Monthly Summary

UNBC UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA



											Pensions Benefits Investments			
Balanced	1 Year as of Month End													
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk
MFS Responsible Balanced	2.23	85	-2.16	84	-2.64	81	9.30	34	15.11	16	16.54	35	9.26	46
Beutel Goodman Balanced Fund	3.90	8	0.11	34	-1.35	59	8.94	41	10.79	71	17.24	29	9.90	38
CI Signature Income & Growth	1.00	96	-2.74	93	-6.96	100	7.83	85	12.23	52	16.60	32	11.05	25
Median	2.82		-0.50		-1.27		8.77		12.71		16.05		9.22	
Income and Dividend														
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk
CC&L Group Income & Growth Fund	5.80	32	5.44	28	0.08	49	10.12	18	12.90	12	13.80	55	14.37	10
Median	4.25		2.94		-0.02		6.78		9.08		14.54		8.80	
Bonds														
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk
PH&N Bond Sr O	1.13	28	1.69	14	1.26	16	4.46	21	10.66	6	1.52	32	4.68	74
BlackRock Ca Universe Bond Index A	0.79	89	1.38	52	0.73	64	4.04	69	10.28	28	0.84	72	4.59	84
FTSE TMX CA Universe Bond	0.78	91	1.39	48	0.78	58	4.03	69	10.26	35	0.84	71	4.54	86
Median	0.99		1.38		0.84		4.17		9.96		1.13		5.14	
Short Term														
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk
Sun Life Money Market Fund	0.05	72	0.15	84	0.65	92	0.95	84	1.01	80	1.05	77	1.08	69
FTSE TMX CA Trsy Bill 91 Day	0.04	92	0.13	92	0.52	96	0.87	96	0.94	100	1.00	92	1.03	84
Median	0.07		0.19		0.83		1.10		1.16		1.21		1.20	
Canadian Small Cap Equity														
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk
Beutel Goodman Small Cap Fund	8.15	1	0.44	81	-4.43	41	7.67	52	9.53	12	22.15	89	5.10	48
BMO Small Cap Blended (Unweighted)	8.32	1	9.75	4	-9.02	82	-4.83	96	-11.91	96	11.06	100	-7.84	96
Median	5.69		2.33		-5.26		7.72		1.29		29.16		5.02	

Market Commentary

Markets improved in March, with domestic markets ending in positive territory for the quarter, while non-domestic markets declined over the period. Canadian employment surged past the consensus of a 5,000 job increase, with employers adding 40,600 jobs in March, 35,300 of which were full time. With the participation rate remaining at 65.9%, the gain in employment lowered the unemployment rate 0.2% to 7.1%. The Canadian merchandise trade deficit widened \$1.91b in February, as exports and imports declined 5.4% and 2.6%, respectively. The Canadian economy expanded 0.6% in January, led by a 1.9% increase in manufacturing output. The European Central Bank unexpectedly cut its key interest rate by 5bps to a record low of 0.0%. The Bank also announced a €20b increase to its quantitative easing program to €80b per month starting in April. The Median Balanced Manager declined 0.50% in the first quarter of 2016. The Income and Dividend Universe Median Manager advanced with a quarterly return of 2.94% while the Median Bond Manager returned 1.38%.

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Canadian Equity									1 Year as of Month End								
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk			
BlackRock Canadian Equity Index CI A	5.28	64	4.54	40	-6.55	81	5.32	88	6.95	56	15.99	88	6.15	78			
Beutel Goodman Canadian Equity Fund	7.06	18	4.27	47	-1.24	20	10.32	15	7.84	50	23.41	25	12.67	28			
CC&L Q Canadian Equity Growth	4.44	86	2.47	76	-5.36	64	9.85	22	9.58	33	24.07	18	13.16	21			
S&P/TSX Composite TR	5.28	63	4.54	41	-6.57	81	5.30	89	6.93	58	15.97	89	6.11	79			
Median	5.96		4.08		-4.12		8.07		7.84		20.37		9.21				
US Equity																	
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk			
BlackRock CDN US Equity Index CI D	1.93	64	-5.72	55	3.63	29	19.44	38	28.94	45	31.96	69	15.43	40			
CI American Value Fund	2.88	22	-6.08	59	-0.63	80	17.87	61	29.87	27	33.37	45	12.15	91			
Beutel Goodman American Equity Fund	2.78	23	-3.48	18	0.75	64	20.38	10	29.54	31	34.86	32	19.33	6			
S&P 500 TR (C\$)	1.96	58	-5.63	52	3.95	21	19.83	19	29.35	37	32.39	52	15.84	23			
Median	2.16		-5.63		2.06		18.98		28.84		32.65		14.72				
International Equity																	
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk			
BlackRock CDN MSCI EAFE Equity Index E	0 1.72	67	-9.64	69	-6.19	67	11.56	70	13.89	64	27.91	47	13.34	50			
Fiera Capital International Equity Fund	1.97	52	-7.10	26	-1.76	24	14.30	18	17.59	16	22.82	85	20.28	5			
MSCI EAFE NR (C\$)	1.70	68	-9.6 8	71	-6.32	73	11.37	73	13.69	70	27.72	52	13.09	54			
Median	1.98		-8.93		-4.55		12.30		15.53		27.79		13.33				
Global Equity																	
	Мо	Rk	YTD	Rk	1 Year	Rk	4 Years	Rk	2015	Rk	2014	Rk	2013	Rk			
Hexavest World Fund	1.08	100	-2.67	20	5.09	16	16.47	32	22.70	36	24.14	80	14.96	47			
TD Emerald Global Equity PFT	1.87	82	-7.51	82	-0.95	60	16.00	44	22.54	39	30.31	39	14.46	57			
MSCI World NR (C\$)	1.97	74	-7.21	78	-1.40	68	15.25	61	21.66	52	29.36	47	13.69	69			
Median	2.35		-5.01		0.24		15.61		21.88		29.20		14.81				

Market Commentary

The Canadian Equity Median Manager advanced 5.96% in March to end the quarter up 4.08%. Four years annualized the Median is 2.77% ahead of the S&P/ TSX Composite. The US Equity Median Manager declined 5.63% over the quarter, but remains the strongest performing asset class over four years, due in part to the falling Canadian dollar. The International Equity Median Manager suffered an 8.93% decline over the quarter despite a 1.98% return in March. The Median Global Equity Manager's 2.35% March return was not enough to reverse the losses incurred over the first two months, ending with a 5.01% quarterly decline but retains a 15.61% four year return.