The tenets of our investment philosophy are based upon the following beliefs:

13.23 12.59

12.99

Earnings/cash flow growth combined with a valuation discipline are the most important drivers of



29.88

28.09 27.34

# Goal

Seeks to outperform the S&P 500 Index on a risk-adjusted basis over a full market cycle and to achieve a competitive ranking against relevant peer universes over the same period.

### Investment team

**Portfolio Managers** Jude Jason

- 12 years with MFS
- 17 years in industry Alison O'Neill
- 19 years with MFS
- 22 years in industry

Institutional Portfolio Manager

- Joseph MacDougall, CFA
- 23 years with MFS
- 29 years in industry

Assets under manag			Since Inception (01-Apr-15)	5 Years	3 Years	1 Year
Management <sup>®</sup> MFS <sup>®</sup> Core Equity	626.1 billion	Gross vs. Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index	0.24	0.33	-0.24	-1.79
Concentrated Composite	1.6 million	Net vs. Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index	-0.40	-0.34	-0.90	-2.54

# Annual performance (%)

Philosophy

stockprice performance

Performance (%) total return

Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index

For periods of less than one-year

returns are not annualized.

MFS (gross of fees)

MFS (net of fees)

Quality is underappreciated by the market

	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024 YTD
MFS (gross of fees)	7.44	22.87	-4.35	38.24	17.92	29.53	-15.28	19.15	11.68
MFS (net of fees)	6.85	22.21	-4.88	37.50	17.25	28.77	-15.79	18.45	11.52
Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index	11.96	21.83	-4.38	31.49	18.40	28.71	-18.11	26.29	10.56

15.38

14.71 15.05

11.25

11.49

10.59

### MIFID II performance standard - 12-month rates of total return (%) as of the period ended

	31-Mar-20	31-Mar-21	31-Mar-22	31-Mar-23	31-Mar-24
MFS (gross of fees)	-1.35	50.54	15.15	-6.65	28.09
MFS (net of fees)	-1.89	49.69	14.47	-7.21	27.34
Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index	-6.98	56.35	15.65	-7.73	29.88

Past performance is not a reliable indicator for future results. All financial investments involve an element of risk. The value of investments may rise and fall so you may get back less than originally invested. Investors should consider the risks, including lower returns, related to currency movements between their investing currency and the portfolio's base currency, if different.

See the GIPS Composite Report at the end of this presentation for performance methodology and other information.

The Markets in Financial Instruments Directive (MIFID) is the EU legislation that regulates firms who provide services to clients linked to financial instruments.

Source: Benchmark performance from SPAR, FactSet Research Systems Inc.

It is not possible to invest directly in an index. Index performance will differ from our actively managed strategies, which may involve a higher degree of risk.

Total gross of fee returns include both capital appreciation and reinvestment of income but exclude custody fees.

# Fact Sheet | Q1 | 2024 MFS<sup>•</sup> Core Equity Concentrated (USD)

CHARACTERISTICS			
	MFS	Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index	
Fundamentals - weighted average			
IBES long-term EPS growth <sup>1</sup>	13.2%	14.4%	
Price/earnings (12 months forward)	22.6x	21.9x	
Market capitalization			
Market capitalization (USD) <sup>2</sup>	809.7 bn	805.6 bn	
Diversification			
Top ten issues	51%	32%	
Number of Issues	30	503	
Turnover			
Trailing 1 year turnover <sup>3</sup>	20%	_	
Risk/reward (5 year)	Gross/Net		
Historical tracking error	4.36%/4.36%	_	
Standard deviation	16.84%/16.84%	18.37%	
Beta	0.89/0.89		

### TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)

TOP 10 HOLDINGS (%)			
Security	Sector	MFS	Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index
MICROSOFT CORP	Information Technology	11.3	7.1
NVIDIA CORP	Information Technology	5.4	5.1
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO	Financials	5.1	1.3
CONOCOPHILLIPS (EQ)	Energy	5.0	0.3
ALPHABET INC	Communication Services	4.9	3.7
AMAZON.COM INC (EQ)	Consumer Discretionary	4.6	3.7
VISA INC	Financials	4.0	1.0
COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP	Consumer Staples	3.9	0.7
HOWMET AEROSPACE INC	Industrials	3.6	0.1
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/THE	Financials	3.4	0.3

### SECTOR WEIGHTS UNDERWEIGHT/OVERWEIGHT (%)<sup>†</sup> Standard & Poor's 500 Stock Index **Consumer Staples** 43 **Financials** 12 Energy 1 **Communication Services** 0.3 0.1 Health Care -0.6 Industrials Materials -0.6 **Real Estate** -0.6 Utilities -22 Consumer Discretionary -2.8

-3.2

<sup>1</sup> Source: FactSet

<sup>2</sup> Weighted average.

Information Technology

<sup>3</sup> US Turnover Methodology: (Lesser of Purchase or Sales)/Average Month End Market Value

<sup>†</sup> 2.9% Cash & Cash Equivalents.

The information presented is based on an account determined to be representative of the composite's strategy. The representative account's performance is available upon request.

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Benchmark: S&P 500 - Total Return

Creation Date: 05-May-2015

Inception Date: 01-Apr-2015

Composite Description: The MFS Core Equity Concentrated Composite includes all discretionary portfolios managed to the MFS Core Equity Concentrated strategy that seek to outperform the S&P 500 Index on a risk-adjusted basis over the long term. The strategy seeks to provide primarily long-term growth of capital and secondarily income through investment in a concentrated portfolio of primarily U.S. large capitalization blue chip equities. The portfolio's performance could be more volatile than the performance of more diversified portfolios. 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.

Institutional Separate Accounts Fee Schedule

Asset Breakpoints (USD)

For Assets Up To 50 MM

For Assets Over 100 MM

For Assets From 50 MM To 100 MM

### 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 2023 19.15 18.45 26.29 <6 16.77 17.54 \$1.4 \$575,589.7 n/a 2022 -15.28 -15.79 -18.11 n/a <6 19.23 21.16 \$2.2 \$527,229.5 2021 29.53 28.77 <6 15.52 17.41 \$2.6 28.71 n/a \$674.375.8 2020 17 92 17 25 18 40 n/a <6 17 17 18 79 \$4 1 \$599.076.3 2019 38.24 37.50 31.49 n/a <6 11.82 12.10 \$4.9 \$518,568.9 2018 -4.35 -4.88 -4.38 n/a <6 11.11 10.95 \$3.8 \$426,543.5 2017 22.87 22.21 n/a <6 n/a \$4.0 \$491,012.9 21.83 n/a 2016 7.44 6.85 11.96 n/a <6 n/a n/a \$3.3 \$425.539.8 2015\*\* 1.82 0.43 \$3.0 1.40 n/a <6 n/a n/a \$412.412.4

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Fee

60 bp

50 bp

45 bp





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