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Brighthouse Financial Variable Annuity

Quarterly Statement Guide



Use the following information to better understand the Brighthouse Financial Variable Annuity quarterly statement.

- 1 **Beginning Account Value**
The dollar amount of the account at the beginning of the statement period.
- 2 **Ending Account Value**
The dollar amount of the account at the end of the statement period.
- 3 **Cash Surrender Value**
The amount to be received if the contract is fully surrendered as of the end of the statement date. This is the account value reduced by any applicable withdrawal charges and any applicable prorated portion of the rider charge.
- 4 **Your Personal Rate of Return**
A measure of the percentage change in the ending account value, relative to the purchase payment. Your Personal Rate of Return is calculated as the ending account value plus total withdrawals since issue (including any applicable withdrawal charges and excluding the effect of taxes) less the purchase payment, divided by the purchase payment.
- 5 **Benefits Overview¹**
This section shows benefits and other details provided by your rider(s), if elected. The terminology and values reflected here may vary depending on the rider(s) elected on your contract. Note: Rider availability may vary by product and state.
- 6 **Withdrawal Rate²**
This rate is based on the covered person’s age at the time of the first withdrawal, the contract year from the issue date, and whether Single or Joint Life Income is elected.³ The withdrawal rate will no longer show once the contract owner has begun taking income.
- 7 **Annual Benefit Payment (ABP)**
The maximum amount that may be withdrawn in a contract year without reducing the Benefit Base.⁴ Once the covered person(s) begin taking Annual Benefit Payments, an additional field will populate on the annual statement: Remaining ABP. Each time a withdrawal is made in a contract year, the amount available for income decreases by the amount withdrawn, and the remaining amount is referred to as the Remaining Annual Benefit Payment.

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Contract Information

Owner: Johnny Applesseed

Annuitant: John Doe

Contract Number: XXXXXXXX

Issue Date: 01/14/2020

Maturity Date: 08/01/2050

Financial Professional:

Firm: JOHN SMITH Financial LLC

Your Quarterly Statement:

10/01/2024 - 12/31/2024

Brighthouse Variable Annuity Series VA

408 Traditional IRA

Contract Summary

Statement Period: 10/01/2024 - 12/31/2024

1 Beginning Account Value

\$23,058.99

2 Ending Account Value

\$24,397.20

3 Cash Surrender Value ^(a)

\$23,574.11

Since Issue: 01/14/2020 - 12/31/2024

Purchase Payments

\$20,229.45

Total Withdrawals ^(b)

(\$419.05)

4 Your Personal Rate of Return ^(c)

20.60%

Benefits Overview

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Your Annual Benefit Payment (ABP) shown is what you could receive if you begin taking income at the Age shown below (based on single life rates).

Age

63

68

73

6 Withdrawal Rate^(d)

5.00%

6.00%

6.00%

7 ABP ^(e)

\$1,219.86

\$1,868.26

\$1,961.67

Projected Benefit Base^(f)

\$24,397.20

\$31,137.69

\$32,694.58

8 Current Benefit Base as of 12/31/2024

\$24,397.20

Rollup Rate ^(g)

5.00%

Rider Fee ^(h)

1.350%

Automatic Step-Up

Yes

Next Automatic Step-Up Date⁽ⁱ⁾

01/14/2025

Guaranteed Principal Adjustment Eligibility Date

01/14/2030

Death Benefit Feature(s)

9 Death Benefit Value^(j)

\$24,397.20

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8 **Benefit Base as of the Statement Date**
This is used to determine the Annual Benefit Payment amount. The Benefit Base, which initially equals the purchase payment, cannot go down because of market losses, but it can grow.⁵

9 **Death Benefit Value⁶**
The amount, as of the statement date, the beneficiary(ies) would receive if the owner were to pass away prior to annuitizing the contract.

1 Asset Class Allocations

This section of the quarterly statement shows how the account value is allocated by asset class as of the statement date.

2 Fund Performance Summary

This section provides a summary for each investment option, reflecting activity that affected your account value over the statement period.

3 Opening Value

The value of each fund allocation at the beginning of the statement period.

4 Net Transactions

Reflects deductions for total withdrawals and fees and charges, additions for subsequent purchase payments, and the net effect of any fund transfers.

5 Net Gain/Loss

This captures any growth or negative return due to fund performance during the statement period.

6 Ending Value

The value of each fund allocation at the end of the statement period.

1 Asset Class Allocations

Asset Class Allocation Percentage* as of 12/31/2024.

| |
|---|
| Domestic Equity (Large Cap) - 36.57% |
| Fixed Income - 28.10% |
| Domestic Equity (Mid Cap) - 15.23% |
| Domestic Equity (Small Cap) - 10.42% |
| Risk Managed Global Multi-Asset - 9.68% |



*Percentages may not equal 100% as they are rounded.

2 Fund Performance Summary

| Fund Name (# of Units // Allocation %)** | 3 Opening Value | 4 Net Transactions ^{***} | 5 Net Gain/(Loss) | 6 Ending Value |
|---|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Domestic Equity (Large Cap) | | | | |
| Jennison Growth Portfolio 72.9949 Units // 20.91% | \$4,654.02 | (\$0.00) | \$695.38 | \$5,349.40 |
| Loomis Sayles Growth Portfolio 109.4415 Units // 15.66% | \$3,487.87 | (\$0.00) | \$464.96 | \$3,952.83 |
| Fixed Income | | | | |
| BlackRock High Yield Portfolio 63.2475 Units // 9.49% | \$2,265.74 | (\$419.05) | \$39.94 | \$1,886.63 |
| MetLife Aggregate Bond Index Portfolio 141.1286 Units // 9.23% | \$2,262.95 | (\$0.00) | (\$34.47) | \$2,228.48 |
| Western Asset Management Strategic Bond Opportunities Portfolio 67.1638 Units // 9.38% | \$2,289.38 | (\$0.00) | \$9.51 | \$2,298.89 |
| Domestic Equity (Mid Cap) | | | | |
| T. Rowe Price Mid Cap Growth Portfolio (Class B) 93.8881 Units // 15.23% | \$3,485.03 | (\$0.00) | \$290.90 | \$3,775.93 |
| Domestic Equity (Small Cap) | | | | |
| Invesco Small Cap Growth Portfolio 51.4602 Units // 10.42% | \$2,344.62 | (\$0.00) | \$242.47 | \$2,587.09 |
| Risk Managed Global Multi-Asset | | | | |
| PanAgora Global Diversified Risk Portfolio 2,049.4852 Units // 9.68% | \$2,269.38 | (\$0.00) | \$48.57 | \$2,317.95 |
| Totals | \$23,058.99 | (\$419.05) | \$1,757.26 | \$24,397.20 |

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Contract Number: XXXXXXXXX

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1 Quarterly Financial Transaction Summary

This section provides information about transactions that occurred during the statement period.

1 Quarterly Financial Transaction Summary

| Transaction Date | Transaction Description | Unit(s) this Transaction | Unit Value | Transaction Amount |
|------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|------------|--------------------|
| 11/08/2024 | Partial Withdrawal | | | \$419.05 |
| | BlackRock High Yield Portfolio | 11.6427 | 35.992611 | \$419.05 |

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Contact your financial professional or visit brighthousefinancial.com for more resources on how Brighthouse Financial Variable Annuities work.

- ¹ If you have not begun taking income, the Annual Benefit Payment and Projected Benefit Base values shown are for illustrative purposes only and may not reflect actual values when you begin taking income. Review your contract and prospectus for further details.
- ² The withdrawal rate shown is based on the contract owner's age at the time the contract owner begins taking income. The values are based on the Single Life Income option and assume no withdrawals have been taken between the statement date and the time of the projected values.
- ³ If the account value reduces to zero due to a non-excess withdrawal, or if there are insufficient funds to deduct the rider charge, lifetime income payments will be calculated using the applicable lifetime guarantee rate. If the account value is reduced to zero due to early or excess withdrawals, lifetime income payments will not be received.
- ⁴ The Benefit Base is also referred to as the GLWB Base.
- ⁵ The Benefit Base may be reduced by early or excess withdrawals. The Benefit Base cannot be withdrawn in a lump sum or paid as a death benefit and is not an amount guaranteed to be returned if the contract owner surrenders the contract. See the prospectus for more details.
- ⁶ The death benefit value is determined as of the end of the business day on which we receive both proof of death and the necessary documentation in good order. See the prospectus for more details.

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