American Beacon
Balanced Fund

Quarterly Attribution data as of September 30, 2026

TOTAL RETURNS (%) & MORNINGSTAR RANKINGS	EXPENSE RATIOS (%) Gross	Net	NAV	QTR	YTD	1 YR	3 YR	5 YR	10 YR
R5 Class: AADBX	**0.88**	**0.88**	**15.38**	**-0.76**	**3.97**	**6.35**	**11.83**	**6.79**	**8.22**
Balanced Composite Index[2]				0.15	10.01	13.01	13.54	6.91	7.48
% Rank / # of funds in category: Moderate Allocation						69 / 482	72 / 464	47 / 441	48 / 377

Class Inception: 7/17/87. Periods more than one year have been annualized.

Performance shown is historical and is not indicative of future returns. Investment returns and principal value will vary, and shares may be worth more or less at redemption than at original purchase. Performance shown is as of date indicated, and current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. To obtain performance as of the most recent month end, please visit americanbeaconfunds.com or call 800.967.9009.

TOP 10 EQUITY HOLDINGS (%)	Fund
GE Healthcare Technologies Inc.	1.8
Workday, Inc. Class A	1.6
Bank of America Corp	1.2
APA Corporation	1.1
Hewlett Packard Enterprise Co.	1.1
Carnival Corporation Ltd.	1.1
TE Connectivity plc	1.1
Exxonmobil Holdings Corporation	1.0
Alphabet Inc. Class A	1.0
Amazon.com, Inc.	1.0
Total Fund Holdings	**376**

PORTFOLIO STATISTICS	Fund
1-Year ROE	14.8
Effective Duration (Years)	5.3
Effective Maturity (Years)	8.1
Forward Price-to-Earnings Ratio (P/E)	13.1
Price-to-Book Ratio (P/B)	2.2
Weighted Avg. Market Cap ($ bil)	292.0

3-YEAR RISK SUMMARY	Fund
Alpha	-1.09
Beta	0.97
R2	0.94
Sharpe Ratio	0.82
Standard Deviation	8.95

TOTAL FUND ASSETS	$99.0 million

SUB-ADVISORS (%)	
Barrow, Hanley, Mewhinney & Strauss, LLC	50.3
Hotchkis and Wiley Capital Management, LLC	29.6
American Beacon Advisors, Inc.	20.2

American Beacon manages directly a portion of the Fund and allocates the remaining assets to sub-advisors.

ASSET ALLOCATION (%)	Fund
Equity	58.4
Fixed Income	39.9
Cash	1.7

The Fund may purchase and sell futures contracts to gain market exposure on cash balances.

TOP CONTRIBUTORS	Return (%)	Contribution to Fund[1]
Workday, Inc. Class A	55.6	129 bps
Hewlett Packard Enterprise Co.	42.0	60 bps
APA Corporation	28.4	46 bps
Salesforce, Inc.	46.8	44 bps
Microsoft Corporation	34.7	33 bps

TOP DETRACTORS	Return (%)	Contribution to Fund[1]
Aptiv PLC	-29.9	-60 bps
Carnival Corporation Ltd.	-13.7	-24 bps
Entegris, Inc.	-14.3	-23 bps
Telefonaktiebolaget LM Ericsson Sponsored ADR Class B	-17.0	-21 bps
PG&E Corporation	-26.9	-21 bps

SECURITY-LEVEL ATTRIBUTION (R5 CLASS)

Commentary for the Quarter Ended September 30, 2026

Equity Performance (Attribution vs. Russell 1000 Value Index[2])

Sector: Security selection – negative / Sector allocation – positive

- The Fund's security selection in the Consumer Discretionary, Health Care and Communication Services sectors detracted from relative performance.
- An overweight allocation to the Energy sector and an underweight allocation to the Real Estate sector contributed to relative performance. Conversely, an overweight allocation to the Utilities sector detracted from relative performance.

Fixed Income Performance (Attribution vs. Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index[2])

- From a sector perspective, an overweight allocation to U.S. Treasuries contributed to relative performance.
- With respect to maturity, security selection in the 20-year-plus range and 10- to 20-year range contributed to relative performance.
- In credit quality, an overweight allocation to AAA-rated securities contributed to relative performance.

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3-MONTH ATTRIBUTION – ECONOMIC SECTOR (June 30, 2026 – September 30, 2026)

	AVERAGE WEIGHTS			BASE RETURNS			VALUE ADDED		
	Fund	Index[2]	Difference	Fund	Index[2]	Difference	Allocation	Selection	Total[3]
Financials	18.35	19.38	-1.03	-3.21	-1.26	-1.95	0.12	-0.37	-0.26
Information Technology	17.85	18.94	-1.08	14.70	12.41	2.29	-0.02	0.42	0.40
Health Care	13.41	12.85	0.56	3.72	8.47	-4.75	-0.02	-0.59	-0.60
Industrials	11.33	10.77	0.57	-2.81	-6.43	3.62	-0.04	0.43	0.39
Energy	9.27	5.85	3.42	17.35	16.50	0.85	0.43	0.07	0.50
Consumer Discretionary	8.85	10.49	-1.64	-11.50	-1.85	-9.65	0.17	-1.02	-0.85
Utilities	5.96	3.78	2.18	-13.71	-11.01	-2.70	-0.32	-0.18	-0.50
Materials	4.64	3.67	0.97	-4.67	-2.73	-1.94	-0.06	-0.10	-0.16
Communication Services	4.47	3.42	1.05	0.17	11.86	-11.69	0.10	-0.53	-0.43
Consumer Staples	4.43	7.31	-2.87	-3.85	-1.59	-2.26	0.12	-0.10	0.01
Real Estate	1.42	3.54	-2.12	-10.93	-5.85	-5.08	0.19	-0.08	0.11

May not equal 100% due to rounding.

12-MONTH ATTRIBUTION – ECONOMIC SECTOR (September 30, 2025 – September 30, 2026)

	AVERAGE WEIGHTS			BASE RETURNS			VALUE ADDED		
	Fund	Index[2]	Difference	Fund	Index[2]	Difference	Allocation	Selection	Total[3]
Financials	19.75	20.39	-0.63	-0.03	1.62	-1.65	0.24	-0.22	0.01
Information Technology	15.52	14.47	1.05	20.73	138.04	-117.30	1.16	-12.55	-11.38
Health Care	13.27	11.96	1.31	14.12	23.64	-9.52	-0.16	-1.18	-1.34
Industrials	10.95	12.64	-1.69	29.51	14.48	15.03	-0.09	1.66	1.56
Energy	9.58	6.12	3.45	50.72	40.79	9.93	0.45	0.96	1.41
Consumer Discretionary	8.85	8.07	0.78	-12.72	0.11	-12.83	-0.20	-1.48	-1.68
Utilities	6.18	4.31	1.87	-2.24	-4.38	2.14	-0.64	0.20	-0.44
Communication Services	4.93	6.92	-1.99	16.99	15.02	1.97	0.56	0.19	0.74
Consumer Staples	4.64	7.32	-2.68	4.33	5.93	-1.59	0.50	-0.15	0.36
Materials	4.44	3.96	0.47	13.31	11.06	2.26	-0.14	0.07	-0.07
Real Estate	1.90	3.84	-1.94	-8.14	3.32	-11.46	0.44	-0.25	0.19

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