

Lord Abbett Series Bond Debenture Portfolio — Class VC

Investment Strategy from investment's prospectus

The investment seeks high current income and the opportunity for capital appreciation to produce a high total return. To pursue its objective under normal conditions, the fund invests at least 80% of its net assets, plus the amount of any borrowings for investment purposes, in bonds, debentures and other fixed income securities. The fund may invest a substantial portion of its net assets in high-yield securities (commonly referred to as "below investment grade" or "junk" bonds). The fund may invest up to 20% of its net assets in equity securities, including common stocks, preferred stocks, convertible preferred stocks, and similar instruments.

Category Description: Multisector Bond

Multisector-bond portfolios seek income by diversifying their assets among several fixed-income sectors, usually U.S. government obligations, U.S. corporate bonds, foreign bonds, and high-yield U.S. debt securities. These portfolios typically hold 35% to 65% of bond assets in securities that are not rated or are rated by a major agency such as Standard & Poor's or Moody's at the level of BB (considered speculative for taxable bonds) and below.

Operations

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| Fund Inception Date | 12-03-01 |
| Initial Share Class Inception Date | 12-03-01 |
| Advisor | Lord, Abbett & Co LLC |
| Subadvisor | — |

Fees and Expenses as of 05-01-23

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|--------------------------------|-------|
| Gross Prospectus Expense Ratio | 0.89% |
| Net Prospectus Expense Ratio | 0.89% |

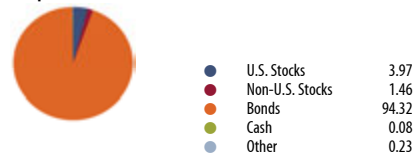
| Waiver Data | Type | Exp.Date | % |
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Portfolio Manager(s)

Christopher J. Gizzo. Since 2013.
 Steven F. Rocco, CFA, B.A., Cornell University. Since 2014.

Portfolio Analysis as of 04-30-23

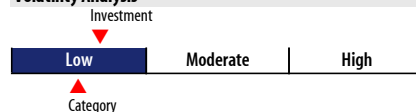
Composition as of 04-30-23



Top 20 Holdings as of 04-30-23

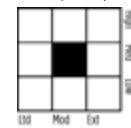
| Security | % Assets |
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| Sprint Capital Corporation 6.88% 11-15-28 | 0.57 |
| AAdvantage Loyalty IP Ltd/ American Airlines Inc 5.75% 04-20-29 | 0.55 |
| Crowdstrike Holdings Inc 3% 02-15-29 | 0.52 |
| Antero Resources Corporation 5.38% 03-01-30 | 0.43 |
| TransDigm, Inc. 5.5% 11-15-27 | 0.41 |
| SM Energy Co. 6.63% 01-15-27 | 0.40 |
| T-Mobile USA, Inc. 3.38% 04-15-29 | 0.38 |
| Continental Resources, Inc. 4.38% 01-15-28 | 0.36 |
| SHOW TRUST 2022-BIZ 1% 01-15-24 | 0.36 |
| MERCEDES-BENZ AUTO RECEIVABLES TRUST 2022-1 5.21% 08-16-27 | 0.36 |
| Gs Mtg Secs Corp Tr 2021-Ross Mz FRN 14.45% 06-15-26 | 0.36 |
| Netflix, Inc. 4.88% 04-15-28 | 0.35 |
| Fnma Pass-Thru I 2.5% 12-01-51 | 0.34 |
| Community Health Systems Incorporated 4.75% 02-15-31 | 0.34 |
| BHMS Mortgage Trust 6.2% 07-15-35 | 0.34 |
| Vital Energy Inc 10.13% 01-15-28 | 0.33 |
| Kraft Heinz Foods Company 4.38% 06-01-46 | 0.33 |
| FMG Resources (August 2006) Pty Ltd. 4.38% 04-01-31 | 0.32 |
| American Express Credit Account Master Trust 0.9% 11-15-26 | 0.32 |
| Celanese US Holdings LLC 6.17% 07-15-27 | 0.32 |
| Total Number of Stock Holdings | 48 |
| Total Number of Bond Holdings | 748 |
| Annual Turnover Ratio % | 182.00 |
| Total Fund Assets (\$mil) | 1,075.59 |

Volatility Analysis



In the past, this investment has shown a relatively small range of fluctuations relative to other investments. Based on this measure, currently more than two thirds of all investments have shown higher levels of risk. Consequently, this investment may appeal to investors looking for a conservative investment strategy.

Morningstar Style Box™ as of 04-30-23



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| Average Effective Duration | 5.13 |
| Average Effective Maturity | 9.56 |

Risk Measures as of 06-30-23

| Metric | Port Avg | BC Aggr | Category |
|-------------------|----------|---------|----------|
| 3 Yr Std Dev | 7.07 | 6.17 | 5.81 |
| 3 Yr Sharpe Ratio | -0.10 | -0.89 | -0.09 |
| 3 Yr Alpha | 3.98 | — | 3.29 |
| 3 Yr Beta | 0.87 | — | 0.73 |
| 3 Yr R-squared | 56.16 | — | 59.25 |

Morningstar Sectors as of 04-30-23

| Sector | %Fund | %Category |
|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Government | 2.24 | 29.17 |
| Corporate | 79.99 | 37.39 |
| Securitized | 16.24 | 21.26 |
| Municipal | 1.43 | 0.31 |
| Cash and Equivalents | 0.09 | 9.32 |
| Other | 0.01 | 2.55 |

Credit Analysis as of 04-30-23

| Rating | %Bonds |
|---------|--------|
| AAA | 19 |
| AA | 4 |
| A | 9 |
| BBB | 28 |
| BB | 26 |
| B | 11 |
| Below B | 1 |
| NR/NA | 2 |

Notes

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