

Distribution of qualified short-term capital gains by Vanguard funds

Important tax information for 2025

A shareholder who is not a citizen or resident alien of the United States is generally exempt from U.S. federal income tax on short-term capital gains dividends declared by a U.S. fund. 100% of the short-term capital gains distributions made in 2025 by the funds below are qualified short-term capital gains distributions (QSGs). Refer to your year-end account statement to find the exact amount of QSGs distributed by funds you own.

You can find a variety of general tax-related data and tools at investor.vanguard.com/taxes/. Vanguard cannot provide tax advice, and nothing herein should be considered tax advice.* You should consult your own tax advisor regarding your specific situation including if you're uncertain about the interpretation of a specific tax regulation.

Vanguard funds that distributed QSGs in 2025

VANGUARD FUND**

Vanguard Advice Select Global Value Fund

Vanguard Advice Select International Growth Fund

Vanguard Balanced Index Fund

Vanguard Capital Opportunity Fund

Vanguard Core Bond ETF

Vanguard Core-Plus Bond ETF

Vanguard Diversified Equity Fund

Vanguard Dividend Growth Fund

Vanguard Energy Fund

Vanguard Equity Income Fund

Vanguard Explorer Fund

Vanguard Explorer Value Fund

Vanguard Global Equity Fund

Vanguard Global ESG Select Stock Fund

Vanguard Global Minimum Volatility Fund

Vanguard Global Wellington Fund

Vanguard Government Securities Active ETF

VANGUARD FUND**

Vanguard Growth and Income Fund

Vanguard Health Care Fund

Vanguard Institutional Index Fund

Vanguard Institutional Total Stock Market Index Fund

Vanguard International Core Stock Fund

Vanguard International Growth Fund

Vanguard International Value Fund

Vanguard LifeStrategy Conservative Growth Fund

Vanguard LifeStrategy Growth Fund

Vanguard LifeStrategy Income Fund

Vanguard LifeStrategy Moderate Growth Fund

Vanguard Mid-Cap Growth Fund

Vanguard Multi-Sector Income Bond ETF

Vanguard Multi-Sector Income Bond Fund

Vanguard PRIMECAP Core Fund

Vanguard PRIMECAP Fund

Vanguard Selected Value Fund

VANGUARD FUND**

Vanguard Short Duration Bond ETF

Vanguard STAR Core-Plus Bond Fund

Vanguard STAR Fund

Vanguard Strategic Equity Fund

Vanguard Strategic Small-Cap Equity Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2020 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2025 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2030 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2035 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2040 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2045 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement 2070 Fund

Vanguard Target Retirement Income Fund

Vanguard U.S. Growth Fund

Vanguard Wellesley Income Fund

Vanguard Wellington Fund

Vanguard Windsor Fund

Vanguard Windsor II Fund

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** This information applies to all share classes of a fund, including ETFs (exchange-traded funds).

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