

Composite: MFS Municipal High Yield Fixed Income Composite

Custom Benchmark: Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index linked to previous benchmark

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Composite Description: The MFS Municipal High Yield Fixed Income Composite includes all discretionary portfolios managed to the MFS Municipal High Yield Fixed Income strategy. The strategy seeks total return by investing primarily in non-investment grade fixed income securities issued by U.S. municipalities or other entities exempt from federal income tax. Investments in municipal instruments can be volatile and significantly affected by adverse tax or court rulings, legislative or political changes, market and economic conditions, issuer, industry-specific (including the credit quality of municipal insurers), and other conditions. Because many municipal instruments are issued to finance similar projects, conditions in certain industries can significantly affect the portfolio and the overall municipal market. Investments in below investment grade quality debt instruments can be more volatile and have greater risk of default, or already be in default, than higher-quality debt instruments.

Institutional Separate Accounts Fee Schedule

Asset Breakpoints (USD)	Fee
For Assets Up To 50 MM	30 bp
For Assets From 50 MM To 100 MM	25 bp
For Assets Over 100 MM	20 bp

Accounts are eligible for inclusion in the composite if they have assets greater than 20 MM USD. Accounts are included as of their second full month of performance.

Period	Composite and Benchmark Return %			Composite Dispersion	Accounts in Composite at End of Period	Annualized 3-Year Standard Deviation		Assets (USD million)	
	Gross of fees	Net of fees^	Benchmark			Composite	Benchmark	Composite	Firm
2024	7.73	7.18	1.05	n/a	<6	9.34	7.66	\$4,598.7	\$576,559.5
2023	6.78	6.24	6.40	n/a	<6	9.11	7.65	\$4,201.9	\$575,589.7
2022	-13.31	-13.74	-8.53	n/a	<6	9.54	9.90	\$4,272.4	\$527,229.5
2021	5.96	5.43	7.30	n/a	<6	7.04	8.46	\$7,098.0	\$674,375.8
2020	4.04	3.51	4.89	n/a	<6	6.96	8.46	\$6,003.7	\$599,076.3
2019	10.32	9.75	10.68	n/a	<6	2.47	3.06	\$5,933.8	\$518,568.9
2018	2.75	2.22	4.76	n/a	<6	3.60	4.98	\$4,790.6	\$426,543.5
2017	8.34	7.77	9.69	n/a	<6	3.66	5.50	\$4,398.1	\$491,012.9
2016	2.50	1.96	2.99	n/a	<6	4.13	6.05	\$3,630.1	\$425,539.8
2015	5.74	5.18	1.81	n/a	<6	5.10	6.44	\$3,490.7	\$412,412.4

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Total Gross of fee returns in USD (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 USD. Source of Benchmark Performance: FACTSET ®.

Custom Benchmark: Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index - a market capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of the tax-exempt bond market. Bloomberg Municipal High Yield Bond Index - a market capitalization-weighted index that measures the performance of high yield tax-exempt bonds.

Custom Benchmark Methodology: The benchmark was Bloomberg Municipal High Yield Bond Index from 1-Jan-2013 to 30-Sep-2021 and on 1-Oct-2021 the benchmark is linked to Bloomberg Municipal Bond Index. The historical components and weightings of the custom benchmark are available upon request.

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.

Some funds in this composite receive additional net income due to investments in certain inverse floating rate notes. This income is offset by an equivalent expense amount. These offsetting amounts have no performance impact and are not reflected in the performance depicted in this report. Prior to 1-Sep-2021 the minimum asset level for inclusion was 5.0MM USD.



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