

## Investment Options

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	Fund Inception	Life of Fund	YTD	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Subaccount Inception *	Since Inception *	Calendar Year 2023	2022
<b>AuguStar<sup>SM</sup> Variable Insurance Products Fund, Inc</b>											
AVIP AB Mid Cap Core Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	01/02/97	7.84%	2.13%	15.41%	-1.49%	6.35%	8.04%	01/03/97	7.84%	16.18%	-23.88%
AVIP AB Small Cap Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	01/02/97	6.74%	-1.05%	10.52%	-5.85%	3.68%	7.53%	01/03/97	6.74%	16.35%	-29.26%
AVIP BlackRock Advantage International Equity Port <sup>S</sup>	05/03/93	3.88%	1.90%	8.03%	2.82%	5.50%	3.19%	04/30/93	3.88%	18.06%	-14.12%
AVIP BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Core Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	05/01/02	8.05%	6.79%	23.07%	6.83%	11.30%	10.66%	05/01/02	8.05%	24.91%	-20.16%
AVIP BlackRock Balanced Allocation Portfolio <sup>#,S</sup>	09/10/84	6.89%	4.10%	16.60%	3.87%	8.22%	8.19%	03/20/87	6.16%	20.23%	-19.02%
AVIP Bond Portfolio <sup>#,A</sup>	11/02/82	4.87%	-2.61%	0.36%	-3.64%	0.11%	1.40%	03/20/87	4.17%	7.50%	-15.82%
AVIP Fidelity Institutional AM <sup>®</sup> Equity Growth <sup>S</sup>	03/31/95	5.97%	10.39%	33.96%	3.17%	12.43%	14.05%	03/31/95	5.97%	38.35%	-34.41%
AVIP S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> Index Portfolio (Geode) <sup>S,4</sup>	01/02/97	8.09%	5.63%	21.17%	6.83%	11.92%	11.12%	01/03/97	8.09%	24.79%	-19.03%
<b>Fidelity<sup>®</sup> Variable Insurance Products</b>											
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> VIP Government Money Market Portfolio <sup>#,7</sup> (7- Day Current Yield was 4.34%)	07/07/00	0.89%	1.45%	4.33%	1.85%	1.10%	0.47%	02/29/16	0.74%	4.02%	0.61%

*Performance data quoted represents past performance. Past performance does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than performance data quoted. For the most current month-end performance data, please call 800.366.6654 Option 3 or your registered representative. Both the return and the principal value of the underlying portfolios will fluctuate and the portfolios may be worth more or less than their original values when redeemed.*

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<b>AuguStar<sup>SM</sup> Variable Insurance Products Fund, Inc</b>								
AVIP AB Mid Cap Core Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	01/02/97	8.13%	21.98%	2.19%	8.77%	8.45%	01/03/97	8.13%
AVIP AB Small Cap Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	01/02/97	7.03%	16.10%	-2.55%	5.77%	7.87%	01/03/97	7.03%
AVIP BlackRock Advantage International Equity Port <sup>S</sup>	05/03/93	4.00%	14.89%	5.07%	6.80%	3.56%	04/30/93	4.00%
AVIP BlackRock Advantage Large Cap Core Portfolio <sup>S</sup>	05/01/02	8.29%	29.77%	10.25%	13.09%	10.98%	05/01/02	8.29%
AVIP BlackRock Balanced Allocation Portfolio <sup>#,S</sup>	09/10/84	7.01%	22.36%	6.66%	9.67%	8.50%	03/20/87	6.29%
AVIP Bond Portfolio <sup>#,A</sup>	11/02/82	4.94%	3.35%	-2.59%	0.64%	1.71%	03/20/87	4.24%
AVIP Fidelity Institutional AM <sup>®</sup> Equity Growth <sup>S</sup>	03/31/95	6.16%	41.47%	7.44%	14.42%	14.15%	03/31/95	6.16%
AVIP S&P 500 <sup>®</sup> Index Portfolio (Geode) <sup>S,4</sup>	01/02/97	8.29%	28.35%	10.22%	13.76%	11.67%	01/03/97	8.29%
<b>Fidelity<sup>®</sup> Variable Insurance Products</b>								
Fidelity <sup>®</sup> VIP Government Money Market Portfolio <sup>#,7</sup> (7- Day Current Yield was 4.34%)	07/07/00	0.88%	4.23%	1.70%	1.05%	0.42%	02/29/16	0.70%

\*Subaccount Inception is the date the portfolio became part of Variable Account R. Since Inception is the annualized return since that date, however, subaccount returns of 12 months or less are not annualized. Subaccount Inception dates may not correlate to the date the product was introduced.

Total return represents percentage change in net assets of variable accounts, based on the performance of the underlying portfolios and the charges that would have been made during the periods shown (if this policy has been available and not surrendered). It reflects the deduction of a Mortality and Expense Risk and Administrative Expense of 0.75% and the underlying portfolios. It does not reflect any contract fees and expenses which include, premium loads, cost of insurance, administrative fees, surrender charges or any other charges that may be incurred under the contract. If these fees and expenses had been deducted, performance would have been significantly lower. Some fees such as cost of insurance will vary according to the insured's age, sex, smoking status, face amount and any applicable substandard rating. A personalized illustration is available from your registered representative.

Variable products are sold by prospectuses, which contain more complete information, including fees, surrender charges (contingent deferred sales charges) and other costs that may apply.

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Both the return and the principal value of the underlying portfolios will fluctuate, and the portfolios may be worth more or less than their original values when redeemed. If the performance of the portfolio options is less than anticipated, the death benefit may be reduced, the policy may lapse and/or the policyholder may be required to pay premium above the planned premium to keep the policy in force. If tax-free loans are taken and the policy lapses, a taxable event may occur. Loans and withdrawals from life insurance policies that are classified as modified endowment contracts may be subject to tax at the time that the loan or withdrawal is made and, if taken prior to age 59½, a 10% federal tax penalty may apply. Withdrawals and loans reduce the death benefit and cash surrender value.

Guarantees are based upon the claims-paying ability of the issuer. Guarantees do not apply to the investment performance or account value of the underlying variable portfolios. As with any investment, investing in variable portfolios involves risk, including possible loss of principal.

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Some portfolios contain different investments than similarly named retail mutual funds offered by the portfolio manager. Investment results may be higher or lower.

# This underlying portfolio began operations prior to becoming part of the Variable Account R (VAR). Performance data includes the period from the portfolio's inception date through the date it became part of VAR. The performance data was derived by reducing the portfolio's actual performance during the period by the contract charges that would have been imposed had the portfolio been available during the period.

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1 Performance numbers include data from a prior share class.

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