

Vice Fund Commentary July 2021

For the month of July, the Fund was -3.20%.

Market Review

Equity markets continued their modest summer rally shrugging off inflation fears. U.S. 10-year Treasuries followed suit with yields dropping from the 1.7% range in late March to the 1.2% range in late July. Equity markets have swiftly shifted back to a "risk-on" sentiment with growth continuing to outpace value.

Despite these tailwinds, the COVID-19 Delta variant has created more uncertainty around customers coming back to casinos. The Fund's casino gaming stocks have suffered in this period across the board. U.S. casino gaming stocks are in general approaching their March and April 2020 lows. We believe that a snapback in casino gaming stocks is a possibility with the cessation of the Delta variant.

The Fund's recent drawdown is still in the single digits despite the massive haircut in casino gaming names. The Fund's casino gaming stocks followed suit downward with the whole industry. We feel the Fund's negative outcome this month due mainly to casino gaming benefited from diversification and the global equity rally. We believe VICEX has a plum opportunity to perform if the recent Delta variant scare proves short-term only and casino stocks rally hard. Investors looking for exposure to the re-opening trade may be served well in this scenario.

Sincerely yours,

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Paul Strehle

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Standardized performance as of (6/30/2021) Fund Inception (02/01/2002)

	1 Year	5 Year	10 Year	Since Inception
VICEX	27.04%	6.83%	9.12%	9.10%
MSCI World Index	39.87%	15.20%	10.48%	9.74%

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DEFINITIONS:

The MSCI All Country World Index Total Return ("MSCI ACWI TR") captures large and mid-cap representation across 23 Developed Markets (DM) and 26 Emerging Markets (EM) countries.

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