



NVIT Managed American Funds Asset Allocation Fund

Nationwide VIT

Fact sheet

Q4 2018
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Objective: Seek to provide a high total return consistent with preservation of capital over the long term

Class II

Asset class: Allocation
Morningstar category: Allocation—50% to 70% Equity

Active management:
Invests directly in the American Funds Asset Allocation Fund

Focus on volatility management:
Includes a dynamic overlay that seeks to mitigate risk in volatile markets

Flexibility matters:
Targets a 70% equity and 30% fixed core portfolio allocation with the flexibility to shift between 0%-80% equity exposure

Top Holdings

	% of portfolio
American Funds IS Asset Allocation	100.0

Holdings are provided for informational purposes and should not be deemed as a recommendation to buy or sell the securities.

Average Annual Total Returns (%)

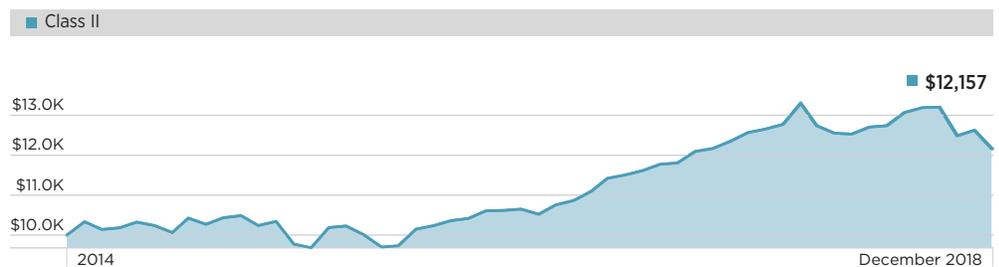
Share class	QTD	YTD	1-year	3-year	5-year	Since inception
Class II	-7.94	-4.82	-4.82	6.69	—	3.99
S&P 500 Index	-13.52	-4.38	-4.38	9.26	8.49	—
Blended Benchmark	-7.46	-2.26	-2.26	6.52	6.22	—
Category	-8.40	-5.30	-5.30	4.86	3.95	—

Performance returns assume the reinvestment of all distributions. Returns for periods less than one year are not annualized. Total returns reflect a contractual expense limitation for direct annual Fund expenses for all classes for certain periods since inception, without which returns would have been lower. Performance numbers do not reflect and would be reduced by the insurance-related fees and charges of the variable product. Please consult the variable product prospectus for information about these fees and charges.

Share class	Expense ratios		Inception date
	Gross (%)	Net (%)	
Class II	0.97	0.97	07/08/2014

The expense ratios are as shown in the most recent prospectus. Expenses include underlying fund expenses. "Management Fees" reflect the reduction of investment advisory fees, effective May 1, 2018. Please see the Fund's prospectus for more details.

Growth of \$10k (08/01/14-12/31/18)



The results shown represent past performance; past performance does not guarantee future results. Current performance may be lower or higher than the past performance shown. Share price, principal value, and return will vary, and you may have a gain or a loss when you sell your shares. For the most recent standardized performance, visit <https://www.nationwide.com/variable-annuity-prospectus-and-performance.jsp> or <https://www.nationwide.com/variable-life-products.jsp>. Data shown in the Growth of \$10k chart is based on share class inception.

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Overall Morningstar Ratings™



Out of 697 investments. An investment's overall Morningstar Rating, based on Class II risk-adjusted return, is a weighted average of its applicable 3-year Ratings. See disclosures below.

Portfolio Characteristics

Total Net Assets (all classes)	\$1.7B
Total Number of holdings	1
Sharpe Ratio	0.8
Standard deviation	7.2
Alpha	0.4
Beta	0.6
R-Squared	89.0

Portfolio characteristics are based on Class II shares. This underlying fund is considered a "feeder" fund. The core portfolio is accompanied by a Volatility Overlay. See disclosure below for more information.

Calendar Year Returns (%)



Portfolio Management

Nationwide Fund Advisors

Christopher C. Graham, Fund tenure since 2016

Keith P. Robinette, CFA, Fund tenure since 2017

Andrew Urban, CFA, Fund tenure since 2017

Nationwide Asset Management, LLC - Subadviser

Frederick N. Gwin, Fund tenure since 2014

Chad W. Finebrock, CFA, Fund tenure since 2014



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DEFINITIONS: **Average annual total returns** are the annual compounded returns that would have produced the cumulative total return if fund performance had been constant during the given period. **Sharpe ratio** measures excess return per unit of risk (standard deviation). A higher Sharpe ratio suggests better risk-adjusted performance. **Standard deviation** measures performance fluctuation, may not be indicative of future risk and is not a predictor of returns. **Alpha** represents the excess returns of a fund relative to its benchmark. A positive alpha is the added value an active manager has contributed over the benchmark returns. **Beta** measures volatility in relation to the fund's benchmark. A beta of less than 1.0 indicates lower volatility, while a beta of more than 1.0 indicates higher volatility relative to the benchmark. **R-Squared** measures the percentage of a fund's movements that can be explained by movements in a benchmark.

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