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Date of fiscal year end: 08/31/2018

Date of reporting period: 08/31/2018

Item 1 Report to Stockholders

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AUGUST 31, 2018

ANNUAL REPORT

BlackRock Core Bond Trust (BHK)

BlackRock Corporate High Yield Fund, Inc. (HYT)

BlackRock Income Trust, Inc. (BKT)

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The Markets in Review

Dear Shareholder,

In the 12 months ended August 31, 2018, the strongest corporate profits in seven years drove the equity market higher, while rising interest rates constrained bond returns. Though the market s appetite for risk remained healthy, risk-taking was tempered somewhat, as shorter-term, higher-quality securities led the bond market, and U.S. equities outperformed most international stock markets.

Volatility in emerging market stocks rose as U.S.-China trade relations and debt concerns adversely affected the Chinese stock market, while Turkey and Argentina became embroiled in currency crises, largely due to hyperinflation in both countries. An economic slowdown in Europe led to modest performance for European equities.

Short-term U.S. Treasury interest rates rose the fastest, while longer-term rates slightly increased, leading to a negative return for long-term U.S. Treasuries and a substantial flattening of the yield curve. Many investors are concerned with the flattening yield curve as a harbinger of recession, but given the extraordinary monetary measures in the last decade, we believe a more accurate barometer for the economy is the returns along the risk spectrums in stock and bond markets. Although the fundamentals in credit markets remained relatively solid, investment-grade bonds declined slightly, and high-yield bonds posted modest returns.

In response to rising growth and inflation, the U.S. Federal Reserve (the Fed) increased short-term interest rates three times during the reporting period. The Fed also reduced its \$4.2 trillion balance sheet by approximately \$230 billion during the reporting period, gradually reversing the unprecedented stimulus measures it enacted after the financial crisis. Meanwhile, the European Central Bank announced that its bond-purchasing program would conclude at the end of the year, while also expressing its commitment to low interest rates. In contrast, the Bank of Japan continued to expand its balance sheet through bond purchasing while lowering its expectations for inflation.

The U.S. economy continued to gain momentum despite the Fed s modest reduction of economic stimulus; unemployment declined to 3.9%, wages increased, and the number of job openings reached a record high. Strong economic performance may justify a more rapid pace of rate hikes in 2018, as the headline inflation rate and investors expectations for inflation have already surpassed the Fed s target of 2.0%.

While U.S. monetary policy is seeking to restrain economic growth and inflation, fiscal policy has produced new sources of growth that could nourish the economy for the next few years. Corporate tax cuts and repatriation of capital held abroad could encourage a virtuous cycle of business spending. Lower individual tax rates coupled with the robust job market may refresh consumer spending.

We continue to believe the primary risks to economic expansion are trade protectionism, rapidly rising interest rates, and geopolitical tension. Given the deflationary forces of technology and globalization, a substantial increase in inflation is unlikely to materialize as long as the unemployment rate remains above 3.0%. However, we are closely monitoring trade protectionism and the rise of populism in Western nations. In particular, the outcome of trade negotiations between the United States and China is likely to influence the global growth trajectory and set the tone for free trade in many other nations.

In this environment, investors need to think globally, extend their scope across a broad array of asset classes, and be nimble as market conditions change. We encourage you to talk with your financial advisor and visit **blackrock.com** for further insight about investing in today s markets.

Sincerely,

Rob Kapito

President, BlackRock Advisors, LLC

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Total Returns as of August 31, 2018

	6-month	12-month
U.S. large cap equities	7.96%	19.66%
(S&P 500 [®] Index)		
U.S. small cap equities	15.84	25.45
(Russell 2000® Index)		
International equities	(2.55)	4.39
(MSCI Europe, Australasia,		
Far East Index)		
Emerging market equities	(10.18)	(0.68)
(MSCI Emerging Markets Index)		
3-month Treasury bills	0.93	1.52
(ICE BofAML 3-Month U.S. Treasury Bill Index)		
U.S. Treasury securities	1.42	(4.13)
(ICE BofAML 10-Year U.S. Treasury Index)		
U.S. investment grade bonds	1.15	(1.05)
(Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index)		
Tax-exempt municipal bonds	1.78	0.61
(S&P Municipal Bond Index)		
U.S. high yield bonds	2.26	3.40
(Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped		
Index)		

Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Index performance is shown for illustrative purposes only. You cannot invest directly in an index.

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Section 19(a) Notices

BlackRock Income Trust s, Inc. (BKT) (the Trust), amounts and sources of distributions reported are estimates and are being provided to you pursuant to regulatory requirements and are not being provided for tax reporting purposes. The actual amounts and sources for tax reporting purposes will depend upon the Trust s investment experience during the fiscal year and may be subject to changes based on tax regulations. The Trust will provide a Form 1099-DIV each calendar year that will tell you how to report these distributions for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

August 31, 2018

Total Fiscal Year to Date % of Fiscal Year to Date Cumulative Distributions by Character Cumulative Distributions by Character Net Redlige Realized Net Realized Realized Capital Capinal Gains Total Per Objetital Gainsital Gains Total Per Investment Short Long Return of Com**Inve**stment Short LonReturn of Common Income Term Term Term Capital Capital Shar**k**ncome Term Share \$0.0321149 \$ \$0.325900 **BKT** \$ \$ 0.004751 99% 0% 0% 1% 100%

The Trust estimates that it has distributed more than the amount of earned income and net realized gains; therefore, a portion of the distribution may be a return of capital. A return of capital may occur, for example, when some or all of the shareholder's investment in the Trust is returned to the shareholder. A return of capital does not necessarily reflect the Trust's investment performance and should not be confused with "yield" or "income". When distributions exceed total return performance, the difference will incrementally reduce the Trust's net asset value per share.

Section 19(a) notices for the Trusts, as applicable, are available on the BlackRock website http://www.blackrock.com.

Managed Distribution Plan

On July 24, 2018, BKT, with the approval of BKT s Board of Directors (the Board), adopted a plan, consistent with its investment objective and policies, to support a level distribution of income, capital gains and/or return of capital (the Plan). In accordance with the Plan, BKT distributes the following fixed amounts per share on a monthly basis beginning August 2018:

Amount Per Common Share \$ 0.0344

BKT

The fixed amount distributed per share is subject to change at the discretion of the Board. Under its Plan, BKT will distribute all available investment income to its shareholders, consistent with its investment objective and as required by the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the Code). If sufficient investment income is not available on a monthly basis, BKT will distribute long-term capital gains and/or return of capital to shareholders in order to maintain a level distribution. BKT expects that distributions under the Plan will exceed current income and capital gains and therefore will likely include a return of capital. Each monthly distribution to shareholders is expected to be at the fixed amount established by the Board. However, BKT may make additional distributions from time to time, including additional capital gain distributions at the end of the taxable year, if required to meet requirements imposed by the

Code and/or the 1940 Act.

Shareholders should not draw any conclusions about BKT s investment performance from the amount of these distributions or from the terms of the Plan. BKT s total return performance on net asset value is presented in its financial highlights table. The Board may amend, suspend or terminate the Plan at any time without prior notice to BKT s shareholders if it deems such actions to be in the best interests of BKT or its shareholders. The suspension or termination of the Plan could have the effect of creating a trading discount (if BKT s stock is trading at or above net asset value) or widening an existing trading discount. BKT is subject to risks that could have an adverse impact on its ability to maintain level distributions. Examples of potential risks include, but are not limited to, economic downturns impacting the markets, changes in interest rates, decreased market volatility, companies suspending or decreasing corporate dividend distributions and changes in the Code.

SECTION 19(A) NOTICES / SECTION 19(B) DISCLOSURE

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018

BlackRock Core Bond Trust

Trust Overview

BlackRock Core Bond Trust s (BHK) (the Trust) investment objective is to provide current income and capital appreciation. The Trust seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing at least 75% of its managed assets in bonds that are investment grade quality at the time of investment. The Trust s investments will include a broad range of bonds, including corporate bonds, U.S. government and agency securities and mortgage-related securities. The Trust may invest up to 25% of its total managed assets in bonds that at the time of investment are rated Ba/BB or below by Moody s Investors Service, Inc. (Moody s), Standard & Poors Ratings Group (S&P), Fitch Ratings (Fitch) another nationally recognized rating agency or bonds that are unrated but judged to be of comparable quality by the investment adviser. The Trust may invest up to 10% of its managed assets in bonds issued in foreign currencies. The Trust may invest directly in such securities or synthetically through the use of derivatives.

No assurance can be given that the Trust s investment objective will be achieved.

Trust Information

Symbol on New York Stock Exchange (NYSE)	BHK
Initial Offering Date	November 27, 2001
Current Distribution Rate on Closing Market Price as of August 31, 2018 (\$12.85)(a)	6.07%
Current Monthly Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.065
Current Annualized Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.780
Economic Leverage as of August 31, 2018 ^(c)	29%

- (a) Current distribution rate on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price. The current distribution rate may consist of income, net realized gains and/or a tax return of capital. Past performance does not guarantee future results.
- (b) The distribution rate is not constant and is subject to change.
- (c) Represents reverse repurchase agreements outstanding as a percentage of total managed assets, which is the total assets of the Trust (including any assets attributable to borrowings) minus the sum of liabilities (other than borrowings representing financial leverage). For a discussion of leveraging techniques utilized by the Trust, please see The Benefits and Risks of Leveraging on page 14.

Market Price and Net Asset Value Per Share Summary

	08/31/18	08/31/17	Change	High	Low
Market Price	\$ 12.85	\$ 14.10	(8.87)%	\$ 14.26	\$ 12.63
Net Asset Value	14.08	14.96	(5.88)	15.01	13.91

Market Price and Net Asset Value History For the Past Five Years

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Core Bond Trust

Performance and Portfolio Management Commentary

Returns for the period ended August 31, 2018 were as follows:

	Average Annual Total		
	Returns		
	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
Trust at NAV ^{(a)(b)}	(0.24)%	5.61%	6.80%
Trust at Market Price ^{(a)(b)}	(3.40)	6.75	7.35
Reference Benchmark ^(c)	(0.57)	3.74	4.30
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Long Government/Credit Index(d)	(2.15)	4.25	5.61
Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate Credit Index(e)	(0.64)	2.30	2.70
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped			
Index ^(f)	3.40	7.02	5.64
Bloomberg Barclays CMBS, Eligible for U.S. Aggregate ^(g)	(1.04)	2.05	2.50
Bloomberg Barclays MBS Index(h)	(0.53)	1.38	2.43
Bloomberg Barclays ABS Index(i)	0.32	1.34	1.63

- (a) All returns reflect reinvestment of dividends and/or distributions at actual reinvestment prices. Performance results reflect the Trust s use of leverage.
- (b) The Trust s discount to NAV widened during the period, which accounts for the difference between performance based on market price and performance based on NAV.
- (c) The Reference Benchmark is comprised of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Long Government/Credit Index (40%); Bloomberg Barclays Intermediate Credit Index (24%); Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped Index (16%); Bloomberg Barclays CMBS, Eligible for U.S. Aggregate Index (8%); Bloomberg Barclays MBS Index (8%); and Bloomberg Barclays ABS Index (4%). The Reference Benchmark s index content and weightings may have varied over past periods.
- (d) This unmanaged index is the long component of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Government/Credit Index. This unmanaged index includes publicly issued U.S. Treasury debt, U.S. government agency debt, taxable debt issued by U.S. states and territories and their political subdivisions, debt issued by U.S. and non-U.S. corporations, non-U.S. government debt and supranational debt.
- (e) This unmanaged index is the intermediate component of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Credit Index. The Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Credit Index includes publicly issued U.S. corporate and foreign debentures and secured notes that meet specified maturity, liquidity, and quality requirements.
- (f) An unmanaged index comprised of issuers that meet the following criteria: at least \$150 million par value outstanding; maximum credit rating of Ba1; at least one year to maturity; and no issuer represents more than 2% of the index.
- (g) This unmanaged index is the CMBS component of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Index.
- (h) This unmanaged index is a market value-weighted index, which covers the mortgage-backed securities component of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index. The unmanaged index is comprised of agency mortgage-backed pass-through securities of the Government National Mortgage Association (Ginnie Mae), the Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae), and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation (Freddie Mac) with a minimum \$150 million par amount outstanding and a weighted-average maturity of at least 1 year. The index includes reinvestment of income.

(i) This unmanaged index is the asset-backed securities component of the Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Aggregate Index

Performance results may include adjustments made for financial reporting purposes in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Past performance is not indicative of future results.

BHK is presenting the Reference Benchmark to accompany trust performance. The Reference Benchmark is presented for informational purposes only, as the Trust is actively managed and does not seek to track or replicate the performance of the Reference Benchmark or any other index. The portfolio investments of the Trust may differ substantially from the securities that comprise the indices within the Reference Benchmark, which may cause the Trust s performance to differ materially from that of the Reference Benchmark. The Trust employs leverage as part of its investment strategy, which may change over time at the discretion of BlackRock Advisors, LLC (the Manager) as market and other conditions warrant. In contrast, the Reference Benchmark is not adjusted for leverage. Therefore, leverage generally may result in the Trust outperforming the Reference Benchmark in rising markets and underperforming in declining markets. The Board considers additional factors to evaluate the Trust s performance, such as the performance of the Trust relative to a peer group of funds, a leverage-adjusted benchmark and/or other information provided by the Manager.

More information about the Trust s historical performance can be found in the Closed End Funds section of http://www.blackrock.com.

The following discussion relates to the Trust s absolute performance based on NAV:

What factors influenced performance?

The principal detractors from the Trust s performance were its allocations to investment grade corporates and sovereign, supranational and agency issues.

The largest positive contributions to the Trust s performance came from its allocations to high yield corporate bonds, asset-backed securities (ABS) and commercial mortgage-backed securities (CMBS). Positions in capital securities and senior loans also contributed.

The Trust held derivatives during the period, including swaps and swaptions, mainly for managing duration (sensitivity to interest rate changes) exposure. During the period, derivatives contributed positively to the Trust s absolute performance, in particular through the use of financial futures contracts.

Describe recent portfolio activity.

Over the reporting period, the Trust increased its level of spread duration (sensitivity to changes in credit spreads) within mortgages, while rotating out of investment grade and high yield corporates. Additionally, the Trust added to holdings in U.S. Treasuries and non-U.S. sovereign-related debt, as well as its allocation to securitized assets, specifically ABS and CMBS.

Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Core Bond Trust

Describe portfolio positioning at period end.

At period end, the Trust maintained a diversified exposure within non-government spread sectors, including investment grade corporates, high yield corporates, CMBS and ABS, as well as smaller allocations to non-agency residential mortgage-backed securities (MBS). The Trust also held exposure to government-related sectors such as U.S. Treasury securities and agency residential MBS.

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Overview of the Trust s Total Investments

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

	08/31/18	08/31/17
Corporate Bonds	48%	50%
U.S. Treasury Obligations	12	11
U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities	10	8
Preferred Securities	9	9
Asset-Backed Securities	8	8
Non-Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities	6	8
Foreign Agency Obligations	2	2
Municipal Bonds	2	2
Floating Rate Loan Interests	2	1
Short-Term Securities	1	1
Options Purchased	(a)	1
Options Written	(a)	(1)

⁽a) Representing less than 1% of the Trust s total investments.

CREDIT QUALITY ALLOCATION (b)(c)

	08/31/18	08/31/17
AAA/Aaa ^(d)	24%	23%
AA/Aa	5	6
A	15	16
BBB/Baa	28	28
BB/Ba	11	12
В	8	8
CCC/Caa	4	2

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(b) For financial reporting purposes, credit quality ratings shown above reflect the highest rating assigned by either S&P or Moody s if ratings differ. These rating agencies are independent, nationally recognized statistical rating organizations and are widely used. Investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BBB/Baa or higher. Below investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BB/Ba or lower. Investments designated N/R are not rated by either rating agency. Unrated investments do not necessarily indicate low credit quality. Credit quality ratings are subject to change.

- (c) Excludes Short-Term Securities, Options Purchased and Options Written.
- (d) The investment adviser evaluates the credit quality of not-rated investments based upon certain factors including, but not limited to, credit ratings for similar investments and financial analysis of sectors and individual investments. Using this approach, the investment adviser has deemed U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities and U.S. Treasury Obligations as AAA/Aaa.

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018

BlackRock Corporate High Yield Fund, Inc.

Trust Overview

BlackRock Corporate High Yield Fund, Inc. s (HYT) (the Trust) primary investment objective is to provide shareholders with current income. The Trust s secondary investment objective is to provide shareholders with capital appreciation. The Trust seeks to achieve its investment objectives by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of fixed income securities which are rated at the time of investment to be below investment grade or, if unrated, are considered by the investment adviser to be of comparable quality. The Trust may invest directly in fixed income securities or synthetically through the use of derivatives.

No assurance can be given that the Trust s investment objectives will be achieved.

Trust Information

Symbol on NYSE	HYT
Initial Offering Date	May 30, 2003
Current Distribution Rate on Closing Market Price as of August 31, 2018 (\$10.70)(a)	8.07%
Current Monthly Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.0720
Current Annualized Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.8640
Economic Leverage as of August 31, 2018 ^(c)	30%

- (a) Current distribution rate on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price. The current distribution rate may consist of income, net realized gains and/or a tax return of capital. Past performance does not guarantee future results.
- (b) The distribution rate is not constant and is subject to change.
- (c) Represents bank borrowings as a percentage of total managed assets, which is the total assets of the Trust (including any assets attributable to borrowings) minus the sum of liabilities (other than borrowings representing financial leverage). For a discussion of leveraging techniques utilized by the Trust, please see The Benefits and Risks of Leveraging on page 14.

Market Price and Net Asset Value Per Share Summary

	08/31/18	08/31/17	Change	High	Low
Market Price	\$ 10.70	\$ 11.13	(3.86)%	\$11.47	\$ 10.41
Net Asset Value	11.90	12.22	(2.62)	12.37	11.76

Market Price and Net Asset Value History For the Past Five Years

Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Corporate High Yield Fund, Inc.

Performance and Portfolio Management Commentary

Returns for the period ended August 31, 2018 were as follows:

	Average Annual Total		
	Returns		
	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years
Trust at NAV ^{(a)(b)}	5.25%	8.98%	7.64%
Trust at Market Price ^{(a)(b)}	3.91	11.51	7.61
Bloomberg Barclays U.S. Corporate High Yield 2% Issuer Capped			
Index ^(c)	3.40	7.02	5.64

- (a) All returns reflect reinvestment of dividends and/or distributions at actual reinvestment prices. Performance results reflect the Trust s use of leverage.
- (b) The Trust s discount to NAV widened during the period, which accounts for the difference between performance based on market price and performance based on NAV.
- (c) An unmanaged index (the Reference Benchmark) comprised of issuers that meet the following criteria: at least \$150 million par value outstanding; maximum credit rating of Ba1; at least one year to maturity; and no issuer represents more than 2% of the index.

Performance results may include adjustments made for financial reporting purposes in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Past performance is not indicative of future results.

HYT is presenting the Reference Benchmark to accompany trust performance. The Reference Benchmark is presented for informational purposes only, as the Trust is actively managed and does not seek to track or replicate the performance of the Reference Benchmark or any other index. The portfolio investments of the Trust may differ substantially from the securities that comprise the indices within the Reference Benchmark, which may cause the Trust s performance to differ materially from that of the Reference Benchmark. The Trust employs leverage as part of its investment strategy, which may change over time at the discretion of the Manager as market and other conditions warrant. In contrast, the Reference Benchmark is not adjusted for leverage. Therefore, leverage generally may result in the Trust outperforming the Reference Benchmark in rising markets and underperforming in declining markets. The Board considers additional factors to evaluate the Trust s performance, such as the performance of the Trust relative to a peer group of funds, a leverage-adjusted benchmark and/or other information provided by the Manager.

More information about the Trust s historical performance can be found in the Closed End Funds section of http://www.blackrock.com.

The following discussion relates to the Trust s performance based on NAV:

What factors influenced performance?

The Trust s core exposure to high yield corporate bonds led positive contributions to Trust performance over the 12-month period. Exposure to equities also contributed meaningfully to return. By sector, holdings of independent

energy, gaming and technology names were the largest contributors over the annual period. B-rated and CCC-rated positions also were additive to performance.

On the downside, the Trust s sector holdings in wireless, automotive and food & beverage names were the largest detractors over the period. The sole detractor from a credit rating perspective was the not-rated category. Portfolio strategies to manage risk slightly detracted from performance, as risk assets broadly rallied over the annual period.

Describe recent portfolio activity.

The Trust increased its allocation to floating rate loan interests (bank loans) over the period, on the view that these senior/secured, floating-rate assets provided attractive relative value. While lower-quality and stressed/distressed portions of the high yield market outperformed over the period, the Trust remained underweight in the riskier, higher-yielding portion of the market in order to manage risk. In that vein, the Trust remained underweight across the consumer cyclical space, and retailers and automotive issuers specifically. This positioning reflects the view that the outlook for consumer cyclicals continues to deteriorate under pressure from declining sales and secular changes. By contrast the Trust increased its exposure to chemicals, building materials and energy issuers.

Describe portfolio positioning at period end.

At period end, the Trust held the majority of its portfolio in corporate bonds, while also bolstering its more tactical allocation to bank loans. Within high yield corporates, the Trust was underweight in lower-coupon, more interest rate-sensitive BB-rated bonds while being slightly overweight in single B-rated bonds. The Trust was overweight in high conviction CCC-rated issues while remaining underweight in the highest yielding segment of the lower-rated universe where downside risks are greater if volatility picks up or credit sentiment weakens. The Trust continued to favor select equity/equity-like assets with more upside as a substitute for higher-beta (more market sensitive) CCC-rated notes. At period end, top issuer overweights included Platform Specialty Products Corp.(chemicals), First Data Corp. (technology), and Cheniere Energy, Inc. (integrated energy). The Trust s core issuer and credit biases remained centered on cash-flow views, identification of a specific catalyst, and/or idiosyncratic characteristics.

The views expressed reflect the opinions of BlackRock as of the date of this report and are subject to change based on changes in market, economic or other conditions. These views are not intended to be a forecast of future events and are no guarantee of future results.

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Corporate High Yield Fund, Inc.

Overview of the Trust s Total Investments

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

	08/31/18	08/31/17
Corporate Bonds	79%	82%
Floating Rate Loan Interests	10	8
Preferred Securities	4	5
Asset-Backed Securities	3	3
Investment Companies	1	1
Common Stocks	3	1
Other ^(a)		

⁽a) Representing less than 1% of the Trust s total investments and Other may include Non-Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities, Warrants, Other Interests, Short-Term Securities, Options Purchased and Options Written.

CREDIT QUALITY ALLOCATION (b)(c)

	08/31/18	08/31/17
A	1%	1%
BBB/Baa	4	7
BB/Ba	30	37
В	38	41
CCC/Caa	18	9
N/R	9	5

⁽b) For financial reporting purposes, credit quality ratings shown above reflect the highest rating assigned by either S&P or Moody s if ratings differ. These rating agencies are independent, nationally recognized statistical rating organizations and are widely used. Investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BBB/Baa or higher. Below investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BB/Ba or lower. Investments designated N/R are not rated by either rating agency. Unrated investments do not necessarily indicate low credit quality. Credit quality ratings are subject to change.

⁽c) Excludes Short-Term Securities, Options Purchased and Options Written.

Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018

BlackRock Income Trust, Inc.

Trust Overview

BlackRock Income Trust, Inc. s (BKT) (the Trust) investment objective is to manage a portfolio of high-quality securities to achieve both preservation of capital and high monthly income. The Trust seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing at least 65% of its assets in mortgage-backed securities. The Trust invests at least 80% of its assets in securities that are (i) issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government or one of its agencies or instrumentalities or (ii) rated at the time of investment either AAA by S&P or Aaa by Moody s. The Trust may invest directly in such securities or synthetically through the use of derivatives.

No assurance can be given that the Trust s investment objective will be achieved.

On July 24, 2018, the Board of Trustees approved a change of the Trust s fiscal year end from August 31 to December 31. The change was effective following the August 31, 2018 fiscal year end.

Trust Information

Symbol on NYSE	BKT
Initial Offering Date	July 22, 1988
Current Distribution Rate on Closing Market Price as of August 31, 2018 (\$5.77) ^(a)	7.15%
Current Monthly Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.0344
Current Annualized Distribution per Common Share ^(b)	\$0.4128
Economic Leverage as of August 31, 2018 ^(c)	32%

- (a) Current distribution rate on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price. The current distribution rate may consist of income, net realized gains and/or a tax return of capital. Past performance does not guarantee future results.
- (b) The distribution rate is not constant and is subject to change.
- (c) Represents reverse repurchase agreements outstanding as a percentage of total managed assets, which is the total assets of the Trust (including any assets attributable to borrowings) minus the sum of liabilities (other than borrowings representing financial leverage). For a discussion of leveraging techniques utilized by the Trust, please see the Benefits and Risks of Leveraging on page 14.

Market Price and Net Asset Value Per Share Summary

	08/31/18	08/31/17	Change	High	Low
Market Price	\$ 5.77	\$ 6.31	(8.56)%	\$6.40	\$5.70
Net Asset Value	6.31	6.74	(6.38)	6.76	6.29

Market Price and Net Asset Value History For the Past Five Years

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Income Trust, Inc.

Performance and Portfolio Management Commentary

Returns for the period ended August 31, 2018 were as follows:

	Avera	Average Annual Total			
	Returns				
	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years		
Trust at NAV ^{(a)(b)}	(1.14)%	1.42%	2.76%		
Trust at Market Price ^{(a)(b)}	(3.44)	2.35	3.68		
FTSE Mortgage Index ^(c)	(0.57)	1.37	2.41		

- (a) All returns reflect reinvestment of dividends and/or distributions at actual reinvestment prices. Performance results reflect the Trust s use of leverage.
- (b) The Trust s discount to NAV widened during the period, which accounts for the difference between performance based on market price and performance based on NAV.
- (c) This unmanaged index (formerly known as Citigroup Mortgage Index) (the Reference Benchmark) includes all outstanding government sponsored fixed rate mortgage-backed securities, weighted in proportion to their current market capitalization.

Performance results may include adjustments made for financial reporting purposes in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Past performance is not indicative of future results.

BKT is presenting the Reference Benchmark to accompany trust performance. The Reference Benchmark is presented for informational purposes only, as the Trust is actively managed and does not seek to track or replicate the performance of the Reference Benchmark or any other index. The portfolio investments of the Trust may differ substantially from the securities that comprise the indices within the Reference Benchmark, which may cause the Trust s performance to differ materially from that of the Reference Benchmark. The Trust employs leverage as part of its investment strategy, which may change over time at the discretion of the Manager as market and other conditions warrant. In contrast, the Reference Benchmark is not adjusted for leverage. Therefore, leverage generally may result in the Trust outperforming the Reference Benchmark in rising markets and underperforming in declining markets. The Board considers additional factors to evaluate the Trust s performance, such as the performance of the Trust relative to a peer group of funds, a leverage-adjusted benchmark and/or other information provided by the Manager.

More information about the Trust s historical performance can be found in the Closed End Funds section of http://www.blackrock.com.

The following discussion relates to the Trust s absolute performance based on NAV:

What factors influenced performance?

Detractors from the Trust s returns included an underweight to 30-year agency mortgage-backed securities (MBS) pass-throughs, allocations to agency interest-only and principal-only bonds, and holdings in legacy (pre-financial crisis) non-agency residential MBS.

The largest positive contributors to performance included the Trust s allocation to agency CMOs. In addition, strategies using U.S. Treasury futures held as short positions against long positions in agency MBS benefited performance as rates moved higher. Allocations to commercial mortgage-backed securities (CMBS); swap and swaption-based strategies also added to relative performance.

The Trust held derivatives during the period as a part of its investment strategy, and will have derivative exposure of more than 20% at certain times. Derivatives are utilized by the Trust in order to manage and/or take outright views on interest rates and/or credit risk positions in the portfolio. In particular, the portfolio employed U.S. Treasury futures to express duration (i.e., sensitivity to interest rate changes) bias and yield curve bias. The Trust also tactically allocated to mortgage derivatives in order to gain specific market exposure when relative value opportunities presented themselves. The Trust s derivatives positions had a positive effect on performance during the period.

Describe recent portfolio activity.

The Trust decreased its allocation to agency MBS during the period, reducing exposures to both agency pass-throughs and agency CMOs. In addition, the Trust increased its holdings in CMBS, while reducing exposure within non-agency MBS and keeping exposure within asset-backed securities constant. The Trust also increased its exposure to agency mortgage derivatives, adding primarily inverse interest-only bonds. The Trust continued to gradually build a position in Ginnie Mae (GNMA) project loan interest-only securities given attractive spreads available relative to the sector s fundamental outlook, as prepayment speeds within the sector continued to shift lower, aiding interest-only cash flows. Lastly, the Trust trimmed its position in U.S. Treasuries during the period.

Describe portfolio positioning at period end.

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As of period end, the Trust continued to be positioned with an overweight to the agency mortgage sector. The Trust also continued to maintain an overweight in high quality and well-structured agency CMOs and specified mortgage pools where the attributes of the underlying borrower help to improve the overall convexity (the rate at which duration changes in response to interest rate movements) profile. With spreads in most risk assets near their tightest levels since mid-2014, the Trust s exposures to non-benchmark positions such as legacy non-agency residential MBS and CMBS remained minimal.

The views expressed reflect the opinions of BlackRock as of the date of this report and are subject to change based on changes in market, economic or other conditions. These views are not intended to be a forecast of future events and are no guarantee of future results.

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Trust Summary as of August 31, 2018 (continued)

BlackRock Income Trust, Inc.

Overview of the Trust s Total Investments

PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

	08/31/18	08/31/17
U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities	108%	113%
U.S. Treasury Obligations	1	2
Short-Term Securities	3	2
Non-Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities	(a)	1
Asset-Backed Securities ^(a)		
Borrowed Bonds ^(a)		
TBA Sale Commitments	(12)	(18)

⁽a) Representing less than 1% of the Trust s total investments.

CREDIT QUALITY ALLOCATION (b)(c)

	08/31/18	08/31/17
AAA/Aaa ^(d)	99%	99%
BBB	1	1

- (b) For financial reporting purposes, credit quality ratings shown above reflect the highest rating assigned by either S&P or Moody s if ratings differ. These rating agencies are independent, nationally recognized statistical rating organizations and are widely used. Investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BBB/Baa or higher. Below investment grade ratings are credit ratings of BB/Ba or lower. Investments designated N/R are not rated by either rating agency. Unrated investments do not necessarily indicate low credit quality. Credit quality ratings are subject to change.
- (c) Excludes Money Market Funds.
- (d) The investment adviser evaluates the credit quality of not-rated investments based upon certain factors including, but not limited to, credit ratings for similar investments and financial analysis of sectors and individual investments. Using this approach, the investment adviser has deemed U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities and U.S. Treasury Obligations as AAA/Aaa.

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The Benefits and Risks of Leveraging

The Trusts may utilize leverage to seek to enhance the distribution rate on, and net asset value (NAV) of, their common shares (Common Shares). However, these objectives cannot be achieved in all interest rate environments.

In general, the concept of leveraging is based on the premise that the financing cost of leverage, which is based on short-term interest rates, is normally lower than the income earned by a Trust on its longer-term portfolio investments purchased with the proceeds from leverage. To the extent that the total assets of the Trusts (including the assets obtained from leverage) are invested in higher-yielding portfolio investments, the Trusts—shareholders benefit from the incremental net income. The interest earned on securities purchased with the proceeds from leverage is paid to shareholders in the form of dividends, and the value of these portfolio holdings is reflected in the per share NAV.

To illustrate these concepts, assume a Trust s capitalization is \$100 million and it utilizes leverage for an additional \$30 million, creating a total value of \$130 million available for investment in longer-term income securities. If prevailing short-term interest rates are 3% and longer-term interest rates are 6%, the yield curve has a strongly positive slope. In this case, a Trust s financing costs on the \$30 million of proceeds obtained from leverage are based on the lower short-term interest rates. At the same time, the securities purchased by a Trust with the proceeds from leverage earn income based on longer-term interest rates. In this case, a Trust s financing cost of leverage is significantly lower than the income earned on a Trust s longer-term investments acquired from such leverage proceeds, and therefore the holders of Common Shares (Common Shareholders) are the beneficiaries of the incremental net income.

However, in order to benefit shareholders, the return on assets purchased with leverage proceeds must exceed the ongoing costs associated with the leverage. If interest and other costs of leverage exceed the Trusts—return on assets purchased with leverage proceeds, income to shareholders is lower than if the Trusts had not used leverage. Furthermore, the value of the Trusts—portfolio investments generally varies inversely with the direction of long-term interest rates, although other factors can influence the value of portfolio investments. In contrast, the value of the Trusts—obligations under their respective leverage arrangements generally does not fluctuate in relation to interest rates. As a result, changes in interest rates can influence the Trusts—NAVs positively or negatively. Changes in the future direction of interest rates are very difficult to predict accurately, and there is no assurance that the Trusts intended leveraging strategy will be successful.

The use of leverage also generally causes greater changes in each Trust s NAV, market price and dividend rates than comparable portfolios without leverage. In a declining market, leverage is likely to cause a greater decline in the NAV and market price of a Trust s shares than if the Trust were not leveraged. In addition, each Trust may be required to sell portfolio securities at inopportune times or at distressed values in order to comply with regulatory requirements applicable to the use of leverage or as required by the terms of leverage instruments, which may cause the Trust to incur losses. The use of leverage may limit a Trust s ability to invest in certain types of securities or use certain types of hedging strategies. Each Trust incurs expenses in connection with the use of leverage, all of which are borne by shareholders and may reduce income to the shareholders. Moreover, to the extent the calculation of the Trusts investment advisory fees includes assets purchased with the proceeds of leverage, the investment advisory fees payable to the Trusts investment advisor will be higher than if the Trusts did not use leverage.

Each Trust may utilize leverage through a credit facility or reverse repurchase agreements as described in the Notes to Financial Statements.

Under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act), each Trust is permitted to issue debt up to 33 1/3% of its total managed assets. A Trust may voluntarily elect to limit its leverage to less than the maximum

amount permitted under the 1940 Act. In addition, a Trust may also be subject to certain asset coverage, leverage or portfolio composition requirements imposed by its credit facility, which may be more stringent than those imposed by the 1940 Act.

If a Trust segregates or designates on its books and records cash or liquid assets having a value not less than the value of a Trust sobligations under the reverse repurchase agreement (including accrued interest) then such transaction is not considered a senior security and is not subject to the foregoing limitations and requirements imposed by the 1940 Act.

Derivative Financial Instruments

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The Trusts may invest in various derivative financial instruments. These instruments are used to obtain exposure to a security, commodity, index, market, and/or other assets without owning or taking physical custody of securities, commodities and/or other referenced assets or to manage market, equity, credit, interest rate, foreign currency exchange rate, commodity and/or other risks. Derivative financial instruments may give rise to a form of economic leverage and involve risks, including the imperfect correlation between the value of a derivative financial instrument and the underlying asset, possible default of the counterparty to the transaction or illiquidity of the instrument. The Trusts successful use of a derivative financial instrument depends on the investment adviser s ability to predict pertinent market movements accurately, which cannot be assured. The use of these instruments may result in losses greater than if they had not been used, may limit the amount of appreciation a Trust can realize on an investment and/or may result in lower distributions paid to shareholders. The Trusts investments in these instruments, if any, are discussed in detail in the Notes to Financial Statements.

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Schedule of Investments

BlackRock Core Bond Trust (BHK)

August 31, 2018

(Percentages shown are based on Net Assets)

		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Asset-Backed Securities 11.1%			
AIMCO CLO, Series 2014-AA, Class DR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.25%),			
5.60%, 07/20/26 ^{(a)(b)}	USD	795	\$ 795,250
ALM Loan Funding, 5.05%, 07/15/26 ^{(a)(c)}		1,000	993,234
ALM VI, Ltd., Series 2012-6A, Class BR3, 4.10%, 07/15/26 ^{(a)(c)}		1,000	986,261
ALM XII, Ltd., Series 2015-12A, Class C1R2, 4.99%, 04/16/27(a)(c)		545	540,700
ALM XVI Ltd./ALM XVI LLC, Series 2015-16A, Class CR2, 5.04%, 07/15/27 ^{(a)(c)}		2,080	2,065,201
Anchorage Capital CLO Ltd.(a):			
Series 2013-1A, Class CR, 5.54%, 10/13/30 ^(c)		1,000	1,003,276
Series 2016-8A, Class DR, 5.34%, 07/28/28 ^(c)		1,000	998,301
Series 2016-9A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.00%), 6.34%, 01/15/29 ^(b)		650	654,445
Ares XXVIII CLO Ltd., Series 2013-3A, Class DR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.25%),			
5.59%, 10/17/24 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	999,989
Atlas Senior Loan Fund Ltd.(3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.90%), 6.21%, 11/30/28 ^{(a)(b)}		1,250	1,254,013
Battalion CLO X Ltd., Series 2016-10A, Class C, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.25%),			
$6.59\%, 01/24/29^{(a)(b)}$		1,000	1,006,697
BlueMountain CLO Ltd., Series 2014-3A, Class CR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.20%),			
$5.54\%, 10/15/26^{(a)(b)}$		1,000	1,000,501
Bowman Park CLO Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class D2R, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.35%),			
5.66%, 11/23/25 ^{(a)(b)}		3,000	3,002,563
CenterPoint Energy Transition Bond Co. IV LLC, Series 2012-1, Class A3,			
3.03%, 10/15/25		2,210	2,194,462
CIFC Funding Ltd., Series 2014-4A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.40%),			
$5.74\%, 10/17/26^{(a)(b)}$		2,000	2,002,138
Countrywide Asset-Backed Certificates, Series 2006-13, Class 3AV2, (1 mo. LIBOR			
US + 0.15%), 2.21%, 01/25/37 ^(b)		146	144,979
DCP Rights LLC, Series 2014-1A, Class A, 5.46%, 10/25/44 ^(a)		3,789	3,794,679
Dryden 41 Senior Loan Fund, Series 2015-41A, Class AR, 3.31%, 04/15/31 ^{(a)(c)}		2,550	2,532,901
Dryden 64 CLO Ltd., Series 2018-64A, Class D, 4.87%, 04/18/31(a)(c)		1,250	1,228,643
Dryden XXVIII Senior Loan Fund, Series 2013-28A, Class B1LR, (3 mo. LIBOR US +			
3.15%), 5.46%, 08/15/30 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	1,006,039
Galaxy XXIX CLO Ltd., Series 2018-29A, Class D, 4.73%, 11/15/26 ^{(a)(c)}		805	805,238
GoldenTree Loan Opportunities IX Ltd., Series 2014-9A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US +			
3.50%), 5.84%, 10/29/26 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	1,001,497
Highbridge Loan Management, Series 3A-2014, Class CR, (3 mo. LIBOR US +			
3.60%), 5.93%, 07/18/29 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	1,006,659
Highbridge Loan Management Ltd., Series 5A-2015 ^{(a)(b)} :			
Class C1R, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 2.10%), 4.44%, 01/29/26		4,000	4,001,840
Class D1R, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.30%), 5.64%, 01/29/26		500	500,381
Lendmark Funding Trust, Series 2017-2A, Class A, 2.80%, 05/20/26 ^(a)		2,880	2,841,828
Limerock CLO III LLC, Series 2014-3A, Class C, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.60%),			
5.95%, 10/20/26 ^{(a)(b)}		3,750	3,756,523
Security			Value

		Par	
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Asset-Backed Securities (continued) Medican Park Funding XVI td. Series 2014 15 A. Class P.1D. (2 mg. LIPOP US.)			
Madison Park Funding XV Ltd., Series 2014-15A, Class B1R, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 2.20%), 4.54%, 01/27/26 ^{(a)(b)}	USD	1 800	\$ 1,802,292
Nelnet Student Loan Trust, Series 2006-1, Class A5, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 0.11%),	USD	1,000	\$ 1,602,292
2.42%, 08/23/27 ^(b)		441	440,353
Neuberger Berman CLO XV, Series 2013-15A, Class DR, 5.39%, 10/15/29 ^{(a)(c)}		1,000	1,001,621
Neuberger Berman CLO XVIII Ltd., Series 2014-18A, Class CR, (3 mo. LIBOR US +		1,000	1,001,021
4.25%), 6.57%, 11/14/27 ^{(a)(b)}		2,250	2,263,748
OCP CLO Ltd., Series 2012-2A, Class DR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.47%),		2,230	2,203,740
6.78%, 11/22/25 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	1,005,066
Octagon Investment Partners XXI Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class C, (3 mo. LIBOR US +		1,000	1,000,000
3.65%), 5.97%, 11/14/26 ^{(a)(b)}		2,000	2,004,514
Octagon Investment Partners XXII Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class DRR,		2,000	2,001,511
5.10%, 01/22/30 ^{(a)(c)}		500	493,894
OHA Credit Partners XIII Ltd., Series 2016-13A, Class E, (3 mo. LIBOR US +		200	.,,,,,
7.15%), 9.50%, 01/21/30 ^{(a)(b)}		595	601,630
OHA Loan Funding Ltd., Series 2016-1A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.75%),			,
6.10%, 01/20/28 ^{(a)(b)}		2,500	2,515,570
OneMain Financial Issuance Trust, Series 2015-2A, Class C, 4.32%, 07/18/25(a)		5,000	5,025,163
OZLM Funding III Ltd., Series 2013-3A, Class BR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.00%),		,	, ,
5.35%, 01/22/29 ^{(a)(b)}		1,500	1,507,625
OZLM VIII Ltd., Series 2014-8A, Class CR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.40%), 5.74%,			
10/17/26 ^{(a)(b)}		1,750	1,751,786
OZLM XIV Ltd., Series 2015-14A, Class CR, 5.34%, 01/15/29(a)(c)		1,000	999,214
OZLM XXI, Series 2017-21A, Class C, 5.02%, 01/20/31(a)(c)		1,000	981,418
Regatta V Funding Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class C, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.45%),			
5.79%, 10/25/26 ^{(a)(b)}		2,000	2,002,462
Rockford Tower CLO Ltd., Series 2017-1A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.25%),			
5.59%, 04/15/29 ^{(a)(b)}		1,750	1,756,938
Shackleton CLO Ltd., Series 2013-3A, Class DR, 5.36%, 07/15/30(a)(c)		500	499,408
SLM Private Education Loan Trust ^(a) :			
Series 2012-A, Class A2, 3.83%, 01/17/45		230	231,285
Series 2014-A, Class B, 3.50%, 11/15/44		500	497,736
Sound Point CLO VII Ltd., Series 2014-3A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.60%),			
5.95%, 01/23/27 ^{(a)(b)}		1,250	1,252,308
Sound Point CLO XII Ltd., Series 2016-2A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.25%),			
6.60%, 10/20/28 ^{(a)(b)}		465	467,330
Sound Point CLO XIV Ltd., Series 2016-3A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.85%),			
6.20%, 01/23/29 ^{(a)(b)}		1,550	1,560,900
Structured Asset Securities Corp., Series 2002-AL1, Class A2, 3.45%, 02/25/32		494	488,200
THL Credit Wind River CLO Ltd., Series 2014-3A, Class DR, (3 mo. LIBOR US +			
3.35%), 5.70%, 01/22/27 ^{(a)(b)}		1,000	1,000,875
Voya CLO Ltd. (a)(b):		615	615.050
Series 2016-3A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 6.85%), 9.18%, 10/18/27		615	615,058

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Security		Par (000)	Value
Asset-Backed Securities (continued) Series 2017-3A, Class C, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.55%), 5.90%, 07/20/30	HCD	1 000	¢ 1,000,292
Wellfleet CLO Ltd., Series 2015-1A, Class DR, 5.15%, 10/20/27 ^{(a)(c)}	USD	1,000 2,000	\$ 1,009,282 1,991,155
Westcott Park CLO Ltd., Series 2016-1A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.35%), 6.70%, 07/20/28 ^{(a)(b)} World Financial Naturals Condit Cond Master Trust. Series 2012 C. Class C. 4.55%		685	693,952
World Financial Network Credit Card Master Trust, Series 2012-C, Class C, 4.55%, 08/15/22		2,360	2,363,600
York CLO Ltd., Series 2016-1A, Class DR, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 3.60%), 5.95%, 10/20/29 ^{(a)(b)}		1,750	1,764,885
York CLO-4 Ltd., Series 2016-2A, Class D, (3 mo. LIBOR US + 4.10%), 6.45%,			, ,
01/20/30 ^{(a)(b)}		1,500	1,519,540
Interest Only Asset-Backed Securities 0.0%			84,227,046
Sterling Bank Trust, Series 2004-2, Class Note, 2.08%, 03/30/30 ^{(a)(d)}		2,061	108,220
Sterling Coofs Trust, Series 2004-1, Class A, 2.36%, 04/15/29 ^(d)		2,653	140,586
			248,806
Total Asset-Backed Securities 11.1%			
(Cost \$84,160,921)			84,475,852
Corporate Bonds 66.4%			
Aerospace & Defense 1.3%			
Arconic, Inc.: 5.40%, 04/15/21		235	241,265
5.13%, 10/01/24		598	600,691
5.90%, 02/01/27		100	101,260
BBA US Holdings, Inc., 5.38%, 05/01/26 ^(a)		194	194,485
Bombardier, Inc. (a):			,
7.75%, 03/15/20		122	128,100
8.75%, 12/01/21		482	530,200
6.00%, 10/15/22		13	13,033
6.13%, 01/15/23		636	640,770
7.50%, 12/01/24		504	529,830
7.50%, 03/15/25		401	412,027
7.45%, 05/01/34		100	102,000
Eaton Corp., 4.15%, 11/02/42		500	480,531
EnPro Industries, Inc., 5.88%, 09/15/22		74 505	75,387
KLX, Inc., 5.88%, 12/01/22 ^(a)		595	615,825
Koppers, Inc., 6.00%, 02/15/25 ^(a)		151	151,755

Kratos Defense & Security Solutions, Inc., 6.50%, 11/30/25 ^(a) Lockheed Martin Corp., 4.09%, 09/15/52 Pioneer Holdings LLC/Pioneer Finance Corp., 9.00%, 11/01/22 ^(a) TransDigm UK Holdings PLC, 6.88%, 05/15/26 ^(a) TransDigm, Inc.:		142 1,410 118 400	146,615 1,347,895 121,835 410,428
6.00%, 07/15/22 6.50%, 07/15/24 6.50%, 05/15/25 6.38%, 06/15/26 United Technologies Corp., 6.13%, 07/15/38		246 191 104 392 1,450	248,460 194,104 105,820 396,165 1,711,061
			9,499,542
Air Freight & Logistics 0.2% FedEx Corp., 4.75%, 11/15/45 XPO Logistics, Inc., 6.50%, 06/15/22 ^(a)		1,250 64	1,258,082 66,110
		Par	1,324,192
Security		(000)	Value
Airlines 2.1% Air Canada Pass-Through Trust, Series 2015-1, Class B, 3.88%, 09/15/24 ^(a) American Airlines Pass-Through Trust:	USD	1,633	\$ 1,595,911
Series 2013-2, Class A, 4.95%, 07/15/24 ^(e)		3,139	3,224,953
Series 2015-2, Class A, 4.00%, 03/22/29		1,358	1,352,855
Series 2015-2, Class AA, 3.60%, 03/22/29		1,358	1,334,258
Series 2017-1, Class B, 4.95%, 08/15/26		1,689	1,713,421
Avianca Holdings SA/Avianca Leasing LLC/Grupo Taca Holdings Ltd., 8.38%, 05/10/20		302	301,248
Continental Airlines Pass-Through Trust, Series 2010-1, Class B, 6.00%, 07/12/20		157	158,601
Latam Finance Ltd., 6.88%, 04/11/24 ^(a)		257	250,706
Mexico City Airport Trust, 5.50%, 07/31/47 ^(a) United Airlines Pass-Through Trust:		260	230,732
Series 2013-1, Class A, 4.30%, 02/15/27		3,210	3,282,847
Series 2014-2, Class B, 4.63%, 03/03/24		2,103	2,117,098
Auto Components 0.3%			15,562,630
Aptiv PLC, 4.40%, 10/01/46		465	424,459
Federal-Mogul LLC/Federal-Mogul Financing Corp., 5.00%, 07/15/24	EUR	161	197,990
Fiat Chrysler Finance Europe, 4.75%, 07/15/22		100	129,856
HP Pelzer Holding GmbH, 4.13%, 04/01/24		100	116,510
Icahn Enterprises LP/Icahn Enterprises Finance Corp.:			
6.25%, 02/01/22	USD	118	121,233
6.75%, 02/01/24		112	115,640
6.38%, 12/15/25		106	107,325
IHO Verwaltungs GmbH ^(f) :			
(2.75% Cash or 3.50% PIK), 2.75%, 09/15/21	EUR	100	117,605
(3.25% Cash or 4.00% PIK), 3.25%, 09/15/23		100	118,961
(4.50% Cash or 5.25% PIK), 4.50%, 09/15/23 ^(a)	USD	205	198,850
Tesla, Inc., 5.30%, 08/15/25 ^{(a)(e)}	DI ID	285	246,525
Volvo Car AB, 2.00%, 01/24/25	EUR	100	114,901

			2,009,855
Automobiles 0.6%			
Ford Motor Co., 4.75%, 01/15/43 ^(e)	USD	2,000	1,658,198
General Motors Co., 6.25%, 10/02/43		2,506	2,598,946
			4,257,144
Banks 1.9%			7,237,177
Allied Irish Banks PLC (5 year EUR Swap + 3.95%), 4.13%, 11/26/25 ^(g)	EUR	100	122,898
Banco Inbursa SA Institucion de Banca Multiple, 4.13%, 06/06/24(a)	USD	255	246,763
Banco Popolare, 2.75%, 07/27/20	EUR	100	116,935
Bank of Ireland Group PLC, 3.13%, 09/19/27(c)	GBP	100	125,490
Bankia SA (5 year EUR Swap + 3.17%), 4.00%, 05/22/24 ^(g)	EUR	100	118,344
Barclays PLC:			
4.38%, 09/11/24	USD	550	533,804
3.65%, 03/16/25 ^(e)		4,320	4,082,266
CaixaBank SA (5 year EUR Swap + 3.35%), 3.50%, 02/15/27 ^(g)	EUR	100	121,832
CIT Group, Inc.:			
5.00%, 08/01/23	USD	225	228,656
5.25%, 03/07/25		98	99,654
6.13%, 03/09/28		70	73,150
Cooperatieve Rabobank UA, 3.95%, 11/09/22		1,500	1,504,870
HSBC Holdings PLC, 6.10%, 01/14/42		610	745,511
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, 2.13%, 08/30/23	EUR	100	115,623
Inversiones Atlantida SA, 8.25%, 07/28/22 ^(a)	USD	200	204,000
Santander Holdings USA, Inc., 4.50%, 07/17/25		2,000	1,997,279

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Security Banks (continued)		(000)	Value	
Santander UK Group Holdings PLC, 2.88%, 08/05/21	USD	1,250	5 1,220,194	
Standard Chartered PLC, 4.87%, 03/15/33 ^{(a)(c)}		500	489,753	
Wells Fargo & Co., 3.90%, 05/01/45 ^(e)		2,250	2,099,139	
			14,246,161	
Beverage: Soft Drinks 0.0%		107	110 611	
Energizer Gamma Acquisition, Inc., 6.38%, 07/15/26 ^(a)		107	110,611	
Beverages 0.7%				
Anheuser-Busch InBev Finance, Inc., 4.90%, 02/01/46		4,600	4,720,234	
BWAY Holding Co., 4.75%, 04/15/24	EUR	100	119,076	
Central American Bottling Corp., 5.75%, 01/31/27 ^(a)	USD	222	219,780	
OI European Group BV, 4.00%, 03/15/23 ^(a)		171	162,236	
			5,221,326	
Biotechnology 0.6%		2.220	0.100.101	
Amgen, Inc., 4.40%, 05/01/45 ^(e)		2,250	2,183,124	
Baxalta, Inc., 5.25%, 06/23/45		500	546,348	
Gilead Sciences, Inc., 4.80%, 04/01/44		1,000	1,045,207	
Illumina, Inc., 0.50%, 06/15/21 ^(h)	ELID	215	316,024	
Senvion Holding GmbH, 3.88%, 10/25/22	EUR	100	101,438	
			4,192,141	
Building Materials 0.0%				
American Woodmark Corp., 4.88%, 03/15/26 ^(a)	USD	69	66,413	
Jeld-Wen, Inc., 4.63%, 12/15/25 ^(a)		93	86,722	
Titan Global Finance PLC, 3.50%, 06/17/21	EUR	100	121,281	
			274,416	
Building Products 0.1% Beacon Escrow Corp., 4.88%, 11/01/25 ^(a)	USD	154	142,065	
Building Materials Corp. of America, 6.00%, 10/15/25 ^(a)	OSD	115	117,608	
CPG Merger Sub LLC, 8.00%, 10/01/21 ^(a)		218	221,270	
Jeld-Wen, Inc., 4.88%, 12/15/27 ^(a)		21	19,583	
Masonite International Corp. (a):		21	17,505	
5.63%, 03/15/23		127	129,857	
5.75%, 09/15/26		96	96,960	
PGT Escrow Issuer, Inc., 6.75%, 08/01/26 ^(a)		64	65,660	
Standard Industries, Inc., 5.38%, 11/15/24 ^(a)		19	19,024	
USG Corp., 4.88%, 06/01/27 ^(a)		208	210,540	
			1,022,567	

Building: Roofing, Wallboard & Plumbing 0.0%				
Quintiles IMS, Inc., 4.88%, 05/15/23 ^(a)		74		74,185
Cable Television Services 0.0%				
CB Escrow Corp., 8.00%, 10/15/25 ^(a)		127		112,712
Capital Markets 2.8%				
Blackstone CQP Holdco LP ^(a) :				
6.50%, 03/20/21		1,375	1	1,378,922
6.00%, 08/18/21		224	_	221,803
CDP Financial, Inc., 5.60%, 11/25/39 ^{(a)(e)}		5,890		7,465,502
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., 3.75%, 05/22/25 ^(e) Lions Gate Capital Holdings LLC, 5.88%, 11/01/24 ^(a)		8,965 57	8	3,831,356 58,781
Morgan Stanley:		31		30,701
4.00%, 07/23/25		905		908,957
3.13%, 07/27/26 ^(e)		2,000]	1,869,946
NFP Corp., 6.88%, 07/15/25 ^(a)		62		60,760
Raymond James Financial, Inc., 4.95%, 07/15/46		400		411,137
SURA Asset Management SA, 4.38%, 04/11/27 ^(a)		259		250,583
			21	1,457,747
		Par	د ک	1,737,777
Security		(000)		Value
Chemicals 1.1%		, ,		
Air Liquide Finance SA, 3.50%, 09/27/46 ^(a)	USD	360	\$	331,333
Alpha 2 BV, (8.75% Cash or 9.50% PIK), 8.75%, 06/01/23(a)(f)		210		210,525
Alpha 3 BV/Alpha US Bidco, Inc., 6.25%, 02/01/25 ^(a)		400		394,000
Axalta Coating Systems LLC, 4.88%, 08/15/24 ^(a)		161		159,994
Blue Cube Spinco, Inc.:		244		076 605
9.75%, 10/15/23 10.00%, 10/15/25		244 183		276,635 211,822
CF Industries, Inc.:		103		211,022
5.15%, 03/15/34		60		56,550
4.95%, 06/01/43		116		101,848
Chemours Co.:				- ,
6.63%, 05/15/23		95		99,513
7.00%, 05/15/25		44		46,970
5.38%, 05/15/27		145		142,463
Cydsa SAB de C.V., 6.25%, 10/04/27 ^(a)		319		301,043
Hexion, Inc., 10.38%, 02/01/22 ^(a)	ELID	122		120,052
INEOS Finance PLC, 4.00%, 05/01/23 Methanex Corp., 3.25%, 12/15/19	EUR USD	100 1,650	1	118,412 1,643,345
Mexichem SAB de CV ^(a) :	USD	1,030	j	1,043,343
4.00%, 10/04/27		200		185,540
5.50%, 01/15/48		200		184,000
Momentive Performance Materials, Inc., 3.88%, 10/24/21		735		784,612
NOVA Chemicals Corp., 4.88%, 06/01/24 ^(a)		163		159,333
Olin Corp., 5.00%, 02/01/30		82		78,310
Platform Specialty Products Corp. (a):				
6.50%, 02/01/22		1,291]	1,320,047
5.88%, 12/01/25		590		585,575

PQ Corp. ^(a) : 6.75%, 11/15/22		251 299	262,295 294,515
5.75%, 12/15/25	ELID		•
PSPC Escrow Corp., 6.00%, 02/01/23	EUR	100	121,734
WR Grace & Co-Conn, 5.63%, 10/01/24 ^(a)	USD	80	84,526
			8,274,992
Commercial Services & Supplies 0.6%			
ADT Corp.:			
6.25%, 10/15/21		86	90,730
3.50%, 07/15/22		163	154,239
4.13%, 06/15/23		171	162,664
4.88%, 07/15/32 ^(a)		301	245,315
Advanced Disposal Services, Inc., 5.63%, 11/15/24 ^(a)		115	115,000
Aviation Capital Group Corp., 7.13%, 10/15/20 ^(a)		1,800	1,929,724
Booz Allen Hamilton, Inc., 5.13%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		82	80,565
CD&R Waterworks Merger Sub LLC, 6.13%, 08/15/25 ^(a)		226	216,960
Fortress Transportation & Infrastructure Investors LLC, 6.75%, 03/15/22 ^(a)		43	44,505
Harland Clarke Holdings Corp., 8.38%, 08/15/22 ^(a)		284	266,250
Iron Mountain, Inc., 6.00%, 08/15/23		80	82,100
KAR Auction Services, Inc., 5.13%, 06/01/25 ^(a)		135	132,300
Mobile Mini, Inc., 5.88%, 07/01/24		278	282,170
Park Aerospace Holdings Ltd. (a):			
3.63%, 03/15/21		166	163,095
5.25%, 08/15/22		157	159,944
5.50%, 02/15/24		17	17,468
Ritchie Bros Auctioneers, Inc., 5.38%, 01/15/25 ^(a)		181	179,190
United Rentals North America, Inc.:			
5.75%, 11/15/24		46	47,481
5.50%, 07/15/25		93	94,860
5.50%, 05/15/27		111	110,722
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(Percentages shown are based on Net Assets)

Security Commercial Services & Supplies (continued)		Par (000)	Value
Wrangler Buyer Corp., 6.00%, 10/01/25 ^(a)	USD	204	\$ 196,860
			4,772,142
Communications Equipment 0.2%			4,772,142
CommScope Technologies LLC,			
5.00%, 03/15/27 ^(a)		179	174,078
CommScope, Inc. ^(a) : 5.00%, 06/15/21		80	80,400
5.50%, 06/15/24		154	155,925
Nokia OYJ:		134	133,723
4.38%, 06/12/27		31	29,799
6.63%, 05/15/39		135	145,125
Zayo Group LLC/Zayo Capital, Inc.:			
6.00%, 04/01/23		606	624,586
6.38%, 05/15/25		30	31,350
5.75%, 01/15/27 ^(a)		451	452,127
			1,693,390
Construction & Engineering 0.8%			
Aeropuertos Argentina 2000 SA, 6.88%, 02/01/27(a)		370	330,939
Aeropuertos Dominicanos Siglo XXI SA, 6.75%, 03/30/29 ^(a)		370 788	383,875
BlueLine Rental Finance Corp., 9.25%, 03/15/24 ^(a) Brand Energy & Infrastructure Services, Inc., 8.50%, 07/15/25 ^(a)		159	827,400 163,373
Engility Corp., 8.88%, 09/01/24		176	187,880
frontdoor, Inc., 6.75%, 08/15/26 ^(a)		88	90,090
ITR Concession Co. LLC, 4.20%, 07/15/25 ^(a)		4,000	3,641,358
Pisces Midco, Inc., 8.00%, 04/15/26 ^(a)		110	112,750
SPIE SA, 3.13%, 03/22/24	EUR	100	116,641
SRS Distribution, Inc., 8.25%, 07/01/26 ^(a)	USD	132	124,080
Tutor Perini Corp., 6.88%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		109	110,908
Weekley Homes LLC/Weekley Finance Corp., 6.63%, 08/15/25		51	48,195
			6,137,489
Construction Materials 0.3%		100	100.101
American Builders & Contractors Supply Co., Inc., 5.88%, 05/15/26 ^(a)		103	103,124
HD Supply, Inc., 5.75%, 04/15/24 ^{(a)(i)} Navistar International Corp., 6.63%, 11/01/25 ^(a)		1,160 192	1,219,450 199,680
New Enterprise Stone & Lime Co., Inc., 10.13%, 04/01/22 ^(a)		108	115,965
PulteGroup, Inc.:		100	113,703
5.50%, 03/01/26		17	16,872
6.00%, 02/15/35		27	25,793
Rexel SA, 3.50%, 06/15/23	EUR	100	120,666

Williams Containing Internal Inc. (2)			
Williams Scotsman International, Inc. ^(a) :	HCD	70	90.240
7.88%, 12/15/22	USD	78	80,340
6.88%, 08/15/23		112	111,020
			1 002 010
Consumer Discretionary 0.1%			1,992,910
Consumer Discretionary 0.1% Blitz F18-674 GmbH, 6.00%, 07/30/26	EUR	100	116,580
	USD	54	52,380
Nielsen Co. Luxembourg Sarl, 5.00%, 02/01/25 ^(a)	USD		141,735
Staples, Inc., 8.50%, 09/15/25 ^(a)		150	141,/33
Viking Cruises Ltd. ^(a) :		05	05.050
6.25%, 05/15/25		95 212	95,950
5.88%, 09/15/27		312	306,540
			713,185
Consumer Finance 1.7%			713,103
Ally Financial, Inc., 8.00%, 11/01/31		871	1,064,797
Capital One Financial Corp., 4.75%, 07/15/21 ^(e)		1,935	2,002,944
Cupital One I manetal Corp., 1.75 %, 07/15/21		Par	2,002,711
Security		(000)	Value
Consumer Finance (continued)		(000)	vaine
Corvias Campus Living USG LLC, 5.30%, 07/01/50 ^(d)	USD	5,694 \$	5,737,617
Credivalores-Crediservicios SAS, 9.75%, 07/27/22 ^(a)	USD	200	202,000
Ford Motor Credit Co. LLC, 8.13%, 01/15/20 ^(e)		1,530	1,620,882
	EUR	110	1,020,882
Mulhacen Pte Ltd., (6.5% Cash or 7.25% PIK), 6.50%, 08/01/23 ^(f)	EUK	110	127,202
Navient Corp.:	USD	180	100 100
5.00%, 10/26/20	USD		180,488
6.63%, 07/26/21		99 150	103,084
6.50%, 06/15/22		159	164,414
5.50%, 01/25/23		170	168,086
7.25%, 09/25/23		93	98,115
5.88%, 10/25/24		29	28,058
6.75%, 06/25/25		65	64,837
6.75%, 06/15/26		127	124,619
5.63%, 08/01/33		101	84,840
Springleaf Finance Corp.:			
6.13%, 05/15/22		50	51,375
5.63%, 03/15/23		6	5,985
6.88%, 03/15/25		112	112,034
7.13%, 03/15/26		291	289,565
Verscend Escrow Corp., 9.75%, 08/15/26 ^(a)		320	327,904
			12 559 026
Containers & Packaging 0.5%			12,558,926
Ardagh Packaging Finance PLC/Ardagh Holdings USA, Inc.:			
4.63%, 05/15/23 ^(a)		471	166 970
·		471 855	466,879
7.25%, 05/15/24 ^(a)	GBP	833 100	898,819
4.75%, 07/15/27 Pall Corp. 4.00%, 11/15/23			126,247
Ball Corp., 4.00%, 11/15/23	USD	146	142,532
BWAY Holding Co. ^(a) :		220	226.044
5.50%, 04/15/24		329	326,944
7.25%, 04/15/25		35	34,125

Crown Americas LLC/Crown Americas Capital Corp.:			
4.75%, 02/01/26 ^(a)		104	99,840
4.25%, 09/30/26		139	127,532
Mercer International, Inc.:			
7.75%, 12/01/22		29	30,305
6.50%, 02/01/24		76	77,900
5.50%, 01/15/26 ^(a)		38	37,050
Reynolds Group Issuer, Inc./Reynolds Group Issuer LLC/Reynolds Group Issuer			
Lu ^(a) :			
5.13%, 07/15/23		51	50,809
7.00%, 07/15/24		452	459,232
Sappi Papier Holding GmbH, 4.00%, 04/01/23	EUR	100	120,079
Sealed Air Corp., 4.88%, 12/01/22 ^(a)	USD	179	179,895
Silgan Holdings, Inc., 3.25%, 03/15/25	EUR	100	119,174
Smurfit Kappa Acquisitions ULC, 2.88%, 01/15/26		100	118,963
			3,416,325
Diversified Consumer Services 0.2%			
APX Group, Inc.:			
8.75%, 12/01/20	USD	179	179,000
7.88%, 12/01/22		106	108,253
Ascend Learning LLC, 6.88%, 08/01/25 ^(a)		194	195,940
Carriage Services, Inc., 6.63%, 06/01/26 ^(a)		108	109,890
Graham Holdings Co., 5.75%, 06/01/26 ^(a)		124	126,790
Laureate Education, Inc., 8.25%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		210	226,537
Matthews International Corp., 5.25%, 12/01/25 ^(a)		44	42,350
Prime Security Services Borrower LLC/Prime Finance, Inc., 9.25%, 05/15/23 ^(a)		627	671,705
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ServiceMaster Co. LLC, 5.13%, 11/15/24 ^(a)		168	165,060
ServiceMaster Co. LLC, 5.13%, 11/15/24 ^(a)			,

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		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Diversified Financial Services 3.7%		, ,	
Banca IFIS SpA, 4.50%, 10/17/27 ^(c)	EUR	100	\$ 106,237
Bank of America Corp. (e):			
5.63%, 07/01/20	USD	2,200	2,297,739
3.25%, 10/21/27		4,000	3,759,941
Docuformas SAPI de C.V., 9.25%, 10/11/22 ^(a)		200	181,500
FMR LLC, 4.95%, 02/01/33 ^{(a)(e)}		2,300	2,484,254
FS Energy & Power Fund, 7.50%, 08/15/23 ^(a)		156	159,658
General Electric Co., 6.15%, 08/07/37 ^(e)		2,150	2,521,049
General Motors Financial Co., Inc., 4.25%, 05/15/23		807	810,310
Gilex Holding Sarl, 8.50%, 05/02/23 ^(a)		182	189,280
HSBC Holdings PLC, 6.25% ^{(c)(j)}		375	376,425
Intercontinental Exchange Group, Inc., 4.00%, 10/15/23		470	482,017
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, 5.02%, 06/26/24 ^(a)		3,151	2,851,197
Intrum Justitia AB, 2.75%, 07/15/22	EUR	100	112,988
Jefferies Finance LLC/JFIN Co-Issuer Corp., 7.38%, 04/01/20(a)	USD	595	605,412
LHC3 PLC, (4.13% Cash or 4.88% PIK), 4.13%, 08/15/24 ^(f)	EUR	100	115,509
Moody s Corp., 4.50%, 09/01/22	USD	1,800	1,862,095
MSCI, Inc., 5.25%, 11/15/24 ^(a)		75	77,063
Northern Trust Corp., 3.95%, 10/30/25		8,000	8,163,421
Tempo Acquisition LLC/Tempo Acquisition Finance Corp., 6.75%, 06/01/25 ^(a)		378	367,605
Travelport Corporate Finance PLC, 6.00%, 03/15/26 ^(a)		123	125,153
UniCredit SpA (5 year EUR Swap + 4.10%), 5.75%, 10/28/25 ^(g)	EUR	107	129,830
Vantiv LLC/Vanity Issuer Corp. (a):			
3.88%, 11/15/25	GBP	100	126,080
4.38%, 11/15/25	USD	200	190,500
WMG Acquisition Corp., 5.50%, 04/15/26 ^(a)		84	82,530
			28,177,793
Diversified Telecommunication Services 3.5%			
AT&T, Inc. ^(e) :			
6.38%, 03/01/41		520	568,914
5.15%, 03/15/42		2,400	2,326,533
4.75%, 05/15/46		2,710	2,450,346
CenturyLink, Inc.:			
5.63%, 04/01/25		144	140,760
Series P, 7.60%, 09/15/39		7	6,265
Series S, 6.45%, 06/15/21		268	278,720
Series U, 7.65%, 03/15/42		138	123,510
Series W, 6.75%, 12/01/23 ^(e)		213	222,052
Series Y, 7.50%, 04/01/24		295	315,650
Cincinnati Bell, Inc., 7.00%, 07/15/24 ^(a)		201	176,880
Embarq Corp., 8.00%, 06/01/36		214	208,650

Frontier Communications Corp.:			
7.13%, 03/15/19		220	220,825
10.50%, 09/15/22		133	117,040
11.00%, 09/15/25		763	583,695
Level 3 Financing, Inc.:			,
5.38%, 08/15/22		127	128,270
5.63%, 02/01/23		189	191,308
5.13%, 05/01/23		95	94,795
5.38%, 01/15/24		114	114,000
5.38%, 05/01/25		123	121,463
5.25%, 03/15/26		663	649,806
OTE PLC, 3.50%, 07/09/20	EUR	100	121,310
SoftBank Group Corp.:			
(5 year USD ICE Swap + 4.85%), $6.88\%^{(g)(j)}$	USD	215	194,575
4.00%, 04/20/23	EUR	100	121,763
		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Diversified Telecommunication Services (continued)			
Telecom Italia Capital SA:			
6.38%, 11/15/33	USD	124	\$ 125,860
6.00%, 09/30/34		255	251,124
7.72%, 06/04/38		48	52,560
Telecom Italia SpA, 3.63%, 01/19/24	EUR	200	247,535
Verizon Communications, Inc. (e):			
6.40%, 02/15/38	USD	6,879	8,173,874
6.55%, 09/15/43		6,751	8,174,013
			26,502,096
Electric Utilities 6.1%			20,302,070
AES Corp., 5.50%, 04/15/25		59	60,622
Berkshire Hathaway Energy Co., 6.50%, 09/15/37 ^(e)		5,515	7,044,287
Black Hills Corp., 3.15%, 01/15/27		405	376,424
Celeo Redes Operacion Chile SA, 5.20%, 06/22/47 ^(a)		299	296,817
Cleveland Electric Illuminating Co., 5.95%, 12/15/36		434	513,620
CMS Energy Corp., 5.05%, 03/15/22 ^(e)		1,832	1,920,025
Duke Energy Carolinas LLC:			
6.10%, 06/01/37		640	787,521
6.00%, 01/15/38		1,675	2,067,669
4.25%, 12/15/41		750	766,954
Duke Energy Florida LLC, 6.40%, 06/15/38		770	997,157
E.ON International Finance BV, 6.65%, 04/30/38 ^(a)		3,100	3,777,666
Electricite de France SA, 5.60%, 01/27/40 ^{(a)(e)}		2,800	3,115,063
Enel Finance International NV, 3.63%, 05/25/27 ^(a)		1,250	1,151,074
Energuate Trust, 5.88%, 05/03/27 ^(a)		201	191,955
Eskom Holdings SOC Ltd., 6.35%, 08/10/28 ^(a)		401	400,904
Florida Power Corp., 6.35%, 09/15/37 ^(e)		2,775	3,583,076
Jersey Central Power & Light Co., 7.35%, 02/01/19		490	499,212
NextEra Energy Operating Partners LP ^(a) :			
4.25%, 09/15/24		100	97,500
4.50%, 09/15/27		28	26,600
Ohio Power Co., Series D, 6.60%, 03/01/33 ^(e)		3,000	3,836,553

PacifiCorp, 6.25%, 10/15/37(e)		1,225	1,557,175
Pampa Energia SA, 7.50%, 01/24/27 ^(a)		367	291,765
Public Service Co. of Colorado, Series 17, 6.25%, 09/01/37 ^(e)		2,550	3,268,884
Southern California Edison Co.:			
5.63%, 02/01/36 ^(e)		1,300	1,472,738
Series A, 5.95%, 02/01/38		2,175	2,582,706
Southern Co., 4.40%, 07/01/46		1,000	962,213
Talen Energy Supply LLC, 6.50%, 06/01/25		125	93,125
Virginia Electric & Power Co., Series A, 6.00%, 05/15/37 ^(e)		3,920	4,793,495
			46,532,800
Electrical Equipment 0.0%			
Anixter, Inc., 5.63%, 05/01/19		35	35,525
Areva SA, 4.88%, 09/23/24	EUR	50	61,665
			97,190
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components 0.3%			
CDW LLC/CDW Finance Corp.:			
5.50%, 12/01/24	USD	228	237,120
5.00%, 09/01/25		72	71,550
Corning, Inc., 4.38%, 11/15/57		2,000	1,799,870
Itron, Inc., 5.00%, 01/15/26 ^(a)		18	17,158
			2,125,698
Energy Equipment & Services 0.8%			
Calfrac Holdings LP, 8.50%, 06/15/26 ^(a)		101	96,203

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Security		(000)	V_{ϵ}	alue
Energy Equipment & Services (continued)				
CSI Compressco LP/CSI Compressco Finance, Inc., 7.50%, 04/01/25(a)	USD	234	\$ 235,	755
Ensco PLC:				
5.20%, 03/15/25		52	43,	,485
7.75%, 02/01/26		390	372,	450
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, 6.13%, 10/15/39 ^(e)		1,400	1,634,	,303
Gates Global LLC/Gates Global Co., 6.00%, 07/15/22 ^(a)		173	174,	730
Halliburton Co., 5.00%, 11/15/45		500	532,	764
McDermott Technology Americas, Inc./McDermott Technology U.S., Inc., 10.63%,				
05/01/24 ^(a)		176	187,	,273
Oceaneering International, Inc., 4.65%, 11/15/24		28	26,	,641
Pattern Energy Group, Inc., 5.88%, 02/01/24(a)		148	149,	,110
Pioneer Energy Services Corp., 6.13%, 03/15/22		133	116,	,375
Precision Drilling Corp.:				
6.50%, 12/15/21		38	38,	,874
7.75%, 12/15/23		50	52,	,875
5.25%, 11/15/24		90	85,	,725
SESI LLC, 7.75%, 09/15/24		140	144,	,900
Transocean, Inc.:				
5.80%, 10/15/22		286	283,	140
9.00%, 07/15/23 ^(a)		386	416,	
7.50%, 01/15/26 ^(a)		222	226,	
6.80%, 03/15/38		17	14,	,004
Trinidad Drilling Ltd., 6.63%, 02/15/25 ^(a)		169	167,	
USA Compression Partners LP/USA Compression Finance Corp., 6.88%, 04/01/26 ^(a)		198	204,	930
Weatherford International Ltd.:			ĺ	
7.75%, 06/15/21		450	441,	,000
8.25%, 06/15/23		115	106,	
6.50%, 08/01/36		75		,688
7.00%, 03/15/38		124	-	,240
5.95%, 04/15/42		128		,920
			,	
			5,991,	204
Environmental, Maintenance, & Security Service 0.1%			, ,	
Hulk Finance Corp., 7.00%, 06/01/26 ^(a)		184	176,	640
Tervita Escrow Corp., 7.63%, 12/01/21 ^(a)		276	286,	
Waste Pro USA, Inc., 5.50%, 02/15/26 ^(a)		134	129,	
			- ,	
			591.	955
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 1.2%			-	
ERP Operating LP, 4.50%, 06/01/45		1,155	1,195,	.061
Five Point Operating Co. LP/Five Point Capital Corp., 7.88%, 11/15/25 ^(a)		102	103,	
GEO Group, Inc.:		102	100,	

5.13%, 04/01/23		105	101,325
5.88%, 10/15/24		108	105,300
6.00%, 04/15/26		40	38,600
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HCP, Inc., 4.00%, 06/01/25 ^(e)		2,000	1,982,112
Hilton Domestic Operating Co., Inc.:			
4.25%, 09/01/24		127	123,507
5.13%, 05/01/26 ^(a)		155	155,194
Hilton Worldwide Finance LLC/Hilton Worldwide Finance Corp., 4.63%, 04/01/25		18	17,775
iStar, Inc.:			.,
		25	24,875
4.63%, 09/15/20			•
6.00%, 04/01/22		48	48,420
5.25%, 09/15/22		17	16,830
Marriott Ownership Resorts, Inc., 6.50%, 09/15/26 ^(a)		122	124,440
MGM Growth Properties Operating Partnership LP/MGP Finance Co-Issuer, Inc.:			
5.63%, 05/01/24		719	739,671
3.03 /0, 03/01/21		Par	755,071
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Security		(000)	Value
Equity Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) (continued)			
4.50%, 09/01/26	USD	374	\$ 356,235
4.50%, 01/15/28		235	216,646
MPT Operating Partnership LP/MPT Finance Corp.:			•
6.38%, 03/01/24		20	21,086
			·
5.50%, 05/01/24		30	30,375
5.00%, 10/15/27		105	102,900
NH Hotel Group SA, 3.75%, 10/01/23	EUR	128	155,462
Simon Property Group LP, 4.75%, 03/15/42	USD	1,670	1,784,799
Starwood Property Trust, Inc., 5.00%, 12/15/21		115	115,863
Trust F/1401, 6.95%, 01/30/44		476	484,925
			·
Ventas Realty LP, 4.13%, 01/15/26		870	864,722
VICI Properties 1 LLC/VICI FC, Inc., 8.00%, 10/15/23		100	110,611
			9,020,009
Food & Staples Retailing 0.2%			
Albertsons Cos. LLC/Safeway, Inc./New Albertson s, Inc./Albertson s LLC:			
6.63%, 06/15/24		59	56,935
5.75%, 03/15/25		68	61,540
	ELID		·
Casino Guichard Perrachon SA, 4.56%, 01/25/23	EUR	100	104,474
Rite Aid Corp., 6.13%, 04/01/23 ^(a)	USD	118	105,870
Walgreens Boots Alliance, Inc., 4.80%, 11/18/44		1,000	964,989
			1,293,808
Food Products 0.4%			, ,
Acosta, Inc., 7.75%, 10/01/22 ^(a)		95	42,988
)3	72,700
Aramark Services, Inc.:			4.40.505
4.75%, 06/01/26		151	148,735
$5.00\%, 02/01/28^{(a)}$		230	225,112
Arcor SAIC, 6.00%, 07/06/23 ^(a)		228	213,777
Chobani LLC/Chobani Finance Corp., Inc., 7.50%, 04/15/25 ^(a)		146	123,005
JBS USA LUX SA/JBS USA Finance, Inc. (a):		0	,000
·		274	262 725
5.88%, 07/15/24		274	263,725
5.75%, 06/15/25		460	434,700

6.75%, 02/15/28	223	214,080
MARB BondCo PLC, 7.00%, 03/15/24	200	188,252
Marfrig Holdings Europe BV, 8.00%, 06/08/23 ^(a)	222	223,665
Minerva Luxembourg SA, 6.50%, 09/20/26 ^(a)	222	197,860
Post Holdings, Inc. (a):		,
5.50%, 03/01/25	230	229,425
5.75%, 03/01/27	258	254,775
Simmons Foods, Inc., 7.75%, 01/15/24 ^(a)	81	83,228
		2,843,327
Health Care Equipment & Supplies 0.5%		
Avantor, Inc. ^(a) :		
6.00%, 10/01/24	1,012	1,027,180
9.00%, 10/01/25	345	355,781
Crimson Merger Sub, Inc., 6.63%, 05/15/22 ^(a)	903	886,069
DJO Finance LLC/DJO Finance Corp., 8.13%, 06/15/21 ^(a)	506	522,597
Immucor, Inc., 11.13%, 02/15/22 ^(a)	60	60,150
Mallinckrodt International Finance SA/Mallinckrodt CB LLC ^(a) :		
5.75%, 08/01/22	47	43,827
5.63%, 10/15/23	71	63,279
Medtronic, Inc., 4.50%, 03/15/42	750	782,628
Teleflex, Inc., 5.25%, 06/15/24	170	174,675
		3,916,186
Health Care Providers & Services 1.4%		- , , - 30
Acadia Healthcare Co., Inc.:		
5.63%, 02/15/23	96	97,920
6.50%, 03/01/24	198	205,177
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		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Health Care Providers & Services (continued)			
Aetna, Inc., 4.50%, 05/15/42	USD	575	\$ 572,051
AHP Health Partners, Inc., 9.75%, 07/15/26 ^(a)		84	87,990
Centene Corp.:			
6.13%, 02/15/24		359	377,399
5.38%, 06/01/26 ^(a)		858	885,739
CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc., 8.63%, 01/15/24 ^(a)		202	210,585
DaVita, Inc., 5.13%, 07/15/24		142	136,905
Eagle Holding Co. II LLC, (7.63% Cash or 8.38% PIK), 7.63%, 05/15/22 ^{(a)(f)}		177	179,213
Envision Healthcare Corp., 6.25%, 12/01/24 ^(a)		68	72,590
HCA, Inc.:			
4.75%, 05/01/23		18	18,293
5.00%, 03/15/24		570	582,825
5.25%, 04/15/25		880	907,500
5.25%, 06/15/26		323	332,690
5.38%, 09/01/26		215	216,075
5.63%, 09/01/28		228	228,570
5.50%, 06/15/47		585	586,462
HealthSouth Corp., 5.75%, 11/01/24		26	26,325
MEDNAX, Inc., 5.25%, 12/01/23 ^(a)		90	89,775
Molina Healthcare, Inc., 4.88%, 06/15/25 ^(a)		71	70,113
MPH Acquisition Holdings LLC, 7.13%, 06/01/24(a)		273	282,555
Northwell Healthcare, Inc., 4.26%, 11/01/47		725	699,059
NVA Holdings, Inc., 6.88%, 04/01/26 ^(a)		190	188,812
Polaris Intermediate Corp., (8.50% Cash), 8.50%, 12/01/22 ^{(a)(f)}		588	607,110
Regional Care Hospital Partners Holdings, Inc., 8.25%, 05/01/23 ^(a)		97	103,063
Sterigenics-Nordion Holdings LLC, 6.50%, 05/15/23 ^(a)		137	141,028
Surgery Center Holdings, Inc. (a):			,
8.88%, 04/15/21		98	102,043
6.75%, 07/01/25 ^(e)		183	176,595
Team Health Holdings, Inc., 6.38%, 02/01/25 ^{(a)(e)}		267	231,622
Tenet Healthcare Corp.:			,
7.50%, 01/01/22 ^(a)		118	123,568
8.13%, 04/01/22		802	847,112
6.75%, 06/15/23		268	268,000
4.63%, 07/15/24		509	498,581
Vizient, Inc., 10.38%, 03/01/24 ^(a)		228	249,090
WellCare Health Plans, Inc.:		0	2.2,020
5.25%, 04/01/25		58	59,305
5.38%, 08/15/26 ^(a)		189	194,670
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Change Healthcare Holdings LLC/Change Healthcare Finance, Inc., 5.75%, 03/01/25 ^(a) Quintiles IMS, Inc., 3.25%, 03/15/25 ^(a)	EUR	186 100	181,815 117,269
			299,084
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 2.3% Arcos Dorados Holdings, Inc., 5.88%, 04/04/27 ^(a)	USD	257	244,947
Boyd Gaming Corp., 6.00%, 08/15/26	CSD	116	116,870
Boyne USA, Inc., 7.25%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		57	60,420
Burger King France SAS (3 mo. Euribor + 5.25%), 5.25%, 05/01/23(b)	EUR	100	117,229
Churchill Downs, Inc., 4.75%, 01/15/28 ^(a)	USD	48	45,180
Codere Finance 2 Luxembourg SA, 6.75%, 11/01/21	EUR	100	109,110
CPUK Finance Ltd., 4.25%, 02/28/47	GBP	100	129,409
CRC Escrow Issuer LLC/CRC Finco, Inc., 5.25%, 10/15/25 ^(a)	USD	134	128,138
		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure (continued)			
Eldorado Resorts, Inc., 6.00%, 04/01/25	USD	67	\$ 68,089
ESH Hospitality, Inc., 5.25%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		142	137,563
GLP Capital LP/GLP Financing II, Inc.:			
5.38%, 11/01/23		90	94,725
5.25%, 06/01/25		26	27,040
5.38%, 04/15/26		42	43,615
5.75%, 06/01/28		6	6,359
Golden Nugget, Inc., 6.75%, 10/15/24 ^(a) International Come Technology PLC, 4.75%, 02/15/22	ELID	217	220,526
International Game Technology PLC, 4.75%, 02/15/23	EUR USD	100 50	125,947 47,750
IRB Holding Corp., 6.75%, 02/15/26 ^(a) KFC Holding Co./Pizza Hut Holdings LLC/Taco Bell of America LLC ^(a) :	USD	30	47,730
5.25%, 06/01/26		73	73,000
4.75%, 06/01/27		18	17,145
McDonald s Corp., 3.70%, 01/30/26		510	508,006
Melco Resorts Finance Ltd., 4.88%, 06/06/25 ^(a)		250	237,312
MGM Resorts International:			
6.63%, 12/15/21		635	671,513
7.75%, 03/15/22		171	187,886
4.63%, 09/01/26		12	11,310
New Red Finance, Inc. ^(a) :			
4.25%, 05/15/24		171	163,305
5.00%, 10/15/25		1,098	1,059,570
Sabre GLBL, Inc. (a):			
5.38%, 04/15/23		62	62,465
5.25%, 11/15/23		133	133,283
Scientific Games International, Inc.:		205	222.569
10.00%, 12/01/22		305	322,568
5.00%, 10/15/25 ^(a)	ELID	280 100	266,000
3.38%, 02/15/26 Six Flags Entertainment Corp., 4.88%, 07/31/24 ^(a)	EUR USD	187	110,983 183,728
Stars Group Holdings BV/Stars Group US Co-Borrower LLC, 7.00%, 07/15/26 ^(a)	USD	108	112,320
Station Casinos LLC, 5.00%, 10/01/25 ^(a)		177	171,026
Unique Pub Finance Co. PLC:		111	171,020
Series A3, 6.54%, 03/30/21	GBP	1,608	2,187,845
Series A4, 5.66%, 06/30/27		995	1,420,119

Series M, 7.40%, 03/28/24		3,000	4,288,977
Series N, 6.46%, 03/30/32		2,390	3,001,926
Vue International Bidco PLC, 7.88%, 07/15/20		100	129,930
Wyndham Destinations, Inc., 4.15%, 04/01/24	USD	6	5,928
Wyndham Hotels & Resorts, Inc., 5.38%, 04/15/26 ^(a)		76	75,430
Wyndham Worldwide Corp., 3.90%, 03/01/23		80	74,600
Wynn Macau Ltd., 5.50%, 10/01/27 ^(a)		400	378,000
Yum! Brands, Inc., 3.88%, 11/01/23		27	25,785
			17,602,877
Household Durables 0.5%			
Algeco Scotsman Global Finance PLC, 8.00%, 02/15/23(a)		600	616,500
Brookfield Residential Properties, Inc., 6.38%, 05/15/25 ^(a)		47	46,648
Century Communities, Inc., 6.88%, 05/15/22		375	383,925
K Hovnanian Enterprises, Inc., 10.00%, 07/15/22 ^(a)		143	143,000
Lennar Corp.:			
6.25%, 12/15/21		196	205,800
4.88%, 12/15/23		85	85,106
4.75%, 05/30/25		90	88,537
5.25%, 06/01/26		18	17,814
4.75%, 11/29/27		185	176,444
Mattamy Group Corp.(a):			
6.88%, 12/15/23		94	95,645

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Household Durables (continued) 6.50%, 10/01/25	USD	129	\$	127,091
MDC Holdings, Inc., 6.00%, 01/15/43	USD	72	Ф	61,920
Meritage Homes Corp., 5.13%, 06/06/27		52		48,230
Newell Brands, Inc., 4.20%, 04/01/26		1,000		965,499
PulteGroup, Inc., 6.38%, 05/15/33		216		210,600
Tempur Sealy International, Inc.:				210,000
5.63%, 10/15/23		2		2,000
5.50%, 06/15/26		67		65,325
TRI Pointe Group, Inc.:				
4.88%, 07/01/21		73		72,817
5.25%, 06/01/27		28		25,480
TRI Pointe Group, Inc./TRI Pointe Homes, Inc., 4.38%, 06/15/19		10		10,050
William Lyon Homes, Inc.:				
6.00%, 09/01/23 ^(a)		40		38,612
5.88%, 01/31/25		66		62,618
				3,549,661
Household Products 0.0%				
ACCO Brands Corp., 5.25%, 12/15/24 ^(a)		59		58,705
Prestige Brands, Inc., 6.38%, 03/01/24 ^(a)		42		42,380
				101,085
Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Producers 0.4%				101,083
AES Corp.:				
6.00%, 05/15/26		112		118,440
5.13%, 09/01/27		200		202,000
Calpine Corp.:		_00		202,000
5.38%, 01/15/23		170		161,500
5.88%, 01/15/24 ^(a)		173		174,514
5.75%, 01/15/25		100		90,750
5.25%, 06/01/26 ^(a)		581		548,510
Colbun SA, 3.95%, 10/11/27 ^(a)		200		189,062
Dynegy, Inc., 7.63%, 11/01/24		76		81,700
Genneia SA, 8.75%, 01/20/22 ^(a)		370		320,050
NRG Energy, Inc.:				
6.63%, 01/15/27		623		651,814
5.75%, 01/15/28 ^(a)		42		42,420
NRG Yield Operating LLC, 5.38%, 08/15/24		155		155,775
TerraForm Power Operating LLC ^(a) :				·
4.25%, 01/31/23		63		61,425
6.63%, 06/15/25 ⁽ⁱ⁾		15		15,975
5.00%, 01/31/28		128		119,840

			2,933,775
Industrial Conglomerates 0.6%			
Apergy Corp., 6.38%, 05/01/26 ^(a)		72	73,620
BWX Technologies, Inc., 5.38%, 07/15/26 ^(a)		109	110,090
General Electric Co.:			2 000 642
6.75%, 03/15/32 ^(e)		2,500	3,099,642
6.88%, 01/10/39		135	170,712
Smiths Group PLC, 3.63%, 10/12/22 ^(a)		360	357,181
Vertiv Group Corp., 9.25%, 10/15/24 ^(a)		363	372,982
			4 10 4 227
Insurance 2.6%			4,184,227
		1 405	1 454 272
Allied World Assurance Co. Holdings Ltd., 4.35%, 10/29/25		1,495	1,454,373
American International Group, Inc., 3.75%, 07/10/25 ^(e)		3,380	3,301,708
AmWINS Group, Inc., 7.75%, 07/01/26 ^(a)		114	120,127
Aon PLC:		1 445	1 446 010
3.88%, 12/15/25		1,445	1,446,919
4.60%, 06/14/44		500	500,352
Ardonagh Midco 3 PLC, 8.63%, 07/15/23 ^(a)		200	203,000
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Security		(000)	Value
Insurance (continued)		400 0	407.050
Assicurazioni Generali SpA(3 mo. Euribor + 7.11%), 7.75%, 12/12/42 ^(g)	EUR	100 \$	135,372
AssuredPartners, Inc., 7.00%, 08/15/25 ^(a)	USD	10	9,800
AXA SA(3 mo. Euribor + 3.05%), 5.25%, 04/16/40 ^(g)	EUR	500	622,269
Five Corners Funding Trust, 4.42%, 11/15/23 ^{(a)(e)}	USD	2,050	2,115,940
Groupama SA, 6.00%, 01/23/27	EUR	100	140,161
Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc., 5.13%, 04/15/22	USD	1,860	1,962,824
HUB International Ltd., 7.00%, 05/01/26 ^(a)		240	238,452
Liberty Mutual Group, Inc., 6.50%, 05/01/42 ^{(a)(e)}		2,000	2,483,567
Muenchener Rueckversicherungs AG(3 mo. Euribor + 3.50%), 6.00%, 05/26/41 ^(g)	EUR	400	531,439
Nationwide Building Society, 4.13%, 10/18/32 ^{(a)(c)}	USD	720	664,992
Prudential Financial, Inc.:			
5.90%, 03/17/36		500	579,220
5.70%, 12/14/36 ^(e)		1,625	1,886,925
Teachers Insurance & Annuity Association of America, 4.27%, 05/15/47 ^(a)		700	691,121
USIS Merger Sub, Inc., 6.88%, 05/01/25 ^(a)		41	40,795
Wand Merger Corp. (a):			
8.13%, 07/15/23		164	170,150
9.13%, 07/15/26		111	115,579
Wayne Merger Sub LLC, 8.25%, 08/01/23 ^(a)		625	648,437
			20,063,522
Internet Software & Services 0.1%			
Equinix, Inc.:			
2.88%, 03/15/24	EUR	100	116,825
5.88%, 01/15/26	USD	273	283,238
Netflix, Inc.:			
4.38%, 11/15/26		65	61,242
5.88%, 11/15/28 ^(a)		255	255,589

Rackspace Hosting, Inc., 8.63%, 11/15/24 ^(a) Symantec Corp., 5.00%, 04/15/25 ^(a) United Group BV, 4.38%, 07/01/22	EUR	99 124 126	97,453 122,980 150,873
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IT Services 0.5% Banff Merger Sub, Inc.:			
8.38%, 09/01/26		100	116,679
9.75%, 09/01/26 ^(a)	USD	753	754,882
Fidelity National Information Services, Inc., 4.50%, 08/15/46		1,000	965,073
First Data Corp. (a):			
7.00%, 12/01/23		491	510,885
5.00%, 01/15/24		220	220,451
5.75%, 01/15/24		1,015	1,035,300
Gartner, Inc., 5.13%, 04/01/25 ^(a)		141	142,763
WEX, Inc., 4.75%, 02/01/23 ^(a)		105	105,394
			3,851,427
Leisure Products 0.0%			3,631,427
Mattel, Inc.:			
6.75%, 12/31/25 ^(a)		232	227,230
6.20%, 10/01/40		48	39,960
5.45%, 11/01/41		28	22,540
			289,730
Life Sciences Tools & Services 0.1%			
Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc., 5.30%, 02/01/44		1,000	1,117,589
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Machinery 0.2%		102	102 510
Mueller Water Products, Inc., 5.50%, 06/15/26 ^(a)	ELID	102	102,510
Platin 1426 GmbH, 5.38%, 06/15/23 RBS Global, Inc./Rexnord LLC, 4.88%, 12/15/25 ^(a)	EUR USD	100 194	114,434 186,725
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5.63%, 08/15/24	USD	115	\$ 115,288
5.88%, 08/15/26		75	75,750
Terex Corp., 5.63%, 02/01/25 ^(a)		345	342,412
Titan Acquisition Ltd./Titan Co-Borrower LLC, 7.75%, 04/15/26 ^(a)		429	368,275
Wabash National Corp., 5.50%, 10/01/25 ^(a)		176	167,200
			1,472,594
Marine 0.3%			
Nakilat, Inc., Series A, 6.07%, 12/31/33 ^(a)		2,150	2,348,832
Media 4.9%			
21st Century Fox America, Inc., 7.63%, 11/30/28		385	483,197
Altice Financing SA ^(a) :			
6.63%, 02/15/23		200	201,248
7.50%, 05/15/26		207	197,685
Altice France SA:			
7.38%, 05/01/26 ^(a)		699	686,767
5.88%, 02/01/27	EUR	102	122,619
8.13%, 02/01/27 ^(a)	USD	512	519,680
Altice Luxembourg SA, 7.75%, 05/15/22 ^(a)		642	618,727
Altice US Finance I Corp. (a):			
5.38%, 07/15/23		770	774,812
5.50%, 05/15/26		559	549,217
AMC Networks, Inc.:			
5.00%, 04/01/24		114	112,148
4.75%, 08/01/25		66	63,690
Cablevision SA, 6.50%, 06/15/21 ^(a)		222	208,181
Cablevision Systems Corp., 8.00%, 04/15/20		325	342,062
CBS Radio, Inc., 7.25%, 11/01/24 ^(a)		10	9,575
CCO Holdings LLC/CCO Holdings Capital Corp.(a):			
5.13%, 05/01/23		73	73,000
5.13%, 05/01/27		1,273	1,214,124
5.00%, 02/01/28		219	205,100
Cequel Communications Holdings I LLC/Cequel Capital Corp.(a):			
5.13%, 12/15/21		458	457,596
7.75%, 07/15/25		360	382,950
7.50%, 04/01/28		342	356,535
Charter Communications Operating LLC/Charter Communications Operating Capital,			
4.91%, 07/23/25		4,700	4,799,731
Clear Channel International BV, 8.75%, 12/15/20 ^(a)		317	327,303
Clear Channel Worldwide Holdings, Inc.:			

6.50%, 11/15/22 Series B, 7.63%, 03/15/20		1,561 443	1,591,877 444,661
Comcast Cable Communications Holdings, Inc., 9.46%, 11/15/22 ^(e)		2,600	3,192,270
Comcast Corp.:		2,000	3,172,270
6.45%, 03/15/37		790	956,883
4.60%, 08/15/45		2,000	1,971,446
CSC Holdings LLC:		_,000	1,5 / 1, 1 . 0
10.13%, 01/15/23 ^(a)		990	1,084,050
5.25%, 06/01/24		398	386,060
10.88%, 10/15/25 ^(a)		964	1,121,855
Discovery Communications LLC:			,
3.25%, 04/01/23		1,850	1,798,031
3.45%, 03/15/25		210	201,172
DISH DBS Corp.:			
6.75%, 06/01/21		350	355,250
5.88%, 07/15/22		619	594,240
5.00%, 03/15/23		264	234,960
5.88%, 11/15/24		36	31,320
7.75%, 07/01/26		163	147,108
		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Media (continued)			
DISH Network Corp., 3.38%, 08/15/26 ^(h)	USD	155 \$	145,793
DKT Finance ApS, 7.00%, 06/17/23	EUR	142	175,567
eircom Finance DAC, 4.50%, 05/31/22		100	118,640
GTT Communications, Inc., 7.88%, 12/31/24 ^(a)	USD	36	34,020
Hughes Satellite Systems Corp.:			
7.63%, 06/15/21		64	68,880
5.25%, 08/01/26		214	204,638
Inmarsat Finance PLC, 4.88%, 05/15/22 ^(a)		100	100,250
Intelsat Connect Finance SA, 9.50%, 02/15/23 ^(a)		152	151,498
Intelsat Jackson Holdings SA:		440	401 269
5.50%, 08/01/23		440 552	401,368
9.75%, 07/15/25 ^(a) Intellect S.A. 4.50%, 06/15/25 ^(a) (b)		552 29	584,430
Intelsat SA, 4.50%, 06/15/25 ^{(a)(h)} Interpublic Group of Cos., Inc., 3.75%, 02/15/23		2,000	43,156 1,971,679
Level 3 Parent LLC, 5.75%, 12/01/22		2,000	223,665
LGE HoldCo VI BV, 7.13%, 05/15/24	EUR	100	124,360
MDC Partners, Inc., 6.50%, 05/01/24 ^(a)	USD	228	204,345
Meredith Corp., 6.88%, 02/01/26 ^(a)	CSD	110	111,375
Midcontinent Communications/Midcontinent Finance Corp., 6.88%, 08/15/23 ^(a)		148	155,585
Nielsen Finance LLC/Nielsen Finance Co., 5.00%, 04/15/22 ^(a)		178	172,847
Qualitytech LP/QTS Finance Corp., 4.75%, 11/15/25 ^(a)		104	99,320
Radiate Holdco LLC/Radiate Finance, Inc., 6.88%, 02/15/23 ^(a)		43	41,495
Sirius XM Radio, Inc., 5.00%, 08/01/27 ^(a)		162	156,531
TCI Communications, Inc., 7.88%, 02/15/26 ^(e)		610	749,713
TEGNA, Inc., 5.50%, 09/15/24 ^(a)		45	45,788
Telenet Finance Luxembourg Notes Sarl, 5.50%, 03/01/28 ^(a)		200	187,000
Telenet Finance VI Luxembourg SCA, 4.88%, 07/15/27	EUR	90	112,010
Telesat Canada/Telesat LLC, 8.88%, 11/15/24 ^(a)	USD	167	178,899
Time Warner, Inc., 6.10%, 07/15/40		830	895,220

Tribune Media Co., 5.88%, 07/15/22		186	188,790
Univision Communications, Inc. (a):			
5.13%, 05/15/23		182	172,900
5.13%, 02/15/25		52	47,710
UPCB Finance IV Ltd., 4.00%, 01/15/27	EUR	90	107,189
Viacom, Inc., 5.85%, 09/01/43	USD	645	671,975
Videotron Ltd., 5.13%, 04/15/27 ^(a)		222	219,780
Virgin Media Finance PLC, 5.75%, 01/15/25 ^(a)		315	303,581
Virgin Media Receivables Financing Notes I DAC, 5.50%, 09/15/24	GBP	100	128,854
Virgin Media Secured Finance PLC:			
5.25%, 01/15/26 ^(a)	USD	303	294,728
4.88%, 01/15/27	GBP	100	125,918
Ziggo Bond Finance BV, 5.88%, 01/15/25 ^(a)	USD	260	242,775
Ziggo Secured Finance BV, 5.50%, 01/15/27 ^(a)		150	141,282
			36,920,684
Metals & Mining 0.9%			
Alcoa Nederland Holding BV, 6.13%, 05/15/28 ^(a)		200	206,500
Big River Steel LLC/BRS Finance Corp., 7.25%, 09/01/25 ^(a)		121	126,751
Cleveland-Cliffs, Inc., 4.88%, 01/15/24 ^(a)		131	127,725
Constellium NV ^(a) :			
5.75%, 05/15/24		582	579,817
5.88%, 02/15/26		269	263,620
Freeport-McMoRan, Inc.:			
4.00%, 11/14/21		121	119,752
3.55%, 03/01/22		530	511,450
3.88%, 03/15/23		613	589,246

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BlackRock Core Bond Trust (BHK)

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		Par	
Security		(000)	Value
Metals & Mining (continued)			
5.40%, 11/14/34	USD	332	\$ 306,582
5.45%, 03/15/43		651	580,757
Grinding Media, Inc./Moly-Cop AltaSteel Ltd., 7.38%, 12/15/23 ^(a)		299	313,857
Joseph T Ryerson & Son, Inc., 11.00%, 05/15/22 ^(a)		115	126,788
Novelis Corp.(a):			
6.25%, 08/15/24		525	531,562
5.88%, 09/30/26		334	325,249
Nyrstar Netherlands Holdings BV, 6.88%, 03/15/24	EUR	100	103,149
Rio Tinto Finance USA PLC, 4.75%, 03/22/42	USD	400	428,832
Steel Dynamics, Inc.:			
5.25%, 04/15/23		40	40,612
5.50%, 10/01/24		48	49,200
4.13%, 09/15/25		142	135,255
SunCoke Energy Partners LP/SunCoke Energy Partners Finance Corp., 7.50%, 06/15/25 ^(a)		193	201,203
Teck Resources Ltd.:			
5.20%, 03/01/42		312	292,110
5.40%, 02/01/43			