



Investment Performance Information - July 1, 2023 to September 30, 2023

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VRU #	Fixed Investment Option	Oct '23	Sep '23	Aug '23					
283	Investment Contract Pool	2.880%	2.860%	2.840%					
Morningstar									
VRU #	Variable Investment Options	Category	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception	Inception Date	Gross Expense Ratio
Asset allocation									
1439	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2010 I (o)	Target-Date 2000-2010	9.70%	1.96%	3.90%	N/A	5.39%	09/29/15	0.34%
2695	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2005 I (o)	Target-Date 2000-2010	9.15%	1.57%	3.63%	N/A	4.93%	09/29/15	0.34%
3298	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2005 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2000-2010	9.14%	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.89%	09/01/22	0.33%
3299	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2010 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2000-2010	9.72%	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.11%	09/01/22	0.33%
1440	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2015 I (o)	Target-Date 2015	10.20%	2.42%	4.20%	N/A	5.94%	09/29/15	0.36%
3300	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2015 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2015	10.33%	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.52%	09/01/22	0.33%
1441	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2020 I (o)	Target-Date 2020	10.92%	2.94%	4.51%	N/A	6.62%	09/29/15	0.37%
3301	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2020 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2020	10.82%	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.72%	09/01/22	0.33%
1442	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2025 I (o)	Target-Date 2025	12.04%	3.59%	4.96%	N/A	7.28%	09/29/15	0.39%
3302	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2025 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2025	12.09%	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.57%	09/01/22	0.33%
1443	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2030 I (o)	Target-Date 2030	13.81%	4.25%	5.39%	N/A	7.89%	09/29/15	0.41%
3303	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2030 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2030	13.85%	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.47%	09/01/22	0.33%
1444	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2035 I (o)	Target-Date 2035	15.83%	4.98%	5.83%	N/A	8.44%	09/29/15	0.42%
3304	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2035 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2035	16.06%	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.77%	09/01/22	0.33%
1445	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2040 I (o)	Target-Date 2040	17.57%	5.65%	6.26%	N/A	8.93%	09/29/15	0.43%
3305	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2040 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2040	17.80%	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.77%	09/01/22	0.33%
1446	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2045 I (o)	Target-Date 2045	18.51%	6.19%	6.54%	N/A	9.18%	09/29/15	0.44%
3306	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2045 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2045	18.89%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.47%	09/01/22	0.33%
1447	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2050 I (o)	Target-Date 2050	18.92%	6.24%	6.58%	N/A	9.21%	09/29/15	0.45%
3307	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2050 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2050	19.13%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.57%	09/01/22	0.33%
1448	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2055 I (o)	Target-Date 2055	19.02%	6.24%	6.57%	N/A	9.19%	09/29/15	0.46%
3308	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2055 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2055	19.18%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.57%	09/01/22	0.33%
1449	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2060 I (o)	Target-Date 2060	18.93%	6.23%	6.58%	N/A	9.16%	09/29/15	0.46%
3309	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2060 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2060	19.17%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.57%	09/01/22	0.33%
2724	TRowePr Rtrmt I 2065 I (o)	Target-Date 2065+	18.90%	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.25%	10/13/20	0.46%
3310	WlmnTrTRowePrRtrmt 2065 I1 (b)	Target-Date 2065+	19.36%	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.67%	09/01/22	0.33%
International									
883	Vngrd Ttl IntlStkIdx Inst	Foreign Large Blend	20.50%	3.89%	2.77%	3.63%	4.21%	11/29/10	0.08%
2819	SSgA Intl Indx NLndg M	Foreign Large Blend	26.84%	5.95%	3.51%	5.27%	8.38%	11/30/08	0.05%
835	AmFds Euro Pacfc Gr R6	Foreign Large Growth	19.64%	0.08%	3.11%	4.64%	9.97%	04/16/84	0.47%
Small cap									
891	Vngrd SmCap Indx Inst	Small Blend	12.54%	8.72%	4.62%	8.00%	8.45%	07/07/97	0.04%
2820	SSgA RsslSmCapIndxNLndg K	Small Blend	8.92%	7.16%	2.37%	6.55%	7.40%	09/30/96	0.04%
1533	TRowePr Inst SmCap Stk	Small Growth	6.94%	4.66%	5.23%	8.81%	9.46%	03/31/00	0.66%
Mid cap									
899	Vngrd MdCap Indx Inst Pls	Mid-Cap Blend	12.63%	7.28%	6.51%	9.07%	10.16%	12/15/10	0.03%
2821	SSgA SPMdCap Indx NLndg M	Mid-Cap Blend	15.47%	12.02%	6.02%	8.92%	9.63%	09/30/97	0.03%
1291	JnsHndrsn Entrp N	Mid-Cap Growth	18.35%	8.61%	8.49%	11.92%	10.99%	09/01/92	0.66%
3311	MdCap Gr II I1	Mid-Cap Growth	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.80%	04/24/23	0.43%
802	TRowePr MdCap Val Rtl	Mid-Cap Value	19.17%	14.64%	7.05%	9.05%	10.73%	06/28/96	0.83%
Large cap									
856	Parnassus Cor Eq Inst	Large Blend	22.74%	9.05%	10.92%	11.66%	10.70%	04/28/06	0.62%
1749	TRowePr US Eq Rsrch I	Large Blend	23.97%	11.01%	10.58%	12.31%	9.45%	11/30/94	0.35%
2078	Fid 500 Indx	Large Blend	21.61%	10.14%	9.90%	11.90%	10.41%	02/17/88	0.02%
2823	SSgA SP 500 Indx NLndg K	Large Blend	21.61%	10.13%	9.89%	11.89%	8.57%	04/30/97	0.01%
2896	TRowPr StrcdRsrch Cmn Tr	Large Blend	24.02%	11.13%	10.85%	12.63%	10.26%	05/02/05	0.28%
2626	Wlmlr LgCap Gr ClF 5	Large Growth	27.14%	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.14%	02/12/21	0.37%
2627	Wlmlr LgCap Gr R6	Large Growth	27.14%	5.89%	N/A	N/A	12.04%	05/02/19	0.66%
942	DE Val Inst	Large Value	6.43%	8.36%	3.34%	7.66%	7.28%	09/15/98	0.68%

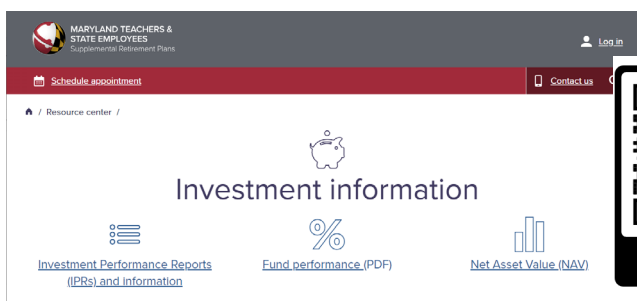
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			1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year			
199	Balanced Fid Puritan	Moderate Allocation	15.26%	5.08%	6.90%	8.53%	10.71%	04/16/47	0.50%
786	Bonds Vngrd Ttl Bd Mkt Indx Inst	Intermediate Core Bond	0.74%	-5.20%	0.15%	1.12%	4.08%	09/18/95	0.04%
1641	TCW Cor Fxd Inc I	Intermediate Core Bond	0.22%	-5.60%	0.03%	0.98%	4.39%	02/26/93	0.53%
2822	SSgA US Bd Indx NLndg M	Intermediate Core Bond	0.59%	-5.24%	0.11%	1.11%	2.27%	04/30/09	0.03%
1340	Short term Vngrd Fed Mny Mkt Inv (c) CURRENT YIELD: 4.53%	Money Market-Taxable	4.61%	1.75%	1.67%	1.07%	3.90%	07/13/81	0.11%

Match the market index below to the Morningstar Category listed for your fund.

Market Indices

	Total Return	Average Annual Return		
	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
Small Cap Growth Index				
CRSP US Small Cap Growth Index	10.43%	0.37%	3.30%	7.28%
Small Cap Blend Index				
Russell 2000	8.93%	7.16%	2.40%	6.65%
Small Cap Value Index				
CRSP US Small Cap Value Index	13.86%	15.32%	4.90%	8.14%
International Index				
FTSE Developed ex North America - For VRU# 835	25.48%	5.31%	3.04%	3.85%
FTSE Global All Cap ex US Index	20.79%	4.45%	3.17%	4.02%
Mid Cap Growth Index				
Russell Midcap Growth	17.47%	2.61%	6.97%	9.94%
Mid Cap Value Index				
Russell Midcap Value	11.05%	10.98%	5.18%	7.92%
Mid Cap Blend Index				
S&P 400 MidCap Index	15.51%	12.05%	6.06%	8.94%
Large Cap Blend Index				
Standard & Poor's 500 Index	21.62%	10.15%	9.92%	11.91%
Large Cap Growth Index				
Russell 1000 Growth	27.72%	7.97%	12.42%	14.48%
Large Cap Value Index				
CRSP US Large Cap Value Index	14.85%	12.45%	7.32%	9.87%
Russell 1000 Value	14.44%	11.05%	6.23%	8.45%
Balanced Index (use for Moderate Allocation Funds)				
60% S&P 500/40% Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond	13.01%	4.01%	6.27%	7.74%
Government Bond Index				
Bloomberg US Govt Intern TR USD	1.33%	-3.17%	0.68%	0.81%
Intermediate Term Bond				
Bloomberg US Agg Bond TR USD	0.64%	-5.21%	0.10%	1.13%
Money Market Index				
FTSE Treasury Bill 3 Mon USD	4.71%	1.78%	1.74%	1.12%



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Market Indices *(continued)*

	Total Return	Average Annual Return		
	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year
Asset Allocation Index				
Combined Index Portfolio 2005	7.38%	0.22%	2.59%	3.48%
Combined Index Portfolio 2005 (CIT)	7.38%	0.22%	2.59%	3.48%
Combined Index Portfolio 2010	8.30%	1.03%	3.09%	4.09%
Combined Index Portfolio 2010 (CIT)	8.30%	1.03%	3.09%	4.09%
Combined Index Portfolio 2015	8.81%	1.57%	3.32%	4.58%
Combined Index Portfolio 2015 (CIT)	8.81%	1.57%	3.32%	4.58%
Combined Index Portfolio 2020	9.96%	1.91%	3.44%	4.95%
Combined Index Portfolio 2020 (CIT)	9.96%	1.91%	3.44%	4.95%
Combined Index Portfolio 2025	10.97%	3.03%	4.02%	5.56%
Combined Index Portfolio 2025 (CIT)	10.97%	3.03%	4.02%	5.56%
Combined Index Portfolio 2030	12.96%	4.08%	4.51%	6.14%
Combined Index Portfolio 2030 (CIT)	12.96%	4.08%	4.51%	6.14%
Combined Index Portfolio 2035	15.18%	5.24%	5.07%	6.72%
Combined Index Portfolio 2035 (CIT)	15.18%	5.24%	5.07%	6.72%
Combined Index Portfolio 2040	17.06%	6.16%	5.53%	7.15%
Combined Index Portfolio 2040 (CIT)	17.06%	6.16%	5.53%	7.15%
Combined Index Portfolio 2045	18.32%	6.72%	5.81%	7.41%
Combined Index Portfolio 2045 (CIT)	18.32%	6.72%	5.81%	7.41%
Combined Index Portfolio 2050	18.84%	7.01%	5.93%	7.60%
Combined Index Portfolio 2050 (CIT)	18.84%	7.01%	5.93%	7.60%
Combined Index Portfolio 2055	18.97%	7.12%	5.98%	7.68%
Combined Index Portfolio 2055 (CIT)	18.97%	7.12%	5.98%	7.68%
Combined Index Portfolio 2060	19.09%	7.09%	6.00%	N/A
Combined Index Portfolio 2060 (CIT)	19.09%	7.09%	6.00%	N/A
Combined Index Portfolio 2065	19.00%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Combined Index Portfolio 2065 (CIT)	19.00%	N/A	N/A	N/A
Combined Index Portfolio Income	7.38%	0.22%	2.59%	3.48%
Combined Index Portfolio Income (CIT)	7.38%	0.22%	2.59%	3.48%

FEE DISCLOSURES

The Standardized illustration represents performance based on a \$10,000 hypothetical investment. Fees and expenses listed are in addition to the fees disclosed in the underlying fund prospectus.

Gross expense ratios represent the fund's total operating expenses expressed as a percentage of the assets held in the fund. For more information about gross expense ratios, read the fund's prospectus.

Some mutual funds may impose a short term trade fee. Some funds may be subject to a trade restriction policy. Please read the underlying prospectus carefully.

FOOTNOTES

b) These funds are designed to provide diversification and asset allocation across several types of investments and asset classes, primarily by investing in underlying funds. Therefore, in addition to the fund's expenses, you are indirectly paying a proportionate share of the applicable fees and expenses of the underlying funds.

c) The money market current yield is the annualized historical yield for the 7-day period ending on the last day of the calendar quarter. Yield quotation more closely reflects the current earnings of the money market fund than the total return quotation.

o) The Target Retirement Funds invest in a wide variety of underlying funds to help reduce investment risk. So in addition to the expenses of the Target Retirement Funds, you pay a proportionate share of the expenses of the underlying funds. Like other funds, Target Retirement Funds are subject to market risk and loss. Loss of principal can occur at any time, including before, at or after the target date. There is no guarantee that target date funds will provide enough income for retirement.

RISK DISCLOSURES

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International/emerging markets funds: Funds that invest in international stocks face risks that funds investing only in U.S. stocks do not. Currency fluctuation, political risk, differences in accounting standards and the limited availability of information may make these funds less stable.

Small company funds: Small and emerging companies may have less liquidity than larger, established companies. Therefore, funds investing in stocks of small or emerging companies may face greater price volatility and risk.

High-yield bond funds: Funds that invest in high-yield securities may have more credit risk and changes in price than funds that invest in higher-quality securities.

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Government bond funds: These funds invest mainly in securities of the U.S. government and its agencies; however, these entities do not guarantee the value of the funds.
Real estate funds: Funds that invest mainly in real estate are sensitive to economic and business cycles, changing demographic patterns and government actions.

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Inception Date is the date the underlying fund was established. Non-Standardized performance for UIO's includes hypothetical performance for periods before the UIO was available in the group annuity, where applicable, applying contract charges to actual fund NAVs to determine the performance the UIO would have achieved inside the separate account.

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