
Nebraska Investment Council

Private Market Performance Report – Q1 2025

November 2025

Table of Contents

Private Equity

- P. 4 Market Overview
- P. 8 Portfolio Exposures
- P. 12 Private Equity Performance Update

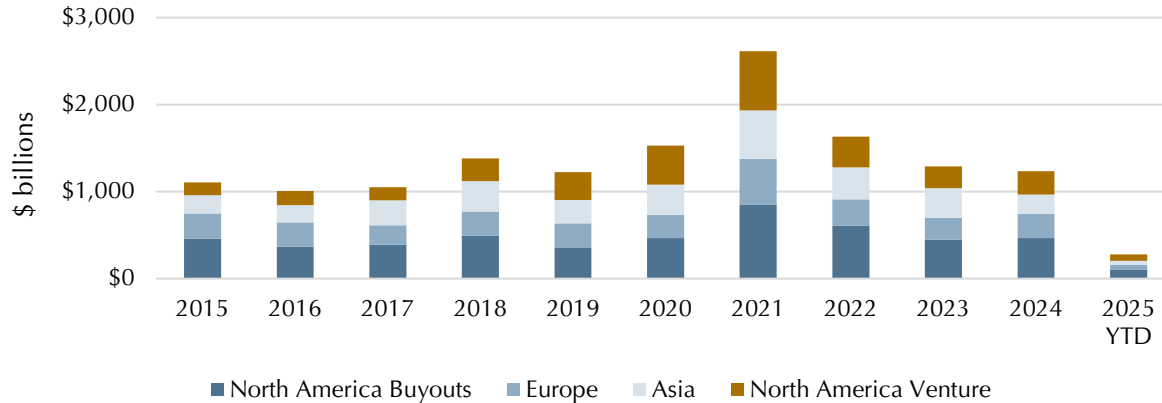
Real Assets

- P. 21 Market Overview
- P. 25 Portfolio Exposures
- P. 28 Real Assets Performance Update

Private Equity

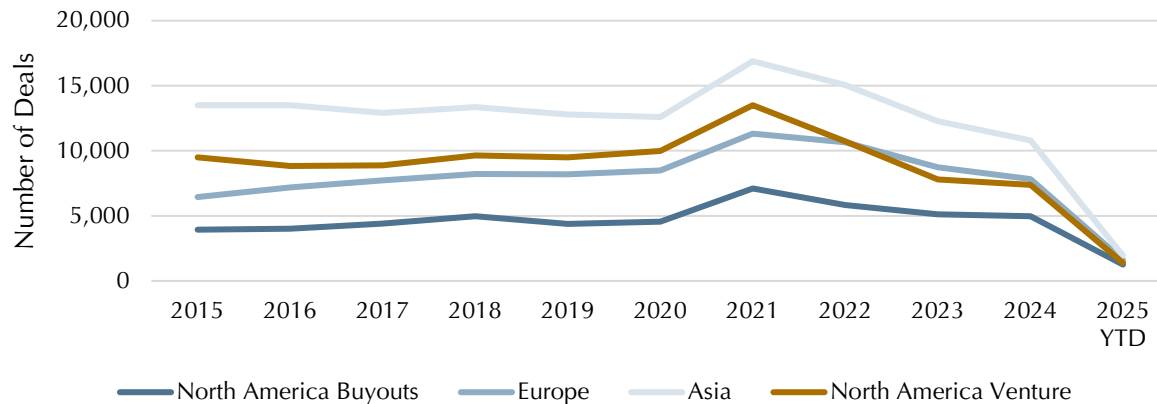
- PE investment activity has declined for three consecutive years since the peak in 2021, but total deal activity in 2024 was similar to pre-COVID levels and consistent with its 10-year average. While still uncertain, we anticipate the total deal activity in 2025 will be materially influenced by macroeconomic conditions in the U.S. and global trade policies.

Investment Value



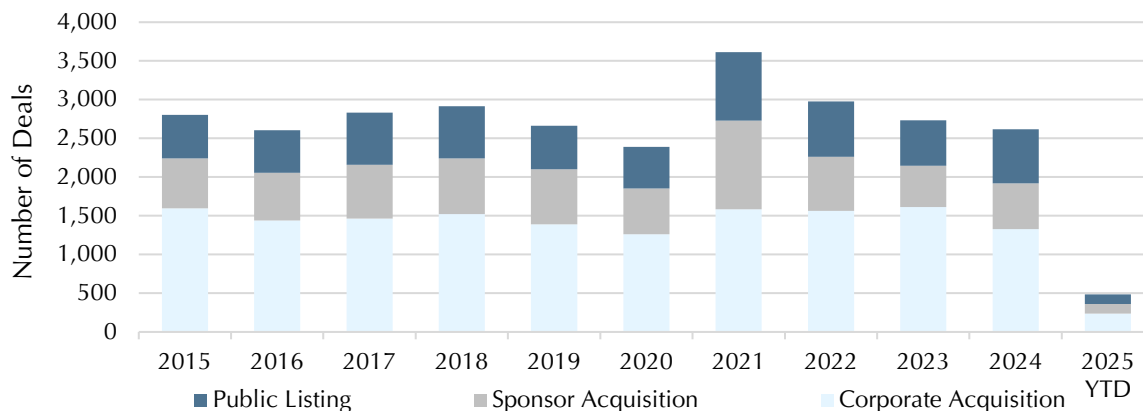
- In Q1'25, deal count and investment value in North America buyouts were broadly consistent with Q1'24.
- North America VC recorded higher investment value but saw fewer deals compared to the same quarter last year.

Deal Count



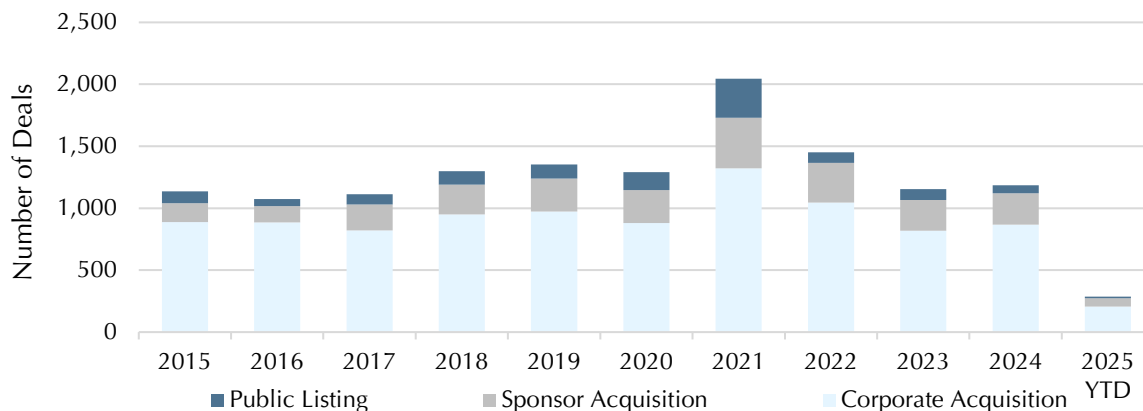
- Europe experienced a noticeable decline in both capital invested and deal activity in Q1'25 versus Q1'24.
- Asia saw an increase in investment levels despite a reduction in the number of deals compared to Q1'24.

Private Equity-Backed Exits



Source: Pitchbook, as of March 31, 2025. Values refer to US and Europe markets. The above represents Aksia's market observations. Observations are subject to change.

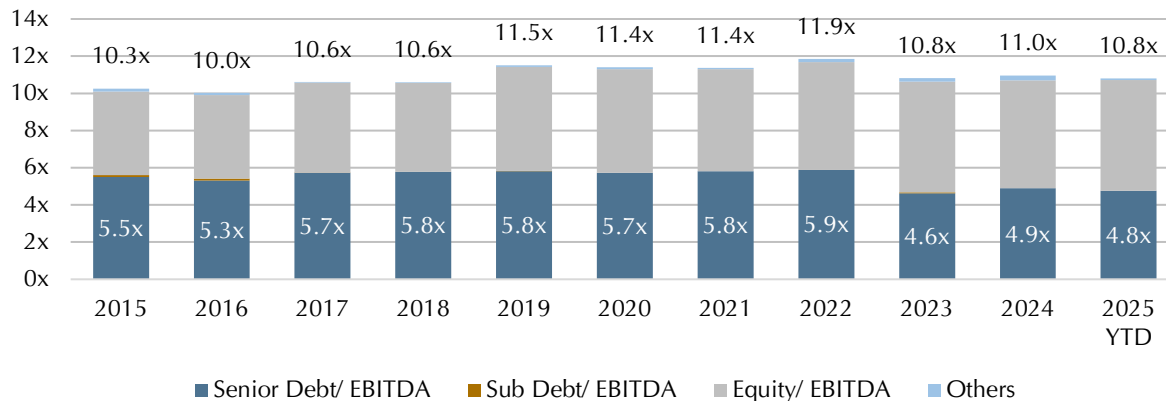
Venture Capital-Backed Exits



Source: Pitchbook & National Venture Capital Association, as of March 31, 2025. The above represents Aksia's market observations. Observations are subject to change.

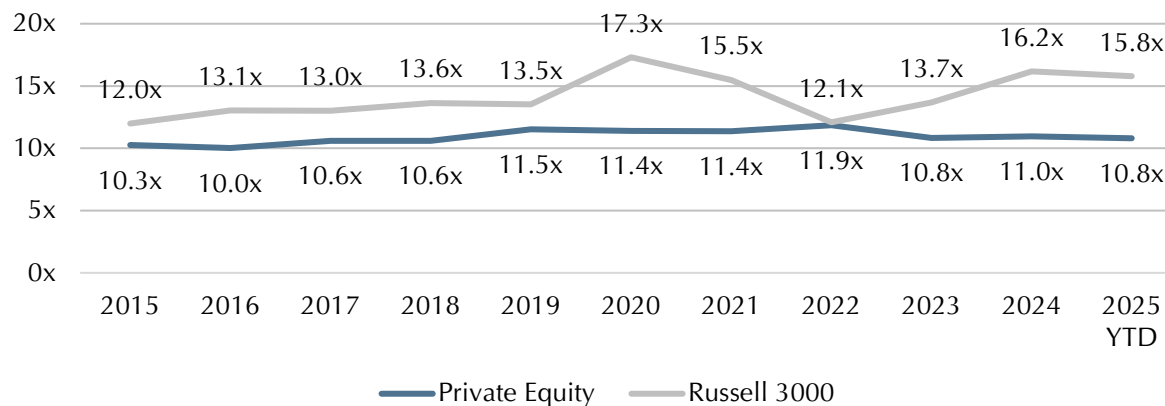
- PE-backed exits in Q1'25 were up 17% year-over-year. However, we anticipate total deal activity in Q2'25 will likely decline following the macro uncertainty surrounding U.S. trade policy changes enacted in April 2025.
- In Q1'25, corporate acquisitions accounted for about half of all private equity-backed exits and over two-thirds of venture capital-backed exits.
- Looking ahead, we anticipate fund managers will continue to utilize alternative liquidity mechanisms such as minority sales, continuation funds, NAV loans, and dividend recaps throughout 2025 given the slower exit environment and uncertain market backdrop.

Transaction Multiples and Leverage Levels



Source: Leveraged Commentary & Data (LCD), Pitchbook as of March 31, 2025. The above represents Aksia's market observations. Observations are subject to change.

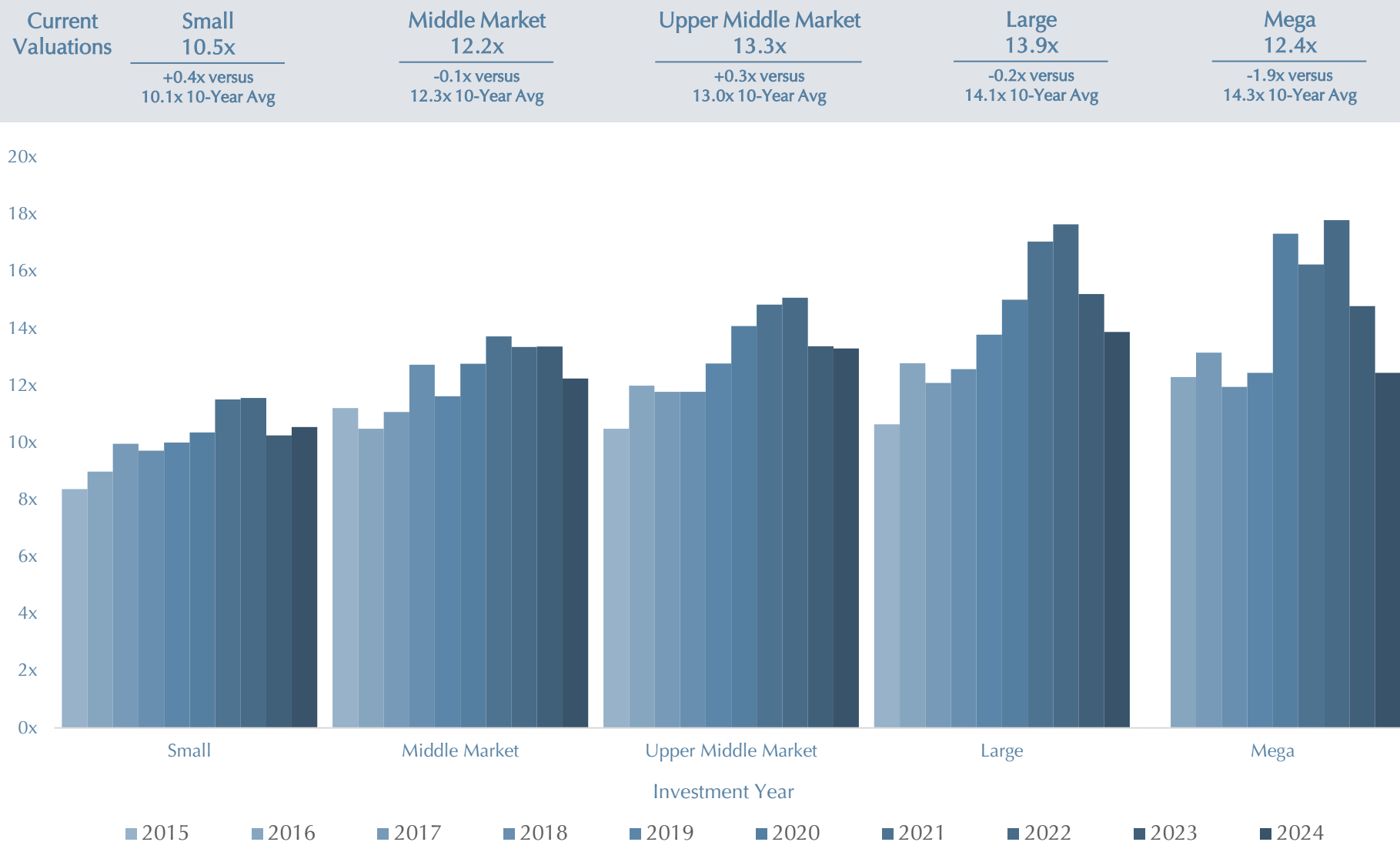
U.S. Valuation Multiples (EV/EBITDA)



Source: Bloomberg; Russell Investment Group, as of May 28, 2025. Russell Investment Group is the source and owner of the trademarks, service marks and copyrights related to the Russell Indexes. March 31, 2025 S&P Leveraged Commentary & Data for private equity. Past performance is not indicative of future results. The above represents Aksia's market observations. Observations are subject to change.

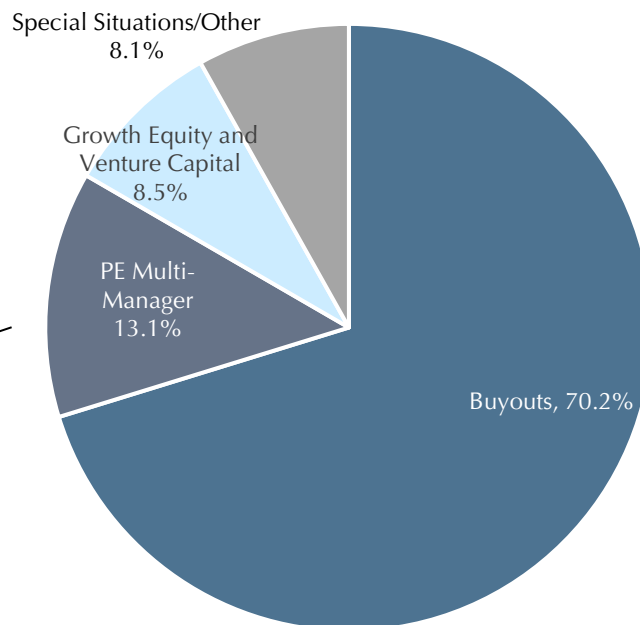
- Through Q1'25, purchase multiples were effectively flat with the prior two years following a sharp drop from their 2022 peak.
- Debt levels as a multiple of EBITDA stepped down in 2023 in response to rising interest rates and are close to flat year-over-year.
- Managers have anecdotally reported that the bid-ask spread for assets is narrowing, though high-quality companies continue to command premium valuations.
- The valuation gap between private equity and public equity markets remains wide after nearly reaching parity in 2022. If valuation levels persist, we expect managers to increasingly favor public markets as an exit strategy in 2025.

EV/EBITDA Transaction Multiples – Buyout Sub-Sectors

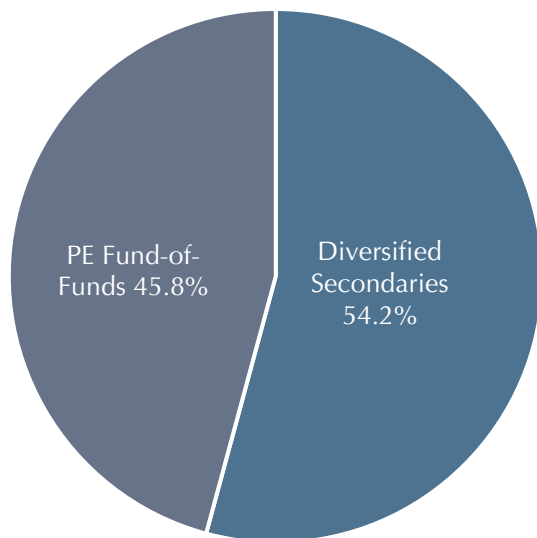


Aksia database as of June 30, 2024, extracted 4Q 2024. Includes companies with greater than \$5 million in revenue. Transaction multiples shown are median values for each year. Company size defined by enterprise value as follows: Small < \$250 million, Middle Market is \$250 mil - \$500 mil, Upper Middle Market is \$500 mil. to \$1 bil. Large is \$1 bil to \$2.5 bil, and Mega is over \$2.5 bil. Past performance is not indicative of future results.

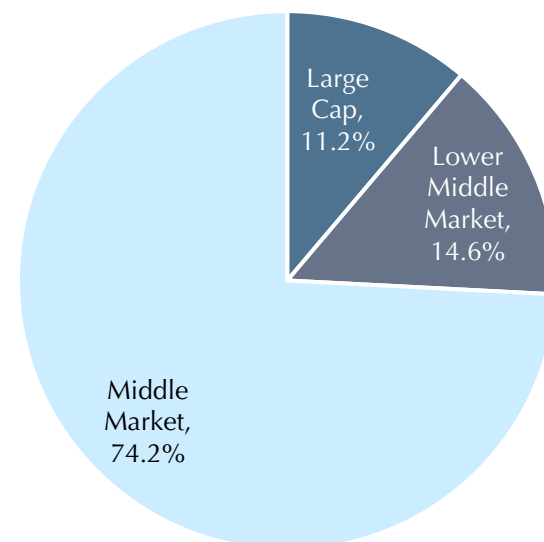
Current Exposure



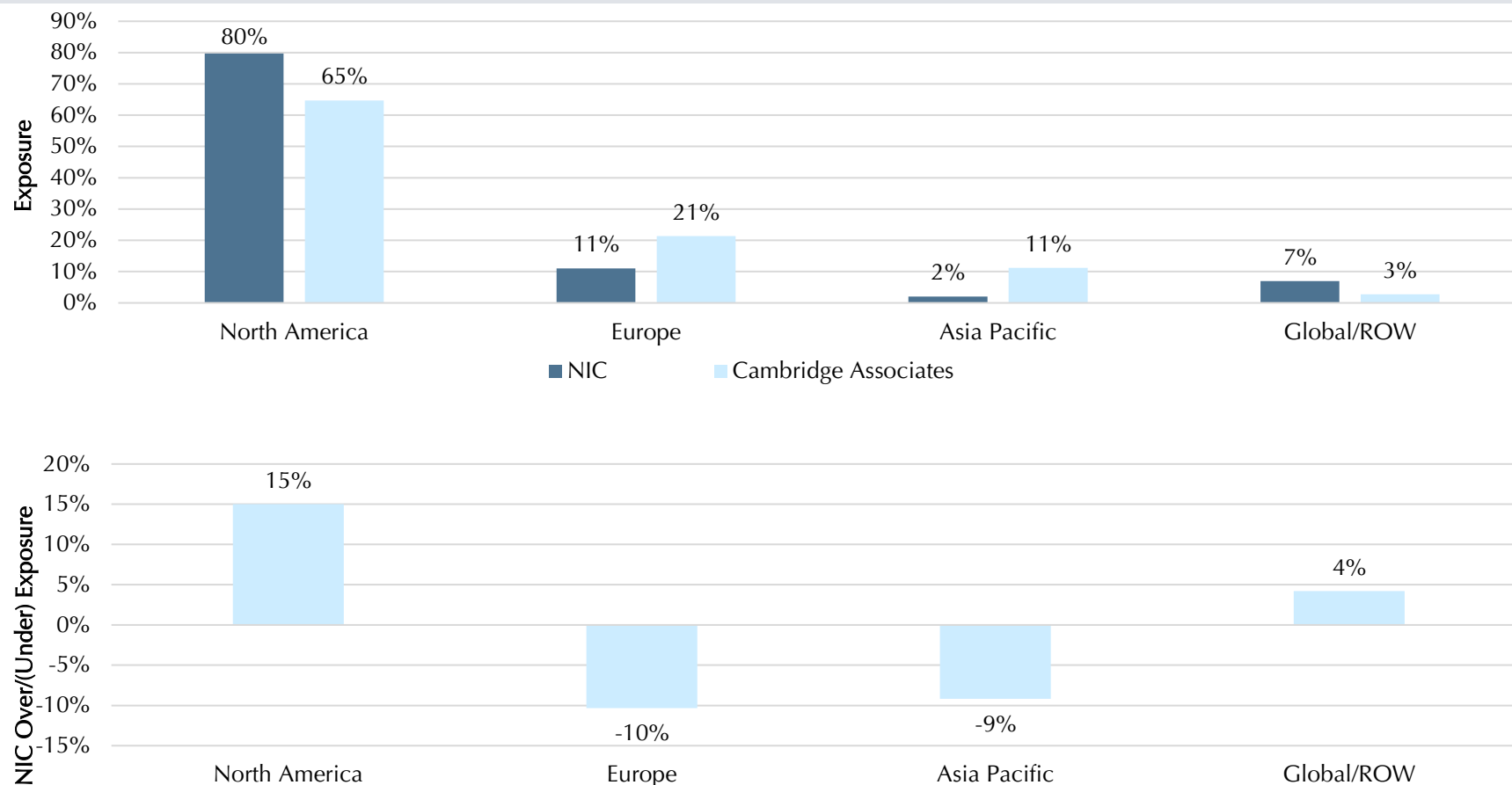
PE Multi-Manager



Buyout



Geography Exposure vs. Benchmark^{1,2} | As of March 31, 2025

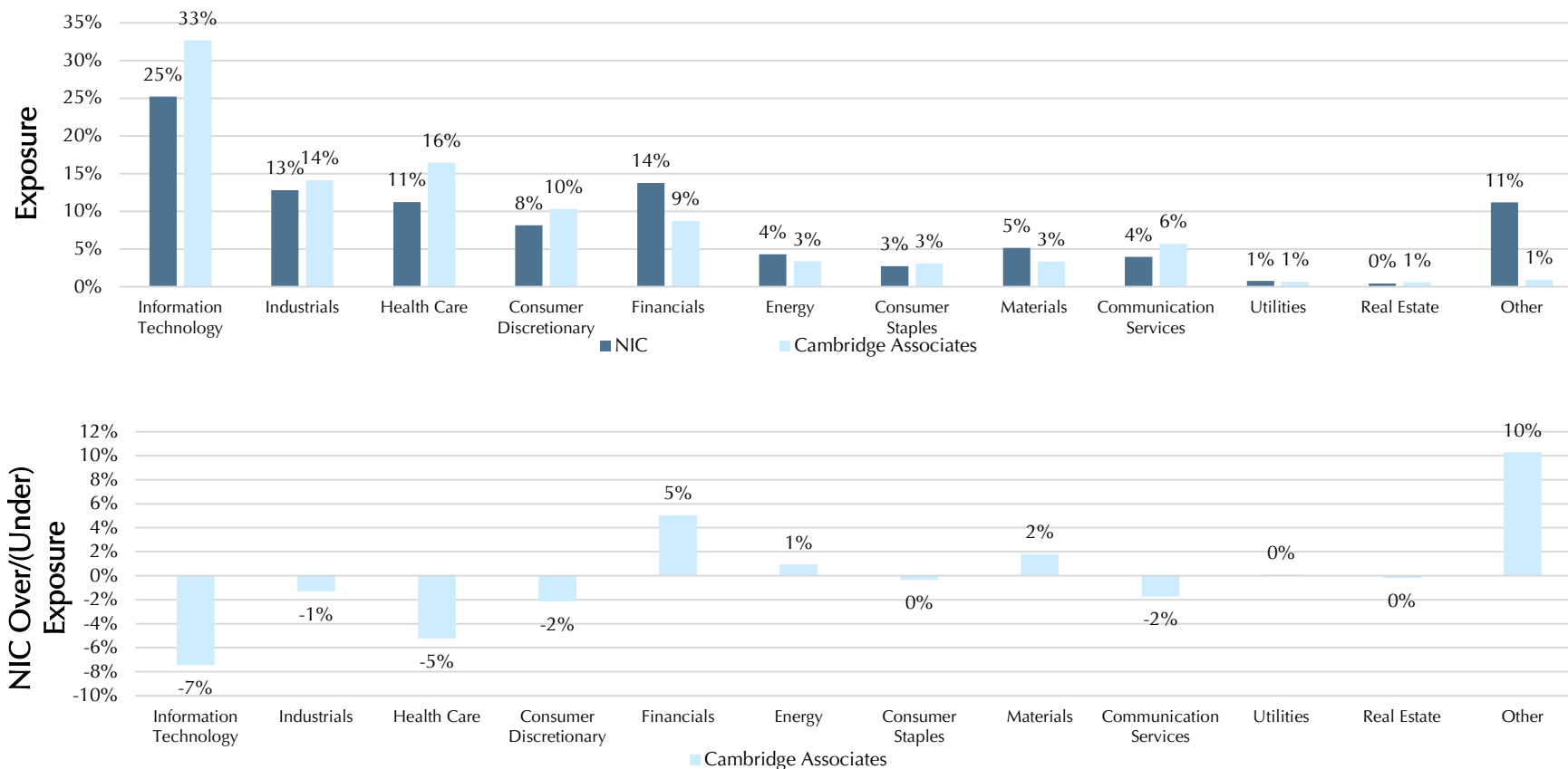


Displaying Industry exposures for 100% of total portfolio allocations.

¹Based on FMV of the underlying portfolio companies, then weighted by each fund NAV.

²Cambridge Associates is an index tracking the performance of thousands of global private funds and their underlying private equity and venture capital investment positions.

Industry Exposure vs. Benchmark^{1,2} | As of March 31, 2025

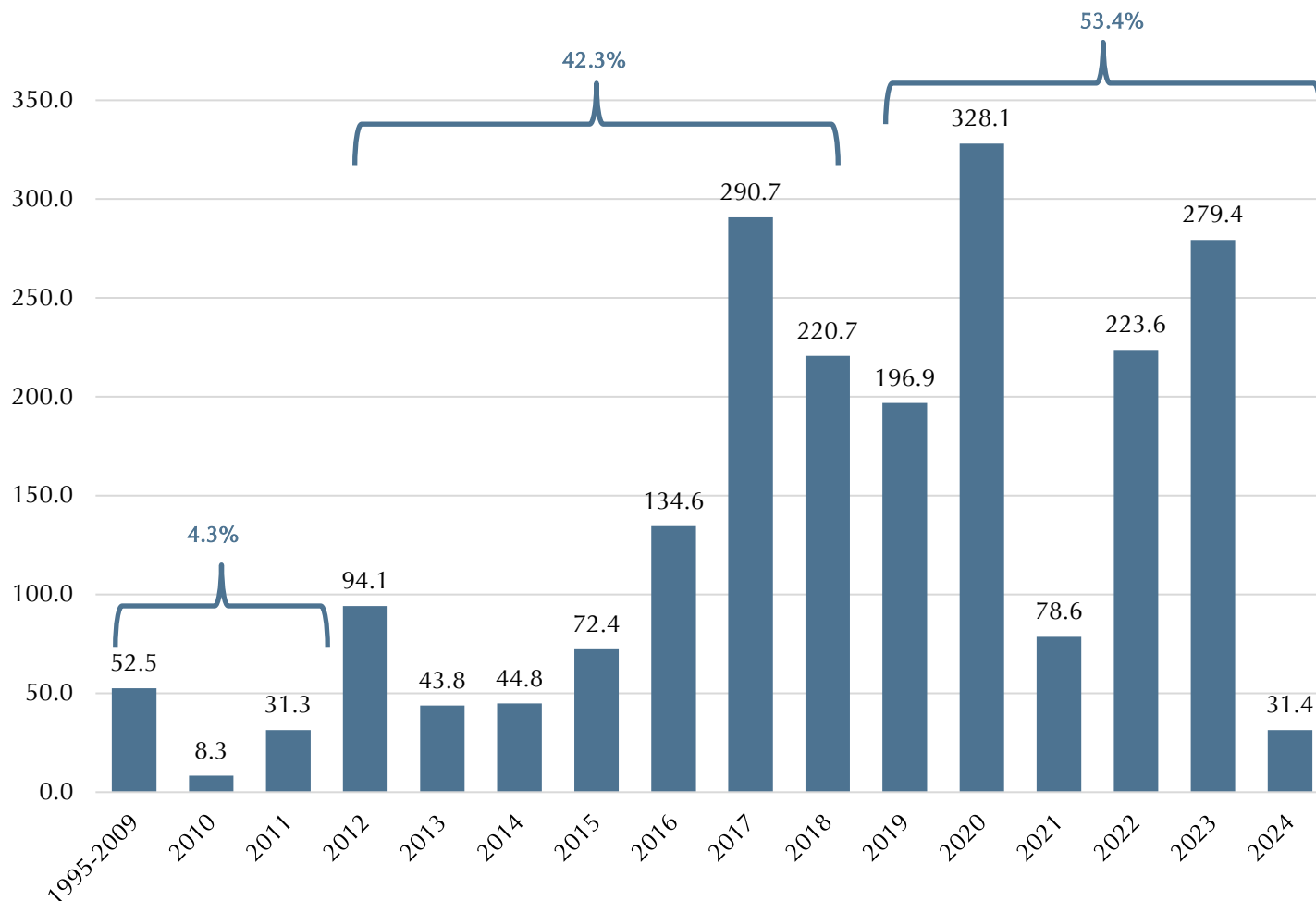


Displaying Industry exposures for 100% of total portfolio allocations.

¹Based on FMV of the underlying portfolio companies, then weighted by each fund NAV.

²Cambridge Associates is an index tracking the performance of thousands of global private funds and their underlying private equity and venture capital investment positions

- 53.4% of NIC private equity exposure is from funds less than six years old



Defined Benefit and Cash Benefit Balance Program

Total Plan Assets	\$21.5 bn
Private Equity Target	5.0%
Private Equity Net Asset Value	\$1.4 bn
Private Equity Exposure	6.6%
Net IRR Since Inception	13.7%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.8x

Healthcare Endowment Program

Total Plan Assets	\$591.0 mn
Private Equity Target	5.0%
Private Equity Net Asset Value	\$24.3 mn
Private Equity Exposure	4.1%
Net IRR Since Inception	15.1%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.8x

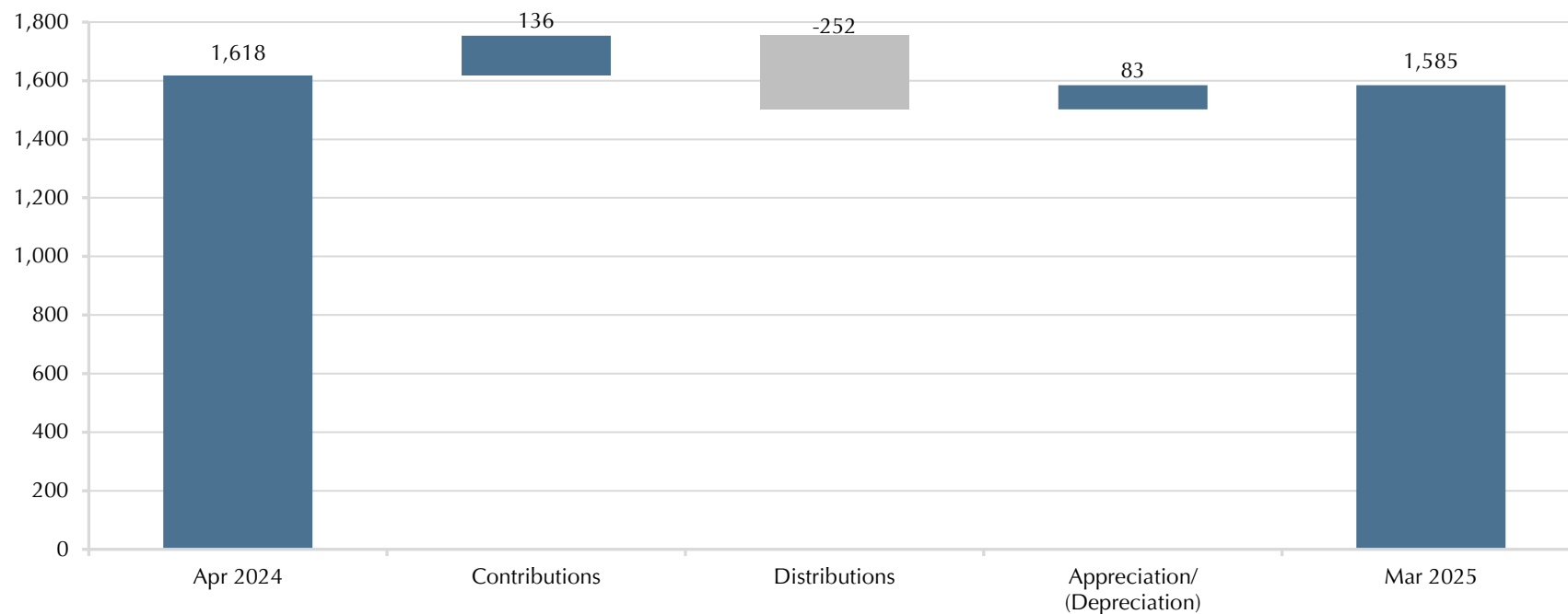
General Endowment Program

Total Plan Assets	\$1.2 bn
Private Equity Target	5.0%
Private Equity Net Asset Value	\$56.9 mn
Private Equity Exposure	4.7%
Net IRR Since Inception	15.1%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.8x

OSERS Program

Total Plan Assets	\$1.7 bn
Private Equity Target	5.0%
Private Equity Net Asset Value	\$91.5 mn
Private Equity Exposure	5.4%
Net IRR Since Inception	8.2%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.7x

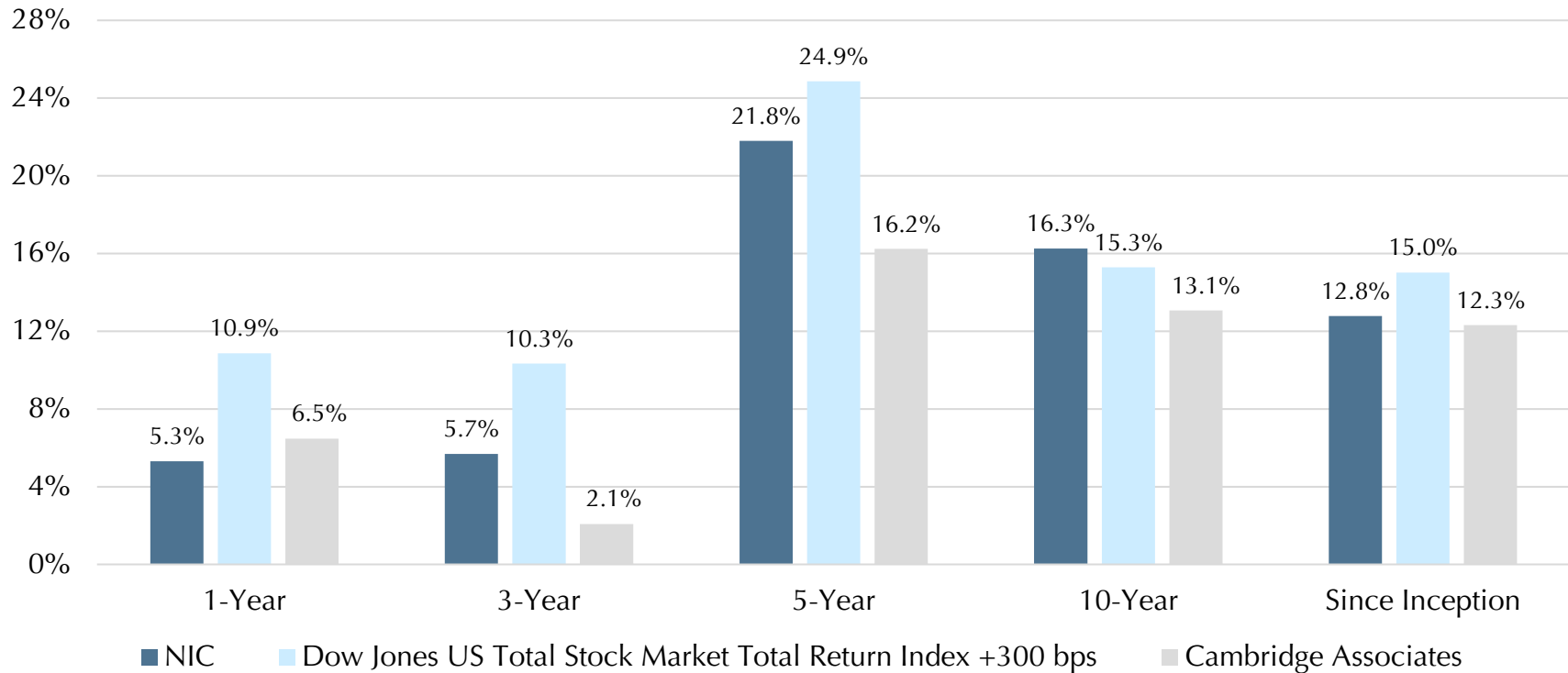
Portfolio Value Bridge | April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025 | \$ millions



- Contributions of \$136.0 million were less than distributions of \$251.6 million, generating positive cash flow from the program of \$115.6 million.
- From April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025, the portfolio appreciated by \$82.6 million, or 5.1% of beginning net asset value.
- Total market value on March 31, 2025 was \$1.6 billion.
- Unfunded commitment on March 31, 2025 was \$546.5 million.

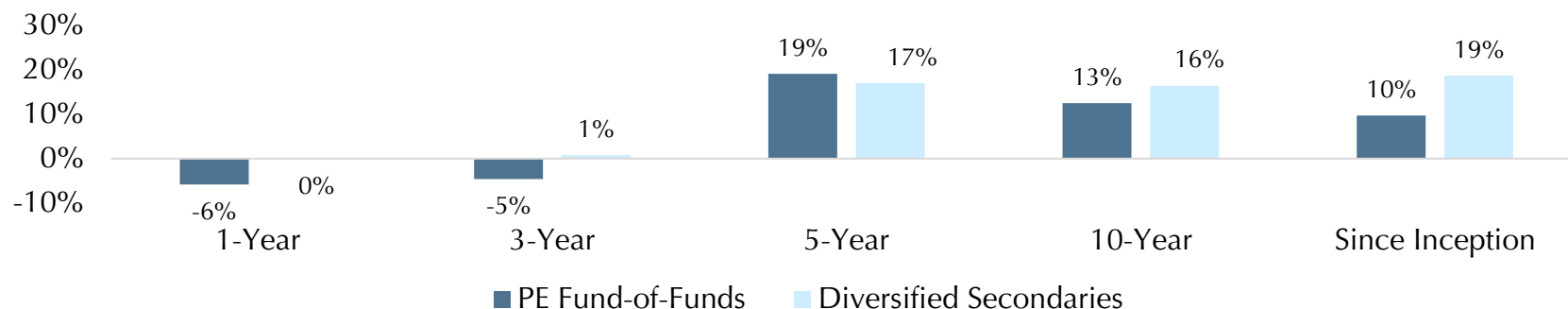
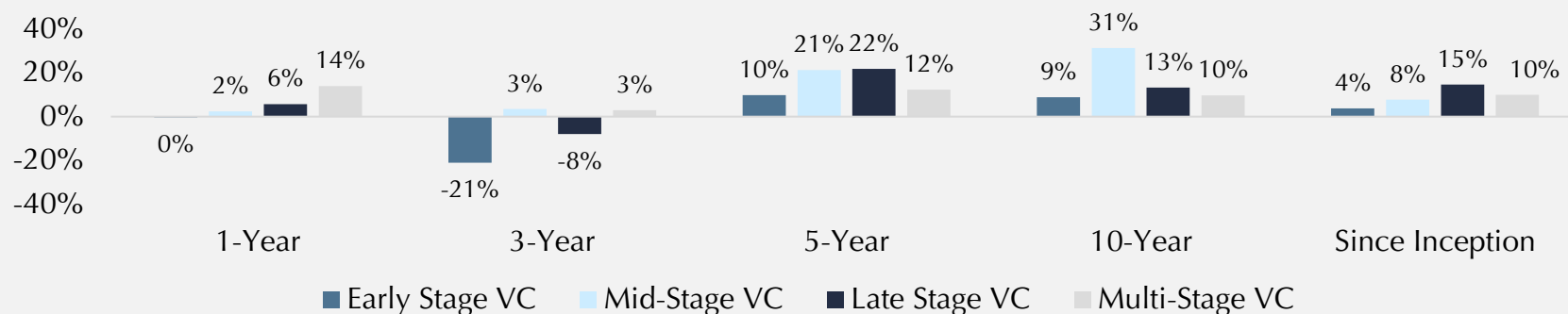
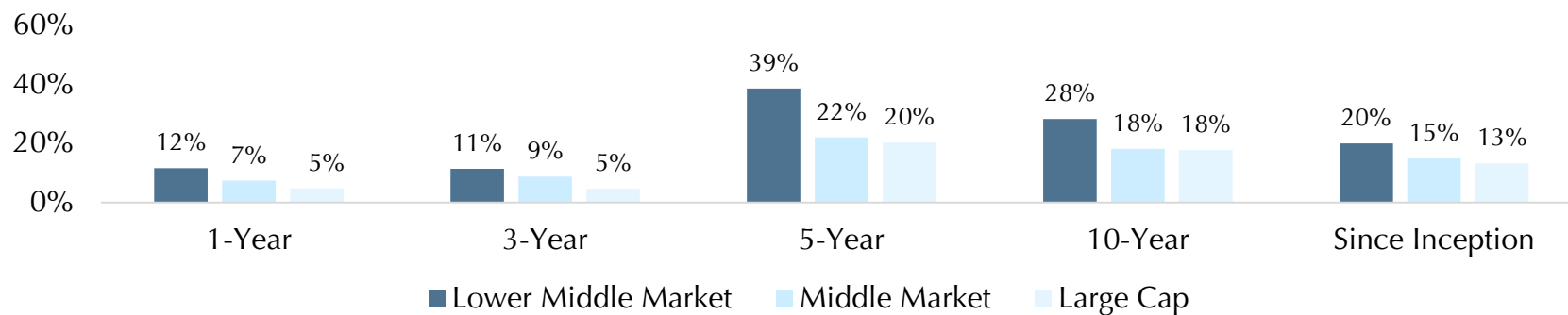
Portfolio Performance | As of March 31, 2025

NIC Private Equity vs Benchmarks



- NIC outperformed the Dow Jones US Total Stock Market Total Return Index + 3% over a 10-year period.
- The portfolio outperformed a peer benchmark (Cambridge Associates) for 3-year, 5-year and 10-year periods.

Horizon Net Returns By Sub-Strategy¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million



¹The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM.

Top 10 Managers Ranked by Exposure¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million

Manager	Commitment	Fair Market Value	% of Fair Market Value	Unfunded	Total Exposure ¹	% of Total Exposure	IRR ²	TVPI
TJC LP	212.0	192.2	12.2%	43.8	236.0	11.1%	16.7%	1.8x
Genstar Capital Management LLC	150.0	208.6	13.2%	13.2	221.9	10.4%	23.6%	2.0x
McCarthy Capital	166.0	165.0	10.4%	44.1	209.1	9.8%	26.7%	2.4x
Francisco Partners Management LP	170.0	149.9	9.5%	44.6	194.5	9.1%	20.3%	2.0x
New Mountain Capital LLC	210.7	119.3	7.5%	62.1	181.4	8.5%	17.7%	2.0x
HarbourVest Partners	206.0	100.1	6.3%	55.2	155.4	7.3%	18.7%	1.6x
New Enterprise Associates	140.0	109.1	6.9%	31.3	140.4	6.6%	14.8%	1.8x
Bridgepoint Advisers Ltd	146.5	90.2	5.7%	32.0	122.1	5.7%	12.0%	1.5x
Wynnchurch Capital LP	75.0	81.8	5.2%	8.0	89.8	4.2%	19.7%	1.8x
Constitution Capital Partners	72.0	38.6	2.4%	41.0	79.7	3.7%	17.0%	1.6x
Total Portfolio	2,770.7	1,586.3	100.0%	546.5	2,131.3	100.0%	12.8%	1.8x

¹Total Exposure = FMV + Unfunded

²The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM

Vintage Year Performance¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million

Vintage Year	Contributions	Distributions	Net Asset Value	Gain/Loss	Net TVPI	DPI	Net IRR ²
2024	-	-	-0.6	-0.6	-	-	-
2023	60.1	0.8	64.6	5.3	1.1x	0.0x	15.0%
2022	70.5	4.7	87.6	21.8	1.3x	0.1x	27.1%
2021	70.0	6.9	73.4	10.3	1.1x	0.1x	5.8%
2020	241.7	30.7	304.4	93.5	1.4x	0.1x	14.5%
2019	148.2	66.6	172.3	90.7	1.6x	0.4x	17.2%
2018	148.3	107.4	213.9	172.9	2.2x	0.7x	22.3%
2017	307.2	343.4	259.9	296.1	2.0x	1.1x	18.2%
2016	96.4	174.7	123.2	201.5	3.1x	1.8x	34.4%
2015	84.2	143.8	67.8	127.4	2.5x	1.7x	21.3%
2014	74.7	123.8	36.2	85.4	2.1x	1.7x	18.1%
2013	158.2	240.0	38.8	120.6	1.8x	1.5x	13.6%
2012	210.5	288.7	73.5	151.7	1.7x	1.4x	10.5%
2011	83.4	139.8	24.6	81.1	2.0x	1.7x	15.6%
2010	51.8	70.3	9.0	27.5	1.5x	1.4x	9.1%
2009	63.1	83.2	7.8	27.9	1.4x	1.3x	7.8%
2008	178.2	345.7	15.1	182.6	2.0x	1.9x	15.4%
2007	118.7	195.1	7.1	83.5	1.7x	1.6x	10.6%
2006	142.6	208.1	5.3	70.8	1.5x	1.5x	7.0%
2005	67.8	93.1	0.3	25.7	1.4x	1.4x	5.4%
2003	3.0	4.3	0.0	1.3	1.4x	1.4x	5.9%
2002	4.7	7.7	0.4	3.4	1.7x	1.6x	6.4%
2001	5.0	4.9	-	-0.1	1.0x	1.0x	-0.4%
2000	8.7	11.4	-	2.7	1.3x	1.3x	5.0%
1999	1.2	0.9	-	-0.3	0.8x	0.8x	-5.2%
1995	5.2	8.0	-	2.8	1.5x	1.5x	5.2%
Total Portfolio	2,403.5	2,704.0	1,584.8	1,885.3	1.8x	1.1x	12.8%

¹The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM.

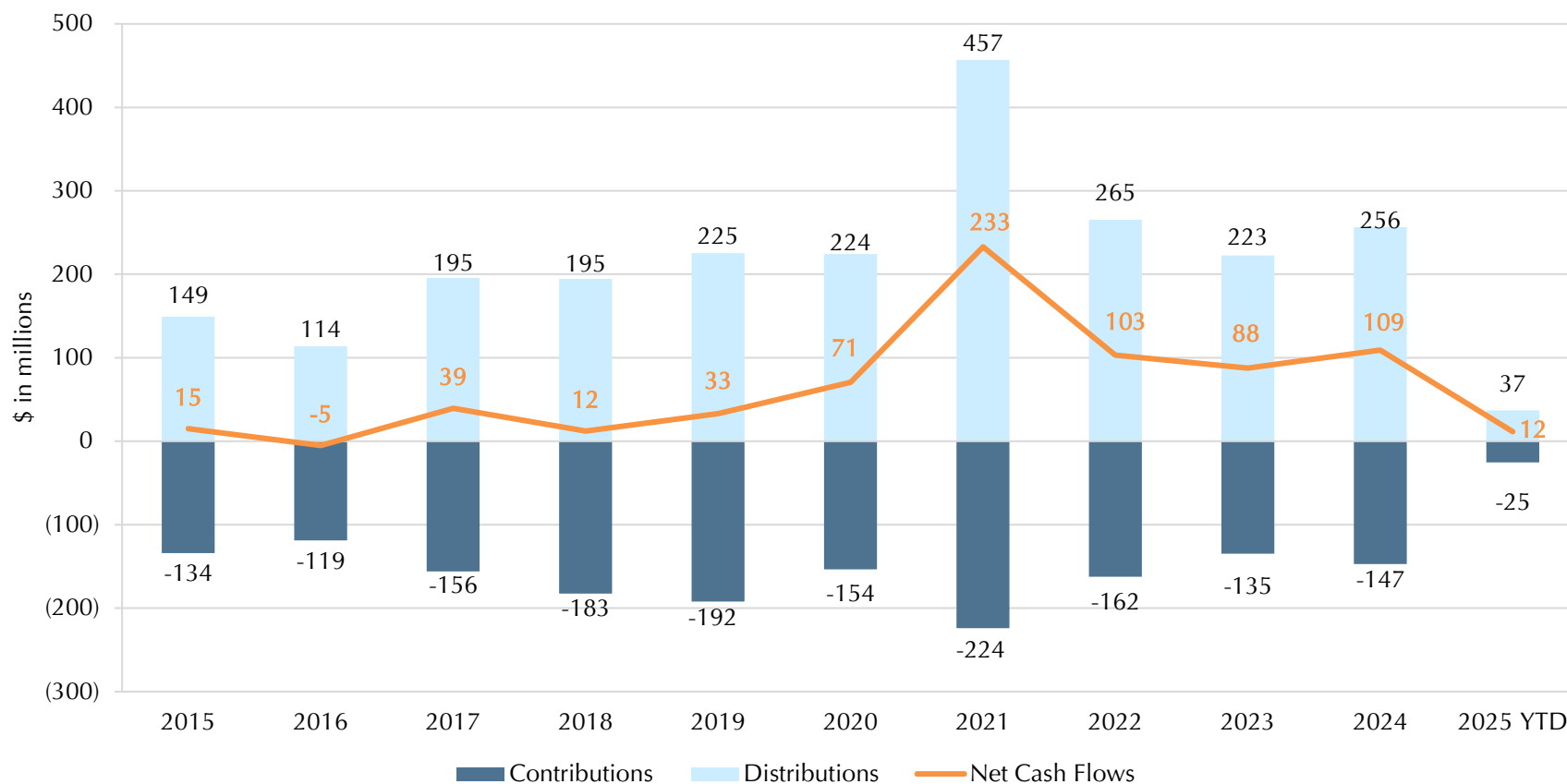
Sector - Sub-Strategy Performance¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million

Sector - Sub-Strategy	Contributions	Distributions	Net Asset Value	Gain/Loss	Net TVPI	DPI	Net IRR ²
Lower Middle Market	248.7	380.8	172.9	305.0	2.2x	1.5x	20.1%
Middle Market	888.8	798.4	834.4	744.1	1.8x	0.9x	14.9%
Large Cap	184.3	201.1	116.0	132.8	1.7x	1.1x	13.3%
Buyouts Total	1,321.8	1,380.3	1,123.3	1,181.9	1.9x	1.0x	15.8%
Early-Stage VC	29.5	28.5	11.2	10.2	1.3x	1.0x	3.8%
Late-Stage VC	42.1	83.1	28.9	69.9	2.7x	2.0x	14.7%
Mid-Stage VC	9.7	11.1	4.6	6.0	1.6x	1.1x	7.7%
Multi-Stage VC	111.4	71.4	89.9	49.9	1.4x	0.6x	9.9%
Venture Capital Total	192.8	194.1	134.7	136.0	1.7x	1.0x	9.6%
Growth Equity	11.3	18.0	10.5	17.2	2.5x	1.6x	22.5%
Growth Equity Total	11.3	18.0	10.5	17.2	2.5x	1.6x	22.5%
Diversified Secondaries	150.8	137.5	100.1	86.9	1.6x	0.9x	18.7%
PE Fund-of-Funds	315.5	479.5	67.8	231.7	1.7x	1.5x	9.7%
PE Multi-Manager Total	466.3	617.0	167.9	318.7	1.7x	1.3x	10.6%
PE Special Situations	103.1	114.9	48.7	60.5	1.6x	1.1x	14.1%
PE Special Situations Total	103.1	114.9	48.7	60.5	1.6x	1.1x	14.1%
Total Portfolio	2,403.5	2,704.0	1,584.8	1,885.3	1.8x	1.1x	12.8%

¹The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM.

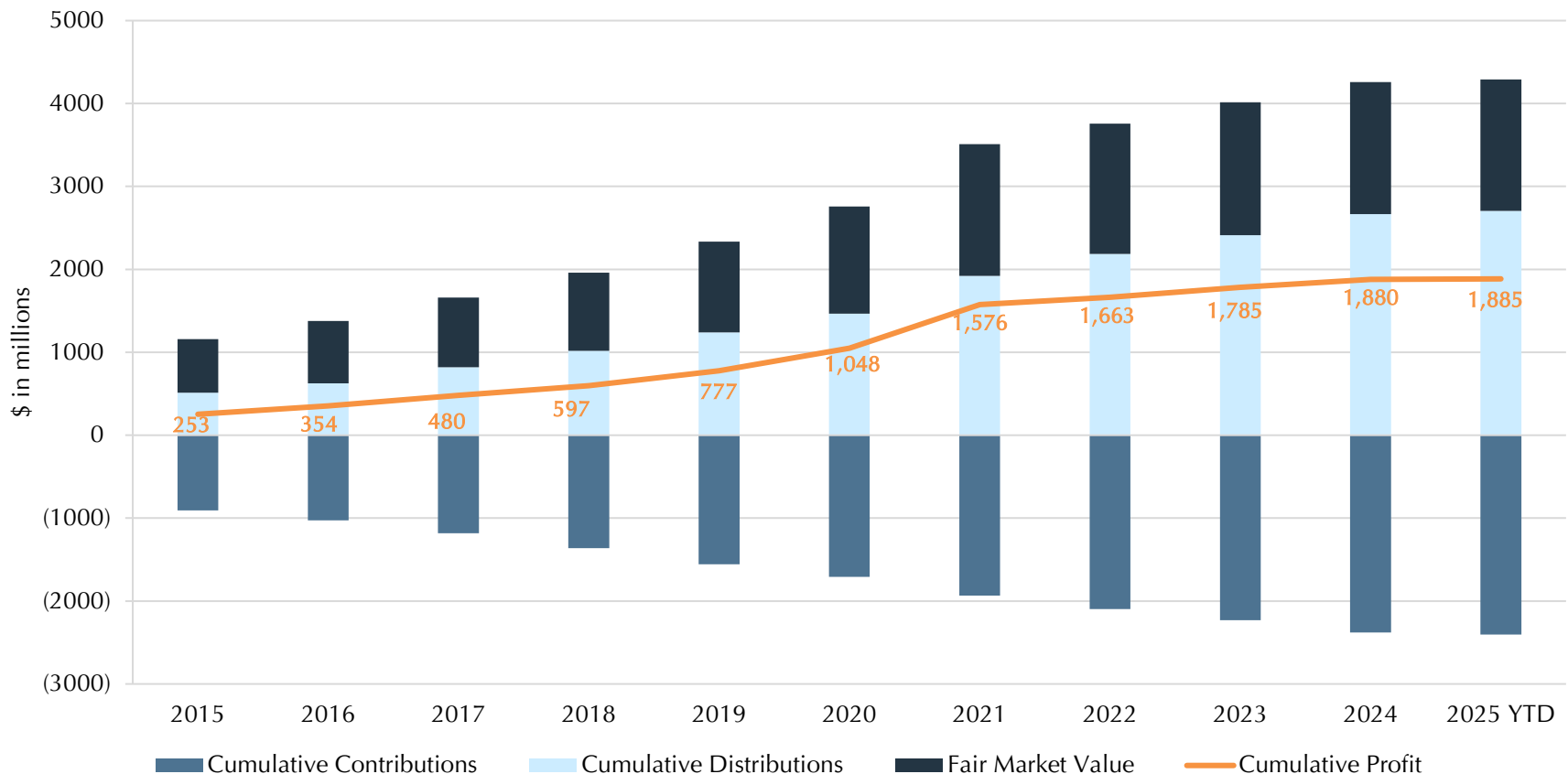
Annual Contributions, Distributions & Net Cash Flows

- The private equity program has produced cash in each of the last 8 years.
- Since the beginning of 2015, private equity distributions have exceeded contributions by \$709.9 million.



Cumulative Program Cash Flows and Market Value | As of March 31, 2025 | USD

- The private equity program has steadily created value over the 10-year period from 2015 through March 31, 2025.
- Cumulative profit for private equity totaled \$1.9 billion with value creation of \$1.7 billion since the beginning of 2015.

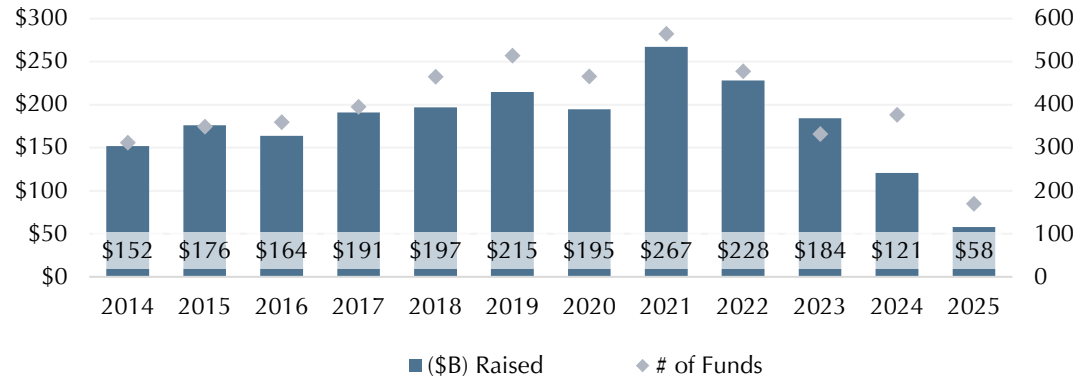


Real Assets

Real Estate

- Global real estate fundraising remains depressed due to heightened interest rates, which continued to limit transaction volumes and resulted in muted distribution activity for investors. This constrained their ability to make new contributions and extended fundraising timelines.

Real Estate Fundraising



Infrastructure

- In 2023, infrastructure fundraising reversed course due to higher interest rates, limited distributions, and fears of an economic slowdown. While rates began to stabilize in 2024, they remain elevated and continue to challenge fundraising. The slowdown in distribution activity has further impacted fundraising, and we expect an increase will be necessary for allocations to rebound. Momentum in power and digital infrastructure seems to support a 2025 recovery.

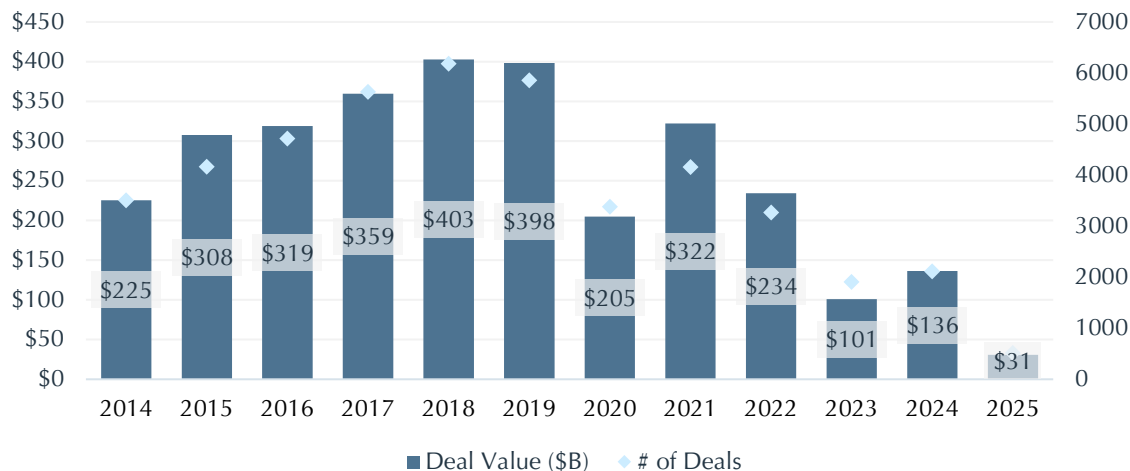
Infrastructure Fundraising



Real Estate

- 1Q2025 transaction volume and deal value appear to be tracking behind the pace seen in 2024, and real estate deal activity, both deal value and number of deals, remains significantly below the last peak in 2019. However, as private market valuations appear to have bottomed out, the result should be a continued narrowing of bid-ask spreads, driving deal volume higher.

Real Estate Deal Activity



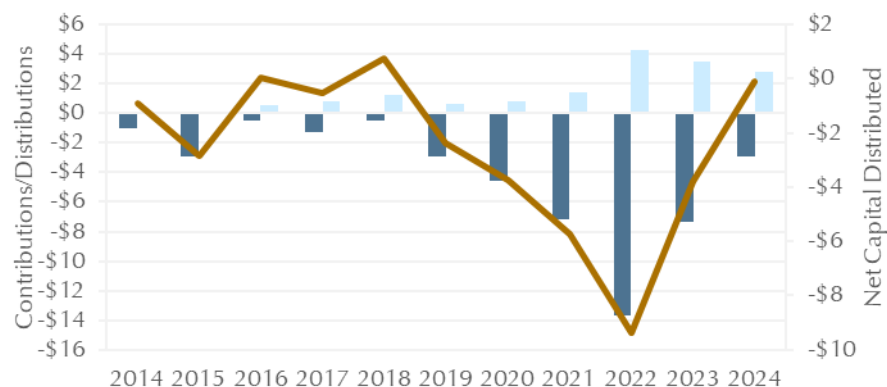
Infrastructure

- A wider bid-ask-spread and higher borrowing rates led to lower transaction volumes and increased selectivity in 2023, a trend that has persisted into 2024. In our view, sellers continue to anchor price expectations in the “old regime” when rates were low and capital was abundant, while buyers feel constrained by higher financing costs.
- Given the fundraising momentum observed in 2021 and 2022 and the resulting elevated levels of dry powder, prospective buyers are still in the early stages of their respective investment periods, giving them time for seller expectations to adjust.

Infrastructure Deal Activity

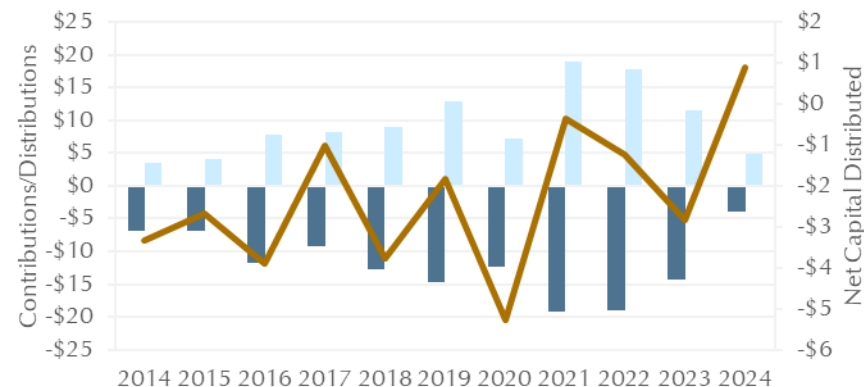


Annual Infrastructure Capital Called & Distributed
(Aksia Clients) | \$ Billion



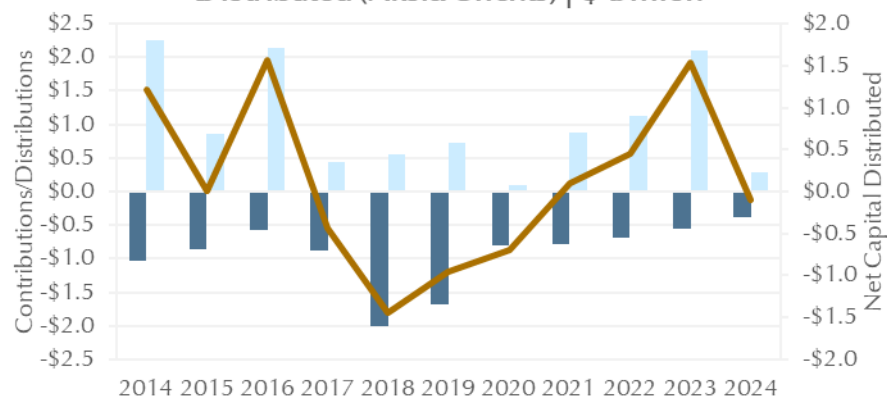
Contributions Distributions Net Capital Distributed

Annual Real Estate Capital Called & Distributed
(Aksia Clients) | \$ Billion



Contributions Distributions Net Capital Distributed

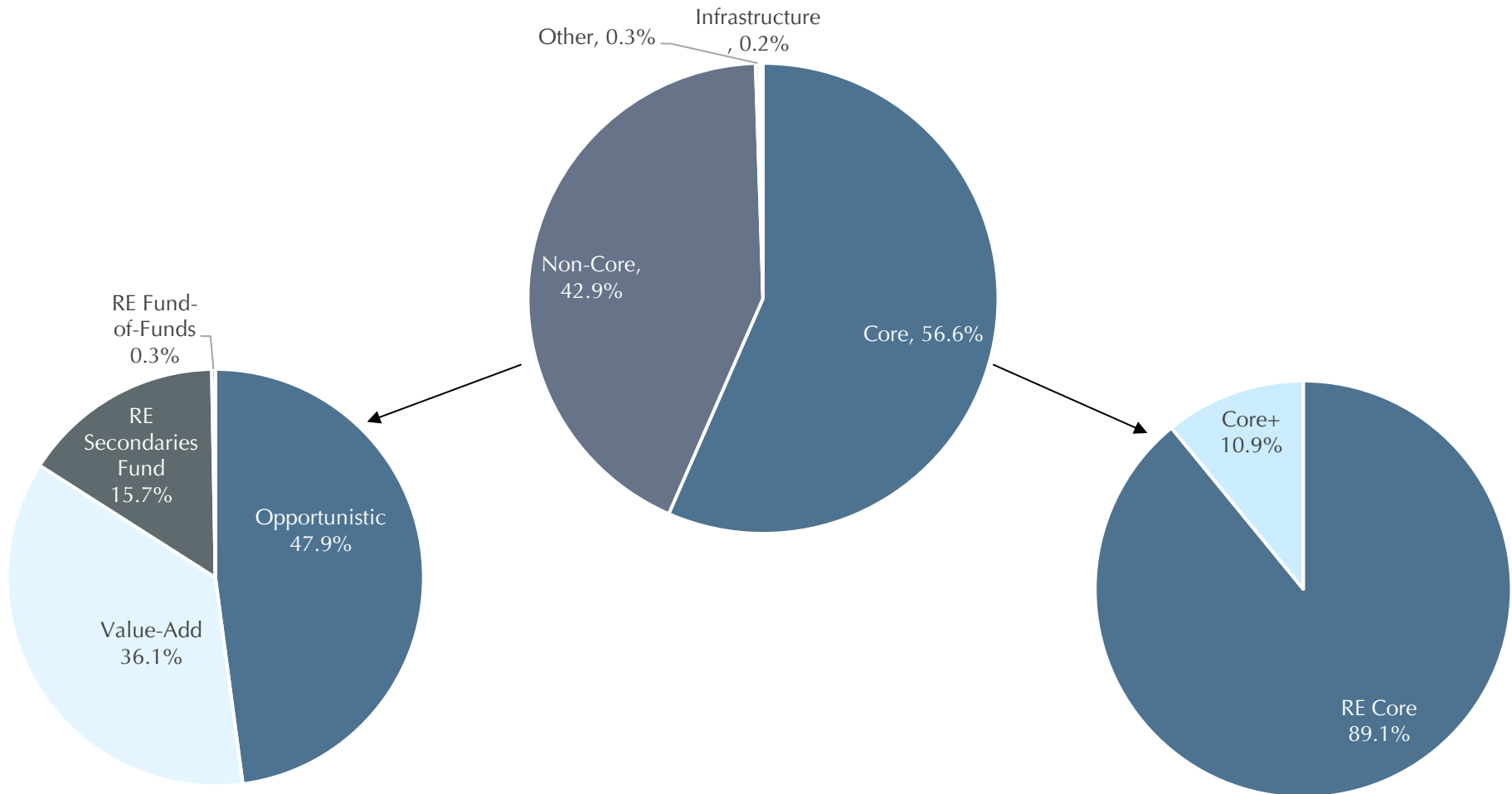
Annual Natural Resources Capital Called & Distributed (Aksia Clients) | \$ Billion



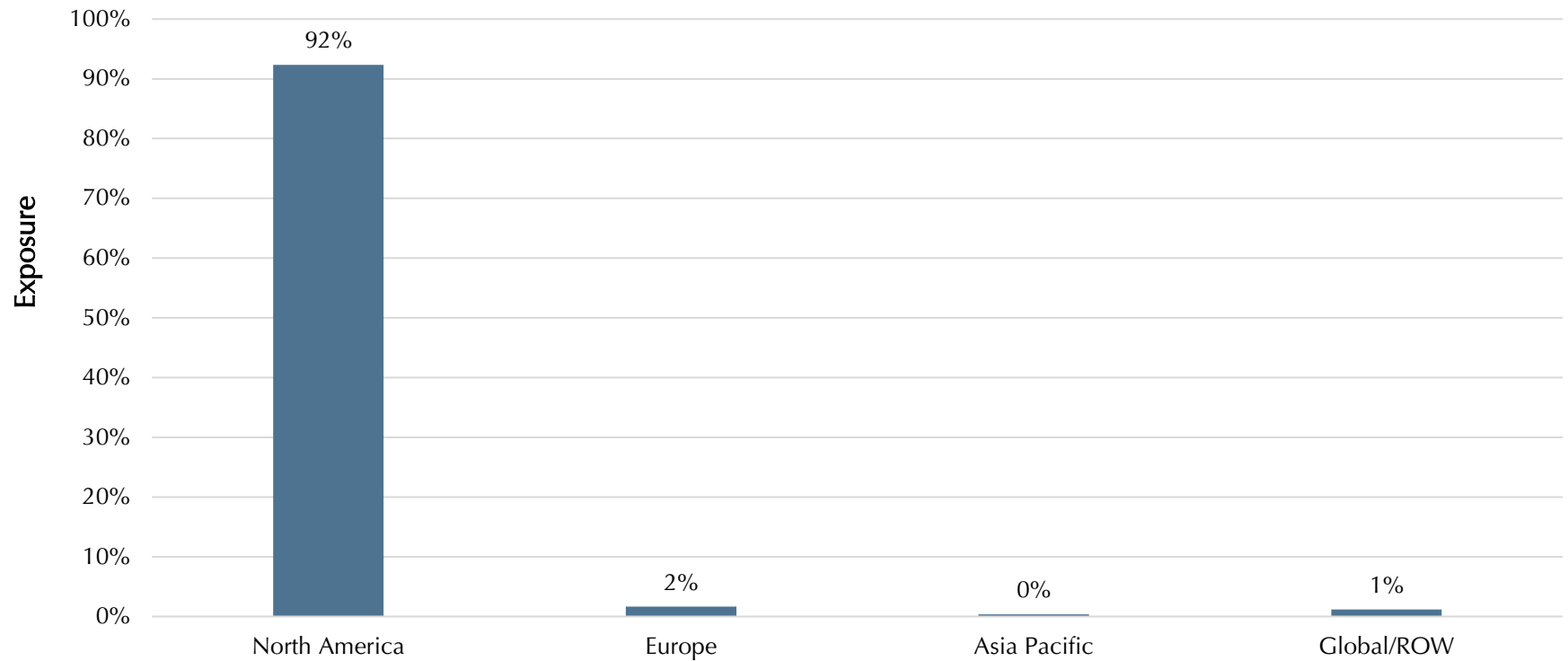
Contributions Distributions Net Capital Distributed

- **REAL ESTATE:** Capital deployment and distributions have both declined, reflecting ongoing market headwinds and valuation pressures.
- **INFRASTRUCTURE:** Strong investor demand continues to drive net inflows, but persistently low distributions are heightening liquidity concerns.
- **NATURAL RESOURCES:** While deployment remains modest, earlier vintages are now returning capital through increased distributions.

Current Exposure



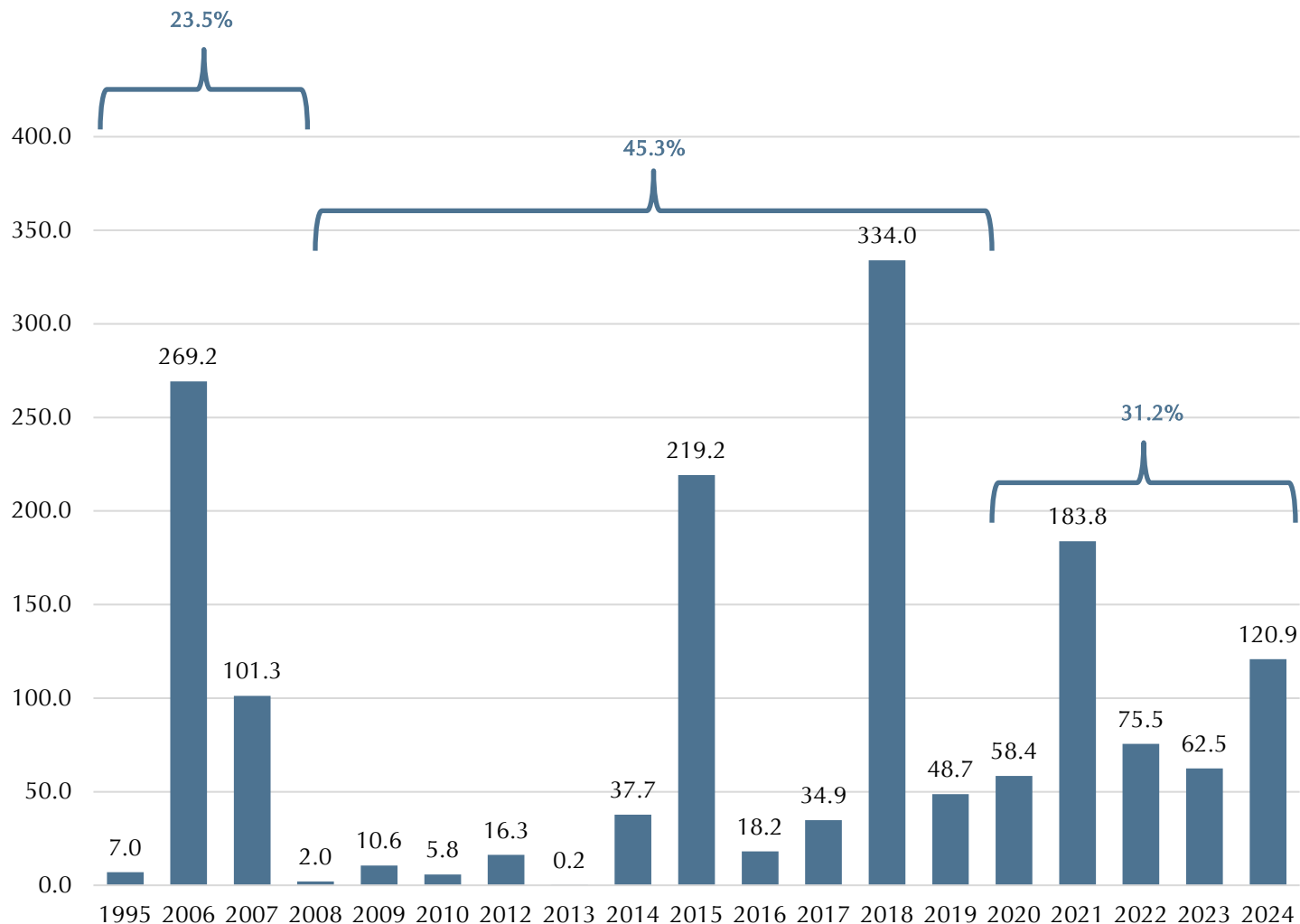
Geography Exposure¹ | As of March 31, 2025



Region exposures for 94% of total portfolio allocations.

¹Based on FMV of the underlying portfolio companies, then weighted by each fund NAV.

- Open-ended managers causing outsized exposure to 2006, 2015, 2018 and 2021 commitment years



Defined Benefit and Cash Benefit Balance Program

Total Plan Assets	\$21.5 bn
Real Assets Target	7.5%
Real Assets Net Asset Value	\$1.1 bn
Real Assets Exposure	5.3%
Net IRR Since Inception	5.3%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.3x

Healthcare Endowment Program

Total Plan Assets	\$591.0 mn
Real Assets Target	5.0%
Real Assets Net Asset Value	\$17.6 mn
Real Assets Exposure	3.0%
Net IRR Since Inception	6.7%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.3x

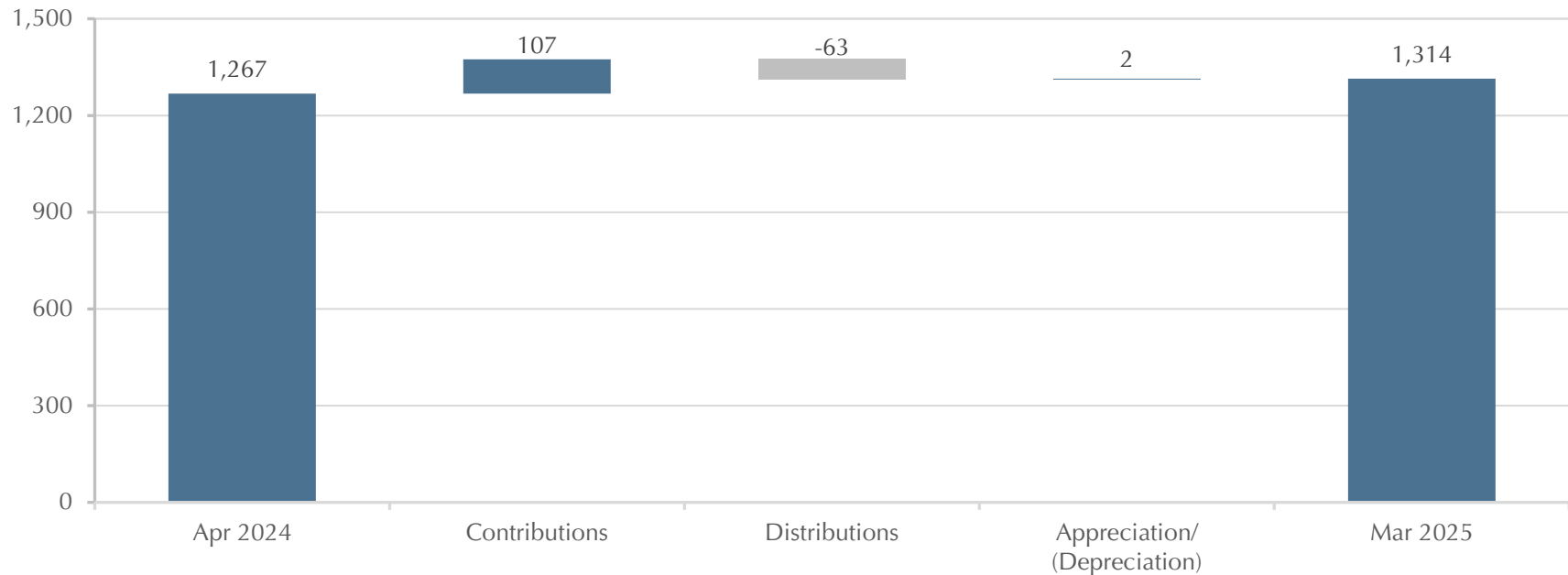
General Endowment Program

Total Plan Assets	\$1.2 bn
Real Assets Target	5.0%
Real Assets Net Asset Value	\$40.6 mn
Real Assets Exposure	3.3%
Net IRR Since Inception	6.7%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.3x

OSERS Program

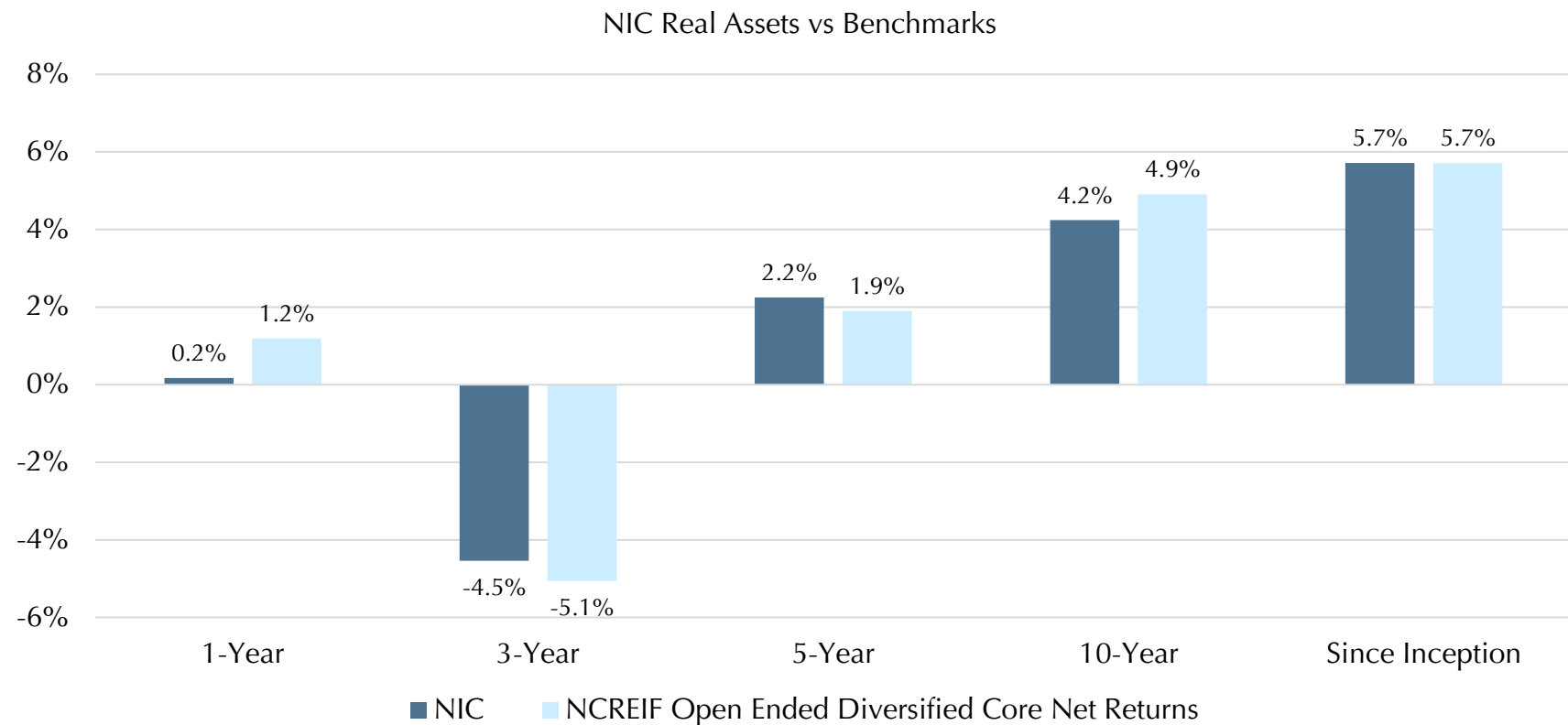
Total Plan Assets	\$1.7 bn
Real Assets Target	7.5%
Real Assets Net Asset Value	\$110.9 mn
Real Assets Exposure	6.5%
Net IRR Since Inception	6.9%
Total-Value-to-Paid-in Since Inception	1.3x

Portfolio Value Bridge | April 1, 2024 through March 31, 2025 | \$ millions



- Contributions of \$106.9 million exceeded distributions of \$62.9 million generating negative cash flow from the program of \$44.0 million.
- From April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025, the portfolio appreciated by \$2.2 million.
- Total market value at March 31, 2025 was \$1.3 billion.
- Unfunded commitment at March 31, 2025 was \$292.4 million.

Portfolio Performance | As of March 31, 2025



- NIC outperformed its benchmark for the 3-year and 5-year periods
- The portfolio underperformed over 1-year and 10-year periods

Top 10 Managers Ranked by Exposure¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million

Manager	Commitment	Fair Market Value	% of Fair Market Value	Unfunded	Total Exposure ¹	% of Total Exposure	IRR ²	TVPI
PGIM Real Estate	207.5	311.4	23.7%	0.0	311.4	19.4%	4.9%	1.9x
Clarion Partners LLC	239.6	289.4	22.0%	0.0	289.4	18.0%	2.1%	1.1x
UBS Financial Services Inc	283.1	248.9	18.9%	0.0	248.9	15.5%	5.1%	1.6x
Neuberger Berman	237.3	89.8	6.8%	58.3	148.1	9.2%	9.5%	1.3x
Oaktree Capital Management LP	120.0	41.2	3.1%	72.7	114.0	7.1%	-1.2%	1.0x
Ares Management LLC	200.5	42.7	3.3%	65.4	108.1	6.7%	11.7%	1.3x
Torchlight Investors	154.0	92.4	7.0%	14.7	107.1	6.7%	7.6%	1.2x
Kayne Anderson Capital Advisors LP	80.5	60.5	4.6%	31.0	91.5	5.7%	13.7%	1.2x
Morgan Stanley	157.1	58.8	4.5%	0.0	58.8	3.7%	-1.7%	1.0x
Rockwood Capital LLC	98.3	35.5	2.7%	5.8	41.3	2.6%	-4.6%	0.9x
Total Portfolio	2,633.7	1,313.7	100.0%	292.4	1,606.2	100.0%	5.7%	1.3x

¹Total Exposure = FMV + Unfunded

²The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM

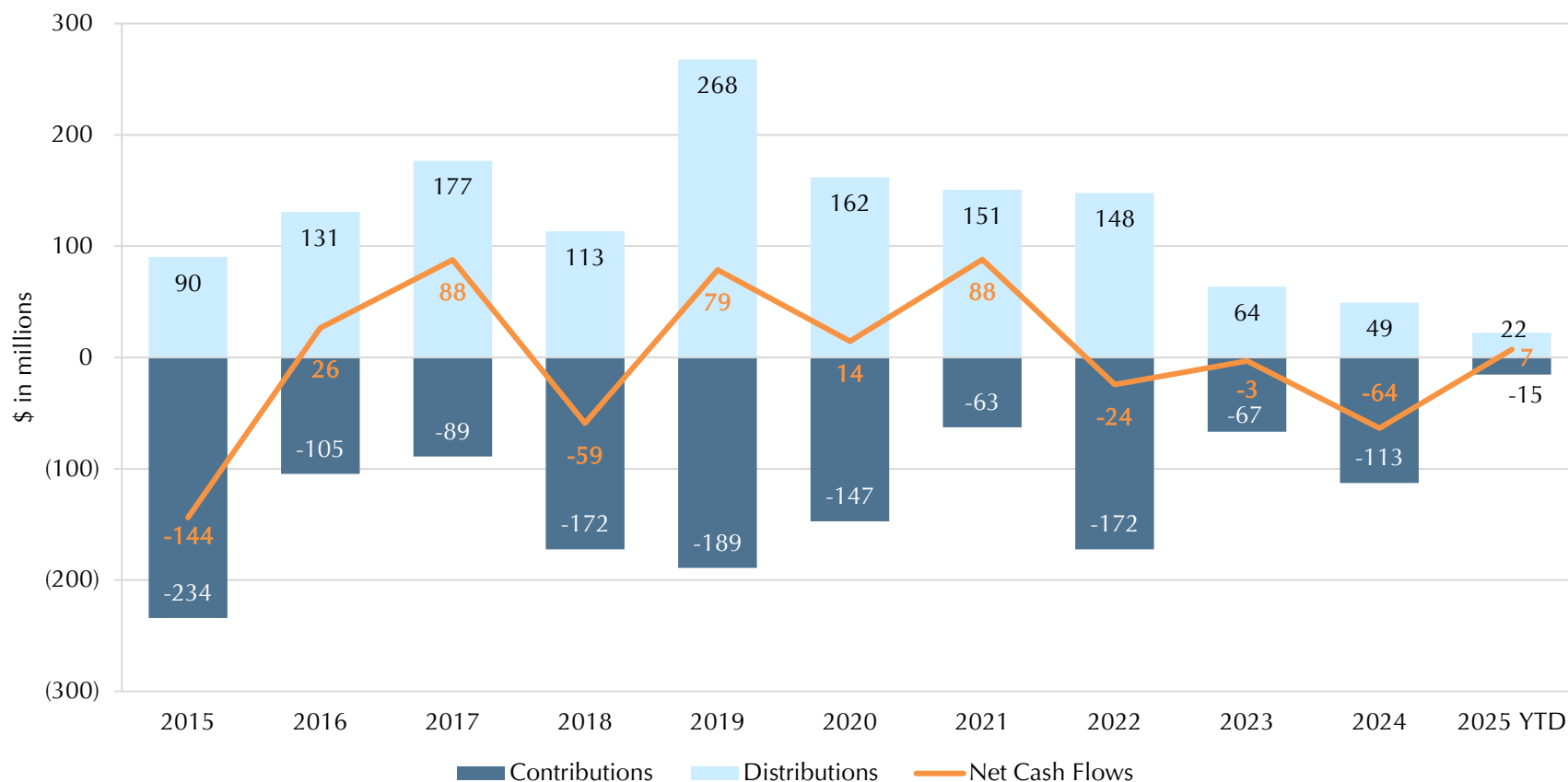
Vintage Year Performance¹ | As of March 31, 2025 | \$ in million

Vintage Year	Contributions	Distributions	Net Asset Value	Gain/Loss	Net TVPI	DPI	Net IRR ²
2024	5.2	-	4.8	-0.4	0.9x	0.0x	n.m.
2023	6.4	-	4.9	-1.5	0.8x	0.0x	n.m.
2021	80.0	3.4	88.6	12.0	1.2x	0.0x	10.4%
2020	51.3	0.4	55.7	4.8	1.1x	0.0x	4.2%
2019	81.7	11.5	60.4	-9.7	0.9x	0.1x	-5.6%
2018	68.2	61.1	34.0	26.9	1.4x	0.9x	16.6%
2017	37.9	19.8	33.5	15.4	1.4x	0.5x	7.9%
2016	80.1	51.9	31.9	3.6	1.0x	0.6x	1.4%
2015	188.7	207.8	45.3	64.3	1.3x	1.1x	8.0%
2014	178.0	187.2	35.6	44.8	1.3x	1.1x	8.3%
2013	25.8	32.6	0.2	7.0	1.3x	1.3x	8.2%
2012	180.2	183.5	6.6	9.9	1.1x	1.0x	1.7%
2010	133.1	163.0	2.5	32.3	1.2x	1.2x	8.7%
2008	26.3	36.5	0.4	10.5	1.4x	1.4x	11.0%
2007	81.5	113.0	0.7	32.1	1.4x	1.4x	8.6%
2006	290.2	202.6	249.8	162.2	1.6x	0.7x	4.6%
2005	12.5	14.9	-	2.4	1.2x	1.2x	4.8%
2004	274.3	390.5	-	116.2	1.4x	1.4x	7.4%
2002	7.9	13.9	-	6.0	1.8x	1.8x	51.8%
2000	315.8	58.3	289.4	31.8	1.1x	0.2x	2.1%
1998	26.8	85.8	-	59.0	3.2x	3.2x	9.4%
1981	152.7	38.7	157.8	43.8	1.3x	0.3x	3.8%
1980	53.6	-	99.1	45.5	1.8x	0.0x	4.9%
1978	162.5	217.4	91.1	146.0	1.9x	1.3x	5.5%
1970	21.0	5.0	21.6	5.6	1.3x	0.2x	4.6%
Total Portfolio	2,542.0	2,098.8	1,313.7	870.5	1.3x	0.8x	5.7%

¹The internal rate of return (IRR) is based on daily cash flows. IRRs of investments held less than twelve months generally are not meaningful and are therefore labeled NM

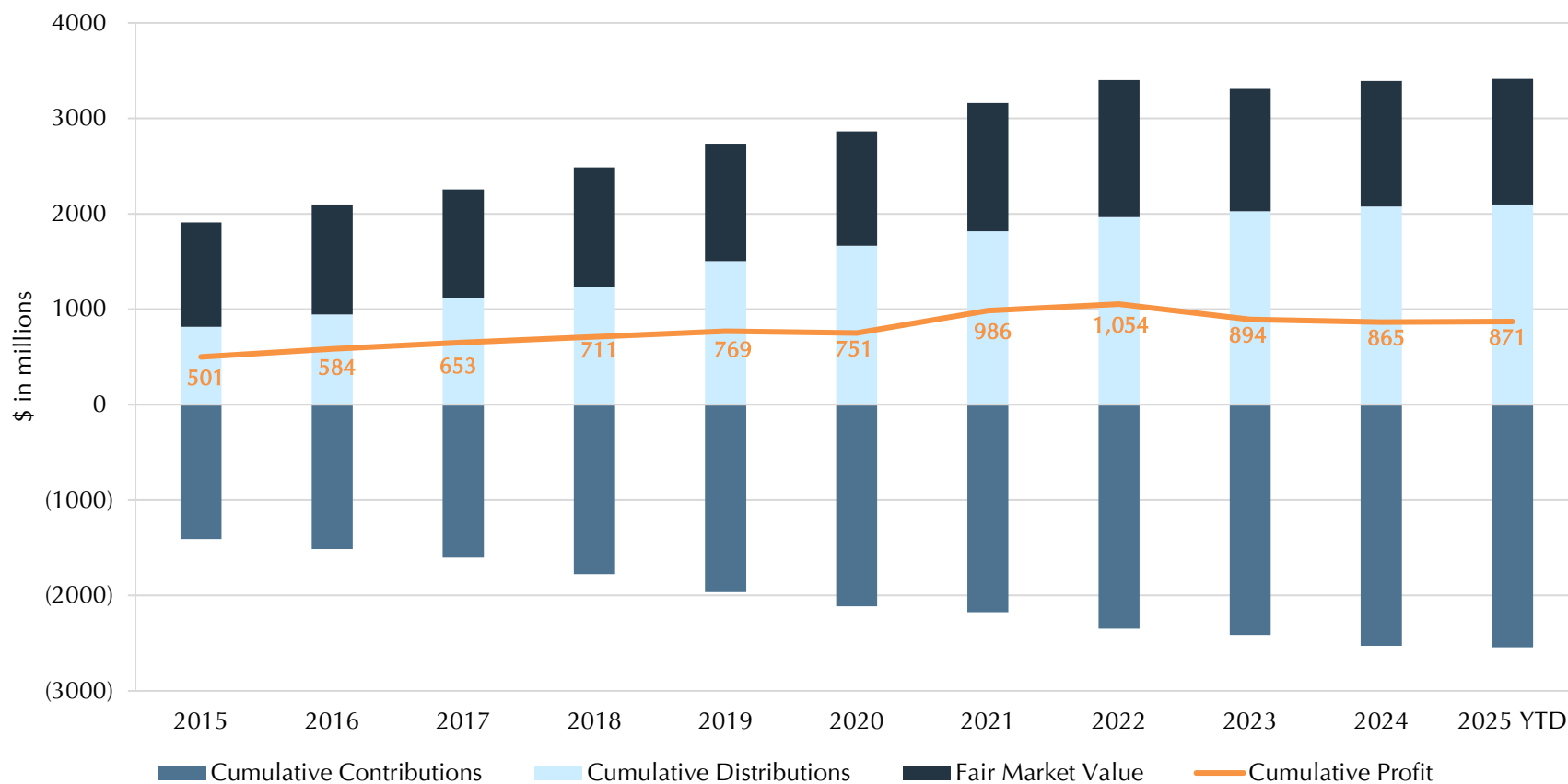
Annual Contributions, Distributions & Net Cash Flows | As of March 31, 2025

- Program cash flows have varied over the years. Lower distributions in the past two years have led to the program using cash rather than generating it on a net basis.
- Since the beginning of 2015, real assets program distributions have exceeded contributions by \$8.0 million.



Cumulative Program Cash Flows and Market Value | As of March 31, 2025 | USD

- Cumulative profit for the real assets program totaled \$871 million since inception. Since 2015, value creation equals \$370 million.
- With the exception of 2020 and 2023-2024, the real assets program has steadily created value since 2015.



PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL: These materials are strictly confidential and proprietary, intended solely for the use of the individual or entity to which Aksia LLC, Aksia CA LLC, Aksia Chicago LLC, and/or any of their other affiliates, as applicable (collectively, “Aksia”) have sent these materials (“Intended Recipient”) and constitute Aksia’s trade secrets for all purposes, including for purposes of the Freedom of Information Act or any comparable law or regulation of any government, municipality or regulator. These materials may not be reproduced or distributed, posted electronically or incorporated into other documents in whole or in part except for the personal reference of the Intended Recipient. If you are not the Intended Recipient, you are hereby requested to notify Aksia and either destroy or return these documents to Aksia. The Intended Recipient shall not use Aksia’s name or logo or explicitly reference Aksia’s research and/or advisory services in the Intended Recipient’s materials.

NO OFFERING: These materials do not in any way constitute an offer or a solicitation of an offer to buy or sell funds, private investments or securities mentioned herein. These materials are provided only for use in conjunction with Aksia’s services, as such services are defined in an executed agreement between Aksia and the Intended Recipient (hereinafter, the “Agreement”). In the event that an executed Agreement does not exist between Aksia and the Intended Recipient, these materials shall not constitute advice or an obligation to provide such services.

RECOMMENDATIONS: Any Aksia recommendation or opinion contained in these materials is a statement of opinion provided in good faith by Aksia and based upon information which Aksia reasonably believes to be true. Recommendations or opinions expressed in these materials reflect Aksia’s judgment as of the date shown, and are subject to change without notice. Actual results may differ materially from any forecasts discussed in the materials. Except as otherwise agreed between Aksia and the Intended Recipient, Aksia is under no future obligation to review, revise or update its recommendations or opinions.

NOT TAX, LEGAL OR REGULATORY ADVICE: An investor should consult its tax, legal and regulatory advisors before allocating to a private investment fund or other investment opportunity. Aksia is not providing due diligence or tax advice concerning the tax treatments of an investment or an investor’s allocations to such private investment fund or opportunity. Tax treatment depends on the individual circumstances of each client and may be subject to change in the future.

RESPONSIBILITY FOR INVESTMENT DECISIONS: The Intended Recipient is responsible for performing his, her or its own reviews of any funds or other investment vehicles or opportunities described herein including, but not limited to, a thorough review and understanding of each vehicle’s or opportunity’s offering materials. The Intended Recipient is advised to consult his, her or its tax, legal and compliance professionals to assist in such reviews. For clients who receive non-discretionary advisory or research services from Aksia: the Intended Recipient acknowledges that it (and not Aksia) is responsible for its investment decisions with respect to any investment vehicles or opportunities described herein.

No assurances can be given that a particular investment or portfolio will meet its investment objectives. Any projections, forecasts or market outlooks provided herein should not be relied upon as events which will occur. *Past performance is not indicative of future results.* Use of advanced portfolio construction processes, risk management techniques and proprietary technology does not assure any level of performance or guarantee against loss of capital.

PERFORMANCE DATA: In cases where an investment manager or general partner implements an investment strategy through multiple investment vehicles (for tax purposes, participation in side pockets and new issues, domicile, currency denomination, etc.) Aksia may use the returns of one class or series of an investment vehicle in a particular program in its reports to represent the returns of all the investment vehicles in such investment program. The returns for the particular class or series used in Aksia’s reports may be different from the returns of the class or series in which the Intended Recipient is invested. To obtain the actual performance of the particular class or series in the Intended Recipient’s portfolio, the Intended Recipient should contact the investment manager or general partner directly.

RELIANCE ON THIRD PARTY DATA: These materials reflect and rely upon information provided by fund managers and other third parties which Aksia reasonably believes to be accurate and reliable. Such information may be used by Aksia without independent verification of accuracy or completeness, and Aksia makes no representations as to its accuracy and completeness. For the avoidance of doubt, these materials have not been produced, reviewed, verified or approved by the fund managers and other third parties to which the materials relate. As such, they do not necessarily reflect the views or opinions of such fund managers and third parties. Furthermore, any reference to EBITDA (or ratios using EBITDA as a component) included in the report, reflect Adjusted EBITDA provided by the fund manager typically as defined in the loan agreements. Adjusted EBITDA can be expected to be higher than EBITDA figures calculated based on GAAP or IFRS compliant financial statements, which will result in relatively lower debt/EBITDA and higher interest coverage ratios. In addition, any fund IRRs shown are as reported by the manager/administrator or calculated using cash flows provided by the manager/administrator, and may benefit from such fund’s use of a subscription line.

RATING DOWNGRADES (LIQUID INVESTMENTS): Aksia client assets, in aggregate, may represent a large percentage of a manager’s or fund’s assets under management, and, as such, a rating downgrade by Aksia’s research teams could result in redemptions or withdrawals that may have an adverse effect on the performance of a fund.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE: Family members of Aksia personnel may from time to time be employed by managers that Aksia recommends to its clients. While this may pose a potential conflict of interest, we monitor such relationships to seek to minimize any impact of such potential conflict.

PRIVATE INVESTMENT FUND DISCLOSURE: Investments in private investment funds and other similar investment opportunities involve a high degree of risk and you could lose all or substantially all of your investment. Any person or institution making such investments must fully understand and be willing to assume the risks involved. Some private investment funds and opportunities described herein may not be suitable for all investors. Such investments or investment vehicles may use leverage, hold significant illiquid positions, suspend redemptions indefinitely, provide no opportunity to redeem, modify investment strategy and documentation without notice, short sell securities, incur high fees and contain conflicts of interests. Such private investment funds or opportunities may also have limited operating history, lack transparency, manage concentrated portfolios, exhibit high volatility, depend on a concentrated group or individual for investment management or portfolio management and lack any regulatory oversight.

For a description of the risks associated with a specific private investment fund or investment opportunity, investors and prospective investors are strongly encouraged to review each private investment fund or opportunity’s offering materials which contain a more specific description of the risks associated with each investment. Offering materials may be obtained from the fund manager.

FOR RECIPIENTS OF REPORTS DISTRIBUTED BY AKSIA EUROPE LIMITED: Aksia Europe Limited is authorized and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority; such authorization does not indicate endorsement or approval by the FCA of the services offered by Aksia.

The Market Abuse Regulation (Regulation (EU) No 596/2014) (“MAR”) requires that persons who produce or disseminate investment recommendations or other information recommending or suggesting an investment in financial instruments admitted to trading on an EU market (each a “Recommendation”) are required to take reasonable care to ensure that such information is objectively presented, and to disclose their interests or indicate conflicts of interest concerning the financial instruments to which that information relates. Aksia’s primary research focus is on private investment funds whose shares are typically not listed on any exchange. Certain private funds may, however, list their shares on an EU market, even though there is typically no secondary market or trading of those shares. Unless stated otherwise, the person or persons responsible for the production of a Recommendation is not aware of any conflicts of interest that may impact the objectivity of any Recommendation. To the extent required by MAR, further information, including information regarding the author(s) of a Recommendation is available upon request at compliance@aksia.com.