

# Index caps, index spreads and participation rates as of Aug. 26, 2022

For **Symetra Accumulator Ascent IUL** Indexed Universal Life Insurance

Allocations to the index strategies will be credited with interest based on the performance of the selected indexes, subject to their index cap, index spread, index floor and participation rate. The index cap sets limits on the maximum potential interest earned over the index segment term while the participation rate establishes how much of the indexes' performance you will be credited (if any). The index spread sets a minimum performance threshold above which the index must perform and credits the interest (if any) above the threshold. All strategies have an index floor to ensure that, if the selected index has negative index performance during its segment term, your index interest crediting rate will not be less than zero.

## Current index caps, participation rates, and bonus rate Putnam Dynamic Low Volatility Excess Return Index™ (Putnam Index) Strategies

Putnam Index Strategies	Index Segment Term	Current Index Cap	Current Participation Rate	Current Bonus Rate
<b>Putnam Dynamic Low Volatility Excess Return Index Point-to-Point Strategies:</b>				
Putnam Dynamic Low Volatility Excess Return Index with Bonus	1-year	No cap	140.00%	0.75%
Putnam Dynamic Low Volatility Excess Return Index with High Participation Rate	1-year	No cap	180.00%	No bonus

All indexes currently have an index floor of 0%.

Current index caps, participation rates, index floors, and bonus rate are subject to change without notice.

The terms “bonus rate” and “additional index credit rate” are used interchangeably in Symetra Accumulator Ascent IUL marketing pieces.

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## Symetra Allocation Index (AI) Strategies

Symetra AI Strategies	Index Segment Term	Current Index Spread	Current Index Cap	Current Participation Rate
<b>AI Point-to-Point Strategies:</b>				
S&P 500® Index	1-year	5.0%	No cap	100.00%
JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index		No spread	No cap	130.00%
S&P 500® Index	2-year	3.0%	No cap	100.00%
JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index		No spread	No cap	180.00%

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Symetra AI Strategies utilize the Chicago Board Options Exchange Volatility Index (VIX®) to determine how your funds will be allocated. Two business days prior to the next monthly allocation date, if the VIX value is below 16, your funds will be allocated to the uncapped S&P 500® Index account; if the VIX is 16 or above, your funds will be allocated to the uncapped JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index account. Once your funds have been allocated to either the 1-year or 2-year uncapped S&P 500® Index account or uncapped JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index account it will remain in that index until the segment matures and a new segment is created.

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### Core Index Strategies

Core Index Strategies	Index Segment Term	Current Index Cap	Current Participation Rate
<b>Core Point-to-Point Strategies:</b>			
S&P 500® Index	1-year	10.00%	100.00%
JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index	1-year	No cap	140.00%
<b>Blended S&amp;P 500® and JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index:</b>			
S&P 500® Index	2-year	No cap	80.00%
JPMorgan ETF Efficiente® 5 Index		No cap	160.00%

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**Contact your insurance professional for additional information.**

## Important information

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The initial index cap, index spread, index floor and index participation rate are established on the allocation date. An index segment represents the portion of the index account that credits interest based on a change in the indexes applicable to that index segment. The index caps, spreads, floors and participation rates after the initial index term may be higher or lower than the initial, but will never be less than the guaranteed minimum shown in the policy.

The additional index credit rate (bonus rate) is used to determine the additional amount that will be applied to the policy value for allocating money to the Putnam Dynamic Low Volatility Excess Return Index with Bonus index segment. The additional index credit rate will vary upon each allocation (lower or higher), but the additional index credit rate will never be less than the guaranteed minimum additional index credit rate defined in your policy.

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