

Guided Equity Allocation



Avoid the Drawdown Risk of Static Allocations

LFEQ seeks to track the Ned Davis Research CMG US Large Cap Long/Flat Index (the "Index"), a rules-based index that uses technical indicators to guide allocations into equities when markets are trending up. When markets are trending down, the Index responds to signals to raise cash, helping to manage risk and seeking to avoid potentially significant losses that require larger gains to break even. For example, as shown below, a 50% loss requires a 100% gain to recover that loss.

Larger Gains are Required to Recover from Losses of Varying Magnitudes



Source: Vaneck. Figures achieved by mathematical formula and do not reflect results of any one investment.

Manage Risk and Limit Recovery Time

Type (% Decline)	Total Declines	Average Loss	Average Decline Length	Average Recovery Length
Dip (5%-10%)	17	-7%	3 months	3 months
Corrections (10%-20%)	9	-15%	5 months	6 months
Bear Markets of >20%	7	-37%	13 months	29 months
Bear Markets of >40%	4	-47%	17 months	42 months

source: Morningstar. Data since 4/1/1936 to 03/31/2022 based on monthly periodicity. Each drawdown, or market decline, is tallied after prior decline's full recovery

Why LFEQ?

Tactically allocates between S&P 500® equites and U.S. T-bills

Based on a breadth model that measures 24 industries, not just the top line S&P 500 return

Seeks to minimize impact of market downturns and participate in uptrends

Measures short, intermediate and long-term trends and includes a mean reversion signal to participate in bounce backs

Driven by the institutional expertise of Ned Davis Research

One of the largest independent institutional investment research providers

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VanEck Long/Flat Trend ETF (LFEQ) seeks to replicate as closely as possible, before fees and expenses, the price and yield performance of the Ned Davis Research CMG US Large Cap Long/Flat Index (NDRCMGLF). The NDRCMGLF Index follows a proprietary model that determines when, and by how much, it allocates to U.S. equities and/or U.S. Treasury bills to seek to capitalize from rising markets or help avoid losses in declining markets. The model produces daily trade signals to determine the Index's equity allocation percentage (100%, 50% or 0%).

Fund Ticker	LFEQ
Commencement Date	10/4/2017
Net Expense Ratio (%)	0.58
Gross Expense Ratio (%) *	0.79

Expenses are capped contractually at 0.55%. Cap excludes acquired fund fees and expenses, interest expense, trading expenses, taxes and extraordinary expenses. Expense ratio as of the most recent prospectus. Please see the Fund's prospectus for more detailed information on expenses.

As of November 1, 2019, Ned Davis Research implemented several changes to the Ned Davis Research CMG Long/Flat Allocation Index construction rules to reflect new enhancements to factors for composition and timeliness. From December 9, 2021 forward, Ned Davis Research implemented additional changes to the Ned Davis Research CMG Long/Flat Allocation Index construction rules. The methodology of the strategy evolved to reflect new enhancements to factors for composition and timeliness. Additional enhancements include a volatility indicator to the breadth composite score and adjustments to the model's investment allocation rules. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

Total Return (%) as of 03/31/2022		LFEQ	NDRCMGLF
VED :	NAV	-4.71	-4.60
YTD°	Share Price	-4.53	
1 \/-	NAV	14.86	15.65
1 Yr	Share Price	15.08	
21/-	NAV	18.19	18.92
3 Yr	Share Price	18.22	
E.V.	NAV		
5 Yr	Share Price		
Ciara I	NAV	13.61	14.28
Since Inception 10/4/2017	Share Price	13.66	

[°]Returns less than one year are not annualized.

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