

Composite: MFS Emerging Markets Debt

Aggregate Composite

Benchmark: Bloomberg EM USD Aggregate

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Composite Description: The MFS Emerging Markets Debt Aggregate Composite includes all discretionary portfolios managed to the MFS Emerging Markets Debt strategy that seek to outperform the both up and down markets. The strategy invests primarily in a diversified portfolio of USD-denominated emerging markets debt securities. The opportunity set includes US-dollar denominated emerging markets sovereign, quasi-sovereign and corporate debt with opportunistic allocations to local rates, currencies, and derivative instruments. Emerging markets can have less Performance for periods less than one year are not annualized. market structure, depth, and regulatory, custodial or operational oversight and greater political, social, geopolitical and economic instability than developed markets. Investments in debt instruments may decline credit quality of the issuer, borrower, counterparty, or other entity responsible for payment, underlying collateral, or changes in economic, political, issuerspecific, or other conditions. Certain types of debt instruments can be more sensitive to these factors and therefore more volatile. In addition, debt instruments entail interest rate risk (as interest rates rise, prices usually fall). Therefore, the portfolio's value may decline during rising rates. Investments in derivatives can be used to take both long and short positions, be highly volatile, involve leverage (which can magnify losses). and involve risks in addition to the risks of the underlying indicator(s) on which the derivative is based. such as counterparty and liquidity risk.

Institutional Separate Accounts Fee Schedule

Fee
45 bp
40 bp
37.50 bp

Accounts are eligible for inclusion in the composite if they have assets greater than 25 MM USD. Accounts are included as of their second full month of performance.

Derivative Exposure Disclosure

					Accounts in	Annualized 3-Year			
	Composite and Benchmark Return %			Composite	Composite at	Standard Deviation		Assets (USD million)	
Period	Gross of fees	Net of fees^	Benchmark	Dispersion	End of Period	Composite	Benchmark	Composite	Firm
2024	7.56	7.28	6.58	n/a	<6	9.55	9.33	\$509.6	\$576,559.5
2023	9.54	9.24	9.09	n/a	<6	9.32	9.08	\$475.0	\$575,589.7
2022	-12.79	-13.03	-15.26	n/a	<6	10.89	10.77	\$433.4	\$527,229.5
2021	-1.37	-1.64	-1.65	n/a	<6	n/a	n/a	\$497.9	\$674,375.8
2020	7.81	7.52	6.52	n/a	<6	n/a	n/a	\$506.1	\$599,076.3
2019**	1.64	1.59	1.55	n/a	<6	n/a	n/a	\$361.6	\$518,568.9

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> 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 USD. Source of Benchmark Performance: FACTSET ®.

Bloomberg EM USD Aggregate - a hard currency emerging markets debt benchmark that includes fixed and floating rate US dollar denominated debt issued from a sovereign, quasi-sovereign, and corporate EM issuers. Country eligibility and classification as emerging markets is rules-based and reviewed annually using World Bank income group and International Monetary Fund (IMF) country classifications.

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 36month period.

The composite asset minimum changed from 30MM USD to 25MM USD effective 1-Nov-2022.

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^{**} Indicates partial period.



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LONG EX	KPOSURE	SHORT EXPOSURE		
High	12.59%	High	-9.17%	
Median	9.02%	Median	-4.53%	
Low	5.29%	Low	-2.31%	