

**Vermont Single Deposit Investment Account 940040** 

As Of: December 31, 2022

Report contains information up through the last business day of end period.







## **Plan Demographics Summary**

	1/1/2021- 12/31/2021	1/1/2022- 12/31/2022
Total Participants*	840	798
Active Participants	28	10
Terminated Participants	812	788
Average Participant Balance	\$34,755	\$33,385
Average Account Balance for Active Participants	\$29,753	\$45,492
Median Participant Balance	\$21,702	\$20,462
Median Participant Balance for Active Participants	\$13,571	\$23,824
Participants Age 50 and Over	839	797
Total Assets for Participants Age 50 and Over	\$29,175,467	\$26,622,165
Total Distributions	(\$3,184,551)	(\$3,109,183)
Percentage of Assets Distributed	10.9%	11.7%
Market Value Gain / Loss****	\$585,780	\$555,765
Total Participant Balances	\$29,194,293	\$26,640,874

<sup>\*</sup>Participant(s) with an account balance greater than \$0.

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>This is not the equivalent of a plan level return on investment due to the timing of additions, distributions and underlying investment performance.

#### **Plan Features**

Stable Value	12/31/2021	12/31/2022
Participation Rate in Stable Value	100.0%	100.0%
% of Plan Assets in Stable Value	100.0%	100.0%
Book of Business % of Plan Assets in Stable Value - As of 12/31/2021	18	4%

eDelivery	12/31/2021	12/31/2022
# of Participants Enrolled in eDelivery	169	167
# of Participants Affirmatively Elected eDelivery	168	166
# of Participants Defaulted into eDelivery	1	1
% of Participants in eDelivery	20.1%	20.9%
Book of Business % of Participants in eDelivery - As of 12/31/2021	49.0	6%

### **Participant Activity**

Call Center	1/1/2021 - 12/31/2021	1/1/2022 - 12/31/2022
Total Call Volume	461	393

### **Transaction Summary**

Transactions	1/1/2021 - 12/31/2021	1/1/2022 - 12/31/2022
Distributions	1,231	1,154

eDelivery by Document Type	12/31/2021	12/31/2022
Statements	157	157
Confirms	165	163
Tax Forms	153	151
Plan Related Documents	161	161

### **Asset Allocation/Net Activity By Age**

January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022

	35-44	55-64	65+	Total
Total Participant Balances	\$18,709	\$85,426	\$26,536,739	\$26,640,874
% Assets	0.1%	0.3%	99.6%	100.0%
Cash Distributions	(\$490)	\$0	(\$2,497,426)	(\$2,497,916)
Rollovers Out	\$0	\$0	(\$611,267)	(\$611,267)
Total (Cash Distributions + Rollovers Out)	(\$490)	\$0	(\$3,108,693)	(\$3,109,183)
Net Activity	(\$490)	\$0	(\$3,108,693)	(\$3,109,183)
Total Participants	1	15	782	798
Average Account Balance	\$18,709	\$5,695	\$33,934	\$33,385
Book of Business Avg. Account Balance as of 12/31/2021	\$54,743	\$149,490	\$150,044	\$87,819
Median Account Balance	\$18,709	\$1,256	\$20,920	\$20,462
Book of Business Median Account Balance as of 12/31/2021	\$36,092	\$91,013	\$123,138	\$80,722





#### **Participant Distribution Statistics**

Amount of Withdrawals Taken

# of Withdrawals

	1/1/2021 -	1/1/2022 -			1/1/2021 -	1/1/2022 -		
Distribution Type	12/31/2021	12/31/2022	Change	% Change	12/31/2021	12/31/2022	Change	% Change
Required Minimum Distribution	\$1,203,281	\$1,035,869	(\$167,412)	(14%)	521	480	(41)	(8%)
Termination	\$864,943	\$927,173	\$62,230	7%	204	174	(30)	(15%)
Death Distribution	\$824,953	\$916,647	\$91,693	11%	128	149	21	16%
Installment Payment	\$294,931	\$248,068	(\$46,862)	(16%)	376	338	(38)	(10%)
Gross Adjustment	\$0	\$16	\$16	N/A	0	1	1	N/A
In-Service Withdrawal	(\$3,557)	(\$18,589)	(\$15,032)	423%	2	12	10	500%
Grand Total	\$3,184,551	\$3,109,183	(\$75,368)	(2%)	1,231	1,154	(77)	(6%)

1/1/2022 - 12/31/2022						
	Amou	Amount of Withdrawals Taken			# of Withdrawals	
Distribution Sub-Type	Age < 50	Age < 50 Age >= 50 Total			Age >= 50	Total
Rollover	\$0	\$611,267	\$611,267	0	16	16
Cash	\$490	\$2,497,426	\$2,497,916	1	1,137	1,138
Grand Total	\$490	\$3,108,693	\$3,109,183	1	1,153	1,154

Required Minimum Distribution - Minimum amounts that a participant must withdraw annually upon reaching a certain age or retirement. This would exclude any beneficiary or QDRO accounts.

Termination - A withdrawal that is taken when the participant is active and terminating from employment or is already in a 'Terminated' status.

Death Distribution - Distribution taken by a beneficiary. This could include required minimum distributions, installment payments, etc.

Installment Payment - An Installment distribution is a payment option that disburses funds over time (i.e. monthly, quarterly, yearly).

Gross Adjustment - The total of all adjustments made to an account or plan in absolute terms, regardless of whether or not the adjustments were positive or negative.

In-Service Withdrawal - A distribution that is taken while the participant is still active, before termination from employment.

**Participant Transaction Statistics** 

	1/1/2022 - 3/31/2022	4/1/2022 <b>-</b> 6/30/2022	7/1/2022 <b>-</b> 9/30/2022	10/1/2022 <b>-</b> 12/31/2022
Call Center				
Unique Callers	54	54	56	54
Total Call Volume	97	105	90	101
Participant Website				
Registered Participants	296	290	286	285
Unique Web Logins	169	108	100	97
Total Web Logins	897	661	434	480

Call Center Reason Category	1/1/2022 - 3/31/2022	4/1/2022 - 6/30/2022	7/1/2022 - 9/30/2022	10/1/2022 <b>-</b> 12/31/2022
Account Explanations	41	39	29	34
Allocation Changes & Exchange	0	0	0	0
Contributions	1	0	0	0
Disbursements	38	51	51	56
Enrollments	0	0	0	0
Forms	1	0	0	2
Fund Information	0	0	1	0
Hardships	0	0	0	0
IFX	0	0	0	0
IVR or Web Assistance	1	4	2	0
Loans	0	0	0	0
Other	2	3	1	5
Payment Questions	0	0	0	0
Plan Explanations	0	2	0	1
Regen Reg Letter	0	0	0	0
Status of Research	1	5	1	2
Tax Information	11	1	2	1
Website Processing	1	0	3	0
Total	97	105	90	101

#### Definitions:

**Unique Callers** – The number of individuals that spoke to a Participant Service Center Representative during the reporting period (e.g., If the same individual called five times during the reporting period, they would only be counted once).

Total Call Volume – The number of calls to a Participant Service Center Representative during the reporting period (e.g., If the same individual called five times during the reporting period, they would be counted five times).

Registered Participants - The total number of individuals that established an account as of the reporting end date, for which they can access their retirement plan via the Participant Website.

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