

**Composite:** MFS Small Cap Growth Equity Composite in CAD

**Benchmark:** Russell 2000® Growth - Total Return

**Creation Date:** 31-Dec-1999

**Inception Date:** 01-Jan-1988

**Composite Description:** The MFS Small Cap Growth Equity Composite includes all discretionary portfolios managed to the MFS Small Cap Growth Equity strategy that do not have extensive guideline restrictions. The strategy seeks long-term growth of capital principally by investing in small capitalization companies. Portfolios in this strategy seek above average and/or durable earnings growth. Stock markets and investments in individual stocks are volatile and can decline significantly in response to or investor perception of, issuer, market, economic, industry, political, regulatory, geopolitical, and other conditions. Investments in small-cap companies can be more volatile than investments in larger companies. Investments in growth companies can be more sensitive to the company's earnings and more volatile than the stock market in general.

#### Institutional Separate Accounts Fee Schedule

Asset Breakpoints (CAD)	Fee
For Assets Up To 50 MM	75 bp
For Assets From 50 MM To 100 MM	65 bp
For Assets Over 100 MM	60 bp

Accounts are eligible for inclusion in the composite if they have assets greater than 1 MM USD (1.4 MM CAD). Accounts are included as of their first full month of performance.

Period	Composite and Benchmark Return %			Composite Dispersion	Accounts in Composite at End of Period	Annualized 3-Year Standard Deviation		Assets (CAD million)	
	Gross of fees	Net of fees^	Benchmark			Composite	Benchmark	Composite	Firm
2024	17.23	16.33	25.60	n/a	<6	18.48	21.32	\$4,740.7	\$829,207.9
2023	12.29	11.43	15.48	n/a	<6	17.59	18.83	\$4,851.2	\$758,972.6
2022	-23.84	-24.46	-21.01	n/a	<6	21.29	22.26	\$4,629.8	\$714,369.6
2021	1.67	0.84	1.96	n/a	<6	18.24	19.09	\$5,716.0	\$851,837.8
2020	44.16	42.97	32.27	n/a	<6	19.48	20.71	\$5,217.1	\$763,223.3
2019	35.53	34.38	21.99	n/a	<6	14.76	15.16	\$3,146.3	\$672,454.2
2018	8.54	7.59	-1.14	n/a	<6	14.93	16.41	\$2,386.6	\$582,573.1
2017	19.40	18.37	14.14	n/a	<6	14.08	15.77	\$2,349.0	\$615,214.6
2016	6.26	5.34	7.47	n/a	<6	14.78	16.69	\$2,358.5	\$570,670.1
2015	18.89	17.88	18.27	n/a	<6	13.96	14.28	\$2,818.5	\$572,882.1

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Total Gross of fee returns in CAD (includes both capital appreciation and reinvestment of income) are net of transaction costs, withholding taxes and direct expenses, but before management fees, custody and other indirect expenses. Typical separate accounts utilize 4:00 PM (London Time) foreign exchange rates; retail products will use rates deemed most appropriate for daily NAV per share calculations. The possibility exists for performance dispersion between otherwise similarly managed accounts and also with the benchmark.

Net of fee returns presented in this table are gross of fee returns reduced by management fees and performance fees if applicable (actual fees). For certain accounts where the actual fees are unavailable, the maximum applicable annual institutional separate account fees were applied.

Total returns of the benchmark are provided for each period depicted, expressed in CAD. Source of Benchmark Performance: FACTSET ®.

Russell 2000® Growth - Total Return - constructed to provide a comprehensive barometer for growth securities in the small-cap segment of the U.S. equity universe. Companies in this index generally have higher price-to-book ratios and higher forecasted growth values.

Composite Dispersion is measured by the asset-weighted standard deviation of gross of fees account returns for all accounts in the composite for the full period. For composites containing less than six accounts for the full period, dispersion is deemed not meaningful and is not presented. The three-year annualized ex post standard deviation measures the variability of the gross of fees composite returns and the benchmark returns over the preceding 36-month period.

The MFS Small Cap Growth Equity composite is a US Dollar based composite available globally. The regional composite depicted here was created on 27-Jun-2011 for presentation in the Canadian market. Where appropriate, data has been converted to Canadian Dollar and the fees and breakpoints depicted are applicable to clients in this market.

The composite asset minimum changed from 2MM USD to 1MM USD effective 1-Nov-2022.

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