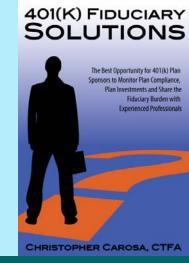


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#### Pre-Game



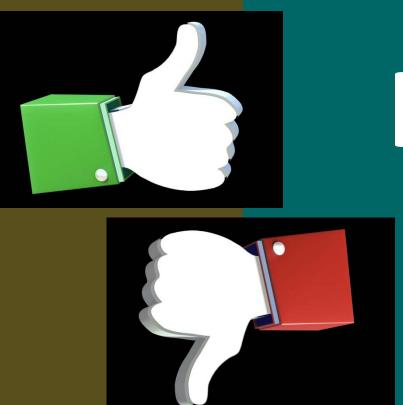
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#### Pre-Game

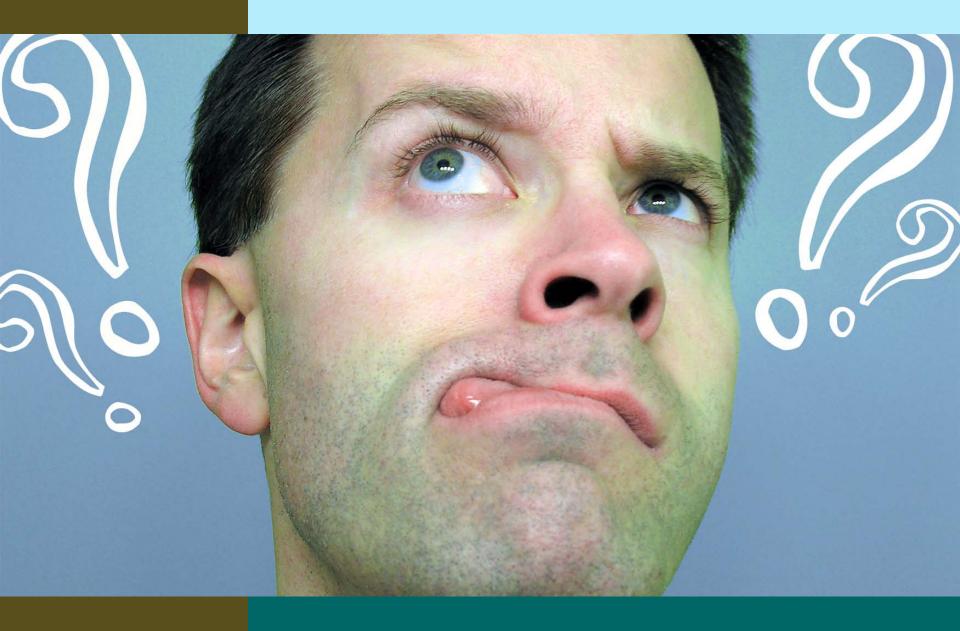


# Choose Wisely

#### Pre-Game



# How Did It Feel?



#### Why We're Here



- 9 Key Elements of a 401k IPS
- Recent Behavioral Finance Research
- What Practitioners Have Done

#### **WARNING!!!!**



#### As the 'Centuries' Pass in the Night

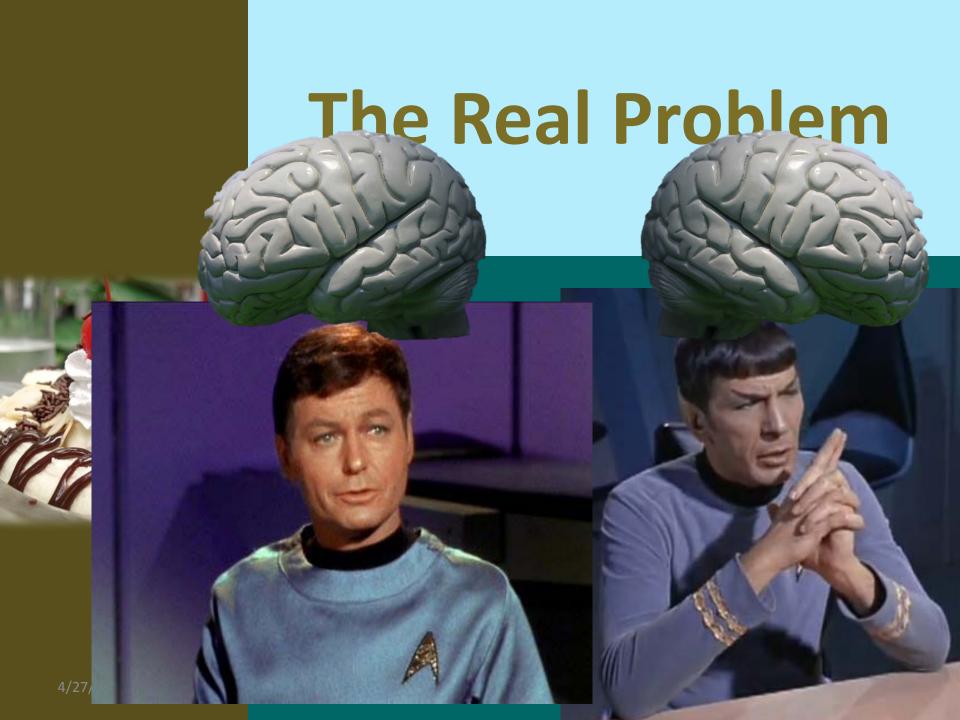


#### The Real Problem



### Lateralization of Brain Function

(a.k.a. Left-Brain/Right-Brain)



#### The Real Solution





#### A (Very) Short History of the IPS



### Primary Objectives of an IPS



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Reduce Fiduciary Risk

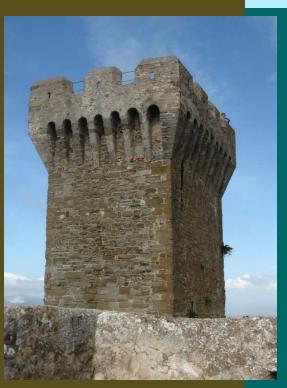
Other Important Benefits

### The Traditional Structure of an IPS



- Risk Tolerance
- Return Requirement
- Time horizon
- Liquidity needs
- Tax concerns
- Legal and regulatory factors, and
- Unique circumstances

### The Problems with the Traditional IPS



- Pre-401k Language
- Awkward Construct
- The Big Four (per CFAI)

#### Client Identification



- CFA Personal Data
- 401k PlanDemographics



#### **Investor Constraints**



- Liquidity Needs
- Time Horizon
- Tax Considerations
- Regulatory/Legal
- Unique Needs
- Proxy Voting



#### **The Next Generation**





- Thoroughly Documented
- Clearly Written
- Understood by All



- Corporate Vision
- Consistency with above
- Plan's Mission
- Accomodative



- Meaningful Objectives
- Avoid MPT Mistakes
- Demographic Risk Profile



- Education
- Evaluation
- Periodic Review/Update





#### 9 Building Blocks of a 21st Century IPS

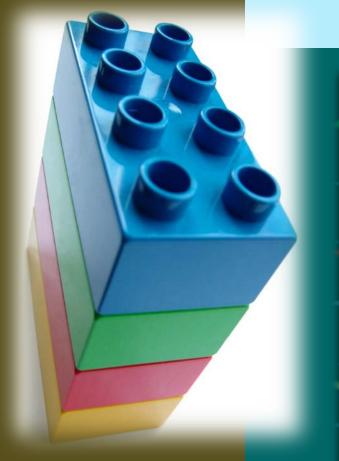


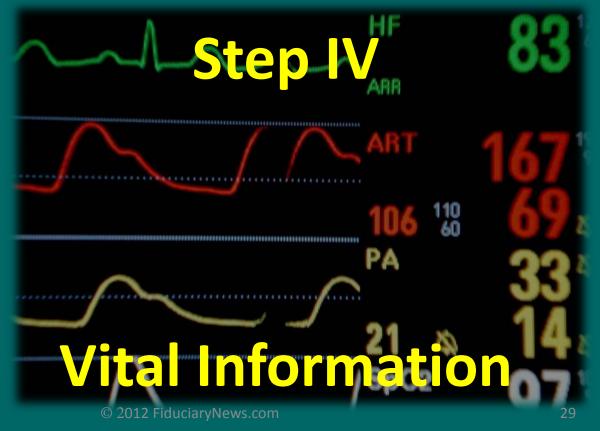




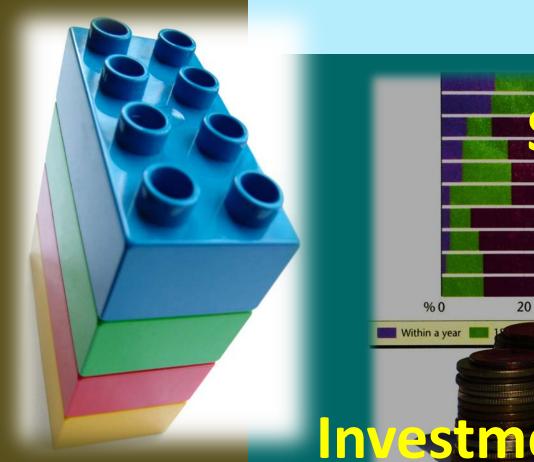
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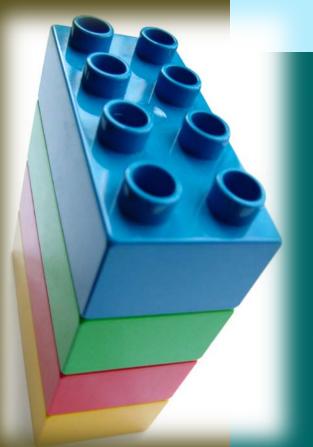


#### 9 Building Blocks of a 21st Century IPS















#### **Practical Issues**



### **Increase Savings**

#### **Practical Issues**



## Better Decision Making

#### **Practical Solutions**



#### **Practical Solutions**













## The Big Problem:<br/>Too Many Choices





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# The Big Problem:<br/>Too Many Choices



• How Did It feel?

• Second Guessing?

## When Choice is Demotivating









# When Choice is Demotivating



Choice

Participation Rates //

#### Smaller Menus are Better



Menu Size

Menu Quality



#### **Total Equity Alloction**





#### No Equity Alloction

2.87%



So, How Many?

3651



So, How Many?

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**Balanced** 

(Aggressive)

**Balanced** 

(Growth)

**Balanced** 

(Moderate)

Balanced

(Conservative)

Multi-Cap

Growth

Multi-Cap

Value

Multi-Cap

**Foreign** 

**Stable Value** 

Large Cap Index

Mid-Cap Index

Small Cap Index

Foreign Index



Wealth Preservation

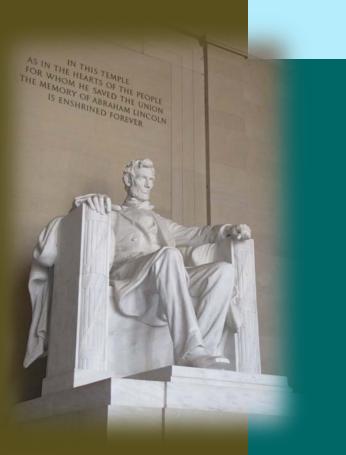
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Do You Not Want Professional Management?

 Do-It-Yourself Asset Allocation Category

Do You Not Want to Think About It at All?

No-Action Required Category



Do You Want to Pick a General Lifestyle Goal?

Lifestyle Asset Allocation Category



Do You Want to Have the Best Chance to Achieve Your Goal?  Traditional Long Term Growth Category 60

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No-Action Required Lifestyle Asset Allocation

Do-ItYourself
Asset
Allocation

Traditional Long Term Growth

Large Cap Index

Mid-Cap Index

Small Cap Index

Foreign Index

**Stable Value** 

Wealth Accumulation

Do-It-Yourself
Asset
Allocation

Wealth Preservation

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No-Action Required Wealth Accumulation

"Profit-Sharing Plan" Fund

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**Lifestyle Asset** 

**Allocation** 

Wealth Accumulation

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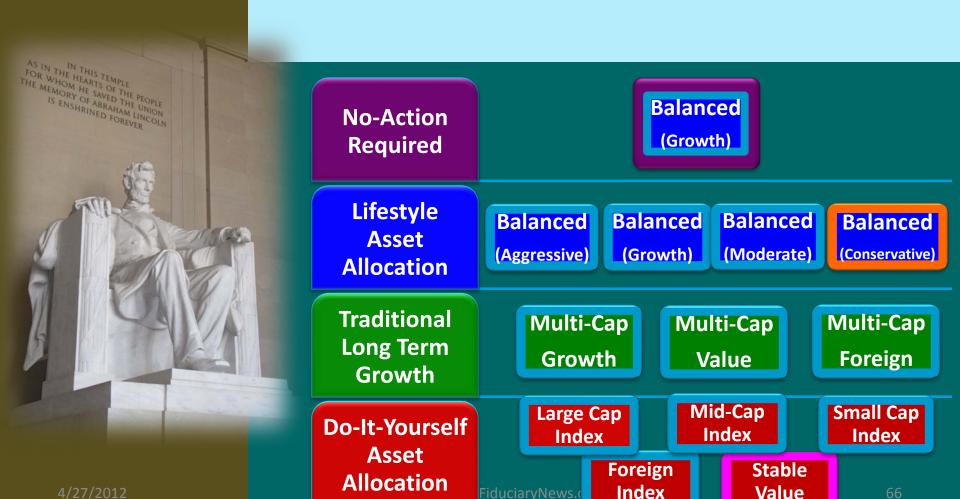
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Multi-Cap
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Multi-Cap Value

Multi-Cap Foreign



#### The Best Advice

Keep Safely Simple



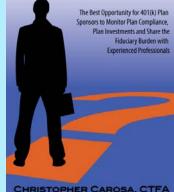


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Table 1—	Variable	Return	Invest	ments					
Name/ Type of Option Web Address	-Variable Return Invest Average Annual Total Return as of 12/17/10 1yr. 5yr. 10yr.			Benchmark Index/Lipper Category 1yr. 5yr. 10yr.					
Equity Funds			,						
(1) Growth Fund of America/Large Cap Growth www.americanfunds.com	13.46%	2.16%	2.67%	S&P 500 15.80% 1.80% 1.40% Large Cap Growth 17.11% 2.01% -0.38%					
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(4) SSgA S&P 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index www.ssgafunds.com	15.62%	1.63%	1.21%	S&P 500 15.80% 1.80% 1.40% S&P 500 Index 15.14% 1.25% 0.85%					
(5) Vanguard Index 500/ S&P 500 Index www.vanguard.com	15.79% 15.66% 15.79%	1.78% 1.68% N/A	1.34% 1.26% N/A	S&P 500 15.80% 1.80% 1.40% S&P 500 Index 15.14% 1.25% 0.85%					
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	Name/			as of 12		Benchmark Index/Lipper				
	Type of Option	Fund	1yr.	5yr.	10yr.	Category				
Ш	Web Address	Ticker	(Rank)	(Rank) (F		1yr. 5yr. 10yr.				
Н	Equity Funds		, ,	, ,,						
H	(1) Growth Fund of	AGTHX	42.46%	2.16%	2.67%	S&P 500				
	America/Large Cap Growth	AGTHX	13.46% D	2.16% C	2.67%	15.80% 1.80% 1.40%				
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	www.americanfunds.com					17.11% 2.01% -0.38%				
	(3) EuroPacific Growth/	AEPGX	8.67%	5.80%	6.42%	MSCI EAFE NR USD				
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	www.ssgafunds.com					S&P 500 Index				
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Ш		VIFSX	15.79%	N/A	N/A					
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Ш	(6) Fidelity Contrafund/ Large	FCNTX	19.86%	4.65%	5.77%	S&P 500 15.80% 1.80% 1.40%				
Ш	Cap Growth		В	Α	Α	Large Cap Growth				
Ш	www.fidelity.com					17.11% 2.01% -0.38%				
Ш	(7) Fidelity Diversified	FDIVX	9.89%	2.19%	5.98%	MSCI EAFE NR USD				
Ш	International/International		D	D	В	7.54% 2.00% 3.46%				
Ш	Large Cap Growth	FDVIX	10.55%	0.38%	5.10%	International Large Cap Growth 12.90% 3.70% 3.86%				
Ш	www.Fidelity.com		D	E	В	12.90% 3.70% 3.80%				
Ш		FDVAX	10.18%	0.09%	4.78%					
ш			D	Е	В					
ш		FDIBX	9.39%	-0.71%	3.90%					
Ш			E	Е	C					
Ш		FADCX	9.41%	-0.66%	3.98%					
ш			Е	Е	C					
Ш		FADIX	9.87%	-0.14%	4.50%					
1L			D	Е	В					
I	(8) Vanguard Institutional	VINIX	15.79%	1.79%	1.38%	S&P 500				
Ш	Index/ S&P 500 Index		Α	Α	Α	15.80% 1.80% 1.40%				
Ш	www.vanguard.com	VIIIX	15.81%	1.82%	1.40%	S&P 500 Index 15.14% 1.25% 0.85%				
IL			Α	Α	Α					
П	(9) Fidelity Spartan 500 Index/	FUSVX	15.75%	1.75%	N/A	S&P 500				
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I	www.dodgeandcox.com					Large Cap Value 12.80% 0.35% 2.93%				
ı	Bond Funds									
ľ	(2) Pimco Total Return/	PMBIX	6.32%	7.65%	6.88%	Barclays Cap. Aggr. Bd.				
I	Intermediate Bond Fund		C	7.05% A	Α	4.91% 5.80% 5.84%				
П	www.pimco.com	PTSAX	7.40%	7.79	7.31%	Intermediate Investment Grade				
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Table 3—Fees and Expenses							
Name / Type of Option	Total Annual Operating Expenses As a % Per \$1000		Shareholder-Type Fees				
Equity Funds							
(1) Growth Fund of America/Large Cap Growth www.americanfunds.com	0.69%	\$6.90	This fund has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.25% and a front end load of 5.75%.				
(3) EuroPacific Growth/ International Large Cap Growth www.americanfunds.com	0.85%	\$8.50	This fund has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.25% and a front end load of 5.75%.				
(4) SSgA S&P 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index www.ssgafunds.com	0.18%	\$1.80	This fund has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.25% and there are no loads in this fund.				
(5) Vanguard Index 500/ S&P 500 Index www.vanguard.com	0.07% 0.18% 0.07%	\$0.70 \$1.80 \$0.70	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				
(6) Fidelity Contrafund/ Large Cap Growth www.fidelity.com	1.01%	\$10.10	This fund has no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				
(7) Fidelity Diversified International/ International Large Cap Growth www.Fidelity.com	0.99% 1.04% 1.31% 2.07% 2.06% 1.55%	\$9.90 \$10.40 \$13.10 \$20.70 \$20.60 \$15.50	Two classes of this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads; One class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.75% and a front end load of 5.75%; One class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 1.00% and a back end load of 5.00%; One class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 1.00% and a back end load of 1.00%; and, one class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.75% and a front end load of 3.5%.				
(8) Vanguard Institutional Index/ S&P 500 Index www.vanguard.com	0.05% 0.02%	\$0.50 \$0.20	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				
(9) Fidelity Spartan 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index www.fidelity.com	0.07% 0.10%	\$0.70 \$1.00	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				
(10) Dodge & Cox Stock/Large Cap Value www.dodgeandcox.com	0.52%	\$5.20	This fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				
Bond Funds							
(2) Pimco Total Return/ Intermediate Bond Fund www.pimco.com	0.50% 0.50% 0.46%	\$5.00 \$5.00 \$4.60	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.				

#### Sample Report

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Equity Funds						Group Average]		(where relevant)		
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International Large Cap Growth www.americanfunds.com  (4) SSgA S&P 500 Index/ S&P	0.85%	\$8.50	and a front end load of 5.75%.  This fund has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.25%	www.americanfunds.com (3) EuroPacific Growth/ International Large Cap Growth www.americanfunds.com	AEPGX	0.85% [0.92%]	\$8.50 [\$9.20]	0.25% [0.17%]	5·75% [1.12%]	-
500 Index www.ssgafunds.com (5) Vanguard Index 500/ S&P	0.18%	\$1.80 \$0.70	and there are no loads in this fund.  All the classes in this fund have no	(4) SSgA S&P 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index www.ssgafunds.com	SVSPX	0.18% [0.14%]	\$1.80 [\$1.40]	0.25% [0.01%]	- -	-
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(6) Fidelity Contrafund/ Large Cap Growth	1.01%	\$10.10	This fund has no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.	www.vanguard.com (6) Fidelity Contrafund/ Large	VIFSX	0.07% [0.14%]	\$0.70 [\$1.40]	-	-	-
www.fidelity.com (7) Fidelity Diversified International/ International			Two classes of this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads; One class	Cap Growth www.fidelity.com	FCNTX	1.01% [0.89%]	\$10.10 [\$8.90]	-	-	-
Large Cap Growth www.Fidelity.com	0.99% 1.04% 1.31% 2.07% 2.06% 1.55%	\$9.90 \$10.40 \$13.10 \$20.70 \$20.60 \$15.50	has a 12(b)-1 fee of 0.75% and a front end load of 5.75%; One class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 1.00% and a back end load of 5.00%; One class has a 12(b)-1 fee of 1.00% and a back end load of 1.00%; and, one class has a	(7) Fidelity Diversified International/ International Large Cap Growth www.Fidelity.com	FDIVX FDVIX FDVAX FDIBX FADCX FADIX	0.99% 1.04% 1.31% 2.07% 2.06% 1.55% [0.89%]	\$9.90 \$10.40 \$13.10 \$20.70 \$20.60 \$15.50 [\$8.90]	- 0.75% 1.00% 1.00% 0.75% [0.19%	- - 5.75% - - - 3.75% [1.42%]	- - 5.00% 1.00% - [0.05%]
(8) Vanguard Institutional Index/ S&P 500 Index	0.05% 0.02%	\$0.50 \$0.20	12(b)-1 fee of 0.75% and a front end load of 3.5%.  All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.	(8) Vanguard Institutional Index/ S&P 500 Index www.vanguard.com	VINIX VIIIX	0.05% 0.02% [0.14%]	\$0.50 \$0.20 [\$1.40]	-	- -	- -
www.vanguard.com (9) Fidelity Spartan 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index	0.07%	\$0.70 \$1.00	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.	(9) Fidelity Spartan 500 Index/ S&P 500 Index www.fidelity.com	FUSVX FUSEX	0.07% 0.10% [0.14%]	\$0.70 \$1.00 [\$1.40]	-	-	-
www.fidelity.com (10) Dodge & Cox Stock/Large Cap Value www.dodgeandcox.com	0.52%	\$5.20	This fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.	(10) Dodge & Cox Stock/Large Cap Value www.dodgeandcox.com Bond Funds	DODGX	0.52% [0.72%]	\$5.20 [\$7.20]	-	-	-
Bond Funds				(2) Pimco Total Return/	PMBIX	0.50%	\$5.00	-	_	-
(2) Pimco Total Return/ Intermediate Bond Fund www.pimco.com	0.50% 0.50% 0.46%	\$5.00 \$5.00 \$4.60	All the classes in this fund have no 12(b)-1 fee and no loads.	Intermediate Bond Fund www.pimco.com	PTSAX PTTRX	0.50% 0.46% [0.52%]	\$5.00 \$4.60 [5.20%]	- -	-	-