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Stability of Principal											
Voya Fixed Plus Account III - 4020 (2)(3)(5)	0.19	0.56	1.87	2.25	2.25	2.05	2.06				
Bonds											
Inflation-Protected Bond											
PIMCO Real Return Fund - Institutional Class - 2695	2.75	-0.38	0.03	-0.27	5.39	0.59	2.68		01/29/1997	0.62	0.62
Intermediate Core-Plus Bond											
JPMorgan Core Plus Bond Fund - Class R6 Shares - 2355 (7)	2.36	0.08	0.14	0.71	6.55	0.69	2.22		03/05/1993	0.38	0.37
Asset Allocation											
Lifecycle											
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2010 Fund - I Class - G428	0.48	-0.18	5.26	6.19	11.94	4.41	6.62		09/30/2002	0.34	0.34
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2015 Fund - I Class - G429	0.43	-0.14	5.56	6.54	12.34	4.62	7.13		02/27/2004	0.34	0.34
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2020 Fund - I Class - G430	0.34	-0.24	5.79	6.80	12.81	4.82	7.72		09/30/2002	0.36	0.36
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2025 Fund - I Class - G431	0.32	-0.16	6.18	7.24	13.53	5.04	8.38		02/27/2004	0.37	0.37
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2030 Fund - I Class - G432	0.07	-0.27	7.11	8.33	15.03	5.65	9.23		09/30/2002	0.39	0.39
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2035 Fund - I Class - G433	-0.20	-0.39	8.39	9.82	16.87	6.52	10.13		02/27/2004	0.41	0.41

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T. Rowe Price Retirement 2040 Fund - I Class - G434	-0.48	-0.45	9.48	11.09	18.31	7.22	10.88		09/30/2002	0.42	0.42
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2045 Fund - I Class - G435	-0.71	-0.50	10.35	12.04	19.37	7.83	11.40		05/31/2005	0.43	0.43
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2050 Fund - I Class - G436	-0.83	-0.54	10.63	12.37	19.69	8.04	11.52		12/29/2006	0.44	0.44
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2055 Fund - I Class - G437	-0.87	-0.55	10.77	12.53	19.84	8.08	11.52		12/29/2006	0.45	0.45
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2060 Fund - I Class - G438	-0.89	-0.57	10.74	12.52	19.86	8.09	11.53		06/23/2014	0.46	0.46
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2065 Fund - I Class - G439	-0.91	-0.55	10.83	12.58	19.82	8.08		12.95	10/13/2020	0.46	0.46
T. Rowe Price Retirement 2070 Fund - I Class - QQ79	-0.88	-0.48	10.78	12.52				17.85	06/18/2025	0.46	0.46
Balanced											
T. Rowe Price Retirement Balanced Fund - I Class - G504	0.55	-0.21	4.83	5.70	11.17	4.14	6.24		09/30/2002	0.34	0.34
Large Cap Value											
Large Blend											
Vanguard® FTSE Social Index Fund - Admiral™ Shares - D591	-2.45	0.97	10.32	9.93	23.52	10.92	15.76		05/31/2000	0.11	0.11
Vanguard® Institutional Index Fund - Institutional Shares - 566	-0.87	1.47	11.73	12.07	23.36	12.02	15.41		07/31/1990	0.04	0.04
Large Value											
Putnam Large Cap Value Fund - Class R6 - 6352	4.75	2.98	18.55	24.34	24.14	14.26	14.81		06/15/1977	0.52	0.52
Large Cap Growth											
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NYLIM Winslow Large Cap Growth Fund - Class R6 - 6268 (8)	-5.48	-1.10	0.00	-4.36	21.07	7.83	16.52		06/30/1995	0.64	0.63
Small/Mid/Specialty											
Mid-Cap Blend											
Vanguard® Morningstar Mid-Cap Index Fund - Inst Shares - 1197	3.89	1.04	13.51	13.68	19.85	6.89	11.73		05/21/1998	0.03	0.03
Mid-Cap Growth											
Carillon Eagle Mid Cap Growth Fund - Class R-6 - 970	-2.93	-5.12	0.39	-2.87	12.44	0.56	11.34		08/20/1998	0.66	0.66
Mid-Cap Value											
T. Rowe Price Mid-Cap Value Fund - I Class - 8926	6.22	-0.31	19.86	22.94	20.97	11.54	11.75		06/28/1996	0.72	0.72
Small Blend											
Vanguard® Morningstar Small-Cap Index Fund - Inst Shares - 1198	2.07	-1.30	13.69	15.41	19.40	6.39	11.12		07/07/1997	0.03	0.03
Small Growth											
MassMutual Small Cap Growth Equity Fund - Class I - E267	-0.91	-4.22	15.08	17.44	21.37	4.59	13.28		05/03/1999	0.88	0.85
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Vanguard® Morgstr Sm-Cp Val Index Fund - Admiral™ Shares - 3316	5.39	-0.09	16.56	20.17	19.50	8.87	10.78		05/21/1998	0.07	0.07
Specialty - Real Estate											
Vanguard® Real Estate Index Fund - Admiral™ Shares - 802	4.81	-4.17	9.20	9.36	13.15	0.92	5.51		11/12/2001	0.13	0.13
Global / International											
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Vanguard International Core Stock Fund - Admiral Shares - G622	-3.06	-4.17	8.62	13.04	22.69	10.83		11.80	10/16/2019	0.38	0.38
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(3)The Investment Option is neither a mutual fund nor part of a Separate Account. The returns listed do not include the impact of contract charges. Please refer to the contract or disclosure book to determine which Fixed Interest Options are available for your specific plan. The Investment Option is offered through Voya Retirement Insurance and Annuity Company.

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(8)MainStay Winslow Large Cap Growth Fund - Class R6: The management fee is as follows: 0.75% on assets up to $500 million; 0.725% on assets from $500 million to $750 million; 0.71% on assets from $750 million to $1 billion; 0.70% on assets from $1 billion to $2 billion; 0.66% on assets from $2 billion to $3 billion; 0.61% on assets from $3 billion to $7 billion; 0.585% on assets from $7 billion to $9 billion; and 0.575% on assets over $9 billion. New York Life Investment Management LLC ("New York Life Investment Management") has contractually agreed to waive a portion of its management fee for the Fund so that the management fee does not exceed 0.550% on assets from $11 billion to $13 billion; and 0.525% on assets over $13 billion. This agreement will remain in effect until February 28, 2027, and shall renew automatically for one-year terms unless New York Life Investment Management provides written notice of termination prior to the start of the next term or upon approval of the Board of Trustees of the Fund.

The chart shows the performance for each investment option for the time periods shown.