

Union plans



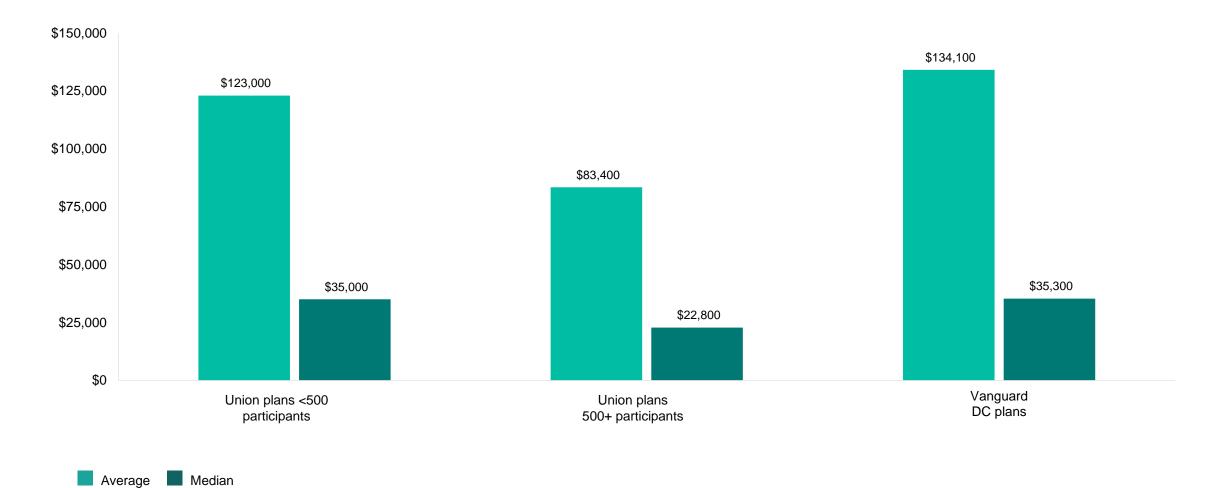
Benchmark population

	Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Number of plans	53	46	1,550
Number of participants	9,610	168,663	4.8 million
Average number of participants	181	3,667	3,100
Median number of participants	156	1,228	610
Amount of assets	\$1.2 billion	\$14.1 billion	\$644.7 billion
Average assets	\$22.3 million	\$305.6 million	\$418.9 million
Median assets	\$11.7 million	\$95.2 million	\$79.5 million

Union plans are defined as those plans designated exclusively for benefit of union participants.

Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

Participant balances

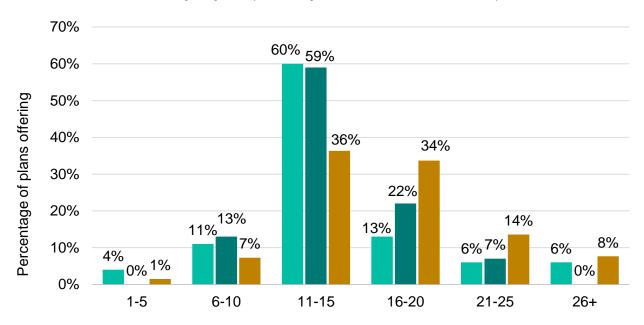


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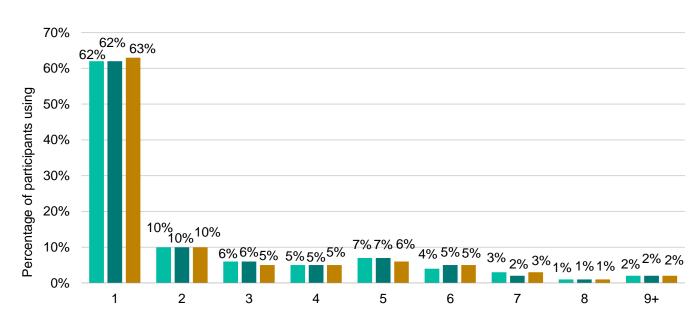
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Number of fund options offered and used

Funds offered per plan (all life-cycle funds counted as one)



Funds used per participant



	Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Average funds offered	15.2	14	17.5
Median funds offered	14	13	16
Average funds used	2.3	2.3	2.3
Median funds used	1	1	1

Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

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Types of investment options offered and used*

	Union pla	Union plans <500 participants		Union plans 500+ participants		Vanguard DC plans	
	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	
Cash	98%	17%	100%	12%	99%	11%	
Money market	58%	6%	65%	4%	71%	6%	
Stable value/GIC	87%	15%	76%	14%	68%	10%	
Bond funds	96%	18%	100%	16%	99%	17%	
Active	64%	10%	74%	5%	80%	7%	
Index	91%	14%	91%	14%	90%	14%	
Inflation-protected securities	17%	4%	11%	3%	35%	3%	
Multisector	4%	2%	4%	2%	7%	2%	
High-yield	8%	6%	11%	2%	18%	4%	
International	21%	8%	15%	1%	19%	5%	
Emerging markets	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	2%	
Balanced funds	100%	79%	100%	90%	99%	86%	
Traditional balanced	51%	17%	70%	15%	63%	13%	
Target-risk	2%	0%	7%	0%	2%	1%	
Target-date	96%	75%	100%	85%	96%	83%	
Company stock	8%	36%	7%	43%	8%	23%	
Self-directed brokerage	8%	3%	7%	0%	21%	1%	

^{*} Among participants offered the option. Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023. Percentages may not total 100% because of rounding.

Types of investment options offered and used* (continued)

	Union plans <500 participants		Union plans 500+ participants		Vanguard DC plans	
	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*
Equity funds	98%	34%	100%	29%	99%	31%
Domestic equity funds	98%	33%	100%	28%	99%	30%
Large-cap index	98%	24%	100%	22%	99%	14%
Large-cap active	87%	18%	93%	14%	89%	26%
Large-cap value	83%	12%	80%	9%	87%	9%
Large-cap growth	92%	15%	91%	11%	90%	13%
Large-cap blend	98%	23%	100%	22%	99%	24%
Mid-cap index	81%	12%	89%	11%	84%	14%
Mid-cap active	42%	12%	33%	4%	52%	7%
Small-cap index	42%	12%	41%	8%	63%	11%
Small-cap active	58%	7%	43%	9%	64%	7%
Socially responsible	8%	3%	11%	7%	17%	5%
International equity funds	92%	18%	96%	17%	97%	19%
Index international	74%	13%	85%	11%	81%	14%
Active international	79%	11%	78%	10%	83%	9%
Emerging markets	19%	8%	17%	3%	35%	9%
Global equity funds	8%	10%	13%	2%	16%	3%

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	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	Percentage of plans offering	Percentage of participants using*	
Sector funds	34%	8%	20%	7%	39%	6%	
REIT	26%	2%	17%	5%	33%	5%	
Health care	8%	12%	2%	28%	8%	6%	
Energy	6%	11%	0%	0%	4%	4%	
Precious metals	2%	3%	0%	0%	2%	2%	
Technology	2%	2%	0%	0%	3%	5%	
Utilities	2%	5%	0%	0%	1%	2%	
Natural resources	0%	0%	2%	11%	1%	4%	
Financials	0%	0%	0%	0%	<0.5%	<0.5%	
Communications	0%	0%	0%	0%	<0.5%	1%	
Consumer	0%	0%	0%	0%	<0.5%	1%	
Industrials	0%	0%	0%	0%	<0.5%	<0.5%	

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Target-date fund availability and use

		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Percentage of plans offering		96%	100%	96%
Plan assets invested*		34%	41%	41%
	<10%	0%	0%	5%
	10%–19%	8%	7%	8%
Deventors of also contat	20%–29%	25%	9%	17%
Percentage of plan assets*	30%–39%	16%	26%	20%
	40%–49%	12%	11%	18%
	50%+	39%	48%	32%
Percentage of participants using*		75%	85%	83%
Percentage of participant assets**		62%	58%	62%
	1%–24%	10%	10%	10%
Percentage of participant assets in	25%–49%	8%	11%	8%
target-date funds**	50%–74%	4%	5%	4%
	75%–99%	4%	6%	6%
	100%	75%	69%	72%
	One target-date fund only	72%	66%	70%
5	One targe-date fund plus other funds	22%	27%	24%
Percentage of participants owning**	Two or more target-date funds only	2%	2%	2%
	Two or more target-date funds plus other funds	3%	5%	4%

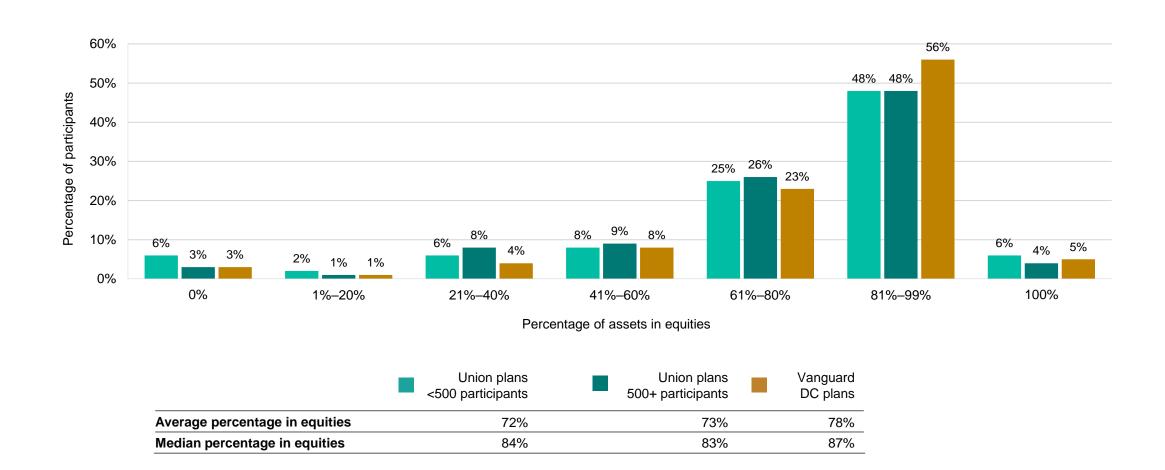
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^{*} Among plans offering target-date options.

^{**} Among participants owning target-date options.

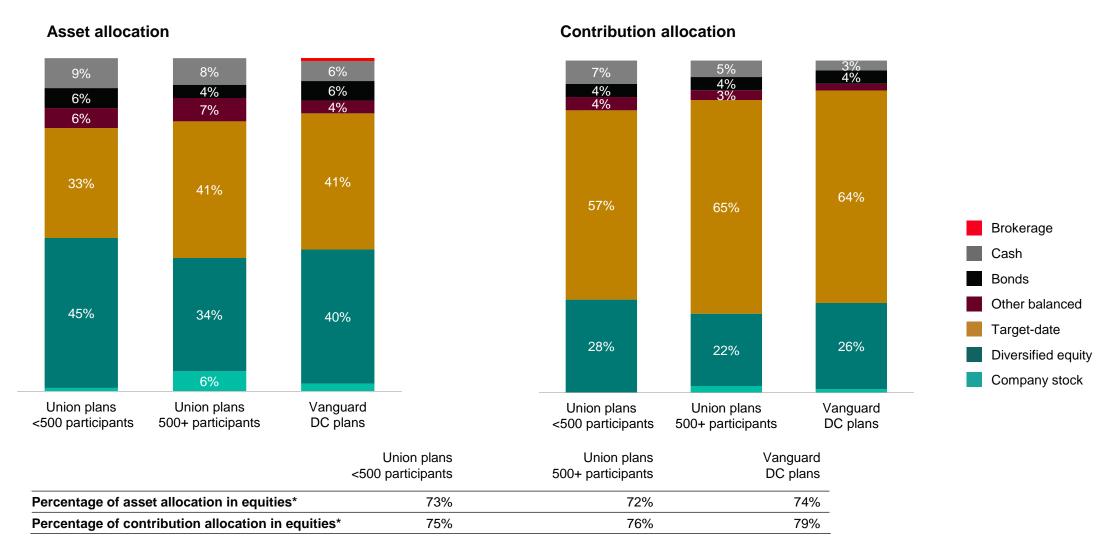
Participant equity exposure



Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

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Asset and contribution allocations



^{*} Equities include company stock, diversified equity, and the equity portion of balanced funds. Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

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Participants with professionally managed allocations

		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
	Single target-date fund	53%	56%	58%
All participants	Single balanced fund	1%	2%	1%
All participants	Managed account program	6%	7%	7%
	Total	60%	65%	66%
	Single target-date fund	89%	87%	86%
New plan entrants during the year	Single balanced fund	1%	0%	1%
	Managed account program	1%	3%	2%
	Total	91%	90%	89%

Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023

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Automatic enrollment options*

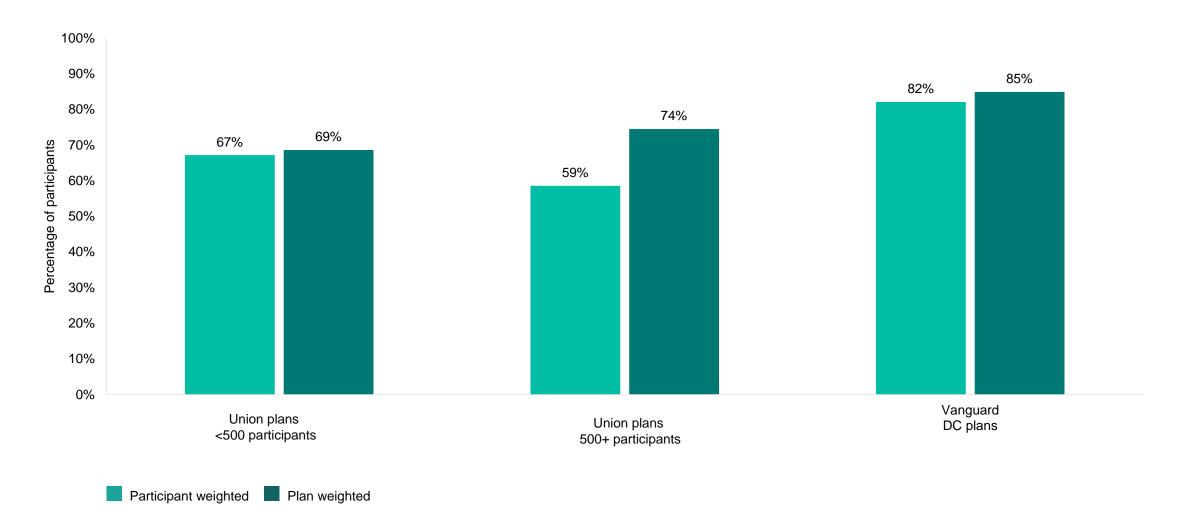
		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Automatic annallment*	Number of plans	18	22	842
Automatic emoninem	Percentage of plans	39%	65%	59%
	1 percent	0%	5%	2%
	2 percent	0%	23%	5%
Default automatic annullment rate	3 percent	33%	27%	33%
Default automatic enforment rate	4 percent	11%	9%	14%
	5 percent	11%	18%	17%
	6 percent or more	44%	18%	29%
	1 percent	67%	68%	67%
Default automatic increase rate	2 percent	0%	0%	2%
Default automatic increase rate	Voluntary election	33%	27%	25%
	Service feature not offered	0%	5%	6%
	<6 percent	8%	7%	2%
efault automatic increase cap	6 to 9 percent	33%	27%	17%
Default automatic increase can	10 to 14 percent	17%	40%	49%
Default automatic increase cap	15 to 19 percent	25%	7%	22%
	20+ percent	17%	13%	6%
	No cap	0%	7%	4%
	Target-date fund	100%	100%	98%
Default fund	Other balanced fund	0%	0%	1%
Default automatic increase rate Default automatic increase cap Default fund	Money market or stable value fund	0%	0%	1%

Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

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^{*} Limited to plans using Vanguard's automatic enrollment service.

Participation rates



Participant deferral rates

	Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Average	8.4%	7.0%	7.4%
Median	7.0%	5.9%	6.2%
<4.0%	18%	33%	24%
4.0%-6.0%	21%	20%	20%
6.1%–9.9%	29%	22%	32%
10.0%–14.9%	19%	17%	17%
15.0%+	13%	8%	7%

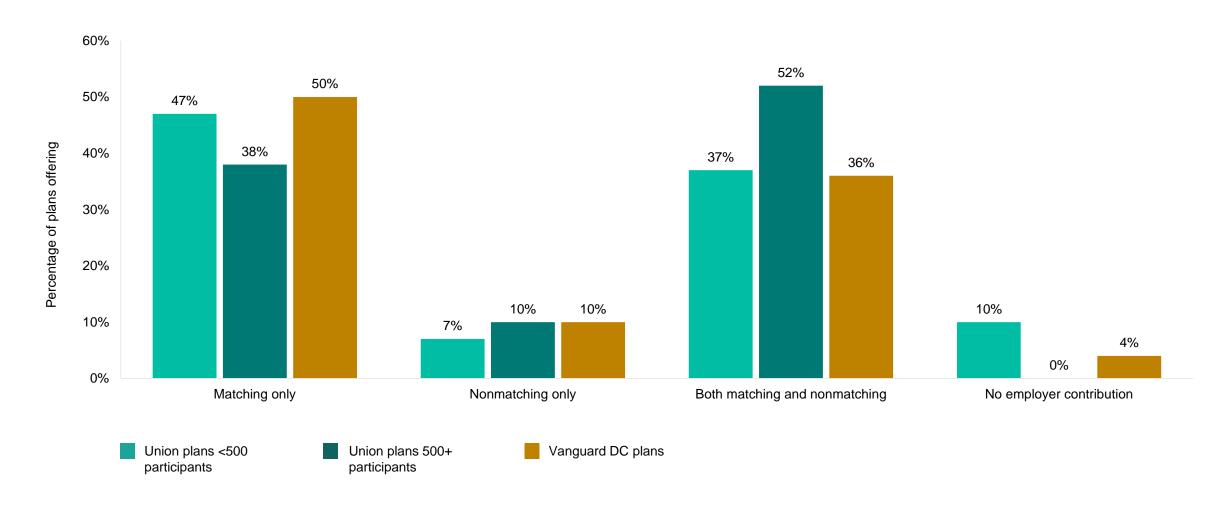
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Aggregate participant and employer contribution rates

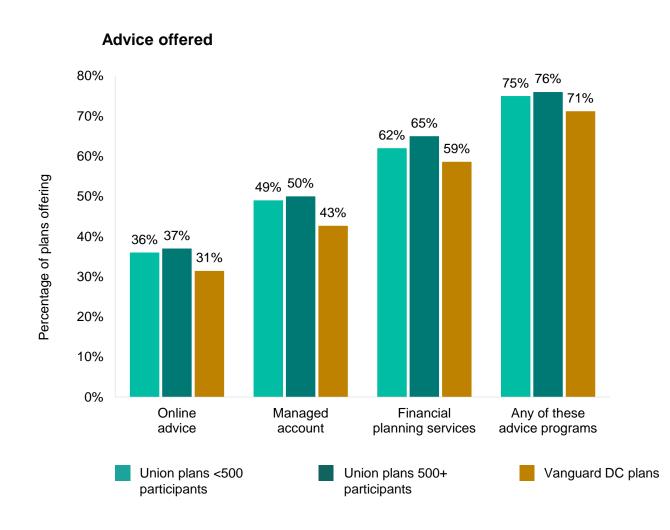
		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Total saving rate	Average	11%	9%	12%
	Median	10%	7%	11%
	<5.0%	19%	32%	14%
	5.0%-8.9%	24%	26%	20%
Distribution of rates	9.0%–11.9%	18%	14%	21%
	12.0%–14.9%	15%	10%	20%
	15.0%+	25%	18%	25%

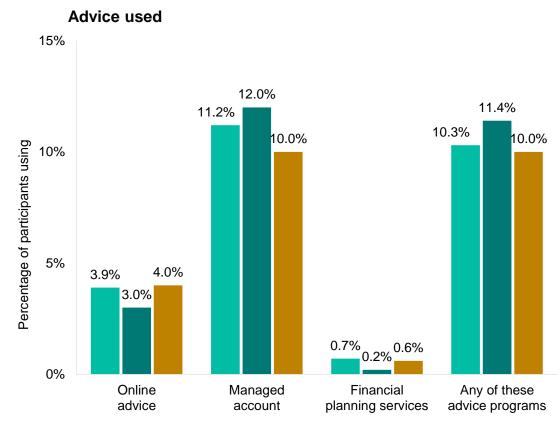
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Types of employer contributions



Advice services

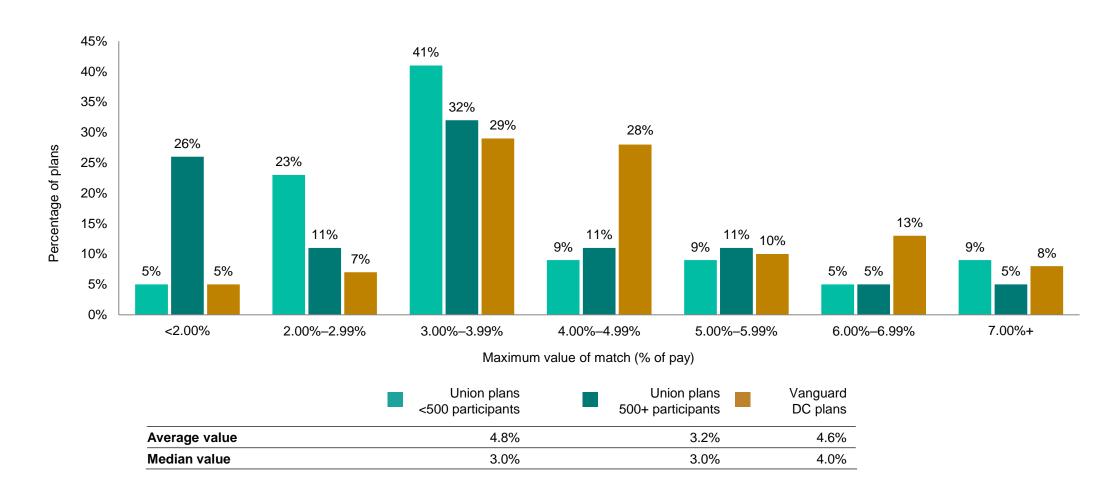




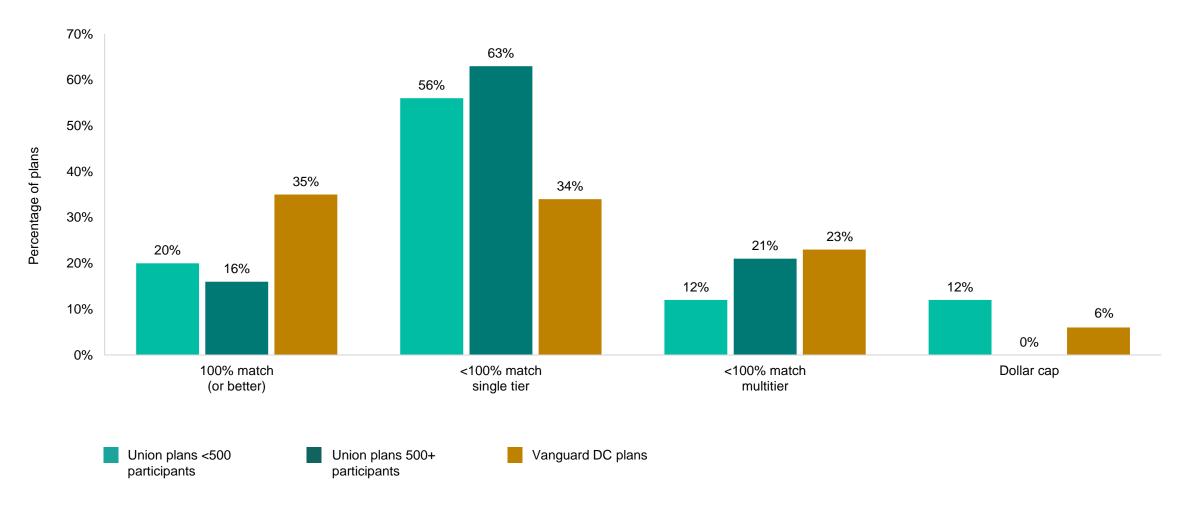
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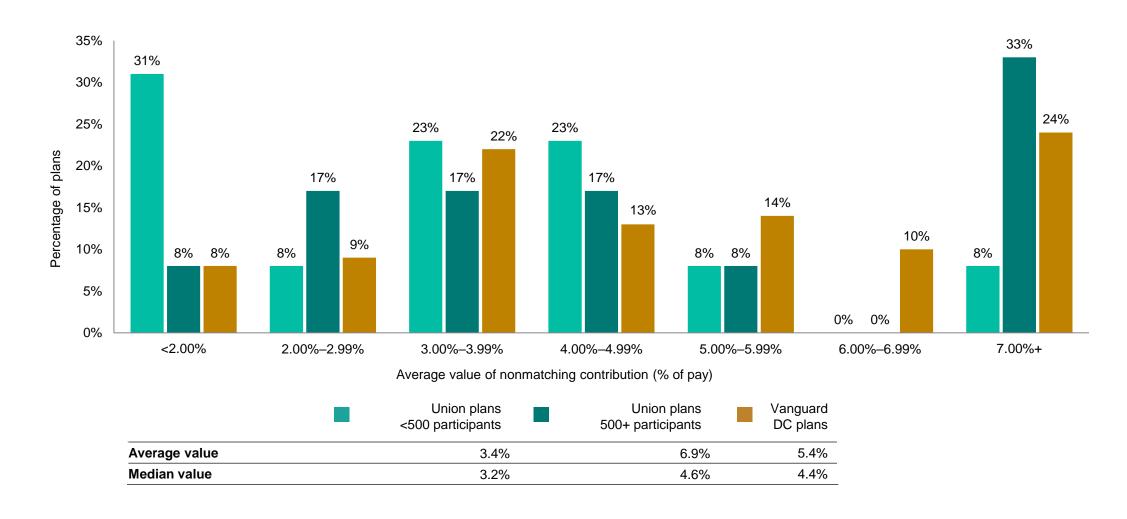
Matching contributions



Matching formulas



Nonmatching/Profit-sharing employer contributions



Roth availability and use

		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
Percentage of plans offering Roth (among plans with elective deferrals)		61%	71%	82%
Percentage of plan assets invested in Roth*		5.8%	4.6%	4.4%
	<1%	36%	21%	9%
	1%–2%	29%	25%	34%
Distribution of nevertage of plan secreta in Dath	3%–5%	11%	42%	33%
Distribution of percentage of plan assets in Roth	6%–9%	18%	8%	15%
	10%–14%	4%	0%	5%
	15%+	4%	4%	3%
Percentage of participants with assets in Roth*		20%	21%	18%
Percentage of participant assets in Roth**		18%	20%	18%
	1%–24%	55%	48%	50%
	25%-49%	26%	24%	24%
Distribution of participant assets in Roth	50%–74%	13%	11%	14%
	75%–99%	4%	9%	6%
	100%	2%	8%	3%
Percentage of participants making Roth contributions (past 12 months)***		22%	24%	17%
Percentage of participant contributions going to Roth**		49%	48%	54%
	1%–24%	22%	22%	22%
	25%–49%	28%	28%	26%
Distribution of percentage of participant contributions to Roth	50%–74%	19%	71% 4.6% 21% 25% 42% 8% 0% 4% 21% 20% 48% 24% 11% 9% 8% 24% 48% 24% 48% 22%	15%
	75%–99%	6%	5%	7%
	100%	25%	27%	29%

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^{*} Among plans offering Roth.** Among participants using Roth.

^{***} Among participants making elective deferrals. Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

Participant loans and in-service withdrawals

		Union plans <500 participants	Union plans 500+ participants	Vanguard DC plans
	Percentage of participants with outstanding loans	20%	20%	13%
Outstanding loans*	Percentage of account balance in loans	9%	11%	9%
	Average loan balance	\$11,398	\$10,916	\$10,708
	No loans	80%	80%	87%
Develope of active newticinents with cutotending loops*	One loan	16%	14%	10%
Percentage of active participants with outstanding loans*	Two loans	3%	6%	3%
	Three+ loans	1%	0%	0%
Leave icewed west 42 months*	Average per 1,000 active participants	127	141	105
Loans issued past 12 months*	Percentage of participants with outstanding loans Percentage of account balance in loans Average loan balance No loans One loan Two loans Three+ loans 500+ participants 500+ partici	\$10,856	\$10,646	
New handship with drawels taken most 40 month att	Average per 1,000 active participants	133	136	113
Nonhardship withdrawals taken past 12 months**	Average withdrawal amount	\$19,594	\$11,206	\$17,112
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Hardship withdrawals taken past 12 months**	Average withdrawal amount	\$7,253	\$7,346	\$4,730

Source: Vanguard, as of December 31, 2023.

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^{*} Among plans allowing loans.

^{**} Among participants allowed in-service withdrawals.

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