

## FEDERAL RETIREMENT THRIFT INVESTMENT BOARD 77 K Street, NE Washington, DC 20002

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#### MEMORANDUM FOR THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

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SUBJECT: January 2015 Performance Review - G, F, C, S, I, and L Funds

#### **INTRODUCTION**

This report reviews key aspects of the investment performance of the G, F, C, S, I, and L Funds through January 2015, investment manager performance and tracking error, trading costs, TSP fund performance, and L Fund participation.

#### TRACKING ERROR - BlackRock Funds (BTC)

#### January Tracking Error

<u>Fund</u>	% BTC Fund <u>Performance</u>	% Index <u>Performance</u>	Tracking <u>Error</u>
Fixed Income	2.13	2.10	0.03
Large Cap	-2.99	-3.00	0.01
Small Mid Cap	-1.85	-1.89	0.04
International	1.20	0.49	0.71

The International Fund outperformed the index by 71 basis points as a result of a fair value pricing adjustment on December 31, 2014.

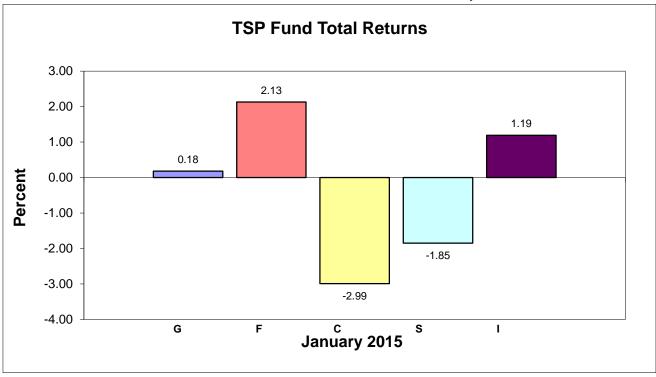
### **Trading Costs**

		Trading Costs		
	<b>Dollar Amount Traded</b>	<u>     \$                               </u>	<b>Basis Points</b>	
F Fund				
January 2015	738,968,332	128,657	1.7	
<u>C Fund</u>				
January 2015	2,326,445,506	(167,367)	-0.7	
S Fund				
January 2015	1,241,043,062	222,537	1.8	
<u>I Fund</u>				
January 2015	1,187,060,075	1,111,636	9.4	

<sup>\* --</sup> Trading Costs are comprised of commissions, fees, and the difference between where a security is traded and the closing index price.

### **Performance of TSP Funds**

The chart below shows the G, F, C, S, and I Fund net rates of return for January 2015.



The table below compares the net rates of return for the F, C, S, and I Funds to the returns of the corresponding BlackRock funds.

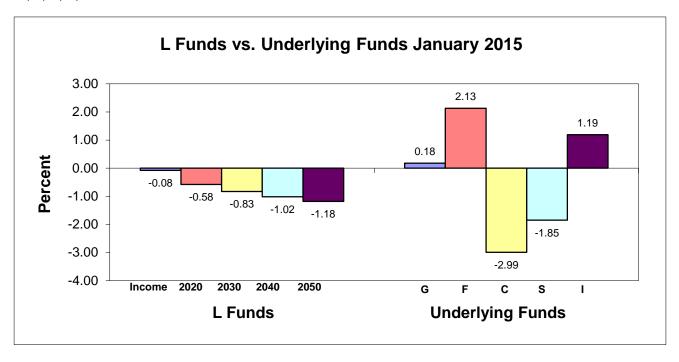
### January 2015 Total Return %

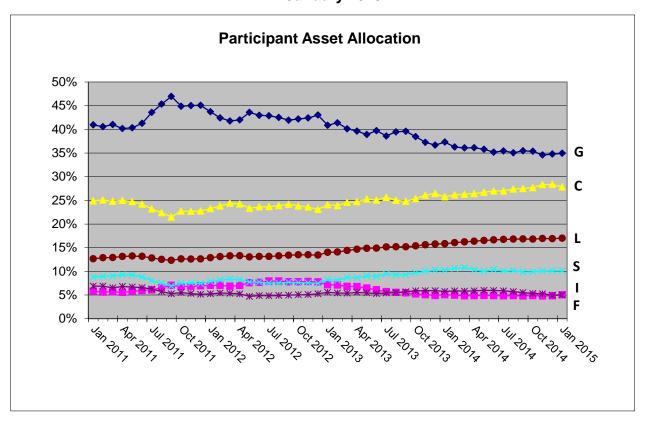
<u>Fund</u>	<u>TSP</u>	<u>BTC</u>	<u>Difference</u>	<u>Index</u>
Fixed Income	2.13	2.13	0.00	2.10
Large Cap	-2.99	-2.99	0.00	-3.00
Small Cap	-1.85	-1.85	0.00	-1.89
International	1.19	1.20	-0.01	0.49

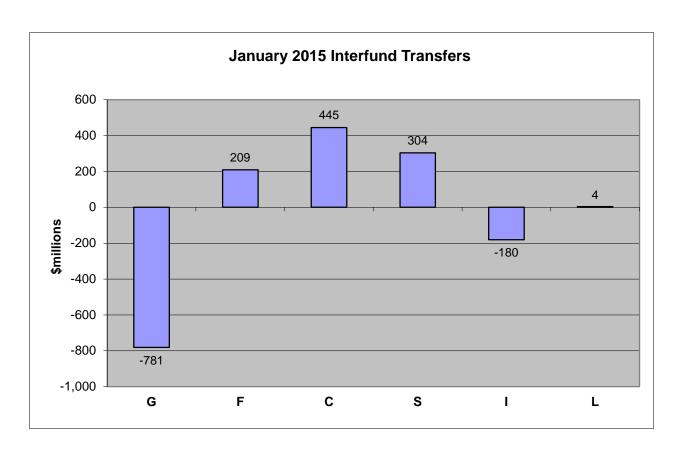
The TSP Funds closely tracked the BTC Funds for the month.

### L Funds

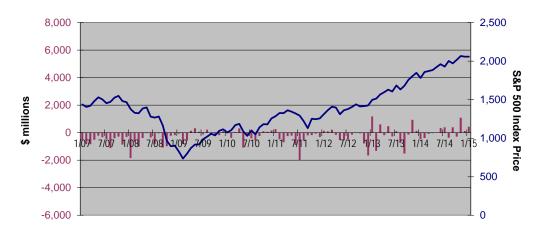
The net rates of return for the L Funds are shown below along with comparable returns for the G, F, C, S, and I Funds.



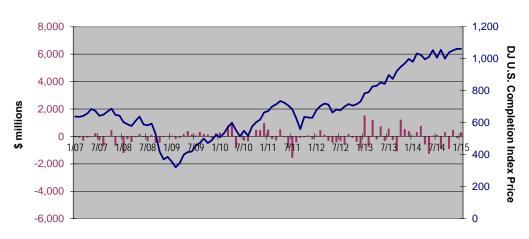




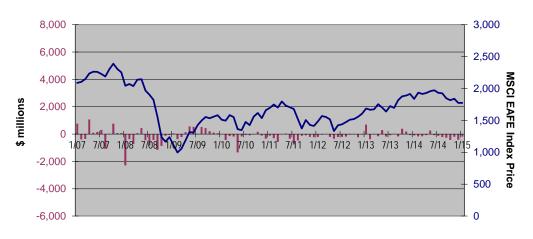
### Monthly Interfund Transfers C Fund



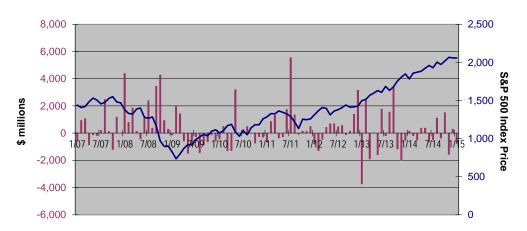
## Monthly Interfund Transfers S Fund



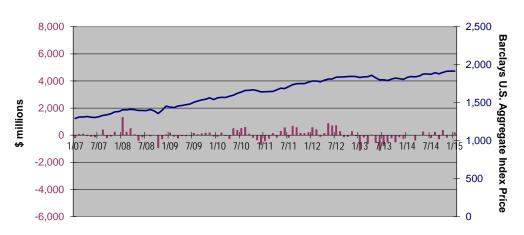
## Monthly Interfund Transfers I Fund



### Monthly Interfund Transfers G Fund



## Monthly Interfund Transfers F Fund



#### Monthly Interfund Transfers L Funds

