TopicAcademic ViewPractitioner ViewAbility ofNo evidence to support this
investmentCan be done by many managers.Past results and capabilities of an

Table 1.1 Summary of Academic View and Practitioner View

Index funds

managers to at best very low; not possible investment organization can be used outperform the to identify in advance which as evidence to select managers that can market averages managers will do so. be expected to succeed in the future.

Should not be used because superior active managers can be identified, and

managers.

clients should seek out those superior

Fees to managers A cost that should be A cost that should be accepted gladly to obtain the services of superior managers because higher fees obtain little or no benefit for the investor.

A cost that should be accepted gladly to obtain the services of superior managers that will outperform the market by more than enough to warrant the fee.

Should be used widely because

their long-term results will be superior in both predictability

and rate of return versus

active management.

Table 1.2	i criormance or the w	icuian i ci	ision runu
	S&P 500	Becker	
	Index	Median	Difference

5.3%

2.1%

2.2%

4.1%

0.4%

-0.3%

-1.2%

-1.7%

-1.9%

Table 1.2 Performance of the Median Pension Fund

Three market cycles

9/30/62 to 12/31/74

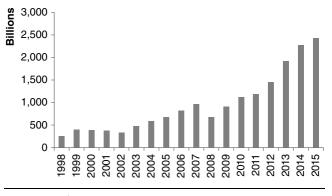
12/31/66 to 12/31/74

Two market cycles

Single market cycle

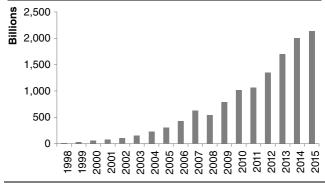
9/30/70 to 12/31/74

Figure 1.1 Index Mutual Funds



Source: 2016 Morningstar, Inc.





Source: 2016 Morningstar, Inc.

 Category
 1-Year
 3-Year
 5-Year
 10-Year

 Large Blend
 27.7%
 27.8%
 16.3%
 16.6%

34.6

18.9

34.9

54.1

28.6

47.6

55.9

19.6

11.9

32.8

38.0

20.6

44.7

61.2

33.7

12.2

24.7

38.3

23.2

33.9

42.3

Table 3.1 Active Funds' "Low Success Rate" by Category

36.5 49.3

50.2

66.7

22.3

63.6

63.0

Source: Morningstar. Data and calculations as of December

Large Value

Small Blend

Small Value

Small Growth

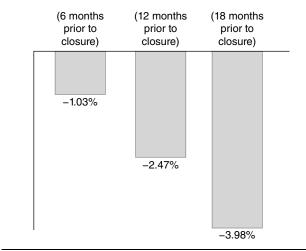
Foreign Large

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Emerging Markets

Large Growth

Figure 3.1 How Closed Funds Declined at Their End



Sources: Vanguard calculations, using data from Morningstar, Inc.

Table 3.2 Annual League Table of Outperformance of Active Fund Managers

Fund Category	Benchmark Index	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
All Domestic Funds	S&P Composite 1500	40.5	54.5	59.0	47.7	51.4	44.0	67.8	48.8	64.2	41.7	57.6	84.1	66.1	46.1	87.2	74.8
All Large- Cap	S&P 500	36.9	57.6	61.0	64.6	61.6	44.5	69.1	44.8	54.3	50.8	61.8	81.3	63.3	55.8	86.4	66.1
All Mid- Cap	S&P MidCap 400	78.9	67.3	70.3	56.4	61.8	76.0	46.7	46.4	74.7	57.6	78.2	67.4	80.5	39.0	66.2	56.8
All Small- Cap	S&P SmallCap 600	70.7	66.4	73.6	38.8	85.0	60.5	63.6	45.0	83.8	32.2	36.0	85.8	66.5	68.1	72.9	72.2
Large-Cap Growth	S&P 500 Growth	16.0	87.5	71.8	44.7	39.5	31.6	76.1	31.6	90.0	39.1	82.0	96.0	46.1	42.7	96.0	49.3
Large-Cap Value	S&P 500 Value	54.5	20.6	39.4	78.5	83.2	58.8	87.7	46.3	22.1	46.2	34.7	54.3	85.0	66.6	78.6	59.1
Mid-Cap Growth	S&P MidCap 400	78.4	79.0	87.0	31.7	59.7	78.6	34.9	39.3	89.0	59.7	82.1	75.4	87.2	36.7	56.2	79.9
Mid-Cap Value	S&P MidCap 400 Value	94.8	55.8	74.3	81.9	63.6	71.8	38.4	56.1	67.1	47.8	71.8	64.9	76.2	45.3	73.6	32.4
Small-Cap Growth	S&P SmallCap 600 Value	73.0	81.3	94.2	35.3	93.6	72.2	52.1	39.4	95.5	33.5	72.7	93.8	63.7	55.6	64.5	88.4
Small-Cap Value	S&P Small Cap 600 Value	74.4	48.7	37.5	49.3	77.5	46.0	77.0	39.9	72.5	26.3	51.8	83.0	61.8	79.0	94.3	46.6

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indicies LLC, CRSP. Data as of December 3, 2015. Outperformance is based on equal-weighted fund counts.

Table 3.3 Percentage of U.S. Equity Funds Outperformed by Benchmarks

Fund Category	Comparison Index	1-Year (%)	3-Year (%)	5-Year (%)	10-Year (%)
All Domestic Equity Funds	S&P Composite 1500	74.8	80.9	88.4	83.2
All Large-Cap Funds	S&P 500	66.1	75.8	84.1	82.1
All Mid-Cap Funds	S&P MidCap 400	56.8	61.6	76.7	87.6
All Small-Cap Funds	S&P SmallCap 600	72.2	81.7	90.1	88.4
All Multi-Cap Funds	S&P Composite 1500	73.6	79.6	88.6	88.3
Large-Cap Growth Funds	S&P 500 Growth	49.3	76.3	86.5	93.6
Large-Cap Value Funds	S&P 500 Value	59.1	78.7	82.1	31.00

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, CRSP. Data as of December 3, 2015. Outperformance is based on equal-weighted fund counts.

Table 3.4 Survivorship and Style Consistency of U.S. Equity Funds Are Both Low

Style

No. of Funds

at Start

Fund Category

10-Year			
All Domestic Funds	2,110	60.0	35.9
All Large-Cap Funds	672	56.4	39.1
All Mid-Cap Funds	355	60.6	30.0
All Small-Cap Funds	475	63.2	41.9
All Multi-Cap Funds	608	61.9	31.4
Large-Cap Growth Funds	204	49.0	35.3
Large-Cap Value Funds	200	66.5	48.5
Mid-Cap Growth Funds	171	51.5	32.8
Mid-Cap Value Funds	89	73.3	20.9
Small-Cap Growth Funds	184	54.9	44.6
Small-Cap Value Funds	88	75.0	36.4

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, CRSP. Data as of December 3, 2015. Outperformance is based on equal-weighted fund counts.

Renchmarks 10-Year

Table 3.5 Percentage of International Funds that Lag

Fund Category **Benchmark Index** Global S&P Global 1200

International S&P International 700 International Small-Cap

guarantee of future results.

Emerging

Markets

S&P Developed Markets Ex-U.S. SmallCap

S&P/IFCI

Composite

Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices LLC, Morningstar. Data periods ending December 31, 2015. Past performance is no

Percentage

79.2%

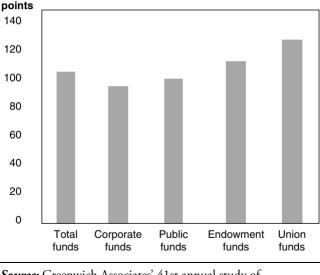
84 1%

58.1%

89.7%

Figure 4.1 Fund Executives Expect Their Managers to Outperform *After* Fees

Basis



Source: Greenwich Associates' 41st annual study of institutional investors in 2015.