# **A Strategic Alternative During Market Corrections**

**LoCorr Macro Strategies Fund** 



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Market turbulence can trouble investors and motivate them to seek new opportunities for portfolio diversification.

- Investors may want investments that act differently than their traditional portfolio diversifiers, yet offer the potential for enhanced returns.
- Investors may seek low correlation to, and a different sequence of returns than, their current equity and fixed income holdings.
- Investors may look for the opportunity for excess returns during times when their core holdings are in a correction.

The LoCorr Macro Strategies Fund (LFMIX) can help provide a diversification solution that addresses investor concerns during market uncertainty. Since the inception of the LoCorr Macro Strategies Fund<sup>1</sup>, there have been 26 stock market corrections of 5% or greater. During that time, the Fund has provided an average excess total return of 10.07% over each negative period.

Timeframe	Event	S&P 500	LFMIX	Excess Return
4/30/11-10/3/11	Flash Crash and U.S. debt downgrade	-18.64%	-6.30%	12.34%
10/29/11-11/25/11	European debt crisis	-9.64%	2.71%	12.35%
4/3/12-6/1/12	S&P reacts as Fed continues tapering of QE	-9.58%	5.20%	14.78%
9/15/12-11/15/12	Fiscal cliff concerns and post-election correction	-7.31%	-2.57%	4.74%
5/22/13-6/24/13	Fed raises fears preparing to wind down stimulus policies	-5.58%	-11.22%	-5.64%
1/16/14-2/3/14	Fed winds down stimulus policies, fears of global slowdown	-5.72%	-0.97%	4.75%
9/19/14-10/15/14	Fears of global slowdown, Ebola, Fed rate hikes	-7.28%	1.95%	9.23%
7/21/15-2/11/16	China stock market crash, U.S. economy & energy prices trigger selloff	-12.96%	9.66%	22.62%
6/9/16-6/27/16	Brexit selloff	-5.52%	1.29%	6.81%
1/27/18-2/8/18	Hawkish Fed comments trigger surge in volatility, market selloff	-10.10%	-9.47%	0.63%
3/10/18-4/2/18	Global trade war sparks fear as markets plunge	-7.27%	0.36%	7.63%
9/21/18-12/24/18	Rising rates, weakening global economies, trade war rhetoric	-19.36%	-0.30%	19.06%
5/4/19-6/3/19	China trade war concerns and slower economic growth	-6.62%	-0.12%	6.50%
7/27/19-8/14/19	Plummeting global yields and growth concerns	-5.99%	1.95%	7.94%
2/20/20-3/23/20	COVID-19 concerns and global economic shutdown	-33.79%	-8.08%	25.71%
3/27/20-4/1/20	COVID-19 concerns and global economic shutdown	-6.04%	2.02%	8.06%
6/9/20-6/11/20	COVID-19 resurgence concerns	-7.11%	-0.12%	6.99%
9/3/20-9/23/20	COVID-19 resurgence concerns	-9.52%	-2.21%	7.31%
10/13/20-10/30/20	Emergence of Delta COVID-19 variant	-7.43%	-2.67%	4.76%
9/3/21-10/4/21	Rising yields, inflation concerns, and Fed taper talk	-5.12%	-2.13%	2.99%
1/4/22-10/12/22	Russia invasion of Ukraine and rising rates	-24.49%	21.81%	46.30%
12/1/22-12/28/22	Fear of Recession and rising rates	-7.16%	0.31%	7.47%
2/2/23-3/13/23	Banking sector turmoil, rising rates, ongoing economic fears	-7.53%	-1.60%	4.57%
8/1/2023-10/27/23	Consumer spending concerns, surging oil prices, and rising bond yields	-9.94%	3.87%	13.81%
3/29/24-4/19/24	Shifting interest rate outlook, higher than expected inflation data, FED talk changes	-5.40%	2.10%	7.50%
7/17/24-8/5/24	Unwinding Japanese Yen carry trade	-8.45%	-5.87%	2.58%

#### Average Annual Returns | As of December 31, 2024

Data shown is net of fees.

	1-Year	5-Year	10-Year	Correlation <sup>2</sup> to S&P 500	Correlation <sup>2</sup> to BBg Agg
LoCorr Macro Strategies I (LFMIX)	6.70%	4.00%	4.02%	-0.01	-0.08
ICE BofAML 3-Month T-Bill Index	5.18%	2.48%	1.79%	0.00	0.08
S&P 500 Index	25.02%	14.53%	13.10%	1.00	0.30

Performance data quoted represents past performance; past performance does not guarantee future results. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance of the Fund may be lower or higher than the performance quoted. Performance data current to the most recent month end may be obtained by calling 888-628-2887. Investment performance reflects contractual fee waivers in effect. In the absence of such waivers, total return would be reduced. The Fund's gross expense ratio for Class I is 1.89%.

<sup>1</sup>March 24, 2011. <sup>2</sup>As of 4/1/2011. **Index performance is not representative of Fund performance and is for hypothetical illustration purposes only.** It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

#### **Help your clients reinforce their portfolios** with a solution that seeks to provide:

- Enhanced returns
- Low correlation to traditional investments
- Crisis alpha with diversified exposure to multiple asset classes

## **Macro Strategies Fund**

Class A	Class C	Class I
LFMAX	LFMCX	LFMIX

### Why LoCorr?

LoCorr Funds offers alternative investments designed to be low-correlated to traditional investments such as stocks and bonds. With the continued uncertainty in the marketplace, we believe now is the time to consider adding low-correlating investment strategies to any portfolio holding a majority of traditional asset classes. Our investment solutions are designed for investment professionals and individual investors who are seeking to achieve better diversification and the potential for reduced risk within their portfolios.

For more information, contact your LoCorr wholesaler or call our sales desk at 888.628.2887.

ICE BofAML 3-Month T-Bill Index tracks the performance of the U.S. dollar denominated U.S. Treasury Bills publicly issued in the U.S. domestic market with a remaining term to final maturity of less than 3 months. S&P 500 Total Return Index is a capitalization weighted unmanaged benchmark index that includes the stocks of 500 large capitalization companies in major industries. This total return index includes net dividends and is calculated by adding an indexed dividend return to the index price change for a given period. Bloomberg U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based bond index comprised of government, corporate, mortgage and asset-back issues rated investment grade or higher.

The Fund's investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses must be considered carefully before investing. The prospectus contains this and other important information about the investment company, and it may be obtained by calling 1.855.LCFUNDS, or visiting www.LoCorrFunds.com. Read it carefully before investing.

Mutual Fund investing involves risk. Principal loss is possible. Non-diversified investments may concentrate assets in fewer individual holdings than diversified investments. Therefore, the investments are more exposed to individual stock volatility than diversified Funds. The Funds invest in foreign investments and foreign currencies which involve greater volatility and political, economic and currency risks and differences in accounting methods. These risks are greater for emerging markets. The Funds may make short sales of securities, which involves the risk that losses may exceed the original amount invested. Investing in commodities may subject the Funds to greater risks and volatility as commodity prices may be influenced by a variety of factors including unfavorable weather, environmental factors, and changes in government regulations. The Funds may invest in derivative securities, which derive their performance from the performance of an underlying asset, index, interest rate or currency exchange rate. Derivatives can be volatile and involve various types and degrees of risks, and, depending upon the characteristics of a particular derivative, suddenly can become illiquid. Investments in debt securities typically decrease in value when interest rates rise. This risk is usually greater for longer-term debt securities. Investments in Asset-Backed, Mortgage-Backed, and Collateralized Mortgage-Backed Securities include additional risks that investors should be aware of such as credit risk, prepayment risk, possible illiquidity and default, as well as increased susceptibility to adverse economic developments. Investments in small- and medium-capitalization companies involve additional risks such as limited liquidity and greater volatility. Investments in lower-rated and non-rated securities present a greater risk of loss to principal and interest than higher-rated securities. ETF investments are subject to investment advisory and other expenses, which will be indirectly paid by the Funds. As a result, the cost of investing in the Funds will be higher than the cost of investing directly in ETFs and may be higher than other mutual Funds that invest directly in stocks and bonds. ETFs are subject to specific risks, depending on the nature of the ETF. A Fund's real estate portfolio may be significantly impacted by the performance of the real estate market generally, and the Fund may be exposed to greater risk and experience higher volatility than would a more economically diversified portfolio. Property values may fall due to increasing vacancies or declining rents resulting from economic, legal, cultural, or technological developments. Investments in Limited Partnerships (including master limited partnerships) involve risks different from those of investing in common stock including risks related to limited control and limited rights to vote on matters affecting the Limited Partnership, risks related to potential conflicts of interest between the Limited Partnership and the Limited Partnership's general partner, cash flow risks, tax risk, dilution risks and risks related to the general partner's limited call right. Underlying Funds are subject to management and other expenses, which will be indirectly paid by the Fund.

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