# The Public Employees Pension Plan — Taking a DB Approach to a DC Investment Structure

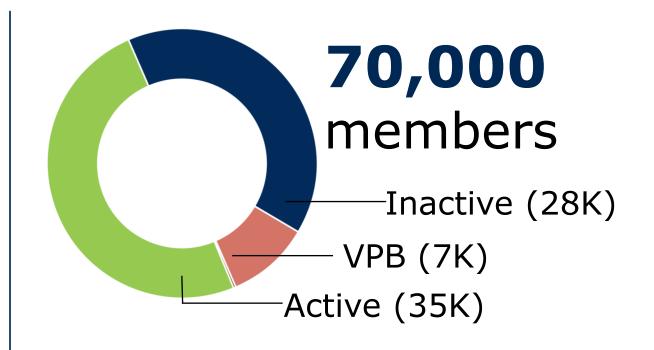
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# Snapshot of PEPP



**\$11**Billion in assets





## Investment Option Structure

#### **3 Investment Portfolios**

#### **Choices**



PEPP Steps Fund
Accelerated Growth Fund
Growth Fund
Balanced Fund
Moderate Fund
Conservative Fund
Money Market Fund
Bond Fund

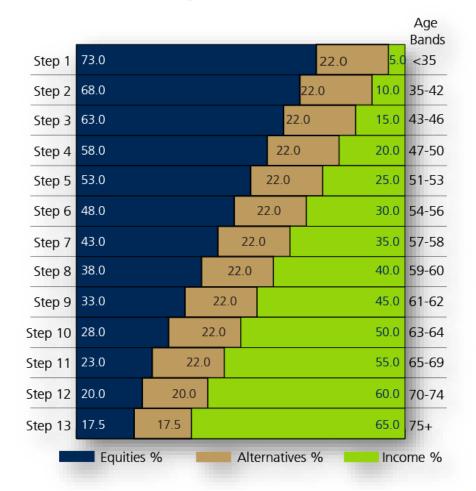


Asset Class	
Canadian Equities	
Foreign Equities	Equities
Private Equities	
Real Estate	
Infrastructure	Alternatives
Liquid Alternatives	
Bonds	
Cash & Equivalents	Income
Currency Management	



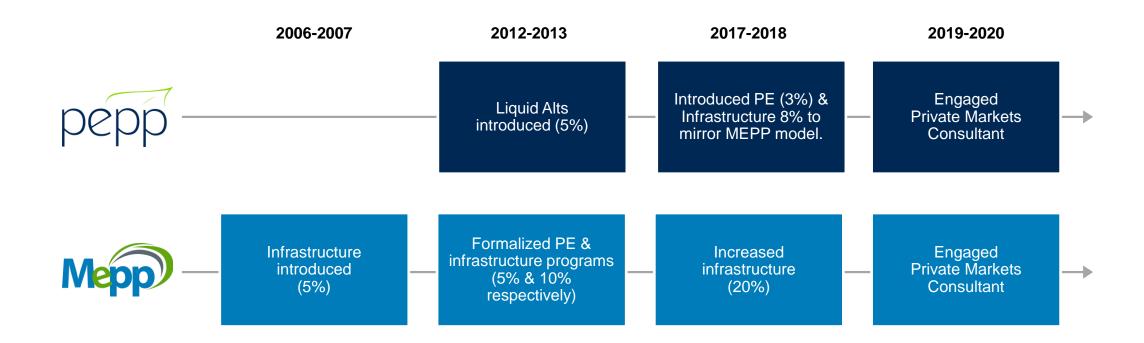
# PEPP Steps & Other Investment Options

- Default option: PEPP Steps
- PEPP Steps overlaps with other investment options
- Similar underlying portfolio 'recipes'





## The Private Markets Journey





## Private Market Implementation Considerations

# In-sourcing vs. Outsourcing

- Delegate to partner/Execute internally/Shared execution
- Deal sourcing, research, legal, execution, reporting, etc.
- PEBA uses shared model

# Pacing & Diversification

- Diversify by time/vintage (unlike other asset classes)
- Diversify by region, section, specialist/generalist, risk profile, size
- PEBA paces over about 4 to 6 years

#### Investment Structure

- Stand-alone investment option vs. integrated into investment options
- PEBA uses integrated options (stand-alone requires gates or restrictions)



## Progress to Date

#### PEPP's Program

- Still early with PE & Infra assets each <1%, but pacing & commitments on track
- Negligible performance

#### MEPP's program

• In flight & continues to perform well with PE o/w, infra still building to higher allocation

#### Commitments

• Half of MEPP's & PEPP's commitments are shared & other half independent

#### \$2B Shared Target Portfolio

- Annual costs are about \$2M (0.1%), mostly legal & consulting
- Manager costs are & will be much higher with performance incentives typically about 1.5% of committed before incentives



## Key Success Factors & Considerations

Scale

Experience

Flexibility

**Patience** 

Structure/Selection/Pacing



# Questions?



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