

# **Equitable Life Bissett Core Plus Bond Fund Select**

## The Equitable Life Insurance Company of Canada - Pivotal Select Fund Facts

December 31, 2022

#### **Quick facts**

Date of Inception: August 2022 Asset Class: Canadian Fixed Income \$3,090,161 Management Expense Ratio (MER): Total Value: 1.97% Net Asset Value per Unit: \$9.88 Portfolio Manager: Franklin Templeton Investments Corp. Number of Units Outstanding: 312,674 Portfolio Turnover Rate: 0.73% Minimum Investment: \$50.00

Product Availability: Investment Class

#### What does this fund invest in?

The objective of the segregated fund is to invest in units of the Franklin Bissett Core Plus Bond Fund or a substantially similar fund.

The underlying fund objective is to achieve high current income and some long-term capital appreciation by investing primarily in Canadian federal and provincial government, and corporate bonds, debentures and short-term notes.

#### Top 10 Investments

- 1. Canada Housing Trust No 1 3.55% 15-Sep-2032
- 2. Ontario Province 2.65% 02-Dec-2050
- 3. Cash and Equivalents
- 4. Ontario Province 3.45% 02-Jun-2045
- 5. Canada Government 2.00% 01-Dec-2051
- 6. Alberta Province 3.90% 01-Dec-2033
- 7. Canada Housing Trust No 1 1.10% 15-Dec-2026
- 8. United States Treasury 3.13% 31-Aug-2027
- 9. United States Treasury 2.25% 15-Feb-2052
- 10. United States Treasury 2.75% 15-Aug-2032

#### Total Investments: 541 securities

The top 10 investments make up 19.62% of the fund.

### How risky is it?

The value of your investments can go down.

Low	Low to Medium	Medium	Medium to High	High
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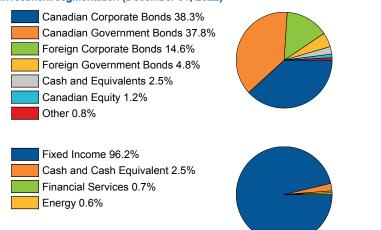
Key investment risks: Credit Risk, Interest Rate Risk, Underlying Fund Risk

Note: There may be other applicable risks. See the Contract and Information Folder for a description of investment risks.

## Are there any guarantees?

This segregated fund is being offered under an insurance contract. It comes with guarantees that may protect your investment if the markets go down. The MER includes the insurance cost for the Investment Class. Where applicable, an additional fee is charged to the contract for the Estate Class and the Protection Class. For details, please refer to the contract and information folder.





## How has the fund performed?

This section tells you how the fund has performed over the past 10 years for a contractholder who chooses the Investment Class. Returns are after the MER has been deducted.

It's important to note that this doesn't tell you how the fund will perform in the future. Also, your actual return will depend on the guarantee class you choose and on your personal tax situation.

### Average return

The average return for the fund cannot be shown because the fund has been offered less than one year.

## Year-by-year returns

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### Who is this fund for?

This fund may be appropriate for investors who are:

- · Seeking a fixed-income fund, with exposure to both Canadian and foreign securities, that pursues interest income and some capital gains
- · Willing to accept a low level of risk
- · Planning to hold your investment for the medium term

#### How much does it cost?

The following tables show the fees and expenses you could pay to buy, own and sell units of the fund.

Sales Charge Option	What You Pay	How It Works
No Load	There is no charge when you surrender.	<ul> <li>When you buy the fund there is no initial charge, Equitable Life pays your advisor no initial commission.</li> </ul>
No Load CB	There is no charge when you surrender.	<ul> <li>When you buy the fund there is no initial charge, Equitable Life pays your advisor an initial commission of up to 5.6%. Your advisor may have to return a portion or all of their initial commission when you withdraw units of the fund.</li> </ul>

### Ongoing fund expenses

The MER includes the management fee and operating expenses of the fund. It also includes the insurance cost for the Investment Class. You don't pay these expenses directly but they will reduce the return on your investment. An additional cost applies to the Estate Class and the Protection Class and is paid out of the contract each month. For details about how the guarantees work, please refer to the contract and information folder.

### **Trailing commission**

Equitable Life pays your advisor a trailing commission of up to 1.0% for as long as you own the fund. It is for the services and advice your advisor provides to you. The trailing commission is paid out of the management fee. You don't pay these expenses directly.

	<u>Guarant</u> Maturity	<u>Guarantees</u> Maturity Death		<u>Management</u> <u>Fee</u>	Insurance Fee	MER				
Investment Class	75%	75%	-	1.73%	0.08%	1.98%				
Other fees	What you pay	What you pay								
Short Term Trading	2% of the value of units	2% of the value of units you sell or switch within 90 days of buying them.								
Unscheduled Withdrawals	\$25 may be charged in	\$25 may be charged in accordance with the administrative rules in effect.								
Switches	\$25 may be charged for	\$25 may be charged for each switch in excess of 4 per year.								

# What if I change my mind?

- You can change your mind about purchasing the contract or any instruction you give, within two business days of the earlier of: the date you received confirmation or five business days after it is mailed.
- You must tell us in writing, by email, fax or letter, that you want to cancel.
- The amount returned will be the lesser of the amount you invested or the value of the fund if it has gone down.
- The amount returned will include a refund of any sales charges or other fees you paid.

### For more information

This summary may not contain all the information you need. Please read the insurance contract and the Information Folder.

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