#### THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN REGENTS COMMUNICATION

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#### **ITEM FOR INFORMATION**

Subject:

Monthly Investment Report

#### Background and Summary:

Attached is the Monthly Investment Report for the Long Term Portfolio as of October 31, 2008.

- Page 1 summarizes the assets. Alternative assets values are shown as of June 30, 2008. Alternative assets are valued on a quarterly basis. September 30, 2008, data is not available due to the time involved with gathering the requisite information from the partnerships.
- Page 2 reports the performance of the marketable securities. Performance for alternative assets is reported only quarterly, as alternative assets are valued on a quarterly basis.

Respectfully submitted,

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December 2008 attachment

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# LONG TERM PORTFOLIO Performance Marketable Securities Only <sup>(a)</sup> As of October 31, 2008

	Market Value		Return in Percent	
MARKETABLE SECURITIES	in millions	<u>3 Months</u>	Fiscal YTD	Calendar YTD
TOTAL MARKETABLE SECURITIES (a)	\$ 3,377.0	-21.88	-23.52	-25.46
Custom Benchmark for Marketable Securities		-22.63	-24.13	-28.90
Blended Index - 80% Equities/20% Fixed Income		-23.32	-24.49	-31.02
Equities	\$ 1,386.5	-31.79	-34.04	-40.05
Russell 3000/Citigroup BMI EX US/IFC-I		-31.82	-33.42	-40.45
Fixed Income	625.1	-11.45	-12.37	-13.50
Lehman Aggregate/Long Bond		-6.22	-6.62	-6.42
Cash	88.3	0.60	0.81	2.38
Treasury Bills		0.57	0.74	1.95
Absolute Return	1,277.1	-14.39	-15.37	-9.56
CA FOF Median benchmark		-12.58	-14.68	-16.15

(a) These returns do not include Alternative Assets (Illiquid), which are valued only quarterly. Alternative Assets (Illiquid) returns and total portfolio returns therefore will be reported quarterly when the data becomes available.

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