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PERE's interactive and downloadable review of the private equity real estate investor environment



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\$4.8bn allocated to real estate by 15 largest commitments

The 15 largest 2020-vintage commitments to the asset class comprised nearly \$5 billion in committed capital. Investors committing sizeable tickets tended to target North America-focused vehicles, with seven of the 15 largest fund commitments focusing on this region.

The two largest 2020-vintage private real estate commitments were made by New York State

Common Retirement Fund. The pension committed \$600 million to Fairfield Create Core

Multifamily Fund and €318 million (\$390.2 million) to Ares European Property

Enhancement Partners III.



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Largest known private real estate fund commitments made to 2020-vintage funds, January 1-December 31 2020

Institution	Fund	Manager	Commitment (\$m)	Region	Strategy
New York State Common Retirement Fund	Fairfield Create Core Multifamily Fund	Fairfield Residential	600.0	North America	Opportunistic
New York State Common Retirement Fund	Ares European Property Enhancement Partners III	Ares Management	390.2	Europe	Value-add
California Public Employees' Retirement System	Canyon Catalyst Fund (Fund III)	Canyon Partners Real Estate	375.0	North America	Value-add
California Public Employees' Retirement System	Sixth Street Fundamental Strategies Partners	Sixth Street	350.0	North America	Opportunistic
GIC Private Limited	ESR Australia Logistics Partnership (open-ended)	ESR	346.6	Asia- Pacific	Core-plus
GIC Private Limited	ESR Australia Development Partnership	ESR	308.1	Asia- Pacific	Core-plus
Alecta	Blackstone BioMed Life Science Real Estate (open-ended)	Blackstone	300.0	North America	Core
Teachers' Retirement System of the State of Illinois	Starwood Global Opportunity Fund XII	Starwood Capital Group	300.0	Multi- regional	Opportunistic
Texas Municipal Retirement System	PIMCO Corporate Opportunities Fund III	Pacific Investment Management Co (PIMCO)	300.0	North America	Debt
New York State Common Retirement Fund	PGIM Real Estate Capital VII (PRECap VII)	PGIM Real Estate	271.5	North America	Core
Kentucky Retirement Systems	Barings European Value Add Fund II	Barings Real Estate Advisers	260.8	Europe	Value-add
MassMutual	Barings European Value Add Fund II	Barings Real Estate Advisers	260.8	Europe	Value-add
California State Teachers' Retirement System	Fortress Credit Opportunities Fund V Expansion	Fortress Investment Group	250.0	Multi- regional	Opportunistic
Florida Retirement System Trust Fund	Torchlight Debt Opportunity Fund VII	Torchlight Investors	250.0	North America	Debt
Florida Retirement System Trust Fund	Cerberus Institutional Real Estate Partners V	Cerberus Capital Management	225.0	Multi- regional	Debt





US pensions dominate fund investment activity

The 10 most active investors by number of known 2020-vintage fund commitments are all US public pensions. New York State Common Retirement

Fund tops the list with eight commitments made to 2020-vintage funds, followed by seven commitments made by Texas County & District

Retirement System. Most investors in the list have a multi-regional appetite.

Altogether, the 10 most active investors of 2020 made 51 known commitments to 2020-vintage private real estate funds.

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Top 10 most active investors based on number of known private real estate commitments to 2020-vintage funds, January 1-December 31 2020

Institution	Regional HQ	Number of 2020-vintage commitments	Regional appetite
New York State Common Retirement Fund	North America	8	All regions considered
Texas County and District Retirement System	North America	7	All regions considered
Florida Retirement System Trust Fund	North America	5	All regions considered
Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund	North America	5	All regions considered
New Mexico State Investment Council	North America	5	North America; Western Europe; Asia- Pacific
Tennessee Consolidated Retirement System	North America	5	North America; Europe
Arkansas Teacher Retirement System (ATRS)	North America	4	All regions considered
Teacher Retirement System of Texas	North America	4	All regions considered
Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana	North America	4	All regions considered
Texas Municipal Retirement System	North America	4	North America; Europe





Global investors' average private real estate allocation climbs

Private real estate continues to represent an important component of institutional investor portfolios, with the average real estate investor increasing its allocation to the asset class from 7.65 percent as of year-end 2019 to 8.46 percent as of year-end 2020.

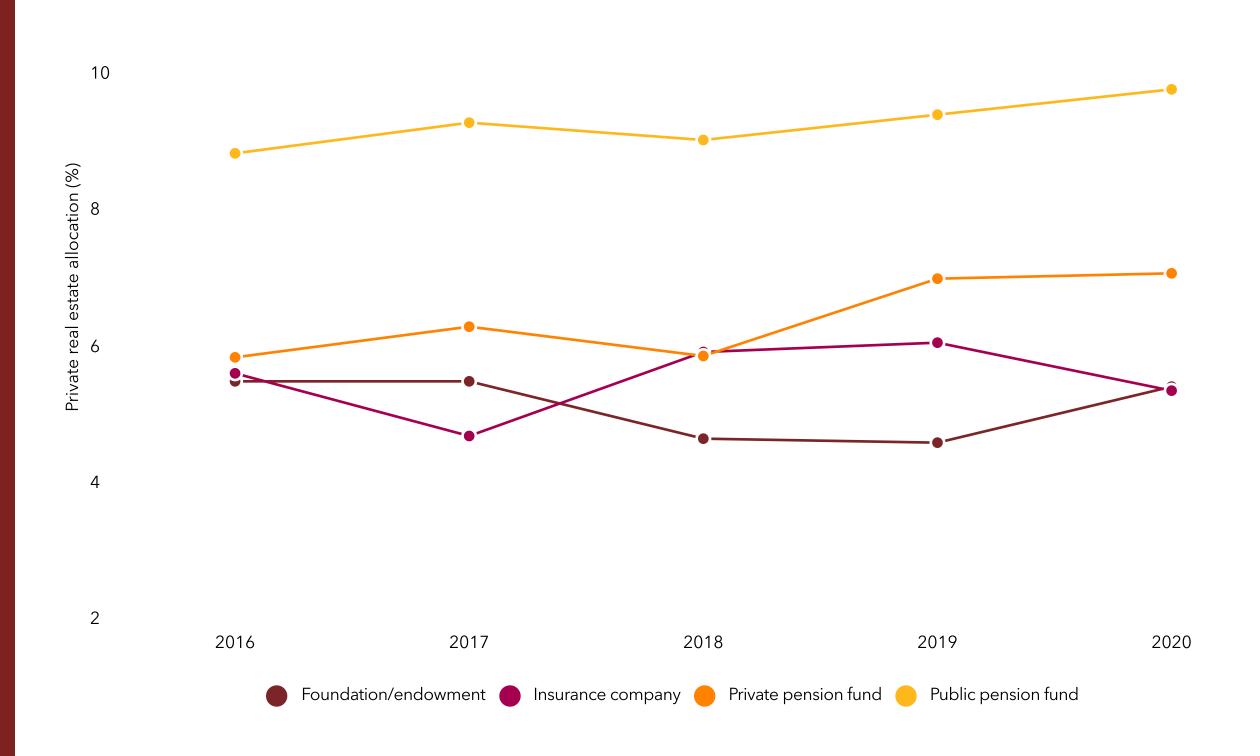
Public pension funds are historically aboveaverage allocators to the asset class, with these institutions allocating on average 9.9 percent of their portfolios to private real estate in 2020.

Foundations and endowments tend to allocate a smaller percentage of their portfolios to private real estate. The average allocation for these institutions stood at 5.55 percent at year-end.



Historical private real estate allocation by institution type, 2016-20

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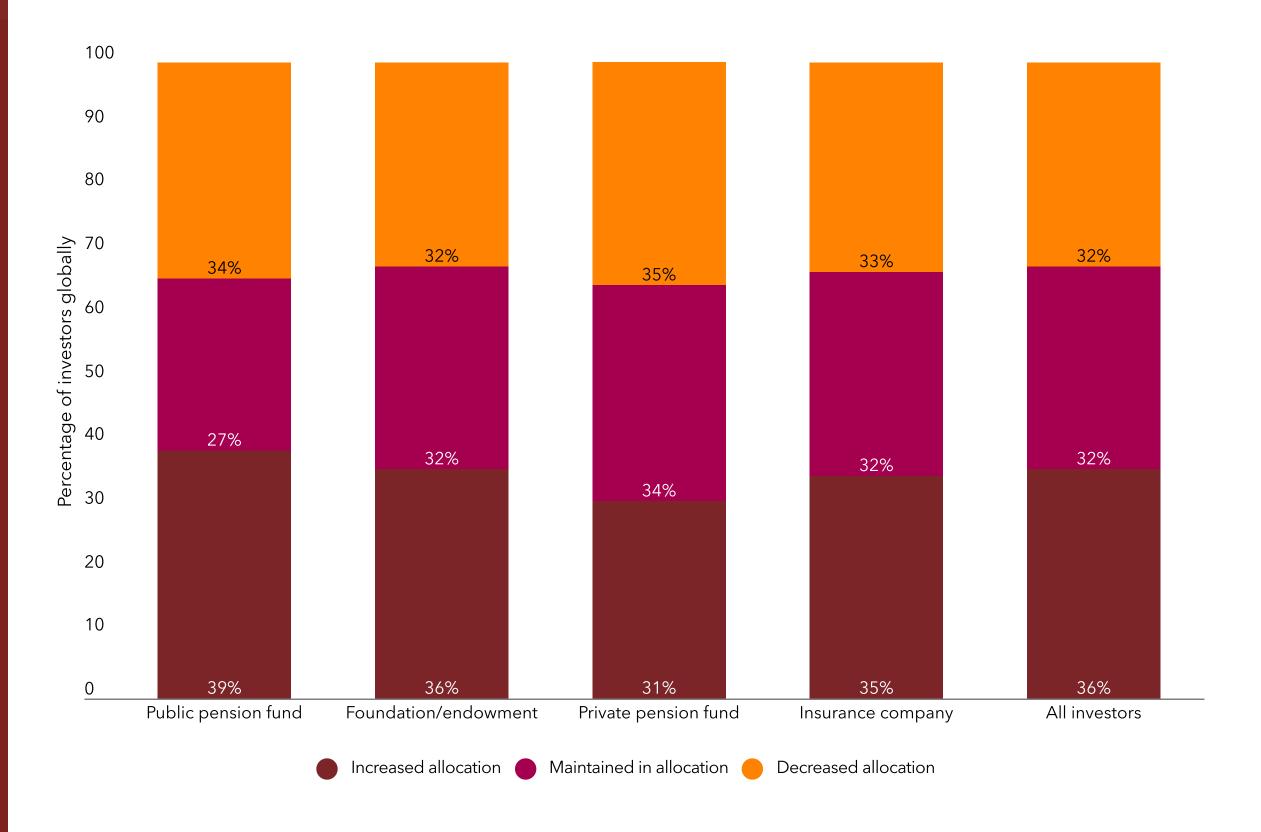
Investors are boosting their real estate exposure

On average, 36 percent of institutional investors globally increased their allocations to private real estate over the course of 2020. On the other hand, less than one-third of investors (32 percent) shifted capital away from the asset class within this period.

Despite managers' private real estate capital fundraising slowing down in 2020, investor appetite for allocating capital to the asset class remains strong.



Proportion of institutions increasing, maintaining or decreasing their private real estate allocations from Q4 2019 to Q4 2020







Gap between investors' current and target allocations suggests untapped capital

As of year-end 2020, two-thirds of investors were underweight in their allocation to private real estate.

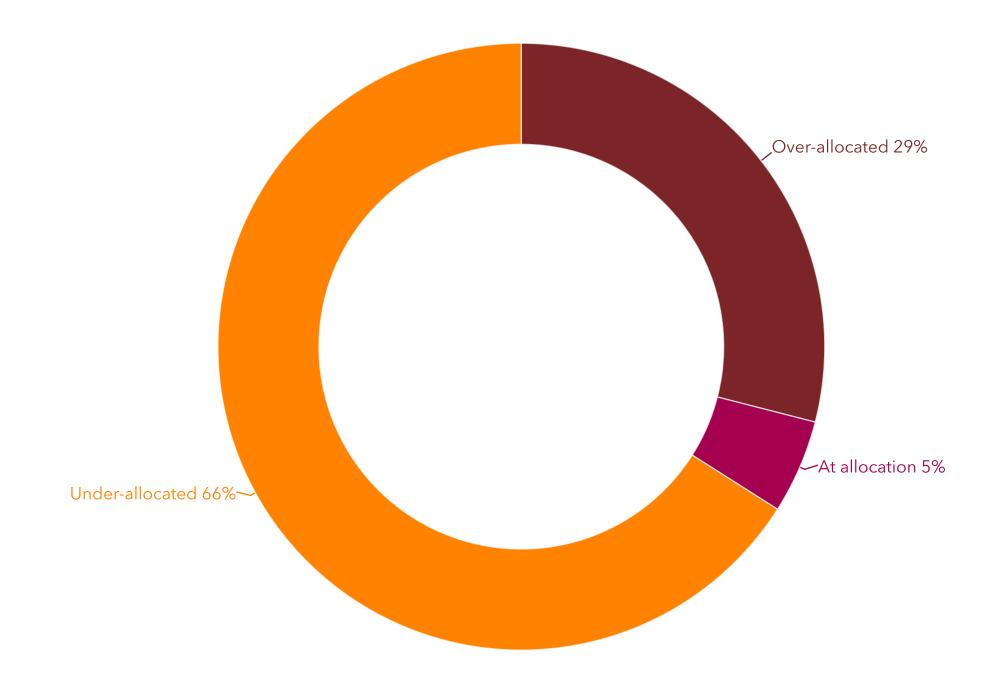
As reported in <u>December by PERE</u>, investors have adopted a risk-on approach to their real estate allocations during the covid-19 pandemic. Investors are also optimistic about the return prospects for their real estate portfolios.

Looking ahead, it is expected that investors will continue to have appetite for opportunistic strategies and a greater proportion of investors will reach their target allocation to the asset class.

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Proportion of institutions over, under or at target allocation with private real estate allocations as of December 31, 2020







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