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# FOURTH QUARTER 2021 Premier+ Allocation Portfolios Rebalance Summary

#### Overview

The Wilshire Premier+ Allocation Portfolios rebalance for Q4 reflects updated views from Wilshire's Investment Strategy Committee (ISC). In addition to the scheduled rebalance to our asset allocation targets for each model, Wilshire used the update to reflect changes to the underlying fund allocations based on near-term market views. The following changes were implemented for the Q4 rebalance:

- Fixed Income Implemented an underweight to High Yield relative to Bank Loans
- Equity Implemented an overweight to Global ex-U.S. relative to U.S. Equities
- Equity Removed overweight to Emerging relative to Developed Equities
- Equity Removed overweight to Emerging relative to U.S. Equities

Wilshire's Investment Strategy Committee meets at least quarterly to reassess our near-term views. Below is a summary of how our outlook has changed since last quarter.

Asset Class	July	Change	October			
Fixed Income vs. Equity	Neutral	≈	Neutral			
Alternatives vs. Equity	Neutral	≈	Neutral			
Alternative vs. Fixed Income	Large Overweight	*	Large Overweight			
Duration vs. Barclays Aggregate	Underweight	*	Underweight			
Credit vs. Government	Neutral	*	Neutral			
Investment Grade vs. High Yield	Neutral	≈	Neutral			
High Yield vs. Bank Loans	Neutral	<b>†</b>	Underweight			
Emerging Markets Debt (EMD) vs. High Yield	Neutral	*	Neutral			
Large Cap vs. Small Cap Equities	Neutral	*	Neutral			
Growth vs. Value Equities	Underweight	≈	Underweight			
Global ex-U.S. vs. U.S. Equities	Neutral	t	Overweight			
Emerging vs. Developed Equities	Overweight	<b>†</b>	Neutral			
Emerging vs. U.S. Equities	Overweight	<b>†</b>	Neutral			
Global REITS vs. Global Equities	Neutral	≈	Neutral			
Commodities vs. Global REITS	Overweight	≈	Overweight			

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### **Q4 Model Allocation Summary**

#### High Yield vs. Bank Loans - Implementation of High Yield underweight

We observe more attractive valuations and the rising rate environment is supportive of demand, with a high level of CLO issuance. As a result, we are moving to an underweight in high yield in favor of bank loans.

#### Global ex-U.S. vs. U.S. Equities - Implementation of Global ex-U.S. overweight

Given relatively attractive valuations in non-U.S. equities, improving COVID-19 conditions, and in combination with the more pro-cyclical exposure of foreign markets, we view non-U.S. equities as more attractive at this stage of the business cycle.

## Emerging Markets vs. Developed Markets – Removal of Emerging Markets overweight / Emerging Markets vs. US Markets – Removal of Emerging Markets overweight

While emerging markets have recently underperformed, the technical, fundamental, and geopolitical backdrop does not support overweight exposure to emerging markets relative to developed markets. Given our move to overweight foreign equities relative to U.S. equities, this change in our view of emerging markets is only resulting in a modest reduction of exposure.

#### Wilshire Portfolio Allocation Changes

		Conservative		Moderate Conservative		Moderate		Moderate Growth		Growth		Aggressive Growth	
Fund Name	Ticker	Q4 2021	Change	Q4 2021	Change	Q4 2021	Change	Q4 2021	Change	Q4 2021	Change	Q4 2021	Change
Cash/Money Market	N/A	2.0%		2.0%		2.0%		2.0%		2.0%		2.0%	
Fidelity US Bond Idx Instl Premium	FXNAX	20.0%		14.5%		9.5%		5.5%		2.0%			
Vanguard Long-Term Bond ETF	BLV												
Wilshire Income Opportunities Instl	WIOPX	46.0%		34.5%		23.5%		12.5%		5.0%			
Fidelity 500 Index	FXAIX	2.0%		4.0%		4.0%		6.0%		8.0%		7.0%	
Wilshire Large Company Growth Instl	WLCGX	6.0%		7.5%		10.5%		11.5%		13.5%	-1.0%	14.0%	-1.0%
Wilshire Large Company Value Instl	WLCVX	7.0%		9.5%		12.5%		14.5%		16.5%	-1.0%	17.0%	-1.0%
Wilshire Small Company Growth Instl	WSMGX	1.0%		1.5%		1.5%		2.0%		2.5%		3.0%	
Wilshire Small Company Value Instl	WSMVX	1.0%		1.5%		1.5%		2.0%		2.5%		3.0%	
Wilshire International Equity Instl	WLTTX	4.0%		9.5%		15.0%		21.5%		28.5%		36.5%	
Fidelity Emerging Mkts Idx Instl Pr	FPADX	1.0%		1.5%		2.0%		2.5%		2.5%		2.5%	
Principal Global Real Estate Sec. Instl	POSIX					1.0%		2.0%		2.5%		4.5%	
Invesco Balanced Risk Commodity Y	BRCYX					1.0%		2.0%		2.5%		2.5%	
Boston Partners L/S Rsrch Instl	BPIRX	1.5%		2.0%		2.5%		2.5%		1.5%		1.5%	
361 Global Long/Short Equity Y	AGAWX	1.0%		2.0%		2.0%		2.0%		1.0%			
FS Multi-Strategy Alternatives I	FSMSX	7.5%		10.0%		11.5%		11.5%		7.5%		4.5%	

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