

What does an effective DC scheme look like?



I've upped my pension contributions, now up yours!



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#### Three key areas

Make your scheme as efficient as possible Contribute for as long as possible

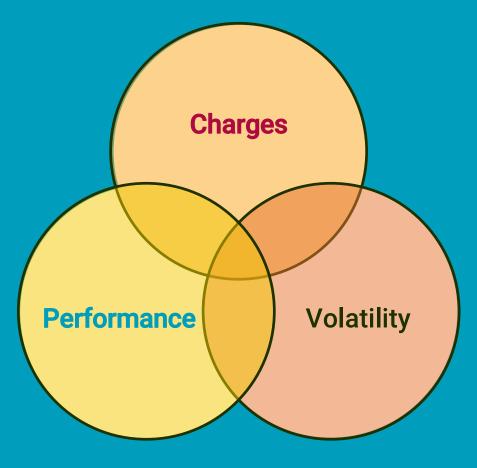
Get employers and employees to pay more in

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# Make your scheme as efficient as possible

### Significant factors





### The impact of a reduction in charge

Starting point Employee joins the scheme at age 25 Salary of £25,000 Contributions 8% of basic salary Taking benefits at age 68 Salary increases of 2% per year Fund growth of 4% per year Charge of 0.75%



#### The impact of a reduction in charge

#### Pot at age 68

## 0.75% charge **£265,373**

#### Starting assumptions:

- Age 25
- Starting salary £25,000
- Contr. 8% of salary
- Ret. Age 68
- Salary increase 2% p.a.
- Fund growth 4% p.a.
- Charge of 0.75%
- Figures in today's terms
- Source: Punter Southall Aspire Pension Calculator

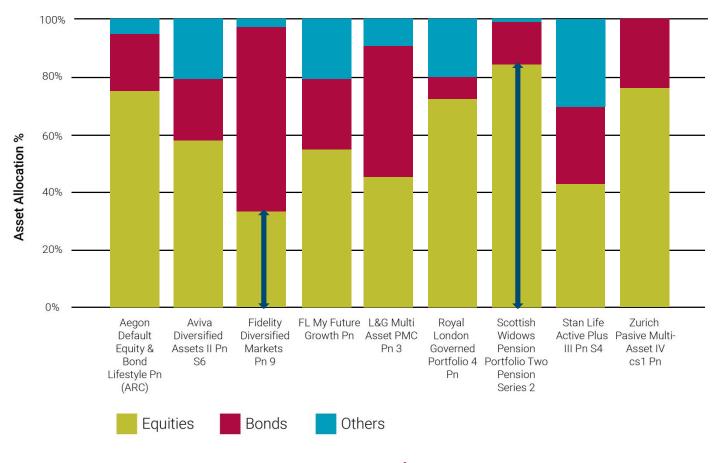
# 0.50% charge **£281,559**



### <mark>+</mark> £16,186



### Variance of asset classes



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### Improvement of 0.5% in fund performance

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4.5% investment growth **£298,867** 







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### The benefit of three years' additional contributions Pot at age 68

### Start at 25 years old **£265,373**

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Start at 22 years old **£289,845** 

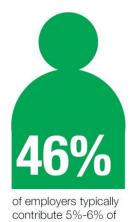
Starting salary £23,560



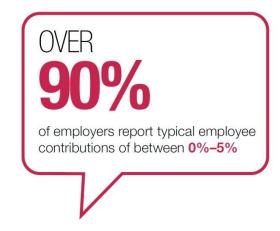
### + £24,472

### Pay more in

### Trends in the DC pensions market



pensionable earnings



The average contribution rate for employers into defined contribution schemes was 2.5%

Source: Occupational Pension Schemes Survey 2015 Survey by Office for National Statistics



### The impact of higher contributions

Pot at age 68

### 8% contribution **£265,373**

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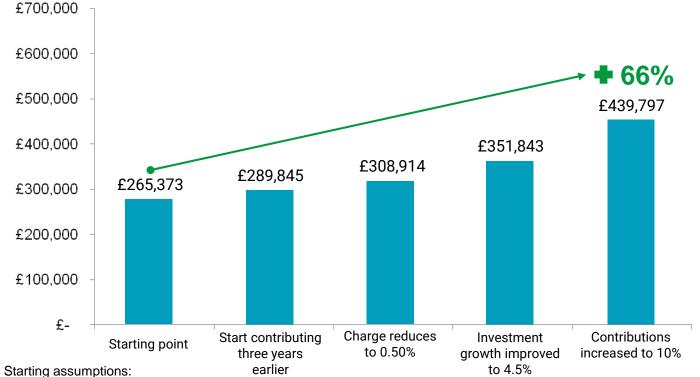
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# 10% contribution **£331,704**



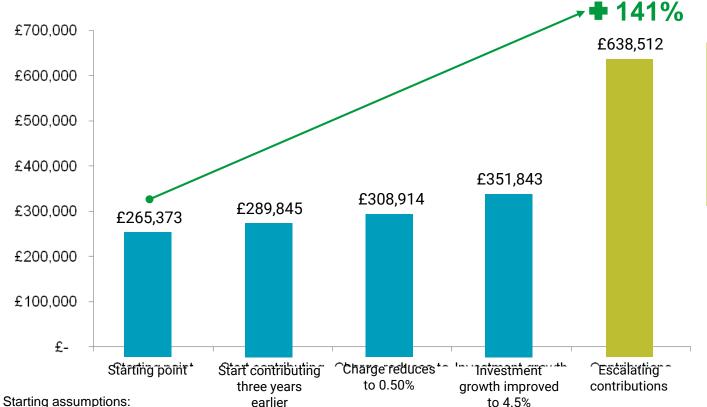
### + £66,331

### Step changes in action



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#### Escalating contributions

Assumes an additional 1% contribution each year, for the first five years of membership, capping at 15% from age 27

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### 0 to 15 by 30









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