



# SHORT DURATION HIGH YIELD FUND

## OVERALL MORNINGSTAR RATING<sup>‡</sup>



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## LOWER EXPENSES - CLASS A

Fund Expense Ratio<sup>1†</sup> 0.65%  
Category Average<sup>2</sup> 0.95%

## GOAL

The Fund's investment objective is to seek a high current income and the opportunity for capital appreciation to produce a high total return.

## PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS

Average Effective Duration: 1.9 Years  
Average Maturity: 3.6 Years  
Number of Issues: 742

## FUND SYMBOLS/CUSIPS

Class A:	LSYAX	54401T108
Class C:	LSYCX	54401T207
Class F:	LSYFX	54401T306
Class F3:	LSYNX	54401T405
Class I:	LSYIX	54401T504
Class R3:	LSYQX	54401T702
Class R4:	LSYSX	54401T801
Class R5:	LSYTX	54401T884
Class R6:	LSYUX	54401T876

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

## AVERAGE ANNUAL TOTAL RETURNS (%) AS OF 03/31/2024

CLASS A SHARES	YTD	1 YEAR	3 YEARS	SINCE INCEPTION	EXPENSE RATIOS <sup>1</sup>	
					Gross	Net <sup>†</sup>
Net Asset Value (without sales charge)	2.18	11.49	3.74	6.86		
Maximum Offering Price (with 2.25% sales charge)	-0.15	8.99	2.97	6.24	0.85%	0.65%

## CALENDAR YEAR TOTAL RETURNS AT NAV (%)

	2021	2022	2023
NAV	5.53	-5.76	12.01

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.**

<sup>1</sup>Reflects 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.

<sup>2</sup>Reflects the average net expenses of Class A shares of all funds within the Lipper Short High Yield 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 your investment will change as interest rates fluctuate and in response to market movements. When interest rates fall, the prices of debt securities tend to rise, and when interest rates rise, the prices of debt securities are likely to decline. The Fund invests primarily in high-yield, lower-rated securities, sometimes called junk bonds. These securities carry increased risks of price volatility, illiquidity, and the possibility of default in the timely payment of interest and principal. 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. These factors can affect Fund performance. The Fund's portfolio is actively managed and is subject to change.

**INVESTMENT TEAM**

**Team Leader(s):**

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

Christopher Gizzo, CFA, Partner  
16 Years Industry Experience

Karen J. Gunnerson  
14 Years Industry Experience

**Supported By:**

80 Investment Professionals  
18 Years Avg. Industry Experience

**FUND BASICS**

Total Net Assets (\$B):<sup>3</sup> \$3.4  
Inception Date: 05/01/2020 (Class A)  
Capital Gains Distribution: December  
Dividend Frequency: Monthly  
Minimum Initial Investment: \$1,500

<sup>3</sup>Includes all share classes.

**EXPENSE RATIOS<sup>1</sup>**

	<b>GROSS</b>	<b>NET<sup>†</sup></b>
Class A:	0.85%	0.65%
Class C:	1.50%	1.30%
Class F:	0.75%	0.45%
Class F3:	0.56%	0.36%
Class I:	0.65%	0.45%
Class R3:	1.15%	0.95%
Class R4:	0.90%	0.70%
Class R5:	0.65%	0.45%
Class R6:	0.56%	0.36%

<sup>†</sup>The net expense ratio takes into account contractual fee waivers/expense reimbursements that currently are scheduled to remain in place for the period through 11/30/2024. For periods when fees and expenses were waived and/or reimbursed, the Fund benefited by not bearing such expenses. Without such fee waivers/reimbursements, performance would have been lower.

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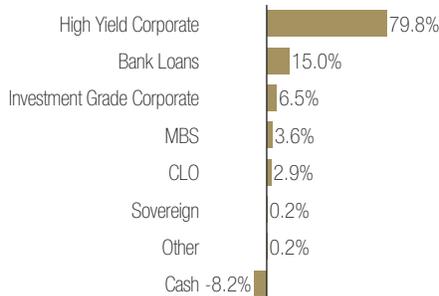
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**TEN LARGEST HOLDINGS**

Carnival Corp	0.8%	Midcap Financial Issuer Trust	0.5%
Gray Television Inc	0.6%	EquipmentShare.com Inc	0.5%
PetSmart Inc / PetSmart Finance Corp	0.6%	Viasat Inc	0.5%
Tenneco Inc	0.5%	Civitas Resources Inc	0.5%
Sitio Royalties Operating Partnership LP / Sitio Finance Corp	0.5%	Global Aircraft Leasing Co Ltd	0.5%

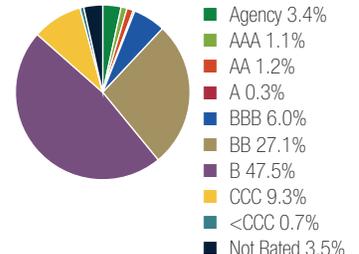
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**PORTFOLIO BREAKDOWN**



Allocations are reported as of the date a security transaction is initiated; however, certain transactions may not settle until several days later. Accordingly, cash may appear as a negative allocation as a result of unsettled transactions. If applicable, "Other" may include municipal bonds and non-index holdings.

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**GLOSSARY OF TERMS**

**Effective Duration** is the change in the value of a fixed income security that will result from a 1% change in market interest rates, taking into account anticipated cash flow fluctuations from mortgage prepayments, puts, adjustable coupons, and potential call dates. Duration is expressed as a number of years, and generally, the larger a duration, the greater the interest-rate risk or reward for a portfolio's underlying bond prices. Where applicable, securities, such as common or preferred stock, convertible bonds and convertible preferred stock, ETFs and ADRs, and CPI swaps and related futures, are excluded from these calculations.

**Average Maturity** is the length of time until the average security in a portfolio will mature or be redeemed by its issuer in proportion to its dollar value. Indicating a portfolio's sensitivity to general market interest rate changes, a longer average maturity implies greater relative portfolio volatility.

**Lipper Short High Yield Funds Average** is based on a universe of funds with similar investment objectives as the Fund. Source: Lipper Analytical Services.

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