



FLOATING RATE FUND

LOWER EXPENSES - CLASS A

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| Fund Expense Ratio ¹ | 0.81% |
| Category Average ² | 1.11% |

GOAL

The Fund seeks to deliver a high level of current income by investing primarily in a variety of below investment grade loans.

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Number of Issues: 586

FUND SYMBOLS/CUSIPS

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| Class A: | LFRAX | 543916191 |
| Class C: | LARCX | 543916175 |
| Class F: | LFRFX | 543916167 |
| Class F3: | LFROX | 54401E226 |
| Class I: | LFRIX | 543916134 |
| Class R2: | LFRRX | 543916159 |
| Class R3: | LRRRX | 543916142 |
| Class R4: | LRRKX | 54401E770 |
| Class R5: | LRRTX | 54401E762 |
| Class R6: | LRRVX | 54401E754 |

Not all share classes are available to all investors. Please see prospectus for more information.

AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%) AS OF 09/30/2020

| CLASS A SHARES | YTD | 1 YEAR | 3 YEARS | 5 YEARS | 10 YEARS | EXPENSE RATIO ¹ |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|----------|----------------------------|
| Net Asset Value (without sales charge) | -5.97 | -4.55 | 0.68 | 2.57 | 3.51 | 0.81% |
| Maximum Offering Price (with 2.25% sales charge) | -8.05 | -6.66 | -0.08 | 2.10 | 3.28 | |

CALENDAR YEAR TOTAL RETURNS AT NAV (%)

| | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
|-----|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| NAV | 8.18 | 1.44 | 10.12 | 5.89 | 0.93 | 0.35 | 9.89 | 3.86 | -0.23 | 7.34 |

Reflects the percent change in net asset value (NAV) of Class A shares and includes the reinvestment of all distributions. Performance is shown for each calendar year. Performance of Class A shares with sales charge reflects the reinvestment of all distributions and includes initial maximum sales charge. Certain purchases of Class A shares without a sales charge are subject to a contingent deferred sales charge (CDSC). The CDSC is not reflected in the performance shown. Returns for less than one year are not annualized. Instances of high double-digit returns were achieved primarily during favorable market conditions and may not be sustainable over time.

Performance data quoted reflect past performance and are no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the performance quoted. The investment return and principal value of an investment in the Fund will fluctuate so that shares, on any given day or when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. You can obtain performance data current to the most recent month-end by calling Lord Abbett at 888-522-2388 or referring to lordabbett.com.

*Among 55 qualifying fund families. Based on net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2019. Barron's Top Fund Families of 2019, February 14, 2020, Lord Abbett Funds ranked 5 out of 55, 3 out of 52, 2 out of 45 mutual fund families within the taxable bond category for the 1-, 5- and 10- year periods ending 12/31/2019, respectively. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, March 11, 2019, Lord Abbett Funds ranked 21 out of 57, 3 out of 55, 3 out of 49 mutual fund families within the taxable bond category for the 1-, 5- and 10- year periods ending 12/31/2018, respectively. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, March 10, 2018, Lord Abbett Funds ranked 3 out of 59, 1 out of 54, and 1 out of 50 mutual fund families within the taxable bond category for the 1-, 5- and 10- year periods ending 12/31/2017, respectively. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 11, 2017, Lord Abbett Funds ranked #1 in the Taxable Bond Category among 61 fund families based on the net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2016, respectively. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 6, 2016, #21 in the Taxable Bond Category among 67 fund families based on the net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2015. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 7, 2015, #1 in the Taxable Bond Category among 65 fund families. Based on the net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2014. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 8, 2014, #3 in the Taxable Bond Category among 64 fund families. Based on the net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2013. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 11, 2013, #2 in the Taxable Bond Category among 62 fund families. Based on the net total return of the one-year period ending 12/31/2012. Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families, February 6, 2012, #4 in the Taxable Bond Category among 58 fund families. Based on the net total return of the one year period ending 12/31/2011.

The Floating Rate Fund A share rankings within the Lipper Loan Participation Funds Average as of 09/30/2020 for the one-year time period was 90% (225/250); five-year, 70% (140/200); and 10-year, 41% (39/96). Source: Lipper Analytical Services. Lipper Funds Average ranking reflect all share classes within the category and are based on total return and do not reflect the effect of sales charges.

¹Reflects expenses for the Fund's fiscal year end and is subject to change. Fund expenses may fluctuate with market volatility. A substantial reduction in Fund assets (since its most recently completed fiscal year), whether caused by market conditions or significant redemptions or both, will likely cause total operating expenses (as a percentage of Fund assets) to become higher than those shown.

²Reflects the average net expenses of Class A shares of all funds within the Lipper Loan Participation Funds Category based on Lipper data available.

A Note about Risk: The Fund is subject to the general risks associated with investing in debt securities, including market, credit, liquidity, and interest rate risk. The value of investments in debt securities will fluctuate in response to market movements. When interest rates rise, the prices of debt securities are likely to decline, and when interest rates fall, the prices of debt securities tend to rise. The Fund may invest substantially in high yield, lower-rated securities. These securities carry increased risks of price volatility, illiquidity, and the possibility of default in the timely payment of interest and principal. Moreover, the specific collateral used to secure a loan may decline in value or become illiquid, which would adversely affect the loan's value. The Fund may invest in foreign or emerging market securities, which may be adversely affected by economic, political, or regulatory factors and subject to currency volatility and greater liquidity risk. The Fund may invest in derivatives, which are subject to greater liquidity, leverage, and counterparty risk. Certain of the Fund's derivative transactions may give rise to leverage risk. Leverage, including borrowing for investment purposes, may increase volatility in the Fund by magnifying the effect of changes in the value of the Fund's holdings. The use of leverage may cause investors in the Fund to lose more money in adverse environments than would have been the case in the absence of leverage. These factors may affect Fund performance.

The Fund's portfolio is actively managed and is subject to change.

NOT FDIC INSURED - NO BANK GUARANTEE - MAY LOSE VALUE

| TAXABLE BOND CATEGORY | |
|---|--------------------------------|
| #5 FOR 2019 | TOP 5 IN 7 OF THE PAST 9 YEARS |
| Barron's/Lipper Annual Ranking* | |
| As part of "Barron's Best Mutual Fund Families" annual ranking. | |

INVESTMENT TEAM**Team Leader(s):**

Jeffrey D. Lapin, J.D., Partner
23 Years Industry Experience

Steven F. Rocco, CFA, Partner & Co-Head
19 Years Industry Experience

Kearney M. Posner, CFA
21 Years Industry Experience

Robert A. Lee, Partner & Co-Head
29 Years Industry Experience

Supported By:

62 Investment Professionals
16 Years Avg. Industry Experience

FUND BASICS

Total Net Assets(\$B):³ \$5.8

Inception Date: 12/31/2007 (Class A)

Capital Gains Distribution: December

Dividend Frequency: Monthly

Minimum Initial Investment: \$1,500

³Includes all share classes.

EXPENSE RATIOS¹

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|-----------|-------|
| Class A: | 0.81% |
| Class C: | 1.45% |
| Class F: | 0.71% |
| Class F3: | 0.54% |
| Class I: | 0.61% |
| Class R2: | 1.21% |
| Class R3: | 1.11% |
| Class R4: | 0.86% |
| Class R5: | 0.61% |
| Class R6: | 0.54% |

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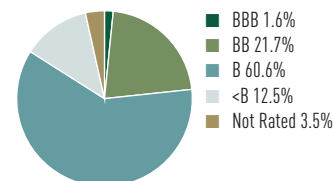
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TEN LARGEST HOLDINGS

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| CSC Holdings LLC (Cablevision) | 0.9% |
| Asurion, LLC (fka Asurion Corporation) | 0.8% |
| CenturyLink, Inc. | 0.8% |
| Caesars Resort Collection, LLC | 0.7% |
| Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. | 0.6% |
| 1011778 B.C. Unlimited L Co (aka BK/Tim Hortons) | 0.6% |
| Panther BF Aggregator 2 | 0.6% |
| Misys Limited (aka Almonde/Tahoe, Finastra USA) | 0.6% |
| Playtika Holding Corp | 0.6% |
| WC Holding Corp. | 0.5% |

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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Lipper Loan Participation Funds Average is based on a universe of funds with similar investment objectives as the Fund. Source: Lipper Analytical Services.

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"Barron's Top Fund Families of 2019," February 14, 2020. Barron's rankings are based on asset weighted returns in funds in five categories: U.S. equity, world equity (including international and global portfolios), mixed asset (which invest in stocks, bonds and other securities), taxable bond, and tax-exempt (each a "Barron's ranking category"). Rankings also take into account an individual fund's performance within its Lipper peer universe. Lipper calculated each fund's net total return for the year ended December 31, 2019, minus the effects of 12b-1 fees and sales charges. Each fund in the survey was given a percentile ranking with 100 the highest and 1 the lowest in its category. That ranking measured how a fund compared with its peer "universe," as tracked by Lipper, not just the funds in the survey. Individual fund scores were then multiplied by the 2019 weighting of their Barron's ranking category as determined by the entire Lipper universe of funds. Those fund scores were then totaled, creating an overall score and ranking for each fund family in the survey in each Barron's ranking category. The process is repeated for the five- and ten-year rankings as well. Barron's Fund Family Rankings are awarded annually.

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