar	2	253	7,581	-	7,836
Norwegian Krone	184	6,937	-	-	7,121
Singapore Dollar	358	16,504	-	-	16,862
South African Rand	10	1,938	-	-	1,948
South Korean Won	38	4,068	-	-	4,106
Swedish Krona	185	9,559	-	-	9,744
Swiss Franc	208	50,159	-	-	50,367
Turkish Lira	-	695	-	-	695
Total	\$18,753	\$731,086	\$21,740	\$1,122	\$772,701

Foreign currency is comprised of international investment proceeds and income to be repatriated into U.S. dollars and funds available to purchase international securities. Foreign currency is not held as a form of investment. Foreign currency is held temporarily in foreign accounts until it is able to be repatriated or expended. The System does not have a foreign currency risk policy.

Highly-Sensitive Investments

As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, SCERS' investments included Collateralized Mortgage Obligations and Mortgage Pass-Through totaling \$389,978 and \$372,016, respectively. These securities are highly sensitive to interest rate fluctuations in that they are subject to early payment in a period of declining interest rates. The resulting reduction in expected total cash flows affects the fair value of these securities.

The System's investment policy allows investments in commodities and futures. SCERS' investments include an allocation of 2% of total fund assets in commodities and commodity futures as part of the Opportunities asset class. Commodities are a real asset class that produces a different pattern of returns to other asset classes. Unique supply and demand factors and the way commodities are traded are the main reasons for the low correlation between commodities and stocks and bonds. Not only is correlation low with traditional asset classes in general, but importantly, commodities tend to perform well when stocks and bond prices fall.

Spot commodity prices have historically been a poor investment and have declined in real terms. However, investment in collateralized commodity futures provides similar returns to stocks over the long term. The futures market is an efficient way for producers to hedge the price risk by forward-selling commodities at lower prices relative to spot prices to investors and speculators generating a roll yield (backwardation). In general, commodities are volatile investments that are prone to large price spikes. By investing in commodity futures, investors get exposure to short-term price movement and risk, as well as long-term price trends. This price volatility and the need for producers to hedge their production provides the fundamental rationale for why investment managers pay the risk premium to speculators and long-only investors in the commodity markets.

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(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, total commodities investments were \$125.3 million and \$95.1 million, respectively. The investments consist of commodity futures hedge fund-of-funds, a commodity index fund, and a commodity futures strategic fund which are shown on page 39.

Derivatives

The System's investment policy allows investment managers to use derivative instruments for certain purposes and within certain parameters. Such instruments include currency forward contracts, currency futures, floater/inverse floater debt instruments, interest-only and principal-only notes, and exchange traded financial futures and options. The System permits the use of derivatives to minimize the exposure of certain investments to adverse fluctuations in financial and currency markets. The System does not permit the use of derivatives for speculative use or to create leverage. As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, the derivative instruments held by the System are considered investments and not hedges for accounting purposes. The gains and losses arising from this activity are recognized as incurred in the Statement of Changes in Fiduciary Net Assets.

The tables below present the related net appreciation/(depreciation) in fair value, the fair value amounts and the notional amounts of derivative instruments outstanding at June 30, 2011 and 2010:

Investment Derivatives Instruments	Net Appreciation/ (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments through June 30, 2011	Fair Value at June 30, 2011		
		Classification	Amount	Notional
Futures (domestic and foreign)	\$70,696		\$ -	\$837,252
Foreign currency forwards	2,029	Accrued investment income receivables	72	52,832
Rights	1,442	Common and preferred stock - international	6	3,000 shares
Warrants	17	Common and preferred stock - domestic	111	21,000 shares
Total Derivative Instruments	\$74,184		\$189	

Investment Derivatives Instruments	Net Appreciation/ (Depreciation) in Fair Value of Investments through June 30, 2010	Fair Value at June 30, 2010		
		Classification	Amount	Notional
Futures (domestic and foreign)	\$84,042		\$ -	\$34,219
Foreign currency forwards	936	Accrued investment income receivables	46	-
Rights	(3,879)	Common and preferred stock - international	2	39,000 shares
Warrants	(83)	Common and preferred stock - domestic	166	21,000 shares
Total Derivative Instruments	\$81,016		\$214	

Futures contracts are financial instruments that derive their value from underlying indices or reference rates and are marked-to-market at the end of each trading day. Daily settlement of gains and losses occur on the following business day. As a result, the instruments themselves have no fair value at June 30, 2011 or at the end of any trading day. Daily settlement of gains and losses is a risk control measure to limit counterparty credit risk. Futures variation margin amounts are settled each trading day and recognized in the financial statements under net appreciation/(depreciation) in fair value of investments as they are incurred.



NOTES TO THE BASIC FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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Foreign currency forward contracts are obligations to buy or sell a currency at a specified exchange rate and quantity on a specific future date. The fair value of the foreign currency forwards is the unrealized gain or loss calculated based on the difference between the specified exchange rate and the closing exchange rate at June 30, 2011.

Counterparty Credit Risk

Below is a schedule showing the counterparty credit ratings of the System's non-exchange traded investment derivative instruments outstanding and subject to loss at June 30, 2011 and 2010:

June 30, 2011

S&P Ratings	Foreign Currency Forwards
AA	\$6
AA-	15
A+	360
Subtotal Investments in Asset Position	381
Investments in Liability Position	(309)
Total Investments in Asset/(Liability) Position	\$72

June 30, 2010

S&P Ratings	Foreign Currency Forwards
AA	\$644
AA-	499
A+	125
A	19
Subtotal Investments in Asset Position	1,287
Investments in Liability Position	(1,241)
Total Investments in Asset/(Liability) Position	\$46

The System could be exposed to risk if the counterparties to derivative contracts are unable to meet the terms of the contracts. The System's investment managers seek to control this risk through counterparty credit evaluations and approvals, counterparty credit limits, and exposure monitoring procedures. The System anticipates that the counterparties will be able to satisfy their obligations under the contracts.

The aggregate fair value of investment derivative instruments in an asset position subject to counterparty risk at June 30, 2011 and 2010 were \$0.4 million and \$1.3 million. This represents the maximum loss that would be recognized at the reporting date if all counterparties failed to perform as contracted. The System did not have any master netting agreements with its counterparties at June 30, 2011 and 2010, except that certain investment managers used netting arrangements at their discretion to minimize counterparty risks. The above schedule presents exposure for similar instruments with the same counterparty on a net basis.

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System did not have any significant exposure to counterparty credit risk with any single party.



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Interest Rate Risk

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System did not have any exposure to interest rate risk on its derivative investments.

Foreign Currency Risk

At June 30, 2011 and 2010, the System is exposed to foreign currency risk on its investments in forward contracts and common and preferred stocks denominated in foreign currencies as presented in the following tables.

As of June 30, 2011	Forward Contracts			Total Exposure
	Currency Name	Net Receivables	Net Payables	
Australian Dollar	\$ (6)	\$ (30)	\$ (36)	
Danish Krone	5	-	5	
Euro Currency	159	(26)	133	
Hong Kong Dollar	(1)	-	(1)	
Israeli Shekel	6	-	6	
Japanese Yen	41	22	63	
New Zealand Dollar	3	(64)	(61)	
Norwegian Krone	5	-	5	
Pound Sterling	(174)	2	(172)	
Singapore Dollar	2	-	2	
Swedish Krona	(4)	-	(4)	
Swiss Franc	133	(1)	132	
	<u>\$169</u>	<u>\$ (97)</u>	<u>\$72</u>	

As of June 30, 2010	Common and Preferred Stock	Forward Contracts		Total Exposure
		Net Receivables	Net Payables	
Australian Dollar	\$ -	\$ (25)	\$ (75)	\$ (100)
British Pound	-	81	(8)	73
Danish Krone	-	-	(2)	(2)
Euro Currency	2	561	(48)	515
Japanese Yen	-	(531)	117	(414)
New Zealand Dollar	-	7	(29)	(22)
Norwegian Krone	-	-	(1)	(1)
Swedish Krona	-	14	(6)	8
Swiss Franc	-	(2)	(7)	(9)
	<u>\$2</u>	<u>\$105</u>	<u>\$ (59)</u>	<u>\$48</u>

The System has investments in futures contracts. As indicated on the preceding pages, futures variation margin accounts are settled each trading day and recognized as realized gains/(losses) as they are incurred. As a result, the foreign futures contracts have no fair value at June 30, 2011 and 2010.



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NOTE 5 - CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED AND CONTRIBUTIONS MADE

Contributions to the plan are made pursuant to Section 31584 of the County Employees Retirement Law of 1937. The System's funding policy provides for periodic contributions at actuarially-determined rates that, expressed as percentages of annual covered payroll, are sufficient to accumulate adequate assets to pay benefits when due. Members of the System are required to contribute, and such contributions range from 1.81% to 12.30% of annual covered salary depending on the member's tier, employer, and bargaining unit. Each employer of the System is obligated by state law to make all required contributions to the plan and depending on the participating employer and their employees' tiers, such contribution rates range from 15.69% to 58.45% of covered payroll. The required contributions include current service cost and amortization of any unfunded prior service cost over a declining 25-year amortization period, with 24 years remaining as of June 30, 2011.

Employer contribution rates are determined using the entry age normal cost method based on a level percentage of payroll. The System also uses this actuarial method to amortize the unfunded liability, if applicable. Contributions for the years ended June 30, 2011 and 2010 totaled \$240,072 and \$219,555. Included in this total are employer contributions of \$182,921 and \$167,142 in fiscal years 2011 and 2010, respectively, of which \$166,272 and \$152,722 were made by the County of Sacramento. Member contributions were \$57,151 and \$52,413 in fiscal years 2011 and 2010, respectively. All contributions were made in accordance with actuarially-determined contribution requirements based on the actuarial valuations performed as of June 30, 2009 and 2008, respectively, which utilized a 30-year closed amortization period and a 7.875% assumed investment rate of return.

NOTE 6 – FUNDED STATUS

The System's funded status based on the most recent actuarial valuation as of June 30, 2011 is as follows:

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Annual Covered Payroll (c)	Unfunded AAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b-a)/c)
June 30, 2011	\$6,420,824	\$7,382,897	\$962,073	87.0%	\$880,766	109.2%

As of June 30, 2011, the unrecognized investment loss totaled \$280.2 million and the unfunded actuarial accrued liability ("UAAL") increased to \$962.1 million from \$873.5 million as of June 30, 2010. This increase in UAAL is due to lower than expected investment returns (after smoothing) offset to some degree by lower than expected salary increases, lower than expected cost-of-living increases for retirees and changes in actuarial assumptions. Unless offset by future investment gains or other favorable experience, the recognition of the \$280.2 million investment losses over the next six years is expected to have a significant impact on the System's future funded ratio and the aggregate employer contributions.

Disclosure of Information about Actuarial Methods and Assumptions

The required Schedule of Funding Progress immediately following the Notes to the Financial Statements presents multi-year trend information about whether the actuarial value of plan assets is increasing or decreasing over time relative to the actuarial accrued liability for benefits.

The projection of benefits for financial reporting purposes does not explicitly incorporate the potential effects of legal or contractual funding limitations.



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(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Actuarial Methods and Assumptions:

The following significant actuarial assumptions were utilized as part of the actuarial valuation dated June 30, 2011:

Actuarial cost method:	Entry age normal cost method
Amortization method:	Level percent of payroll for total unfunded liability
Remaining amortization period*:	Declining 25-year amortization period with 24 years remaining as of June 30, 2011 for all UAAL. The UAAL established as a result of the Early Retirement Incentive Program for the Sacramento County Law Enforcement Managers Association ("LEMA") members is amortized over a 10-year period, beginning June 30, 2010.
Asset valuation method**:	7-year smoothed fair value
Investment rate of return***:	7.75%
Inflation rate:	3.50%
Real across-the-board salary increase:	0.25%
Miscellaneous projected salary increases****:	5.14% to 11.55%
Safety projected salary increases****:	3.75% to 9.76%
Assumed post-retirement benefit increase:	
	Miscellaneous Tier 1 3.40%
	Miscellaneous Tier 2 0.00%
	Miscellaneous Tier 3 2.00%
	Safety Tier 1 3.40%
	Safety Tier 2 2.00%

*Prior to June 30, 2010 valuation, the UAAL was amortized over a 30-year closed amortization period, with 24 years remaining as of June 30, 2009.

**The market value of assets plus (or minus) net unrecognized returns (or losses). Unrecognized returns (or losses) are equal to the difference between actual and expected returns on a market value basis. Unrecognized returns established prior to July 1, 2008 are recognized over a five-year period. Unrecognized returns established after July 1, 2008 are recognized over a seven-year period. The actuarial value is further adjusted, if necessary, to be within 30% of the market value.

***June 30, 2009 and 2008 valuations utilized a 7.875% investment rate of return.

****Includes inflation at 3.50% plus real across-the-board salary increase of 0.25% plus merit and longevity increases.

NOTE 7 - PLAN TERMINATION

California Government Code Section 31483 allows the governing body of the County, Superior Court or Special District, through the adoption of an ordinance or resolution, to terminate the applicability of the plan to employees of the County, Superior Court, or Special District whose services commence after a given future date.

NOTE 8 – RESERVES

Member and employer contributions are allocated to various legally required reserve accounts based on actuarial determinations. Descriptions of the purpose for the reserve and designated accounts are provided below.

Employee reserves represent the balance of member contributions. Additions include member contributions and interest earnings. Deductions include refunds of member contributions and transfers to retiree reserves.



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Employer reserves represent the balance of employer contributions for future retirement payments to current active members. Additions include contributions from the employer and interest earnings. Deductions include transfers to retiree reserves, lump sum death benefits, and payments under California Government Code Sections 31725.5 and 31725.6 related to alternative employment for members otherwise entitled to disability retirement benefits.

Retiree reserves represent the balance of transfers from employee reserves, employer reserves, and interest earnings, less payments to retired members.

Retiree death benefit reserves represent the balance of funds for lump sum death benefits for retirees. Additions include interest earnings and, if necessary, employer contributions. Deductions include payments to beneficiaries of retired members who are deceased.

Retiree health care benefit designations include transfers made by the System from unallocated earnings in prior years to provide funding for a non-vested health and dental insurance premium offset for retirees. Funding of and payments for the retiree health care premium offsets were made in accordance with section 401(h) of the Internal Revenue Code. Effective July 1, 2004, funding for health care premium offsets for retirees has been provided solely from general revenues by those employers who have elected to continue the payments for their members.

Contingency reserve was created to serve as a reserve against deficiencies in future earnings and unexpected expenses.

Smoothed actuarial value of assets. Investment gains and losses prior to July 1, 2008 are recognized (smoothed) over a five-year period. Investment gains and losses after July 1, 2008 are recognized (smoothed) over a seven-year period. As of June 30, 2011 and 2010, total allocated reserves were \$6,420,824 and \$6,216,994, respectively.

Market stabilization reserve represents the difference between the smoothed actuarial value of assets and the net assets available for benefits at fair value.

A summary of the various reserve accounts, which comprise of net assets available for pension benefits at June 30, 2011 and 2010, is as follows:

NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS AT FAIR VALUE

As of June 30

	2011	2010
Employee Reserves	\$655,798	\$648,595
Employer Reserves	2,339,365	2,358,614
Retiree Reserves	3,333,263	3,116,520
Retiree Death Benefit Reserves	14,708	14,707
Retiree Health Care Benefit Designations	699	1,567
Contingency Reserve	76,991	76,991
Total allocated reserves and designations	6,420,824	6,216,994
Unallocated earnings	-	-
Smoothed actuarial value assets	6,420,824	6,216,994
Market Stabilization Reserve	(280,180)	(1,236,032)
Net assets available for benefits, at fair value	\$6,140,644	\$4,980,962



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NOTE 9 – MORTGAGES PAYABLE

The System has real estate investments secured by long-term mortgage obligations which are recourse loans. Activities related to such mortgages were as follows for the years ended June 30:

	2011	2010
Beginning Balance	\$115,596	\$177,217
Additions	44,350	-
Deductions	(22,252)	(61,621)
Ending Balance	<u>\$137,694</u>	<u>\$115,596</u>

Future debt service requirements for outstanding mortgages are as follows:

Year Ending

June 30	Interest	Principal	Total
2012	\$6,379	\$738	\$7,117
2013	6,122	20,781	26,903
2014	5,319	824	6,143
2015	5,015	11,681	16,696
2016	3,139	63,688	66,827
2017 - 2021	7,724	17,847	25,571
2022 - 2026	5,246	5,688	10,934
2027 - 2031	3,491	7,442	10,933
2032 - 2036	1,200	9,005	10,205
Total	<u>\$43,635</u>	<u>\$137,694</u>	<u>\$181,329</u>

NOTE 10 – LEASE OBLIGATIONS

SCERS has commitments under operating lease agreements for office facilities and equipment. Minimum future rental payments as of June 30, 2011 were as follows:

Year Ending June 30:

2012	\$529
2013	537
2014	538
2015	546
2016	556
2017-2021	2,833
Total	<u>\$5,539</u>

Rental costs during the year ended June 30, 2011 and 2010 were \$522 and \$677, respectively.

NOTE 11 – SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On August 5, 2011, Standard & Poor's lowered its long-term credit rating on debt of the U.S. government from AAA to AA+. That action affected Standard & Poor's view of U.S public finance debt instruments that are directly or indirectly backed by the U.S. As a result, on August 8, 2011, Standard & Poor's lowered its long-term credit ratings of U.S. government-sponsored enterprises and public debt issues that have credit enhancement guarantees by those government-sponsored enterprises to AA+. These credit downgrades relate to the credit risk associated with the System's investments in U.S. Government & Agency Obligations, Federal National Mortgage Association, Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation, and Government National Mortgage Association securities.



REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION

Schedule I - Schedule of funding progress (Dollar amounts expressed in thousands):

A six-year schedule of the funding progress of the System is presented herewith as required supplementary information. This information is intended to help users assess the System's funding status on an ongoing basis, assess progress made in accumulating assets to pay benefits when due, and make comparisons with other public employee retirement systems.

Actuarial Valuation Date June 30	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Annual Covered Payroll (c)	Unfunded AAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b-a)/c)
2006	\$4,848,953	\$5,214,915	\$365,962	93.0%	\$782,572	46.8%
2007	5,406,461	5,788,336	381,875	93.4	832,484	45.9
2008	5,930,758	6,363,355	432,597	93.2	902,971	47.9
2009	5,730,215	6,661,993	931,778	86.0	968,130	96.2
2010*	6,216,994	7,090,497	873,503	87.7	912,644	95.7
2011	6,420,824	7,382,897	962,073	87.0	880,766	109.2

The funded ratio compares the actuarial value of assets to the actuarial accrued liabilities of the plan as calculated under GASB requirements. High ratios indicate a well-funded plan that is well positioned to pay benefits when they are due. Lower ratios may indicate recent changes to benefit structures, funding of the plan below actuarial requirements, poor asset performance, or a variety of other changes.

The UAAL increased from \$873.5 million as of June 30, 2010 to \$962.1 million as of June 30, 2011. The funded ratio decreased from 87.7% to 87.0%. The increase in UAAL is mainly due to lower-than-expected investment returns (after smoothing) offset to some degree by lower than expected salary increases, lower than expected cost-of-living increases for retirees and changes in actuarial assumptions.

* The actuarial gain from the fiscal year 2009-2010 salary experience in the June 30, 2010 valuation was under-reported for the Safety plan which resulted in an overstatement of the actuarial accrued liability (AAL). The June 30, 2010 results shown in this report have been revised to reflect this change.

Schedule II - Schedule of employer contributions (Dollar amounts expressed in thousands):

Year Ended <u>June 30</u>	Annual Required <u>Contribution</u>	Percentage <u>Contributed</u>
2006	\$154,052	86.1%*
2007	156,805	100.0
2008	167,054	100.0
2009	177,011	100.0
2010	167,142	100.0
2011	182,921	100.0

To calculate the required contribution, assumptions are made about future events that effect the amount and timing of benefits to be paid and assets to be accumulated. Each year actual experience is measured against the assumptions. If overall experience is more favorable than anticipated (an actuarial gain), the contribution requirement will decrease from the previous year. On the other hand, the contribution requirement will increase if overall actuarial experience is less favorable than expected. If assumptions are changed, the contribution requirements are adjusted to take into account a change in experience anticipated for all future years.

*Caused by the phase-in of the employer rates adopted by the Board in the June 30, 2004 actuarial valuation.



OTHER SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30
(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Schedule I - Schedule of administrative expenses:

Type of expense:	2011	2010
Salaries and benefits	\$3,755	\$3,215
Professional fees	1,137	719
Equipment purchases and maintenance	35	29
Rent and lease expense	444	576
Depreciation expense	17	5
Other administrative expenses	1,183	1,364
Total administrative expenses	\$6,571	\$5,908

Schedule II - Schedule of investment fees and expenses:

Type of investment expense:	2011	2010
Domestic equity managers	\$6,763	\$5,122
International equity managers	5,306	4,281
Bond managers	1,773	1,695
Hedge fund managers	2,649	2,511
Real estate managers	4,618	5,300
Strategic cash overlay managers	374	286
Opportunity portfolio managers	1,979	1,854
Private equity managers	2,269	1,824
Custodian fees	494	443
Investment consulting fees	484	217
Other investment expenses and fees	1,650	1,237
Total investment fees and expenses	\$28,359	\$24,770

Schedule III - Schedule of payments to consultants:

Type of service:	2011	2010
Legal services	\$1,231	\$1,919
Actuarial services	130	94
Medical consulting services	161	188
Audit and consulting services	114	65
Total payments to consultants	\$1,636	\$2,266



STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

AGENCY FUND

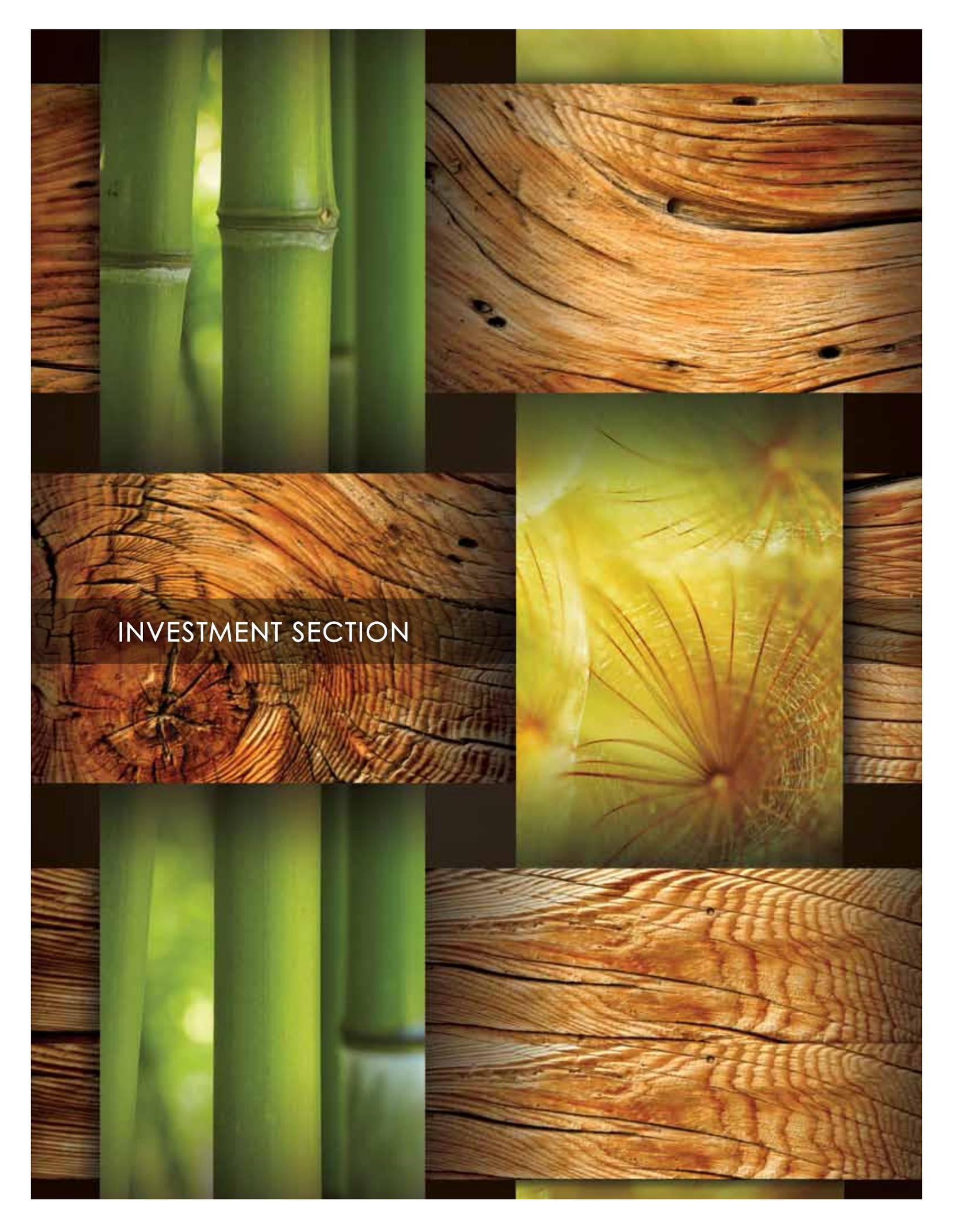
FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2011 AND 2010

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Assets	2011	2010
Beginning Balance	\$28	\$34
Additions	36,339	29,252
Deductions	(36,337)	(29,258)
Ending Balance	\$30	\$28
Liabilities		
Beginning Balance	\$28	\$34
Additions	36,339	29,252
Deductions	(36,337)	(29,258)
Ending Balance	\$30	\$28





The image is a vertical collage of six rectangular panels. The top-left panel shows a close-up of a green bamboo stalk with a node. The top-right panel shows a close-up of a wood grain with a wavy pattern and several small dark knots. The middle-left panel shows a cross-section of a tree trunk with a prominent growth ring and a central pith. The middle-right panel shows a close-up of a pine cone's base, highlighting the radial arrangement of its scales. The bottom-left panel shows another close-up of a green bamboo stalk. The bottom-right panel shows a close-up of a wood grain with a wavy pattern, similar to the top-right panel but with a different texture.

INVESTMENT SECTION

CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER'S REPORT

Introduction

In the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, the U.S. and other developed countries continued to experience a slow economic recovery, which has been markedly below the pace of previous recoveries exiting a recession. After a consolidation in equity markets at the end of the last fiscal year and continuing through the end of August 2010, the equity markets and most of SCERS' asset classes including private equity, real estate, opportunistic credit and commodities staged a remarkable upward climb during the rest of the year. This wide scale asset appreciation can be attributed primarily to macroeconomic events such as the \$600 billion quantitative easing program, "QE2", architected by the Federal Reserve ('Fed'). While corporate profits and the manufacturing sector were strong in the U.S., several forces created occasional and brief headwinds for the market's rise including high unemployment, slow GDP growth, rising commodity prices, the high amount of Federal debt and deficit, and concerns over a European sovereign debt and banking crisis.

Recognizing the path of slower economic growth, the Fed also maintained its accommodative monetary policy, keeping short-term interest rates at historically low levels. Though fixed income markets experienced volatility in Treasury yields, the yield curve including 2-year, 10-year and 30-year Treasury bonds rose during most of the fiscal year. Accordingly, after a brief respite in the beginning of the fiscal year, risk appetite continued with bond investors favoring spread product (non-Treasury taxable bonds), with securities such as mortgage-backed securities, corporate bonds, emerging market debt, and high-yield debt appreciating as spreads continued to tighten. Despite this liquidity, inflation rates remained in check with core CPI, which strips out volatile food and energy prices, up only 1.6% and below the informal 2.0% target of the Fed.

As investors ended the fiscal year, concerns about the global economy began to gain traction and drove markets lower due to indications of slowing economic growth globally, a greater desire for austerity and wish to lower fiscal spending in the developed world, and the uncertainty over the fate of the Euro zone. In addition, the beleaguered U.S. residential housing market began to 'double dip' and indices hit new lows to end the year. While in fiscal year 2010-2011 SCERS benefited from the indiscriminate rise across assets due in large part to the Federal Reserve's efforts to increase liquidity, there was a growing awareness from investors that problems facing economies globally were structural and therefore would depend to a lesser degree on monetary policy and perhaps a greater degree on the difficult future choices which would be made largely by policy makers.

SCERS' investment performance for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011 continued to experience a dramatic recovery from the negative levels of fiscal year 2008-2009. For the period, SCERS' total fund return was 22.7% gross of investment management fees and 22.3% net of investment management fees. The gross return for the fiscal year was 0.2% above SCERS' policy weighted benchmark return of 22.5% and was well above the actuarial return objective of 7.75%. Based on a peer comparison, SCERS' one-year performance ranked at the 30th percentile in the State Street/ICC Universe for public funds with assets greater than \$1 billion. Investments in all asset classes within the SCERS portfolio generated positive returns. Over the trailing five-year period, SCERS' gross annualized investment return was 4.1%. This five-year annualized return was below the actuarial return objective of 7.75% and SCERS' policy benchmark return of 4.9%.

During the fiscal year, several educational sessions were provided by SCERS' staff, investment consultant and various investment managers to assist the Board in making decisions regarding new asset classes and possible new investment strategies. The educational sessions included presentations regarding the benefits of changing SCERS' alternative assets structure; a presentation on the international equity small cap strategy; presentations on the U.S. equity small cap growth strategy; a presentation on SCERS' 2010 investment calendar year in review; presentations regarding alternative assets consulting services; presentations regarding general investment consulting services; presentations on private equity; a presentation on hedge funds; and presentations on SCERS' asset liability study.

SCERS' general investment consultant, Strategic Investment Solutions, Inc. ("SIS"), prepared the investment returns cited in this transmittal using information from SCERS' custodian bank and investment managers.



General Information

SCERS utilizes external investment managers chosen under the supervision of the Retirement Board to invest the System's assets. As of June 30, 2011, there were twenty-three separate account portfolios; three domestic equity commingled funds; one international equity closed-end mutual fund; one international equity partnership; two equity long/short hedge fund-of-funds partnerships; two commodity partnerships; five real estate funds; four private equity fund-of-funds partnerships; two private equity partnerships; three opportunistic credit partnerships; a real asset strategy commingled fund; and a strategic cash overlay program. Each of the accounts is identified on the Summary of Investment Assets schedule.

During the fiscal year, Mercer Investment Consulting ("Mercer") decided to exit general consulting for defined benefit public pension funds. At the time, Mercer served as both SCERS' general consultant and SCERS' real estate consultant. Accordingly, SCERS conducted a search for a general consultant and hired SIS. During the fiscal year, Cliffwater, LLC was also retained to provide dedicated alternative assets consulting services to SCERS. The Board uses the services of SIS as a general investment consultant and Cliffwater as an alternative assets consultant to assist in developing the investment policy; prepare asset/liability studies; advise on the asset allocation; conduct investment manager searches; and help monitor investment manager performance. SCERS' primary legal services regarding the investment program is provided by the in-house General Counsel and is supplemented by Nossaman LLP for real estate investments and outside specialized legal counsel as needed for private equity and various limited partnership investments.

During the fiscal year, SCERS continued to work toward implementation of the strategic asset allocation to Private Equity. In Private Equity, SCERS began to implement the direct private equity program approved in May 2011. Accordingly, SCERS made its first two commitments to Waterland Private Equity Fund V, L.P. and Khosla Venture IV, L.P. In addition, SCERS continues to meet the capital calls for commitments to four private equity fund-of-funds made in the years ended June 30, 2007, 2008 and 2009. Because of the long investment period for SCERS' private equity commitments, it will take a number of years before most of the current commitments will be called and invested. As a result, this asset class will continue to be well below the five percent target for the next several years.

During the fiscal year, SCERS continued to work toward implementation of the strategic asset allocation to the Opportunity asset class. In Opportunities, all commitments have been called and the credit funds (two Term Asset-Backed-Securities Loan Facility funds (TALF), distressed mortgage fund and credit recovery fund) are in the process of returning capital. SCERS' investment in the PIMCO TALF Recovery Fund successfully completed its investments, returning both capital and profits to SCERS. In July 2010, SCERS terminated European Credit Management Limited from an opportunistic European credit mandate. The primary reasons for the termination included poor performance relative to benchmarks, departure of key staff and operational practices below industry standards. No new commitments were made to Opportunities during the fiscal year.

During the fiscal year, SCERS hired two external equity managers to replace two managers terminated in the prior fiscal year. In August 2010, Turner Investment Partners was hired to replace O'Shaughnessy Asset Management and manage a U.S. equity small cap growth strategy. In September 2010, Mondrian Investment Partners was hired to replace AXA Rosenberg and manage an international equity small cap developed strategy.

SCERS' custodial bank is State Street California, Inc ("State Street"). In addition to custodial services (including performance measurement), State Street provides securities lending services to SCERS and, through State Street Global Markets, administers an overlay program and a commission recapture program. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, SCERS earned a net income of \$2.0 million from securities lending and received recapture income of \$0.1 million. SCERS does not use directed-brokerage or soft-dollar commissions to purchase any services.



CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

SCERS Investment Objectives

SCERS' investment objectives are set forth in the Board's Investment Policy and Objectives ("Investment Policy"). SCERS' investment objectives are:

Provide for Present and Future Benefit Payments - The overall investment objective of SCERS is to invest pension assets solely in the interest of providing benefits to the participants and their beneficiaries, while attempting to minimize employer contributions and defraying administrative costs. The investment of contributions and other fund assets in accordance with the Investment Policy is intended to accomplish this and maintain adequate funding of SCERS' liabilities over time. The goal of the Board is to design an investment portfolio that will achieve and exceed the annualized actuarial assumed rate of 7.75% over a market cycle. The Board strives to achieve this level of return with a high level of confidence and with an acceptable level of risk.

Make Prudent Investments - In accordance with the fiduciary standards of care, skill, prudence and diligence, the Board strives to produce an investment return based on levels of liquidity and investment risk that are prudent and reasonable under present circumstances. Such circumstances may change over time.

Diversify the Assets - The Board diversifies the investments of SCERS to maximize the investment return and maintain acceptable investment risk.

Create Reasonable Pension Investments Relative to Other Pension Funds - SCERS' pension investment program must operate in compliance with all applicable State and Federal laws and regulations concerning the investment of pension assets. SCERS judges its selection of investment vehicles and policies against other private and public pension funds, with special emphasis on comparisons with public funds.

Establish Policy and Objective Review Process - Annually, SCERS conducts a formal review of its Investment Policy and undertakes an updated asset/liability study at least every five years.

Summary of Proxy Voting Guidelines and Procedures

As a fiduciary, the Board has an obligation to manage SCERS' assets in the best interest of the plan participants. The Board has established a Proxy Voting and Corporate Governance Policy to assist with this goal. This policy provides guidance for voting proxies and acting on corporate action issues, such as mergers and acquisitions. For the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, all proxies were voted through an electronic voting platform provided by Institutional Shareholder Services, with the assistance of research and analysis provided by Institutional Shareholder Services and Glass Lewis & Co.

Summary of Asset Allocation

The Board develops the strategic asset allocation primarily with the assistance of the general consultant, SIS. SCERS' alternative assets consultant, Cliffwater, collaborates with SIS and provides assistance on the strategic asset allocation for the alternative assets. The intent of the asset allocation policy is to ensure the diversification of investments in a manner that achieves the desired rate of investment return with an acceptable investment risk. The actual and policy allocation for each asset class is shown in the pie chart in the materials that follow. SCERS did not change its long-term capital market assumptions in the fiscal year. The capital market assumptions included in the Investment Policy are estimated to give SCERS a 7.96% annualized total rate of return over the next ten years with a standard deviation of returns of 11.56%. SCERS utilizes active investment management to achieve the target earnings rate. The asset allocation is broadly diversified between asset classes as well as within each class in a manner that ensures consistent long-term performance in line with the policy objectives.



Summary of Investment Results

SCERS monitors capital market investment returns through reference to recognized and easily obtainable market indices, which are used as asset class benchmarks. The benchmark index performance by asset class for one, three and five years is shown on the Investment Results schedule. The asset class benchmark returns are weighted by the asset allocation to provide a policy-weighted return based on SCERS' asset allocation model. SCERS presents its returns using a time-weighted rate of return methodology based upon market values. SCERS' total investment return for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2011, gross of manager fees, was 22.7%. SCERS' policy-weighted benchmark return for the fiscal year was 22.5%.

SCERS also compares its performance against the performance of a peer group of other public funds utilizing a series of universe comparisons provided by SIS. For the fiscal year, the median public fund in the State Street/ICC Universe of public funds with assets of greater than one billion dollars had a return of 21.7%. SCERS ranked at the 30th percentile.

Domestic Equity is SCERS' largest investment asset class. For the fiscal year, SCERS' total domestic equity return was 33.2%, gross of fees. The return exceeded the benchmark Russell 3000 Index return of 32.4%, by 0.8%. Outperformance relative to the benchmark was attributed to better performance within the active U.S. large cap growth portfolio, active U.S. large cap value and U.S. small cap value investments. For the three-year period, SCERS' domestic equity annualized return was 3.9%, gross of fees, compared to the Russell 3000 Index benchmark return of 4.0%. In the domestic equity segment of the State Street/ICC Universe, SCERS ranked at the 52nd percentile for one year and at the 64th percentile for three years.

The domestic equity sub-asset allocation divides investments by stock market capitalization and investment style. Large cap domestic equity is 78% of the domestic equity allocation. The large cap domestic equity investments had a fiscal year 32.3% return, gross of fees, which was 0.4% above the return of the Russell 1000 Index benchmark. The annualized investment return for large cap equity for three years was 2.7%, gross of fees, which was 1.0% less than the benchmark return of 3.7%. The one-year return for small cap equity investments was 35.9%, gross of fees. This return was 1.5% below the benchmark Russell 2000 Index return of 37.4%. For the three-year period, the small cap equity annualized return was 8.4%, gross of fees, which was 0.6% better than the benchmark return of 7.8%.

International Equity returned 28.9% for the fiscal year, gross of fees. This was 1.4% below the benchmark MSCI ACWI Index return of 30.3%. Annualized performance for the three-year period of 1.3%, gross of fees, was 1.2% better than the benchmark return of 0.1%. In the international equity segment of the State Street/ICC Universe, SCERS ranked at the 69th percentile for one year and at the 39th percentile for three years.

SCERS' international equity investments are classified into two categories, established markets and emerging markets, determined by country. For the fiscal year, SCERS' established market investments returned 30.7%, gross of fees, which was 0.2% below the benchmark MSCI EAFE Net Dividend Index return of 30.9%. Over the trailing three-year period, the established market annualized return was (0.1)%, gross of fees, compared to a MSCI EAFE Net Dividend Index return of (1.3)%. For the fiscal year, the emerging markets gross of fees return of 24.3% was better than the established market return but was below the return of the benchmark MSCI Emerging Markets Free Index return of 28.2%. For the three-year period, SCERS' annualized return of 5.6%, gross of fees, came in above the benchmark return of 4.5%, by 1.1%.

SCERS' Fixed Income investments had a fiscal year 7.2% return, gross of fees, which was 3.3% above the benchmark Barclays Capital Aggregate Index return of 3.9%. For the three-year period, the fixed income asset class annualized return was 10.0%, gross of fees, compared to the benchmark return of 6.5%. In the fixed income segment of the State Street/ICC Universe, SCERS' Fixed Income return ranked in the 14th percentile for one year and at the 6th percentile for three years.



CHIEF INVESTMENT OFFICER'S REPORT (CONTINUED)

With respect to Hedge Funds, the equity long/short hedge fund-of-funds investments also experienced investment gains, although less than those for the long-only U.S. equity investments. For the fiscal year, the two hedge fund-of-funds investment portfolios had a return of 11.4%, gross of fees. The performance objective for the hedge fund-of-funds investments is the T-Bill plus five percent, which returned 5.2%. Another comparison measure is the HFRI Fund of Funds Composite Index, which returned 6.7% for the fiscal year.

The Real Estate asset class had a fiscal year 27.4% return, gross of fees, which was 10.7% better than the NCREIF Property Index return of 16.7%. Over three years, the real estate portfolio annualized return was (4.3)%, gross of fees, compared to the NCREIF Property Index return of (2.6)%. In the real estate segment of the State Street/ICC Universe, SCERS one-year return for the real estate asset class ranked at the 23rd percentile and at the 30th percentile for three years. Please note that although the amounts reported in the financial statements reflect fair values at June 30, the value added real estate sub-asset class returns previously cited are delayed one quarter.

The Private Equity investments had a return of 8.8%, gross of fees, for the fiscal year compared to the 17.7% return of the asset class benchmark, the S&P 500 index plus two percent. The significant underperformance for SCERS' investments reflects the J-curve effect on the private equity fund-of-fund investments, which are early in their investment cycle with low amounts of committed capital having been called and invested. Please note that although the amounts reported in the financial statements reflect fair values at June 30, the private equity asset class returns previously cited are delayed one quarter.

The Opportunities investments are a mix of strategies which currently include investments in credit strategies, commodities investments, and investments in a real asset return strategy. For the fiscal year, the credit markets continued to experience a significant narrowing of spreads, which translated to strong returns for SCERS' opportunistic credit investments. The returns for individual investments ranged from 10.0% to 30.4%, gross of fees. Commodities investments, which are made up of energy, industrial metals, precious metals, agricultural and foods experienced strong returns of 32.0%, gross of fees. The real asset strategy, which invests in inflation-protecting assets such as global equity resource stocks, commodities, Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REITS") and Treasury Inflation-Protected Securities ("TIPS") returned 29.3%, gross of fees, for the year. Over time the Opportunities investment portfolio is expected to diversify SCERS' investment risk by combining investments with a traditionally low correlation to equity investments and adequate returns.

Respectfully submitted,

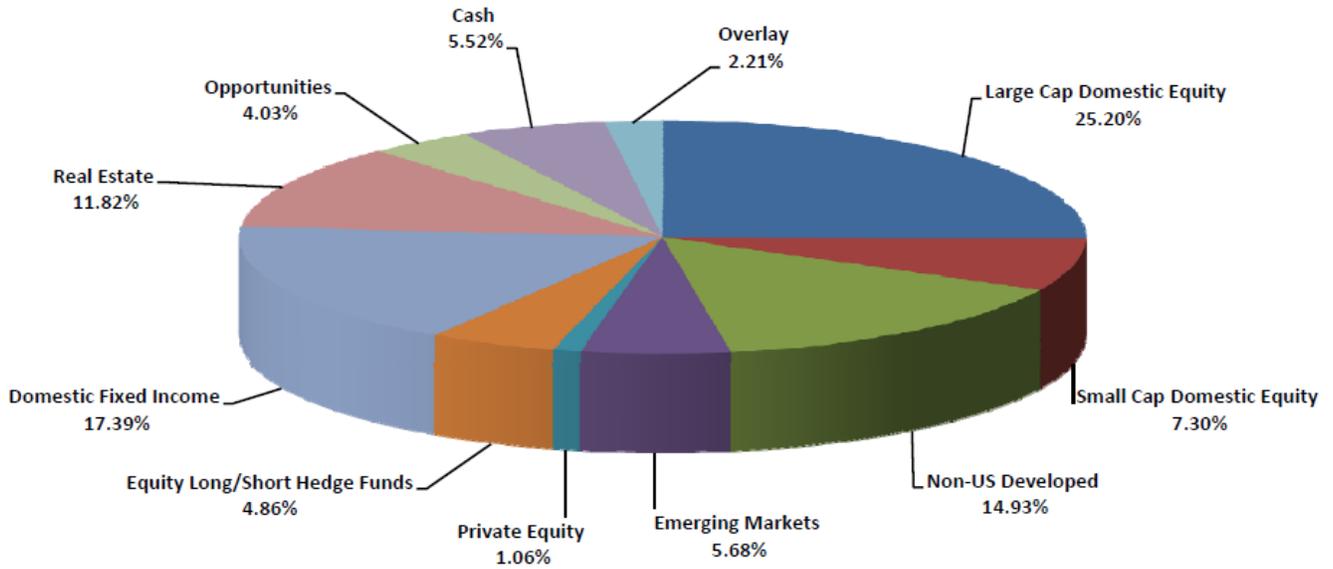


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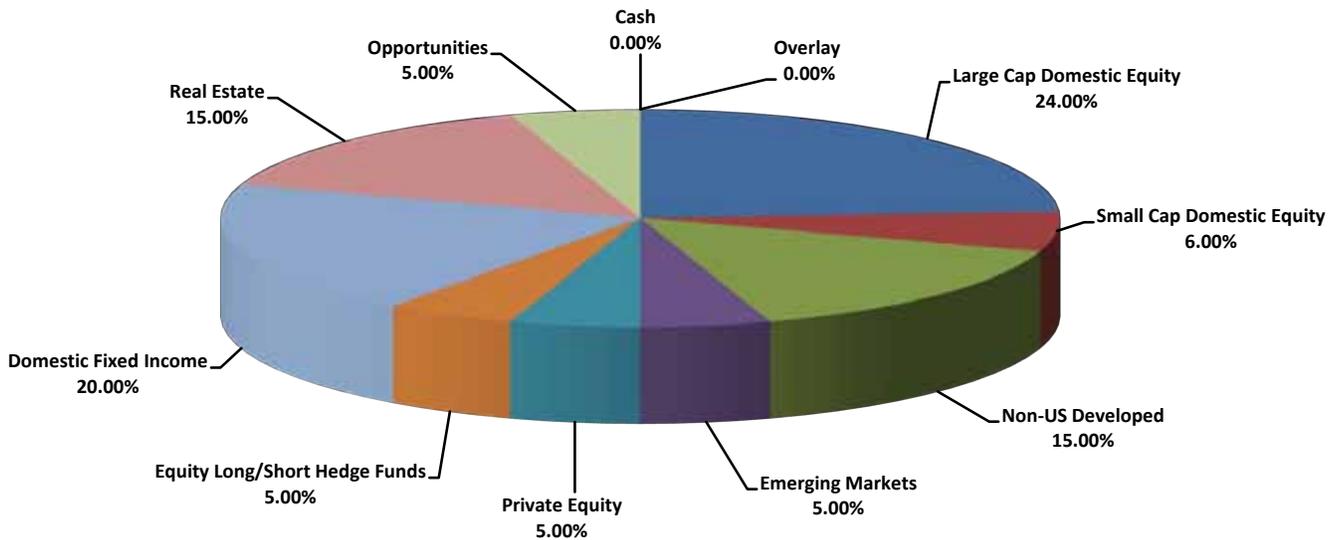


ASSET ALLOCATION

SCERS' Asset Allocation as of June 30, 2011



Target Asset Allocation



The 2011 Actual Asset Allocation is based upon the Investment Summary adjusted to net out \$137.7 million in leverage.

INVESTMENT PROFESSIONALS

As of June 30, 2011

Equity - Domestic

Alliance Bernstein LP
BlackRock, Inc.
Dalton, Greiner, Hartman, Maher & Co. LLC
INTECH Investment Management LLC
JP Morgan Asset Management
LSV Asset Management
M.A. Weatherbie & Co., Inc.
Pzena Investment Management, LLC
Thompson Siegel & Walmsley LLC
Turner Investments Partners
UBS Global Asset Management
Wedge Capital Management, LLP
Wells Capital Management

Equity Long/Short Hedge Fund-of-Funds

Blackstone Group LP
Grosvenor Capital Management LP

Equity - International

Capital Guardian Trust Company
Capital International, Inc.
INVESCO Institutional, Inc.
LSV Asset Management
Mondrian Investment Partners
William Blair & Co.

Fixed Income

Bradford & Marzec Global Fixed Income Management
Metropolitan West Asset Management
Neuberger Berman Fixed Income LLC

Private Equity

Abbott Capital Private Equity Fund VI, LP
Goldman Sachs Private Equity Partners X, LP
HarbourVest Partners LLC
Khosla Ventures IV, LP
Waterland Private Equity Fund V, LP

Opportunities

Blackstone Resources Select Offshore Fund, Ltd.
Metropolitan West Asset Management
Neuberger Berman Strategic Commodities Fund, Ltd.
PIMCO LLC
State Street Global Advisors
Stone Tower Capital

Real Estate

AEW Capital Management
BlackRock, Inc.
CBRE Global Real Estate Securities
Cornerstone Real Estate Advisors LLC
Hines Interests LP
Principal Global Investors LLC
UBS Realty Investors LLC
Urdang Securities Management, Inc.

Strategic Cash Overlay

State Street Global Advisors

Legal Counsel

Foley & Lardner LLP
Nossaman LLP
Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP

Investment Consultant

Cliffwater LLC
Strategic Investment Solutions, Inc.

Proxy Advisor

Glass Lewis & Co.
Institutional Shareholder Services



INVESTMENT RESULTS

For the Period Ended June 30, 2011

	Annualized		
	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
Domestic Equity			
Total Domestic Equity	33.2 %	3.9 %	2.8 %
MASTU Equity Universe Median	33.5	5.3	4.4
Benchmark: Russell 3000 Index	32.4	4.0	3.2
Equity Hedge Fund of Funds			
Total Hedge Funds	11.4	(0.4)	2.9
CS Tremont Hedge Funds Long/Short Equity Index	8.9	1.2	4.0
Benchmark: Treasury Bill plus five percent	5.2	5.4	7.0
Private Equity			
Total Private Equity*	8.8	(19.7)	N/A
S&P 500 + 2%	17.7	4.5	N/A
International Equity			
Total International Equity	28.9	1.3	4.7
MASTU International Equity Universe Median	30.5	0.3	3.6
Benchmark: MSCI ACWI ex-US Index	30.3	0.1	4.6
Fixed Income			
Total Fixed Income	7.2	10.0	8.4
MASTU Fixed Income Universe Median	4.9	7.3	7.0
Benchmark: Barclays Aggregate Index	3.9	6.5	6.5
Real Estate			
Total Real Estate	27.4	(4.3)	1.3
MASTU Real Estate Universe Median	18.5	(8.8)	(0.5)
Benchmark: NCREIF Classic Property Index	16.7	(2.6)	3.4
Opportunities			
Total Opportunities	30.7	(0.9)	N/A
Benchmark: Barclays Aggregate Index	3.9	6.5	N/A
Total Fund			
SCERS Total Fund	22.7	2.7	4.1
Total Public Funds > \$1 Billion Median	21.7	3.6	4.8
Benchmark: Asset Allocation Weighting**	22.5	3.1	4.9

Notes: Returns were prepared by SCERS investment consultant, and shown on a gross of fee basis and included the overlay effect. Return calculations were prepared using a time weighted rate of return.

* Investment return and index return are one quarter in arrears.

** The Benchmark consists of 30% Russell 3000, 20% MSCI AC World ex U.S., 20% Barclays Aggregate, 12% NCREIF Property, 3% NAREIT Property, 5% T-Bill plus 5%, 5% Dow Jones UBS Commodity, and 5% S&P 500 plus 2% (for private equity). From 2/1/06 to 12/31/07, the Benchmark consisted of 30% Russell 1000, 5% Russell 2000, 25% Barclays Aggregate, 15% MSCI EAFE, 5% MSCI Emerging Markets Free, 12% NCREIF Property, 3% NAREIT Property, and 5% T-Bill plus 5%.



SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT ASSETS

As of June 30, 2011

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Equities	Fair Value	Percentage of Total Cash & Investments
Domestic		
AllianceBernstein LP - Large Cap Core Index	\$699,591	10.97%
BlackRock - Equity Active Extension (130/30)	64,174	1.01
BlackRock Financial Management - Enhanced Large Cap Core Index	97,258	1.53
Dalton, Greiner, Hartman, Maher - Small Cap Value	105,409	1.65
InTech - Large Cap Growth	142,938	2.24
JP Morgan Asset Management - Equity Active Extension (130/30)	69,078	1.08
LSV Asset Management - Large Cap Value	134,068	2.10
M.A. Weatherbie - Small Cap Growth	108,344	1.70
Pzena Investment Management - Large Cap Value	143,117	2.24
Thompson, Siegel & Walmsley - Small Cap Value	53,087	0.83
Turner Investment Partners - Small Cap Growth	121,041	1.90
UBS Global Asset Management - Equity Active Extension (130/30)	64,478	1.01
Wedge Capital Management - Small Cap Value	61,971	0.97
Wells Capital Management - Large Cap Growth	128,802	2.02
Total Domestic Equity	<u>1,993,356</u>	
International		
Capital Guardian Trust Company - MSCI EAFE Growth	243,508	3.82
Capital International - MSCI Emerging Markets Growth	348,522	5.47
Invesco Institutional - MSCI EAFE Core	290,371	4.55
LSV Asset Management - MSCI EAFE Value	225,311	3.53
Mondrian Investment Partners - MSCI US Small Cap	68,435	1.07
William Blair - MSCI Small Cap Growth	85,586	1.34
Total International Equity	<u>1,261,733</u>	
Hedge Fund of Funds		
Blackstone Alternative	151,113	2.37
Grosvenor Capital Management	146,967	2.31
Total Hedge Fund of Funds	<u>298,080</u>	
Private Equity		
Abbott Capital Management	9,095	0.14
Goldman Sachs PEP X, LP	24,647	0.39
HarbourVest Partners VIII	32,142	0.50
HarbourVest Partners International PEP VI	2,517	0.04
Total Private Equity	<u>68,401</u>	
Total Equities	<u>3,621,570</u>	
Fixed Income		
Domestic		
Bradford & Marzec - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	313,255	4.91
Metropolitan West Asset Management - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	391,797	6.14
Neuberger Berman - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	383,095	6.01
Total Domestic Fixed Income	<u>1,088,147</u>	
International		
Bradford & Marzec - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	49,903	0.78
Metropolitan West Asset Management - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	3,960	0.06
Neuberger Berman - Barclay's Capital Aggregate Index	18,129	0.28
Total International Fixed Income	<u>71,992</u>	
Total Fixed Income	<u>1,160,139</u>	



SUMMARY OF INVESTMENT ASSETS (CONTINUED)

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

	Fair Value	Percentage of Total Cash & Investments
Real Estate		
AEW Value Investors II, L.P.	11,765	0.19
Allegis Value Trust	19,130	0.30
BlackRock Realty - Separate Account	316,200	4.96
CB Richard Ellis Global	110,613	1.74
Cornerstone Patriot Fund	65,929	1.03
Cornerstone Realty - Separate Account	159,000	2.49
Granite Property Fund	42,914	0.67
Hines US Office Value Fund II	10,686	0.17
Other Commingled Trusts	8	0.00
Principal Global Investor	59,054	0.93
Urdang Securities Management	64,199	1.01
Total Real Estate	859,498	
Futures Overlay		
State Street Global Advisors	135,590	2.13
Total Futures Overlay	135,590	
Opportunities		
Blackstone Resources Select Offshore Fund	71,342	1.12
Metropolitan West Asset Management TALF	14,157	0.22
Neuberger Berman Strategic Commodities Fund	45,108	0.71
PIMCO Distressed Debt Fund	45,888	0.72
State Street Global Advisors - Real Asset Strategy	35,612	0.56
Stone Tower	35,763	0.56
Total Opportunities	247,870	
Total Investments at Fair Value	6,024,667	
Cash		
Cash (Unallocated)	331,018	5.19
Other Cash & Cash Equivalents	21,901	0.34
Total Cash & Investments	6,377,586	100.00%
Other Assets		
Receivables	98,839	
Other Assets	3,328	
Securities Lending Collateral	594,787	
Total Other Assets	696,954	
Total Assets	7,074,540	
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable	24,020	
Investment Purchased Payable	173,802	
Mortgages Payable	137,694	
Warrants Payable	3,593	
Securities Lending Liability	594,787	
Total Liabilities	933,896	
Net Assets Held in Trust for Pension Benefits	\$6,140,644	

Note: Allocated assets include cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments with fiscal agents.



SCHEDULE OF MANAGER FEES

For the Year Ended June 30, 2011
(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Domestic Equity

Alliance Bernstein LP	\$146
BlackRock - Equity Active Extension (130/30)	206
BlackRock - Enhanced Large Cap Core Index	173
Dalton, Greiner, Hartman, Maher	1,077
INTECH Investment	642
JP Morgan Asset Management	479
LSV Asset Management	226
M.A. Weatherbie	843
Pzena Investment Management	378
Thompson Siegel & Walmsley	498
Turner Investment Partners	648
UBS Global Asset Management	181
Wedge Capital Management	585
Wells Capital Management	681
Total Domestic Equity	6,763

Hedge Fund of Funds

The Blackstone Group	1,426
Grosvenor Capital Management	1,223
Total Hedge Fund of Funds	2,649

International Equity

Capital Guardian Trust Company	726
Capital International	2,084
INVESCO Institutional	1,173
LSV Asset Management	204
Mondrian Investment Partners	389
William Blair	730
Total International Equity	5,306

Fixed Income

Bradford & Marzec Global Fixed Income Management	863
Metropolitan West Asset Management	702
Neuberger Berman Fixed Income	208
Total Fixed Income	1,773

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SCHEDULE OF MANAGER FEES (CONTINUED)

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Real Estate

AEW Capital Management	180
BlackRock - Separate Account	1,317
BlackRock - Granite Property Fund	186
CBRE Global	302
Cornerstone Real Estate Advisors - Patriot Fund	567
Cornerstone Real Estate Advisors - Separate Account	995
Hines - U.S. Office Value Added Fund II	260
Principal Global Investors	183
UBS Realty Investors - Allegis Value Trust	134
Urdang Securities Management	494
Total Real Estate	4,618

Futures Overlay

State Street Global Advisors	374
Total Futures Overlay	374

Opportunities

Blackstone Resources Select Offshore Fund	635
Neuberger Berman Strategic Commodities Fund	295
PIMCO Distressed Mortgage Fund	618
State Street Global Advisors - Real Asset Strategy	56
Stone Tower Capital	375
Total Opportunities	1,979

Private Equity

Abbott Capital Private Equity Fund VI	663
Goldman Sachs Private Equity Partners X	750
HarbourVest International Private Equity Partners VI	357
HarbourVest Partners	499
Total Private Equity	2,269

Total Manager Fees

\$25,731



TEN LARGEST STOCK HOLDINGS (BY FAIR VALUE)

As of June 30, 2011

Rank	Shares	Security Name	Fair Value (in thousands)
1	436,239	Exxon Mobil Corp.	\$35,501
2	84,215	Apple Inc.	28,268
3	179,052	Chevron Corp.	18,414
4	391,869	JP Morgan Chase & Co.	16,043
5	607,504	Microsoft Corp.	15,795
6	189,717	BNP Paribas	14,641
7	175,391	Sanofi	14,098
8	207,531	Johnson & Johnson	13,805
9	79,603	IBM	13,656
10	659,515	Pfizer Inc.	13,586
Total of Ten Largest Stock Holdings			\$183,807

A complete list of the stock holdings is available.

TEN LARGEST BOND HOLDINGS (BY FAIR VALUE)

As of June 30, 2011

Rank	Par	Security Name	Interest Rate	Maturity	Fair Value (in thousands)
1	15,040,000	United States Treasury N/B	3.50%	2/15/2039	\$12,916
2	11,960,160	FED HM LN PC Pool G06241	4.50%	2/1/2041	12,451
3	11,245,000	FNMA TBA Jul 30 Single Fam	4.00%	12/1/2099	11,245
4	8,710,000	United States Treasury N/B	0.50%	10/15/2013	8,696
5	7,965,581	FED HM LN PC Pool G05888	5.50%	10/1/2039	8,643
6	7,510,000	GNMA II TBA Jul 30 4.5PCT	4.50%	12/1/2099	7,903
7	6,930,360	Federal Home Loan Mtg TR	6.00%	8/15/2035	7,730
8	7,510,000	GNMA	4.00%	12/1/2099	7,650
9	6,614,000	Australian Government	5.75%	5/15/2021	7,374
10	7,330,000	Freddie Mac	1.00%	10/12/2012	7,332
Total of Ten Largest Bond Holdings					\$91,940

A complete list of the bond holdings is available.



SCHEDULE OF EQUITY BROKERAGE COMMISSIONS

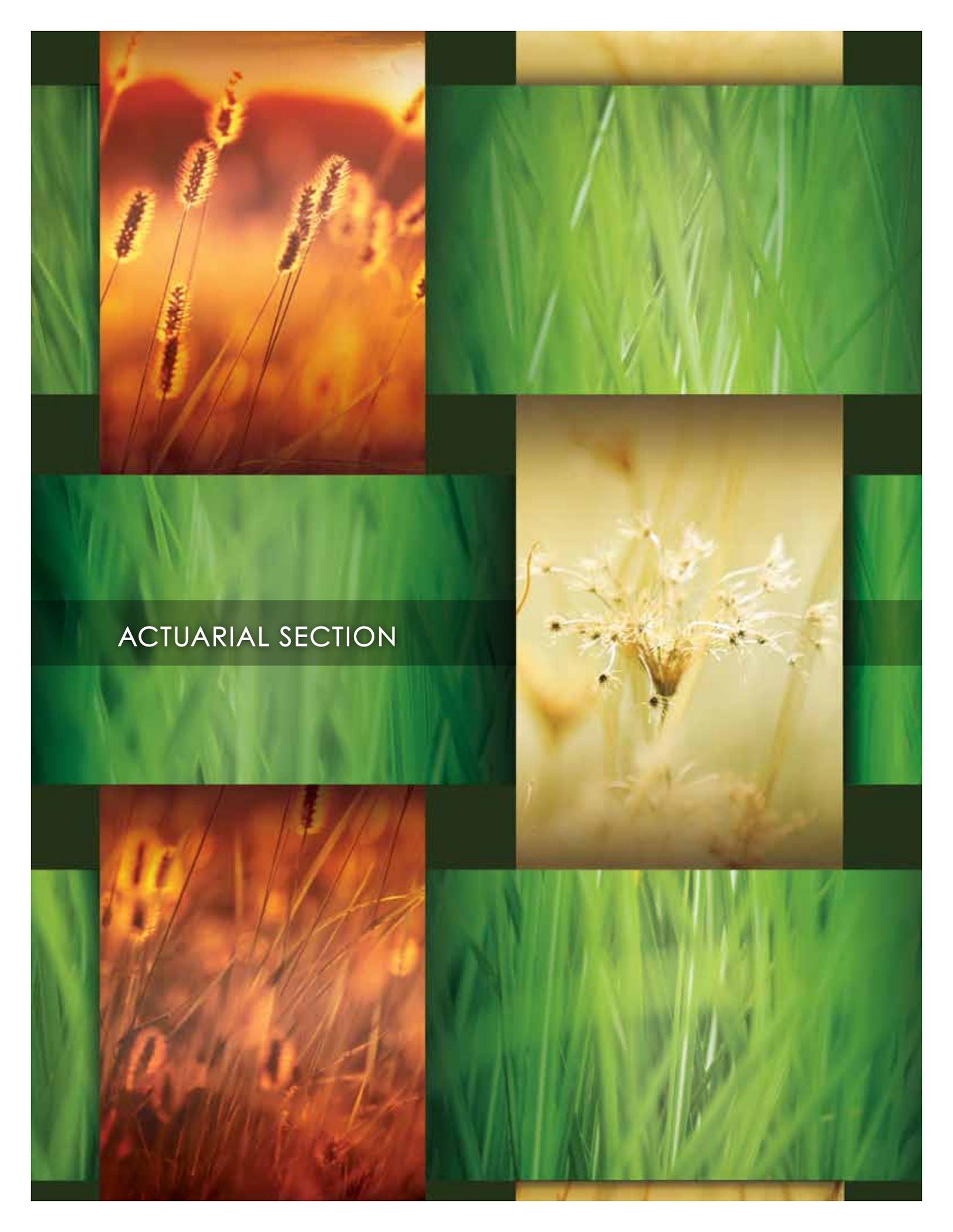
For the Year Ended June 30, 2011

Brokerage Firm	Commission Per Share	Shares/Par Value	Total Commission	Total of Commission
Credit Suisse Securities (USA), LLC	\$0.015	8,466,791	\$124,328	5.08%
Liquidnet Inc.	0.023	4,650,848	108,871	4.45
State Street Global Markets	0.012	8,727,290	103,125	4.22
Capital Institutional Svcs Inc. Equities	0.035	2,558,009	89,358	3.65
Merrill Lynch Pierce Fenner & Smith Inc.	0.013	6,829,034	87,026	3.56
UBS Securities, LLC	0.019	4,181,431	81,262	3.32
BNY ConvergeX	0.035	2,239,247	78,271	3.20
Goldman Sachs & Co.	0.013	5,418,989	71,075	2.91
Deutsche Bank Securities Inc.	0.014	5,049,279	71,059	2.90
Citigroup Global Markets Inc.	0.016	3,947,981	64,601	2.64
Morgan Stanley Co. Incorporated	0.012	5,118,289	63,407	2.59
Investment Technology Group	0.021	2,964,429	62,092	2.54
Broadcortcapital (Thru ML)	0.035	1,580,969	55,422	2.27
State Street Bank and Trust Co.	0.002	26,397,779	44,350	1.81
Jefferies & Company Inc.	0.025	1,606,245	39,987	1.63
Themis Trading, LLC	0.040	960,669	38,427	1.57
China Intl Cap Corp. Hk Secs LTD	0.015	2,508,000	37,639	1.54
Raymond James & Associates Inc.	0.040	849,617	33,770	1.38
Credit Suisse Securities (Europe) LTD	0.023	1,429,443	32,791	1.34
J.P. Morgan Securities Limited	0.018	1,703,376	30,345	1.24
J.P. Morgan Securities Inc.	0.019	1,490,400	28,978	1.18
Stifel Nicolaus & Co. Inc.	0.039	717,641	27,932	1.14
Barclays Capital LE	0.028	988,212	27,741	1.13
BNY Brokerage	0.035	798,351	27,706	1.13
RBC Capital Markets	0.027	915,922	25,087	1.03
All Other Brokerage Firms*	0.012	85,755,471	991,942	40.54
Total Brokerage Commissions	\$0.013	187,853,712	\$2,446,592	100.00%
Brokerage Commission Recapture			(124,391)	
Net Brokerage Commissions			\$2,322,201	

*All other brokerage firms is comprised of approximately 279 additional firms, each receiving less than 1% of total commissions. A complete list of brokerage fees is available.







ACTUARIAL SECTION

ACTUARIAL CERTIFICATION LETTER



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November 21, 2011

Board of Retirement
Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System
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Re: Actuarial Valuation for the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System

Dear Members of the Board:

The Segal Company prepared the June 30, 2011 actuarial valuation of the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System. We certify that the valuation was performed in accordance with generally accepted actuarial principles and practices. In particular, it is our understanding that the assumptions and methods used for funding purposes meet the parameters of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement No. 25.

As part of the June 30, 2011 actuarial valuation, The Segal Company (Segal) conducted an examination of all participant data for reasonableness. Summaries of the employee data used in performing the actuarial valuations over the past several years are provided in our valuation report. We did not audit the System's financial statements. For actuarial valuation purposes, Plan assets are valued at Actuarial Value. Under this method, the assets used to determine employer contribution rates take into account market value by recognizing the differences between the total actual investment return at market value and the expected investment return from the prior five years. Investment gains/losses established before July 1, 2008 have been recognized over a five-year period. Investment gains/losses established after July 1, 2008 will be recognized over a seven-year period and the deferred return is further adjusted, if necessary, so that the actuarial value of assets will stay within 30% of the market value of assets.

One of the general goals of an actuarial valuation is to establish contribution rates which, over time, will remain level as a percentage of payroll unless Plan benefit provisions are changed. Actuarial funding is based on the Entry Age Normal Cost Method. Under this method, the employer contribution rate provides for current cost (normal cost) plus a level percentage of payroll to amortize any unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL). Actuarial gains and losses are incorporated into the UAAL and are amortized over the same period.

The UAAL established as a result of the 2010 Early Retirement Incentive Program for the Sacramento County Law Enforcement Managers Association (LEMA) members is amortized

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as a level percentage of payroll over a 10-year period beginning June 30, 2010. The System's remaining UAAL as of June 30, 2011 is amortized as a level percentage of payroll over a declining 24-year period. The progress being made towards meeting the funding objective through June 30, 2011 is illustrated in the Schedule of Funding Progress.

For the Financial Section of the Comprehensive Annual Financial Report, Segal provided the Schedule of Funding Progress as shown in the Required Supplementary Information. A listing of the other supporting schedules Segal prepared for inclusion in the actuarial, statistical, and financial sections of the System's CAFR is provided below:

1. Retirees and beneficiaries added to and removed from retiree payroll;
2. Solvency test; and
3. Schedule of retiree members by type of benefit.

The valuation assumptions included in the Actuarial Section were adopted by the Retirement Board based on the June 30, 2010 Experience Analysis or in conjunction with the June 30, 2011 actuarial valuation. It is our opinion that the assumptions used in the June 30, 2011 valuation produce results, which, in the aggregate, reflect the future experience of the Plan. Actuarial valuations are performed on an annual basis. An experience analysis is performed every three years. The next experience analysis is due to be performed as of June 30, 2013.

In the June 30, 2011 valuation, the ratio of the valuation assets to actuarial accrued liabilities decreased from 87.7% to 87.0%. The employer's rate has increased from 21.43% of payroll to 22.52% of payroll, while the employee's rate has decreased from 6.19% of payroll to 6.17% of payroll.

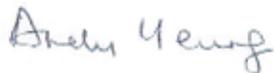
In the June 30, 2011 valuation, the actuarial value of assets included \$280.2 million in deferred investment losses, which represented 5% of the market value of assets. If these deferred investment losses (net of amounts held in the Contingency Reserve) were recognized immediately in the actuarial value of assets, the funded percentage would decrease from 87.0% to 84.1% and the aggregate employer contribution rate, expressed as a percent of payroll, would increase from 22.52% to 24.01%.

The undersigned are Members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the qualification standards to render the actuarial opinion contained herein.

Sincerely,



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Senior Vice President and Actuary



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Vice President and Associate Actuary

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Enclosures

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

The following assumptions and methods have been adopted by the Board for the June 30, 2011 valuation on November 10, 2011.

Assumptions:

Valuation Interest Rate and Rate of Return on Investments:	7.75% net of administration and investment expenses
Inflation Assumption:	3.50%
Cost-of-Living Adjustment:	3.40% for Miscellaneous and Safety Tier 1 Members 0.00% for Miscellaneous Tier 2 Members 2.00% for Miscellaneous Tier 3 and Safety Tier 2 Members
Employee Contribution Crediting Rate:	5-year Treasury rate, assuming sufficient net investment earnings
Post-Retirement Mortality:	
a) Service	For Miscellaneous Members and Beneficiaries - RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table set back two years For Safety Members - RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table set back one year
b) Disability	For Miscellaneous Members - RP-2000 Disabled Retiree Mortality Table set forward one year For Safety Members - RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table set back one year
c) Employee Contribution Rate	For Miscellaneous Members - RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table set back two years weighted 40% male and 60% female For Safety Members - RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Table set back one year weighted 70% male and 30% female
Pre-Retirement Mortality:	Based upon the 6/30/2010 Experience Analysis
Withdrawal Rates:	Based upon the 6/30/2010 Experience Analysis
Disability Rates:	Based upon the 6/30/2010 Experience Analysis
Service Retirement Rates:	Based upon the 6/30/2010 Experience Analysis
Salary Increases:	Merit and longevity increases are based upon the 6/30/2010 Experience Analysis plus 3.50% inflation and across the board salary increases of 0.25% per year



SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS (CONTINUED)

Actuarial Value of Assets:	The market value of assets less unrecognized returns in each of the last five years. Unrecognized return is equal to the difference between actual and expected returns on a market value basis and up to June 30, 2008 is recognized over a five-year period. Unrecognized return established after July 1, 2008 is recognized over a seven-year period. The actuarial value is further adjusted, if necessary, to be within 30% of the market value.
Valuation Value of Assets:	Actuarial value of assets reduced by the value of non-valuation reserves and designations.
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. Entry Age is the age at the members' hire date. Actuarial Accrued Liability is calculated on an individual basis and is based on costs allocated as a level percentage of compensation. The Normal Cost is calculated on an aggregate basis by taking the Present Value of Future Normal Costs divided by the Present Value of Future Salaries to obtain a normal cost rate. This normal cost rate is then multiplied by the total current salaries. The total Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is amortized over a declining 24-year period. The Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability established as a result of the Early Retirement Incentive Program for LEMA members is amortized over a 10-year period beginning June 30, 2010.
Percentage of Members Married at Retirement:	80% for male members and 55% for female members
Retirement Age for Deferred Vested Members:	Miscellaneous Members - 59 Safety Members - 53
Percentage Eligible for Reciprocal Benefits:	Miscellaneous Members - 50% Safety Members - 60%



SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Briefly summarized below are the major provisions of the County Employees' Retirement Law of 1937, as amended through June 30, 2011, that are applicable to the Sacramento County Employees' Retirement System.

Membership

Miscellaneous employees entering before September 27, 1981 are Tier 1 members. Miscellaneous employees entering after September 27, 1981 and June 27, 1993 are members of Tier 2 or Tier 3, respectively. Safety members entering before June 24, 1995 are Tier 1 members. Safety members entering after June 24, 1995 are Tier 2 members.

Final Average Salary

Final average salary ("FAS") is defined as the highest 12 consecutive months of compensation earnable for Tier 1 and highest 36 consecutive months for Tier 2 and Tier 3.

Return of Contributions

Upon separation from service, a member may elect to leave his or her contributions on deposit. If the member has five or more years of service, he or she may elect to receive a deferred benefit when eligible for retirement. If the member has less than five years of service, he or she may request a return of contributions, plus interest, at any time.

Service Retirement Benefit

Members with 10 years of service who have attained the age of 50 are eligible to retire. Members with 30 years of service (20 years for Safety), regardless of age, are eligible to retire.

The benefit expressed as a percentage of monthly FAS per year of service, depending on age at retirement, is illustrated below for typical ages. For members whose benefit is integrated with Social Security, the benefit is reduced by one-third of the percentage shown below times the first \$350 of monthly FAS per year of service after January 1, 1956.

Age	Miscellaneous	Safety
50	1.48%	3.00%
55	1.95%	3.00%
60	2.44%	3.00%
62	2.61%	3.00%
65 and over	2.61%	3.00%



Disability Benefit

Members with five years of service, regardless of age, are eligible for nonservice-connected disability.

For Miscellaneous Tier 1 members, the benefit is 1.5% (1.8% for Safety Tier 1 members) of FAS for each year of service. If this benefit does not equal one-third of FAS, the benefit is increased by the same percentage of FAS for the years which would have been credited to age 65 (age 55 for Safety members), but the total benefit in this case cannot be more than one-third of FAS.

For Tier 2 and Tier 3 members, the benefit is 20% of FAS for the first five years of service plus 2% for each additional year for a maximum of 40% of FAS.

If the disability is service connected, the member may retire regardless of length of service, with a benefit of 50% of FAS or 100% Service Retirement benefit, if greater.

Death Benefit (Before Retirement)

In addition to the return of contributions, a death benefit is payable to the member's beneficiary or estate equal to one month's salary for each completed year of service under the retirement system, based on the final year's average salary, but not to exceed six (6) month's salary.

If a member dies while eligible for service retirement or nonservice-connected disability, the spouse receives 60% of the allowance that the member would have received for retirement.

If a member dies in the performance of duty, the spouse receives 50% of the member's final average salary or 100% of Service Retirement benefit, if greater.

Death Benefit (After Retirement)

If a member dies after retirement, a \$4,000 lump burial allowance is paid to the beneficiary or estate.

If the retirement was for service-connected disability, 100% of the member's allowance as it was at death is continued to the eligible spouse for life.

If the retirement was for other than service-connected disability and the member elected the unmodified option, 60% of the member's allowance is continued to an eligible spouse for life.

An eligible spouse is a surviving spouse who was married to the member at least one year prior to the date of retirement.

Maximum Benefit

The maximum benefit payable to a member or beneficiary is 100% of FAS.



SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS (CONTINUED)

Cost-of-Living

The maximum increase in retirement allowance is 4% per year for Miscellaneous and Safety Tier I members and 2% for Safety Tier 2 and Miscellaneous Tier 3 members. Miscellaneous Tier 2 members have no cost-of-living benefit. The cost-of-living increases effective in the month of April are based on the change in the Consumer Price Index for the calendar year preceding April.

Contribution Rates

Basic member contribution rates are based on the age-nearest birthday at entry into the System (single rate for entrants after January 1, 1975). The rates are such as to provide an average annuity at age 55 equal to 1/240 of FAS for Miscellaneous members and equal to 1/100 of FAS at age 50 for Safety members. For members integrated with Social Security, the above contributions are reduced by one-third of that portion of such contribution payable with respect to the first \$350 of monthly salary. Cost-of-living contribution rates are designed to pay for one-half of the future cost-of-living costs. Member contributions are refundable upon termination from the system.

The employer contribution rates are actuarially determined to provide for the balance of the contributions needed to fund the benefits promised under the Retirement System.



SCHEDULE OF ACTIVE MEMBER VALUATION DATA

Valuation Date	Plan Type	Number	Annual Payroll (in thousands)	Annual Average Pay (in thousands)	% Increase in Average Pay*
6/30/2011	Miscellaneous	10,521	\$701,494	\$66.7	3.73%
	Safety	1,913	179,272	93.7	2.52
	Total	<u>12,434</u>	<u>\$880,766</u>	<u>\$70.8</u>	<u>3.51%</u>
6/30/2010	Miscellaneous	11,312	\$727,445	\$64.3	4.38%
	Safety	2,028	185,283	91.4	6.65
	Total	<u>13,340</u>	<u>\$912,728</u>	<u>\$68.4</u>	<u>4.59%</u>
6/30/2009	Miscellaneous	12,454	\$767,501	\$61.6	10.58%
	Safety	2,342	200,629	85.7	8.51
	Total	<u>14,796</u>	<u>\$968,130</u>	<u>\$65.4</u>	<u>10.00%</u>
6/30/2008	Miscellaneous	12,725	\$709,159	\$55.7	4.96%
	Safety	2,455	193,812	78.9	5.96
	Total	<u>15,180</u>	<u>\$902,971</u>	<u>\$59.5</u>	<u>5.15%</u>
6/30/2007	Miscellaneous	12,327	\$654,497	\$53.1	4.16%
	Safety	2,389	177,987	74.5	4.53
	Total	<u>14,716</u>	<u>\$832,484</u>	<u>\$56.6</u>	<u>4.18%</u>
6/30/2006	Miscellaneous	12,052	\$614,358	\$51.0	2.34%
	Safety	2,360	168,214	71.3	7.88
	Total	<u>14,412</u>	<u>\$782,572</u>	<u>\$54.3</u>	<u>3.24%</u>

*Reflects the increase in average salary for members at the beginning of the year versus those at the end of the year. It does not reflect the average salary increases received by members who worked the full year.



RETIREES AND BENEFICIARIES ADDED TO AND REMOVED FROM RETIREE PAYROLL

Plan Year End	At Beginning of Year	Added During Year	Removed During Year	At End of Year	Annual Retiree Payroll (in thousands)	Payroll added During Year (in thousands)	Payroll Removed During Year (in thousands)	% Increase In Annual Retiree Payroll	Average Annual Allowance
6/30/2011	8,346	699	224	8,821	\$284,009	\$29,805	\$5,009	9.57%	\$32,197
6/30/2010	7,968	599	221	8,346	259,213	19,276	4,639	5.98	31,058
6/30/2009	7,709	503	244	7,968	244,576	25,347	5,440	8.86	30,695
6/30/2008	7,464	490	245	7,709	224,669	22,527	4,745	8.60	29,144
6/30/2007	7,108	563	207	7,464	206,887	23,837	3,881	10.68	27,718
6/30/2006	6,784	509	185	7,108	186,931	18,698	3,212	9.03	26,299

Note: Participants are counted once for each benefit received.

SCHEDULE OF FUNDING PROGRESS (Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets* (a)	Actuarial Accrued of Liability (AAL)* (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b-a)	Funded Ratio (a / b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b - a) / c)
6/30/2011	\$6,420,824	\$7,382,897	\$962,073	87.0%	\$880,766	109.2%
6/30/2010**	6,216,994	7,090,497	873,503	87.7	912,644	95.7
6/30/2009	5,730,215	6,661,993	931,778	86.0	968,130	96.2
6/30/2008	5,930,758	6,363,355	432,597	93.2	902,971	47.9
6/30/2007	5,406,461	5,788,336	381,875	93.4	832,484	45.9
6/30/2006	4,848,953	5,214,915	365,962	93.0	782,572	46.8

*Includes contingency reserve, retiree health benefit reserves, retiree death benefit reserves, and amount over reserved benefits.

** The June 30, 2010 results have been revised to reflect the correct actuarial accrued liability which was overstated in the June 30, 2010 valuation.

SOLVENCY TESTS (Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Valuation Date	Active Member Contributions	Retired/Vested Members	Active Members (Employer Financed Portion)	Total	Actuarial Value of Assets	Active Member Contributions	Retired/Vested Members	Active Members (Employer Financed Portion)
6/30/2011	\$576,633	\$3,930,252	\$2,876,012	\$7,382,897	\$6,420,824	100%	100%	67%
6/30/2010*	571,866	3,626,664	2,891,967	7,090,497	6,216,994	100	100	70
6/30/2009	561,461	3,399,695	2,700,837	6,661,993	5,730,215	100	100	66
6/30/2008	551,181	3,150,635	2,661,539	6,363,355	5,930,758	100	100	84
6/30/2007	520,420	2,920,508	2,347,408	5,788,336	5,406,461	100	100	84
6/30/2006	509,257	2,615,466	2,090,192	5,214,915	4,848,953	100	100	82

Events affecting year to year comparability:

6/30/06 - Employee contribution crediting rate is equal to 5-year Treasury rate, assuming sufficient net earnings.

6/30/07 - Investment return assumption increased from 7.75% to 7.875%.

- Salary increase assumption increased from 5.45% to 5.65%.

6/30/10 - Investment return assumption decreased from 7.875% to 7.75%

* The June 30, 2010 results have been revised to reflect the correct actuarial accrued liability which was overstated in the June 30, 2010 valuation.

ACTUARIAL ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL EXPERIENCE (Dollar Amounts Expressed in Millions)

	Plan Years Ended June 30					
	2011	2010*	2009	2008	2007	2006
Prior Valuation Unfunded Actuarial Liability	\$874	\$932	\$433	\$382	\$366	\$330
Salary Increase Greater (Less) than Expected	(68)	(110)	42	55	68	12
Asset Return Less (Greater) than Expected	209	3	445	9	(93)	23
Other Experience	(31)	(59)	12	(13)	(15)	1
Economic and Non-Economic Assumption Changes	(22)	108	-	-	56	-
Ending Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$962	\$874	\$932	\$433	\$382	\$366

* The June 30, 2010 results have been revised to reflect the correct actuarial accrued liability which was overstated in the June 30, 2010 valuation.



NEW PROBABILITIES OF SEPARATION PRIOR TO RETIREMENT

Rate (%)				
Mortality				
Age	Miscellaneous		Safety	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
25	0.04%	0.02%	0.04%	0.02%
30	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.02
35	0.06	0.04	0.07	0.04
40	0.10	0.06	0.10	0.06
45	0.13	0.09	0.14	0.10
50	0.19	0.14	0.20	0.16
55	0.29	0.22	0.32	0.24
60	0.53	0.39	0.59	0.44
65	1.00	0.76	1.13	0.86

Note: All Miscellaneous pre-retirement deaths are assumed to be nonservice-connected. For Safety, 25% pre-retirement deaths are assumed to be nonservice-connected and the rest are assumed to be service-connected.

Rate (%)		
Disability		
Age	Miscellaneous ⁽¹⁾	Safety ⁽²⁾
20	0.00%	0.10%
25	0.01	0.10
30	0.03	0.19
35	0.05	0.34
40	0.08	0.49
45	0.16	0.64
50	0.26	0.82
55	0.36	1.68
60	0.61	0.00

(1) 20% of Miscellaneous disabilities are assumed to be service-connected disabilities. The other 80% are assumed to be nonservice-connected disabilities.

(2) 90% of Safety disabilities are assumed to be service-connected disabilities. The other 10% are assumed to be nonservice-connected disabilities.



NEW PROBABILITIES OF SEPARATION PRIOR TO RETIREMENT (CONTINUED)

Rate (%)		
Withdrawal (<5 Years of Service)		
Years of Service	Miscellaneous	Safety
0	15.00%	10.00%
1	9.00	6.00
2	8.00	5.00
3	6.00	4.00
4	5.00	3.00

Withdrawal (5+ Years of Service)*		
Age	Miscellaneous	Safety
20	5.10%	3.00%
25	4.85	3.00
30	4.60	3.00
35	4.35	2.70
40	3.80	2.20
45	2.90	1.70
50	2.02	0.00
55	1.58	0.00
60	0.00	0.00

*50% of the Miscellaneous members and 40% of the Safety members are assumed to elect a withdrawal of contributions upon separation, while the remaining 50% and 60% of Miscellaneous and Safety members, respectively, are assumed to elect a deferred retirement benefit. No withdrawal is assumed after a member is eligible to retire.



The image is a vertical collage of natural textures. At the top left, there is a close-up of tree bark with irregular patches of light green and dark green. To its right, a stack of rough, brownish-orange rocks is shown. Below the tree bark, a horizontal log of weathered wood is visible. In the center, a semi-transparent dark grey bar contains the text 'STATISTICAL SECTION' in white, uppercase letters. To the right of this bar, a close-up of a grass seed head with fine, radiating spikelets is shown against a blurred green background. Below the grass, another stack of weathered logs is visible, with some small green moss or lichen growing on them. At the bottom left, another section of tree bark with light and dark green patches is shown. The bottom right corner features more stacked logs and rocks, similar to the top right section.

STATISTICAL SECTION

SUMMARY OF STATISTICAL DATA

Issued in May 2004, pronouncement GASB Statement No. 44, *Economic Conditioning Reporting: The Statistical Section* establishes and modifies requirements related to the supplementary information presented in this section of the report.

The pension trust fund is accounted for under the accrual basis of accounting. Information is provided for the last ten years ended June 30, 2010 for the following five objectives: financial trends; revenue capacity; debt capacity; demographic and economic; and operating.

Financial trends are presented on pages 91 to 95. The schedules contain trend information to aid in understanding how the System's financial performance has changed over time.

Revenue capacity is presented on pages 91, 93, and 94. The schedules contain information regarding the contribution rate history for the last ten years.

Demographic and economic information is presented on pages 96 to 100. These schedules offer demographic and economic indicators to enhance understanding of the environment within which the System's financial activities take place. The schedules show the average monthly benefit payments followed by the System membership.

Operating information is presented on pages 101 and 102. These schedules contain pension plan data to assist in understanding how the information in the financial report relates to the pension plan the System administers. This section includes the schedules of principal participating employers and active members.



SCHEDULE OF ADDITIONS BY SOURCE

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Year Ended June 30:	Member Contributions	Employer Contributions	Net Investment Income / (Loss)	Total
2011	\$57,151	\$182,921	\$1,206,775	\$1,446,847
2010	52,413	167,142	617,481	837,036
2009	54,623	177,011	(1,318,447)	(1,086,813)
2008	52,142	167,055	(234,795)	(15,598)
2007	42,871	156,805	891,506	1,091,182
2006	41,959	132,708	527,863	702,530
2005	36,916	529,618*	419,481	986,015
2004	42,864	119,144	525,239	687,247
2003	43,700	52,841	100,839	197,380
2002	38,432	44,547	(194,104)	(111,125)

*This total includes \$420,000 and \$10,535 in proceeds from pension obligation bonds ("POB") issued by the County of Sacramento and Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District, respectively.

Source: Audited Financial Statements from June 30, 2002 through 2011

SCHEDULE OF DEDUCTIONS BY TYPE

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Year Ended June 30:	Benefits Paid						Total
	Service	Survivor Benefits	Retiree Death Benefits	Health and Dental Benefits	Administrative Expenses	Withdrawals	
2011	\$273,510	\$2,032	\$619	\$ -	\$6,571	\$4,433	\$287,165
2010	250,553	1,993	546	-	5,908	4,932	263,932
2009	230,005	1,749	622	-	5,980	3,302	241,658
2008	212,406	1,865	621	-	5,866	3,177	223,935
2007	193,823	1,681	492	1	5,818	4,434	206,249
2006	176,199	1,608	553	2	5,061	4,622	188,045
2005	160,439	1,545	525	2	5,262	3,463	171,236
2004	139,008	1,817	629	12,311	6,653	3,990	164,408
2003	110,326	1,482	441	10,866	31,767	2,906	157,788
2002	102,555	1,274	524	9,111	5,485	3,517	122,466

Note: For the years ended June 30, 2004 and 2003, Administrative Expenses include retroactive benefits of \$807 and \$25,870, respectively, related to a litigation settlement.

Source: Audited Financial Statements from June 30, 2002 through 2011



SCHEDULE OF ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES

For the Year Ended June 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Type of Expenses	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Salaries and Benefits	\$3,755	\$3,215	\$3,184	\$3,130	\$3,352	\$2,718	\$2,734	\$2,663	\$2,416	\$2,077
Professional Fees	1,137	719	842	942	629	808	440	583	578	420
Equipment Purchases and Maintenance	35	29	62	41	85	70	73	89	198	314
Rent and Lease Expense	444	576	603	571	648	612	596	596	560	416
Depreciation Expense	17	5	5	5	5	3	27	14	18	42
Other Administrative Expenses	1,183	1,364	1,284	1,177	1,099	850	1,392	1,901	2,127	2,216
Total	<u><u>\$6,571</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,908</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,980</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,866</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,818</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,061</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,262</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,846</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,897</u></u>	<u><u>\$5,485</u></u>

Note: For the years ended June 30, 2004 and 2003, this schedule does not include retroactive benefits of \$807 and \$25,870, respectively, related to a litigation settlement.

Source: Audited Financial Statements from June 30, 2002 through 2011

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

For the Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed In Thousands)

	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Employee contributions	\$57,151	\$52,413	\$54,623	\$52,142	\$42,871	\$41,959	\$36,916	\$42,864	\$43,700	\$38,432
Employer contributions	182,921	167,142	177,011	167,055	156,805	132,708	529,618	119,144	52,841	44,547
Net investment income/(loss)	1,206,775	617,481	(1,318,447)	(234,795)	891,506	527,863	419,481	525,239	100,839	(194,104)
Total additions	1,446,847	837,036	(1,086,813)	(15,598)	1,091,182	702,530	986,015	687,247	197,380	(111,125)
Benefits paid	276,161	253,092	232,376	214,892	195,997	178,362	162,511	153,765	123,115	113,464
Withdrawals	4,433	4,932	3,302	3,177	4,434	4,622	3,463	3,990	2,906	3,517
Administrative expenses	6,571	5,908	5,980	5,866	5,818	5,061	5,262	6,653	31,767*	5,485
Total deductions	287,165	263,932	241,658	223,935	206,249	188,045	171,236	164,408	157,788	122,466
Change in net assets	1,159,682	573,104	(1,328,471)	(239,533)	884,933	514,485	814,779	522,839	39,592	(233,591)
Net assets, beginning	4,980,962	4,407,858	5,736,329	5,975,862	5,090,929	4,576,444	3,761,665	3,238,826	3,199,234	3,432,826
Net assets, ending	\$6,140,644	\$4,980,962	\$4,407,858	\$5,736,329	\$5,975,862	\$5,090,929	\$4,576,444	\$3,761,665	\$3,238,826	\$3,199,234

Source: Audited Financial Statements from June 30, 2002 through 2011

* For the years ended June 30, 2004 and 2003, Administrative Expenses include retroactive benefits of \$807 and \$25,870, respectively, related to a litigation settlement.



SCHEDULE OF EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION RATES

Actuarial Valuation for Year Ended	COUNTY and COURT					SPECIAL DISTRICTS		
	Miscellaneous			Safety		Miscellaneous	Safety	
	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 3	Tier 1	Tier 2	Tier 1	Tier 3	Tier 1
6/30/2011	19.09%	16.55%	19.36%	37.19%	32.38%	25.59%	25.90%	57.40%
6/30/2010**	18.11	15.63	18.49	35.03	30.60	24.45	24.94	54.42
6/30/2009	18.15	15.75	18.60	38.95	34.66	24.58	25.26	49.86
6/30/2008	15.46	13.07	15.88	33.65	29.53	22.08	22.57	39.25
6/30/2007	15.04	12.58	15.43	34.71	30.61	21.98	22.41	41.15
6/30/2006	15.89	12.95	15.73	36.01	31.67	22.26	22.13	41.94
6/30/2005	16.10	13.14	15.88	35.18	30.84	22.78	22.56	39.71
6/30/2004*	15.29	11.49	13.94	33.23	28.57	20.87	19.56	38.19
6/30/2003*	13.49	9.16	11.32	24.39	20.24	18.84	16.73	30.72
6/30/2002	15.84	11.47	13.85	31.69	26.31	17.89	18.20	30.89

Source: Actuarial Valuations from June 30, 2002 though 2011

Note: Actuarial Valuations are prepared subsequent to a fiscal year-end and determine rates which pertain to the following fiscal year. For example, the Actuarial Valuation as of June 30, 2011 was used to determine rates for the fiscal year 2012-2013.

* Rates were adjusted to reflect the proceeds from Sacramento County's pension obligation bonds that were received on July 1, 2004.

** Contribution rates for Safety members were revised to adjust for the overstatement of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) contribution rate in the June 30, 2010 valuation.



SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS PAID AND WITHDRAWALS BY TYPE

For the Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30

(Dollar Amounts Expressed in Thousands)

Type of Benefit	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Service Retirement Benefits	\$273,062	\$250,192	\$229,659	\$212,061	\$193,376	\$175,745	\$160,154	\$138,907	\$110,243	\$102,301
Survivor Benefits	2,032	1,993	1,749	1,865	1,681	1,608	1,545	1,817	1,482	1,274
Death Benefits-Before Retirement	448	361	346	345	447	454	285	101	83	254
Death Benefits-After Retirement	619	546	622	621	492	553	525	629	441	524
Retiree Health and Dental Insurance	-	-	-	-	1	2	2	12,311	10,866	9,111
Total Benefits Paid	\$276,161	\$253,092	\$232,376	\$214,892	\$195,997	\$178,362	\$162,511	\$153,765	\$123,115	\$113,464
Type of Withdrawal										
Death	\$463	\$526	\$601	\$111	\$725	\$715	\$411	\$738	\$110	\$623
Separation	3,898	4,303	2,550	2,940	3,492	3,409	2,802	2,878	2,423	2,667
Miscellaneous	72	103	151	126	217	498	250	374	373	227
Total Withdrawals	\$4,433	\$4,932	\$3,302	\$3,177	\$4,434	\$4,622	\$3,463	\$3,990	\$2,906	\$3,517

Source: Audited Financial Statements from June 30, 2002 through 2011



SCHEDULE OF DISTRIBUTION OF RETIRED MEMBERS AND BENEFICIARIES BY TYPE AND BY MONTHLY AMOUNT

As of June 30, 2011

Amount of Monthly Benefit	Number of Retired Members	Type of Retirement*															Option Selected**				
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	12	13	17	Unmodified	1	2	3	4		
\$1 - \$499	836	614	23	2	5	2	90	24	23	-	27	22	-	4	623	61	127	9	16		
500 - 999	1,302	880	49	16	1	1	147	81	69	2	24	28	1	3	1,062	97	114	9	20		
1,000 - 1,499	1,232	869	88	27	10	5	119	30	48	1	11	19	5	-	1,046	55	107	15	9		
1,500 - 1,999	1,018	751	54	21	43	12	75	21	6	9	9	14	3	-	869	58	82	5	4		
2,000 - 2,499	851	684	9	9	42	10	56	7	5	12	6	8	3	-	737	38	61	6	9		
2,500 - 2,999	676	529	10	2	39	24	47	3	1	8	1	6	6	-	594	28	45	3	6		
3,000 - 3,499	557	413	2	1	47	36	33	-	-	14	3	1	7	-	496	24	32	2	3		
3,500 - 3,999	452	363	1	-	27	19	22	2	-	9	1	3	5	-	400	14	28	2	8		
4,000 - 4,499	374	335	2	-	8	7	10	1	-	7	1	1	2	-	352	8	13	-	1		
4,500 - 4,999	281	257	1	-	9	2	6	-	-	3	2	-	1	-	253	4	15	7	2		
5,000 & over	1,242	1,181	3	-	30	7	12	1	1	5	1	1	-	-	1,141	30	57	7	7		
Total	8,821	6,876	242	78	261	125	617	170	153	70	86	103	33	7	7,573	417	681	65	85		

* Type of Retirement:

- 1 Service Retirement
- 2 Nonservice-Connected Disability, age 55 and older
- 3 Nonservice-Connected Disability, under age 55
- 4 Service-Connected Disability ("SCD"), age 55 and older
- 5 Service-Connected Disability, under age 55
- 6 Beneficiary of Service Retiree
- 7 Survivor Death Benefits ("SDB")
- 8 Beneficiary of Nonservice-Connected Disability Retiree
- 9 Beneficiary of Service-Connected Disability Retiree
- 10 Divorce-Receiving Benefits
- 11 Interim Nonservice-Connected Disability Retirement
- 12 Non-Member Receiving Benefits
- 13 Survivor Death Benefits-SCD
- 14 Beneficiary of SDB
- 15 Beneficiary of SDB-SCD
- 16 Beneficiary of Non-Member
- 17 Beneficiary of Divorce-Receiving Benefits

** Option Selected:

Unmodified: Qualified service retirement or nonservice-connected disability retirement beneficiary receives 60 percent continuance. Qualified service-connected disability retirement beneficiary receives 100 percent continuance.

The following options reduce the retired member's monthly benefit:

- Option 1 - Beneficiary receives lump sum or member's unused contributions.
- Option 2 - Beneficiary having an insurable interest in member's life receives 100 percent of member's reduced monthly benefit.
- Option 3 - Beneficiary having an insurable interest in member's life receives 50 percent of member's reduced monthly benefit.
- Option 4 - Benefits paid to person having an insurable interest in member's life as nominated by member's written designation.

Source: SCERS Retired Member Pension Payroll Data

SCHEDULE OF RETIREE MEMBERS BY TYPE OF BENEFIT

As of June 30, 2011

Miscellaneous Members

	Monthly Allowances				
	Count	Basic	COL	Total	Average Benefit
Service Retirement					
Unmodified	4,799	\$9,556,513	\$2,210,365	\$11,766,878	\$2,452
Option 1	321	437,228	117,610	554,838	1,728
Option 2, 3, & 4	540	956,440	136,782	1,093,222	2,024
Total	5,660	10,950,181	2,464,757	13,414,938	2,370
Non-Service Disability					
Unmodified	265	251,301	106,459	357,760	1,350
Option 1	22	17,021	7,701	24,722	1,124
Option 2, 3, & 4	14	13,775	3,013	16,788	1,119
Total	301	282,097	117,173	399,270	1,326
Service Disability					
Unmodified	151	210,669	130,172	340,841	2,257
Option 1	7	10,623	4,622	15,245	2,178
Option 2, 3, & 4	4	4,434	1,779	6,213	1,553
Total	162	225,726	136,573	362,299	2,236
Beneficiary	961	669,224	513,555	1,182,779	1,231
Total (All Groups)	7,084	\$12,127,228	\$3,232,058	\$15,359,286	\$2,168

Safety Members

	Monthly Allowances				
	Count	Basic	COL	Total	Average Benefit
Service Retirement					
Unmodified	1,108	\$5,065,069	\$1,155,193	\$6,220,262	\$5,614
Option 1	34	110,564	31,878	142,442	4,189
Option 2, 3, & 4	74	304,622	43,793	348,415	4,708
Total	1,216	5,480,255	1,230,864	6,711,119	5,519
Non-Service Disability					
Unmodified	18	28,784	16,069	44,853	2,492
Option 1	-	-	-	-	-
Option 2, 3, & 4	1	1,512	813	2,325	2,325
Total	19	30,296	16,882	47,178	2,483
Service Disability					
Unmodified	207	552,646	241,726	794,372	3,838
Option 1	11	26,541	10,815	37,356	3,396
Option 2, 3, & 4	6	11,921	4,844	16,765	2,794
Total	224	591,108	257,385	848,493	3,788
Beneficiary	278	438,115	263,228	701,343	2,523
Total (All Groups)	1,737	\$6,539,774	\$1,768,359	\$8,308,133	\$4,783

Source: Actuarial Valuation as of June 30, 2011

Note: Refer to page 96 for the description of retirement options

SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE BENEFIT PAYMENTS

For the Last Ten Fiscal Years

Retirement Effective Date	Years of Credited Service						
	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30+
7/1/10 - 6/30/11							
Average monthly benefit	\$461	\$1,017	\$1,500	\$2,580	\$3,620	\$6,026	\$5,920
Average monthly final average salary	\$6,797	\$5,576	\$5,245	\$6,104	\$6,559	\$8,466	\$7,394
Number of retired members	21	82	118	69	112	94	80
7/1/09 - 6/30/10							
Average monthly benefit	\$422	\$992	\$1,623	\$2,501	\$3,239	\$4,789	\$5,714
Average monthly final average salary	\$6,582	\$5,306	\$5,549	\$6,071	\$6,022	\$7,278	\$6,930
Number of retired members	30	69	87	78	75	65	75
7/1/08 - 6/30/09							
Average monthly benefit	\$462	\$900	\$1,727	\$2,232	\$4,074	\$6,298	\$7,227
Average monthly final average salary	\$6,968	\$5,425	\$5,697	\$5,397	\$6,893	\$8,437	\$8,369
Number of retired members	14	52	68	60	58	58	66
7/1/07 - 6/30/08							
Average monthly benefit	\$359	\$977	\$1,626	\$2,202	\$3,151	\$5,729	\$6,171
Average monthly final average salary	\$5,974	\$5,428	\$5,467	\$5,874	\$5,729	\$7,992	\$7,685
Number of retired members	25	35	75	56	53	44	52
7/1/06 - 6/30/07							
Average monthly benefit	\$512	\$874	\$1,536	\$2,341	\$3,228	\$4,756	\$5,652
Average monthly final average salary	\$6,856	\$4,747	\$5,220	\$5,331	\$5,884	\$6,508	\$6,868
Number of retired members	27	55	83	71	74	69	86
7/1/05 - 6/30/06							
Average monthly benefit	\$381	\$917	\$1,409	\$2,029	\$2,838	\$4,561	\$4,858
Average monthly final average salary	\$5,824	\$5,345	\$4,933	\$5,069	\$5,415	\$6,500	\$6,150
Number of retired members	25	45	63	73	64	62	83
7/1/04 - 6/30/05							
Average monthly benefit	\$349	\$949	\$1,220	\$1,800	\$2,585	\$4,010	\$4,871
Average monthly final average salary	\$5,725	\$4,960	\$4,361	\$4,662	\$4,832	\$5,732	\$5,816
Number of retired members	36	43	90	83	96	84	123
7/1/03 - 6/30/04							
Average monthly benefit	\$437	\$993	\$1,368	\$1,992	\$2,893	\$4,136	\$5,520
Average monthly final average salary	\$5,089	\$4,719	\$4,658	\$4,686	\$5,211	\$5,834	\$6,330
Number of retired members	22	45	98	90	85	127	278
7/1/02 - 6/30/03							
Average monthly benefit	\$488	\$678	\$1,292	\$1,609	\$2,033	\$3,076	\$4,519
Average monthly final average salary	\$5,543	\$4,091	\$4,505	\$4,252	\$4,627	\$5,859	\$6,214
Number of retired members	23	25	52	47	33	19	51
7/1/01 - 6/30/02							
Average monthly benefit	\$311	\$768	\$1,148	\$1,449	\$2,227	\$3,702	\$4,101
Average monthly final average salary	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Number of retired members	17	31	61	42	38	24	54

N/A: Detail not available

Source: SCERS Retired Member Pension Payroll Data



SCHEDULE OF AVERAGE BENEFIT PAYMENTS

As Of	Years Since Retirement						
	0-5	5-10	10-15	15-20	20-25	25-30	30 +
6/30/11:							
Average monthly benefit	\$3,209	\$3,173	\$2,336	\$2,400	\$1,936	\$1,728	\$1,594
Number of retired members	2,417	2,216	1,298	1,110	792	563	425
6/30/10:							
Average monthly benefit	\$3,150	\$3,022	\$2,343	\$2,318	\$1,911	\$1,704	\$1,351
Number of retired members	2,206	2,019	1,360	1,058	744	547	412
6/30/09:							
Average monthly benefit	\$3,133	\$2,886	\$2,309	\$2,322	\$1,884	\$1,590	\$1,276
Number of retired members	2,247	1,787	1,299	1,012	726	527	370
6/30/08:							
Average monthly benefit	\$3,197	\$2,199	\$2,214	\$2,250	\$1,751	\$1,501	\$1,226
Number of retired members	2,582	1,373	1,207	997	730	509	311
6/30/07:							
Average monthly benefit	\$3,041	\$2,133	\$2,237	\$1,948	\$1,636	\$1,449	\$1,120
Number of retired members	2,458	1,383	1,226	930	709	495	263
6/30/06:							
Average monthly benefit	\$2,871	\$2,105	\$2,165	\$1,749	\$1,576	\$1,393	\$1,049
Number of retired members	2,232	1,365	1,199	921	692	468	231
6/30/05:							
Average monthly benefit	\$2,806	\$2,095	\$2,129	\$1,736	\$1,509	\$1,281	\$1,007
Number of retired members	1,927	1,402	1,181	913	675	453	233
6/30/04:							
Average monthly benefit	\$2,574	\$2,090	\$2,056	\$1,693	\$1,392	\$1,187	\$918
Number of retired members	1,793	1,353	1,090	834	650	400	171
6/30/03:							
Average monthly benefit	\$1,842	\$1,854	\$1,839	\$1,463	\$1,207	\$972	\$819
Number of retired members	1,447	1,312	1,117	849	664	348	145
6/30/02:							
Average monthly benefit	\$1,804	\$1,865	\$1,614	\$1,376	\$1,121	\$859	\$834
Number of retired members	1,494	1,327	1,024	823	650	324	100

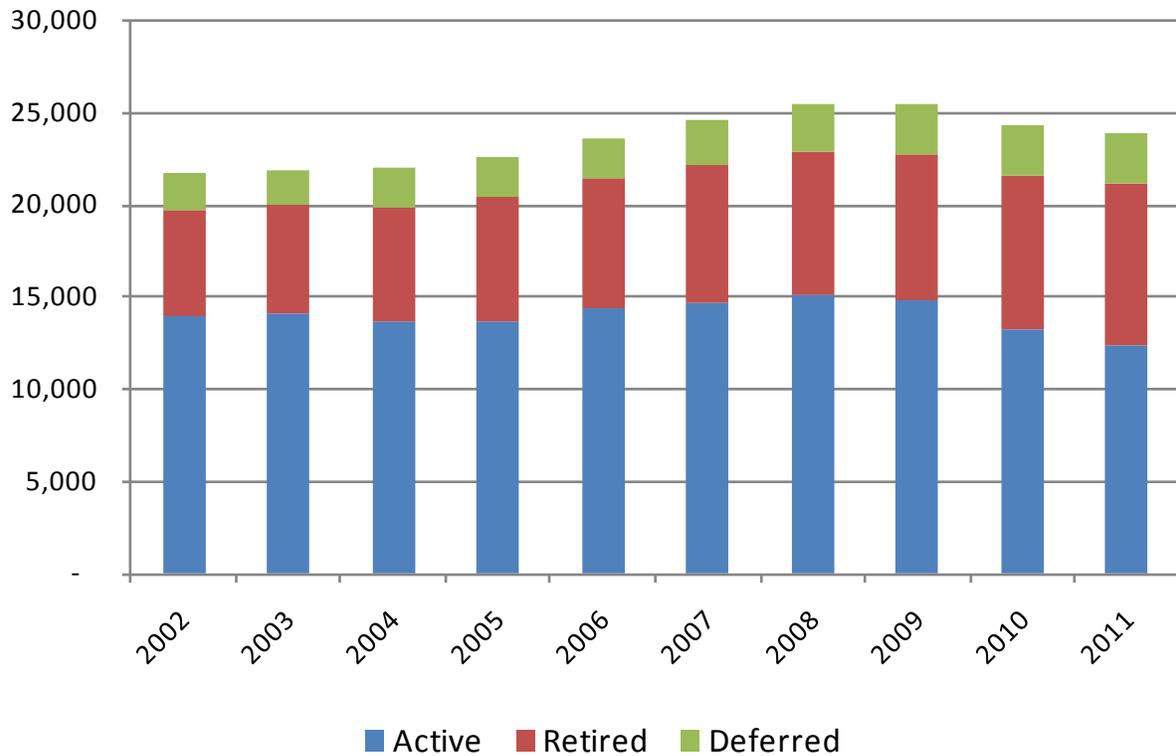
Source: Actuarial Valuations from June 30, 2002 through 2011



GROWTH OF SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP

Year Ended June 30:	Active Members	Retired Members	Deferred Members	Total
2011	12,434	8,821	2,710	23,965
2010	13,340	8,346	2,740	24,426
2009	14,796	7,968	2,818	25,582
2008	15,180	7,709	2,661	25,550
2007	14,716	7,464	2,437	24,617
2006	14,412	7,108	2,192	23,712
2005	13,728	6,784	2,135	22,647
2004	13,672	6,291	2,110	22,073
2003	14,133	5,882	1,885	21,900
2002	14,033	5,742	1,944	21,719

SYSTEM MEMBERSHIP AT A GLANCE



Source: Actuarial Valuations from June 30, 2002 through 2011



SCHEDULE OF PRINCIPAL PARTICIPATING EMPLOYERS AND ACTIVE MEMBERS

Current Fiscal Year and Nine Fiscal Years Ago

Participating Employer	2011			2002		
	Covered Employees	Rank	Percent of Total System	Covered Employees	Rank	Percent of Total System
County of Sacramento	11,030	1	88.71%	13,416	1	95.60%
Superior Court**	745	2	5.99	-	13	0.00
S.E.T.A	568	3	4.57	520	2	3.71
Sunrise Recreation and Park District	23	4	0.18	29	3	0.21
Carmichael Recreation and Park District	22	5	0.18	18	4	0.13
Orangevale Recreation and Park District	15	6	0.12	14	5	0.10
Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District	13	7	0.11	13	6	0.09
Elected Officials*	8	8	0.06	8	7	0.05
Fair Oaks Cemetery District	3	9	0.02	3	9	0.02
Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District	3	9	0.02	7	8	0.05
Elk Grove Cosumnes Cemetery District	2	11	0.02	1	11	0.01
Galt-Arno Cemetery District	1	12	0.01	3	9	0.02
U.C. Davis Medical Center	1	12	0.01	1	11	0.01
Total	12,434		100.00%	14,033		100.00%

*Elected Officials - consisted of Board of Supervisors (5), Assessor (1), District Attorney (1), and Sheriff (1).

**Prior to June 25, 2006, Superior Court member information was included in the totals for the County of Sacramento.

Source: SCERS Active Member Data



SCHEDULE OF PRINCIPAL PARTICIPATING EMPLOYERS AND ACTIVE MEMBERS

For the Last Ten Fiscal Years Ended June 30

SCERS Member Agency	Plan	2011	2010	2009	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
Carmichael Recreation and Park District	Misc.	22	26	29	24	27	15	17	18	20	18
Elk Grove Cosumnes Cemetery District	Misc.	2	3	4	3	4	5	4	4	1	1
Fair Oaks Cemetery District	Misc.	3	4	4	4	5	5	5	5	5	3
Galt-Arno Cemetery District	Misc.	1	1	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
Mission Oaks Recreation and Park District	Misc.	13	14	13	13	12	11	10	12	13	13
Orangevale Recreation and Park District	Misc.	15	16	17	12	15	14	15	16	14	14
Sacramento Metropolitan Fire District	Safety	3	3	4	6	6	6	7	7	7	7
S.E.T.A.	Misc.	568	584	604	597	598	562	544	549	513	520
Sunrise Recreation and Park District	Misc.	23	26	28	28	24	29	28	26	27	29
U.C. Davis Medical Center	Misc.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Elected Officials*	Misc.	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7	7
Elected Officials*	Safety	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Special District Members	Misc.	655	682	710	692	696	652	634	641	604	609
	Safety	4	4	5	7	7	7	8	8	8	8
Superior Court Members**	Misc.	745	765	807	843	814	-	-	-	-	-
Sacramento County Members	Misc.	9,121	9,865	10,937	11,190	10,817	11,400	10,744	10,743	11,092	11,009
	Safety	1,909	2,024	2,337	2,448	2,382	2,353	2,342	2,280	2,429	2,407
Total Members	Misc.	10,521	11,312	12,454	12,725	12,327	12,052	11,378	11,384	11,696	11,618
	Safety	1,913	2,028	2,342	2,455	2,389	2,360	2,350	2,288	2,437	2,415
	Total	12,434	13,340	14,796	15,180	14,716	14,412	13,728	13,672	14,133	14,033

*Elected Officials - consisted of Board of Supervisors (5), Assessor (1), District Attorney (1), who were miscellaneous members, and one Sheriff who was a safety member.

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