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Annual Report July 31, 2015

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Chairman s Letter

to Shareholders

Dear Shareholders,

For better or for worse, the financial markets have spent the past year waiting for the U.S. Federal Reserve (Fed) to end its ultra-loose monetary policy. The policy has propped up stock and bond markets since the Great Recession, but the question remains: how will markets behave without its influence? This uncertainty has been a considerable source of volatility for stock and bond prices lately, despite the Fed carefully conveying its intention to raise rates slowly and only when the economy shows evidence of readiness.

A large consensus expects at least one rate hike before the end of 2015. After all, the U.S. has reached full employment by the Fed s standards and growth has resumed albeit unevenly. But the picture remains somewhat uncertain. Inflation has remained stubbornly low, most recently weighed down by an unexpectedly sharp decline in commodity prices since mid-2014. With the Fed poised to tighten and foreign central banks easing, the U.S. dollar has surged against other currencies, which has weighed on corporate earnings and further contributed to commodity price weakness. U.S. consumers have benefited from an improved labor market and lower prices at the gas pump, but the overall pace of economic expansion has been lackluster.

Nevertheless, the global recovery continues to be led by the United States. Policy makers around the world are deploying their available tools to try to bolster Europe and Japan's fragile growth, and manage China's slowdown. Contagion fears ebb and flow with the headlines about Greece and China. Greece reluctantly agreed to a third bailout package from the European Union in July and China's central bank and government intervened aggressively to try to stem the sell-off in stock prices. But persistent structural problems in these economies will continue to garner market attention.

Wall Street is fond of saying markets don t like uncertainty, and asset prices are likely to continue to churn in the current macro environment. In times like these, you can look to a professional investment manager with the experience and discipline to maintain the proper perspective on short-term events. And if the daily headlines do concern you, I encourage you to reach out to your financial advisor. Your financial advisor can help you evaluate your investment strategies in light of current events, your time horizon and risk tolerance. On behalf of the other members of the Nuveen Fund Board, we look forward to continuing to earn your trust in the months and years ahead.

Sincerely,

William J. Schneider

Chairman of the Board

September 21, 2015

Portfolio Managers

Comments

Nuveen Senior Income Fund (NSL)

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund (JFR)

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Opportunity Fund (JRO)

Nuveen Short Duration Credit Opportunities Fund (JSD)

Nuveen Credit Strategies Income Fund (JQC)

The Funds investment portfolios are managed by Symphony Asset Management, LLC (Symphony), an affiliate of Nuveen Investments, Inc. Gunther Stein, who serves as the firm s Chief Investment Officer and Chief Executive Officer, and Scott Caraher manage NSL, JFR and JRO. Gunther and Sutanto Widjaja manage JQC, while JSD is managed by Gunther, Scott and Jenny Rhee.

Effective September 30, 2015 (subsequent to the close of this reporting period), NSL, JFR, JRO, JSD and JQC will be able to invest up to 5% in iBOXX Loan Total Return Swaps. For NSL, JFR and JRO, investment in iBOXX Loan Total Return Swaps will not count for the purpose of meeting the minimum 80% loan tests until after November 30, 2015.

Here the team discusses the U.S. economic and equity market conditions, their management strategies and the performance of the Funds for the twelve-month reporting period ended July 31, 2015.

What factors affected the U.S. economy and domestic and global markets during the twelve-month reporting period ended July 31, 2015?

During this reporting period, the U.S. economy continued to expand at a moderate pace. The Federal Reserve (Fed) maintained efforts to bolster growth and promote progress toward its mandates of maximum employment and price stability by holding the benchmark fed funds rate at the record low level of zero to 0.25% that it established in December 2008. At its October 2014 meeting, the Fed announced that it would end its bond-buying stimulus program as of November 1, 2014, after tapering its monthly asset purchases of mortgage-backed and longer-term Treasury securities from the original \$85 billion per month to \$15 billion per month over the course of seven consecutive meetings (December 2013 through September 2014). In making the announcement, the Fed cited substantial improvement in the outlook for the labor market since the inception of the current asset purchase program as well as sufficient underlying strength in the broader economy to support ongoing progress toward maximum employment in a context of price stability. The Fed also reiterated that it would continue to look at a wide range of factors, including labor market conditions, indicators of inflationary pressures and readings on financial developments, in determining future actions. Additionally, the Fed stated that it would likely maintain the current target range for the fed funds rate for a considerable time after the end of the asset purchase program, especially if projected inflation continues to run below the

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Portfolio Managers Comments (continued)

Fed s 2% longer run goal. However, if economic data shows faster progress, the Fed indicated that it could raise the fed funds rate sooner than expected.

The Fed changed its language slightly in December, indicating it would be patient in normalizing monetary policy. This shift helped ease investors worries that the Fed might raise rates too soon. However, as employment data released early in the year continued to look strong, anticipation began building that the Fed could raise its main policy rate as soon as June. As widely expected, after its March meeting, the Fed eliminated patient from its statement but also highlighted the policy makers less optimistic view of the economy s overall health as well as downgraded their inflation projections. The Fed s April meeting seemed to further signal that a June rate hike was off the table. While the Fed attributed the first quarter s economic weakness to temporary factors, the meeting minutes from April revealed that many Committee members believed the economic data available in June would be insufficient to meet the Fed s criteria for initiating a rate increase. The June meeting bore out that presumption, and the Fed decided to keep the target rate near zero. But the Committee also continued to telegraph the likelihood of at least one rate increase in 2015, which many analysts forecasted for September. During the September 2015 meeting (subsequent to the close of this reporting period), the Fed decided to keep the federal funds rate near zero despite broad speculation it would increase rates. The Committee said it will keep the rate near zero until the economy has seen further improvement toward reaching the Fed s goals of maximum employment and inflation approaching two percent.

According to the government s revised estimate, the U.S. economy increased at a 3.7% annualized rate in the second quarter of 2015, as measured by GDP, compared with a decrease of 0.6% in the first quarter of 2015 and increases of 5.0% in the third quarter 2014 and 2.2% in the fourth quarter 2014. The increase in real GDP in the second quarter reflected positive contributions from personal consumption expenditures, exports, state and local government spending, and residential fixed investment that were partly offset by negative contributions from federal government spending, private inventory investment, and nonresidential fixed investment. The Consumer Price Index (CPI) increased 0.1% year-over-year as of July 2015. The core CPI (which excludes food and energy) increased 0.1% during the same period, below the Fed s unofficial longer term inflation objective of 2.0%. As of July 2015, the U.S. unemployment rate was 5.3%, a level not seen since mid-2008. This figure is also considered full employment by some Fed officials. The housing market continued to post consistent gains as of its most recent reading in June 2015. The average home price in the S&P/Case-Shiller Index of 20 major metropolitan areas rose 4.5% for the twelve months ended June 2015 (most recent data available at the time this report was prepared).

For the reporting period, assets across the credit risk spectrum posted positive returns as investor appetite for credit risk returned to the market and risk aversion appeared to subside. However, while broad market performance was admirable for the reporting period, it came with volatility as oil price moves continued to drive large swings in market sentiment, especially within high yield bond markets. Additionally concerns around the pace of domestic and global economic growth, continued signs of weakness out of China, Greece s continuing debt crisis, a strengthening dollar and geopolitical concerns emanating from the Middle East appeared to further provoke market uncertainty. Also contributing to the volatility among risk assets was a dovish Fed and overall fluid expectations by market participants surrounding the timing of rate hikes in the U.S.

At the top of the capital structure, loan markets as measured by the Credit Suisse Leverage Loan Index posted positive returns for the reporting period and outperformed high yield bonds. On the heels of persistent technical weakness toward the end of 2014 the loan market had rallied closer to par by the end of the reporting period as the pace of retail outflows materially slowed and institutional demand, predominantly collateralized loan obligation (CLO) issuance, remained strong. In addition, the overall light supply in new issuance for the first quarter helped drive prices higher on continued demand for loan assets. Default rates remain below historical levels.

Moving down the capital structure to the high yield corporate bond markets, the reporting period also finished on a positive note. Following an intense bout of volatility and risk aversion led by the energy sector at the end of 2014, the high yield markets rebounded nicely. While the market remained wary of when oil prices would find a floor and the subsequent effect of lower oil prices on the credit worthiness of many energy sector names, the perception that lower oil prices ultimately would benefit the consumer led to outperformance. Default rates remain below historical levels.

What strategies were used to manage the Funds during the twelve-month reporting period ended July 31, 2015?

NSL, JFR and JRO have similar investment objectives and strategies. Each Fund is designed to seek a high level of current income by primarily investing in a portfolio of adjustable rate, senior secured corporate loans. The Funds also may invest in unsecured senior loans, other debt securities, equity securities and warrants acquired in connection with an investment in senior loans. A significant portion of each Fund s assets may be invested in instruments that, at the time of investment, are rated below investment grade or are unrated but judged by Symphony to be of comparable quality to below investment grade.

JSD seeks to provide current income and the potential for capital appreciation. The Fund invests primarily in a blended portfolio of below investment grade adjustable rate corporate debt instruments, including senior secured loans, second lien loans and other adjustable rate corporate debt instruments. The Fund may also make limited tactical investments in other types of debt instruments and may enter into tactical short positions consisting of primarily high yield debt. Under normal market conditions the Fund maintains a portfolio with an average duration that does not exceed two years.

JQC invests at least 70% of its assets in senior secured and second lien loans, and up to 30% of its assets opportunistically over the credit cycle in other types of securities across a company s capital structure. These other securities primarily include income-oriented securities such as high yield corporate and convertible bonds as well as common stocks. The Fund maintained exposure to senior loans during the reporting period, while tactically allocating between high yield corporate bonds, equity securities and convertible bonds. Exposure consisted of mainly U.S. issuers, and was focused on companies that, in general, had high levels of tangible assets, predictable revenue streams, significant market share within their respective industries and positive free cash flow.

How did the Funds perform during this twelve-month reporting period ended July 31, 2015?

The tables in the Performance Overview and Holding Summaries section of this report provide total return performance for each Fund for the one-year, five-year, ten-year and/or since inception periods ended July 31, 2015. The Fund s total return at net asset value (NAV) is compared with the performance of a corresponding market index. For the twelve-month reporting period ended July 31, 2015, NSL, JFR, JRO, JSD and JQC underperformed the Credit Suisse Leveraged Loan Index.

Across all five Funds, our top and bottom performing individual security positions and industry groups were similar. As a result, for NSL, JFR, JRO, JSD and JQC the hotels, restaurants & leisure, food & staples retailing and internet software & services industry groups contributed positively to absolute performance. However, these could not offset the Funds individual security positions in the oil, gas & consumable fuels and media industry groups, which contributed to the Funds underperformance. Overall, industry group and individual positions discussed were similarly weighted across all five Funds during the reporting period.

In the food & staples retailing industry, the loans of Albertson s and US Foods benefited performance. In our opinion, this industry has historically been more defensive during periods of volatility. We believe these loans offer an attractive coupon relative to the rest of the industry and broad market. Both the industry and the companies performed well during the reporting period. We anticipate the loans will continue to be a core position in our portfolios in the near term. In addition, Drumm Investors LLC, (Golden Living), a health care facilities company, benefited performance as reimbursements stabilized and the company continued to perform. For JSD, our credit default swap position in Avon Products Inc. also contributed.

Specific holdings that detracted from performance included positions in Millennium Laboratories, Inc. Additionally, our energy holdings were key detractors for the reporting period. While we began reducing our exposure to the sector ahead of the steep decline in oil prices, we continued to maintain modest exposures that detracted from overall performance. Specifically, the loans of Fieldwood Energy, LLC and Drill Rigs Holdings Inc. weighed on performance during the reporting period. Also detracting from performance were the diversified media and entertainment company bonds of Clear Channel Communications, Inc. The loans and bonds were impacted as riskier assets experienced a sell-off during the second half of the reporting period.

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In addition, spreads widened during the reporting period, negatively impacting performance as the market experienced increased volatility. The biggest drivers of the volatility were overall risk aversion and global macro concerns such as Greece potentially exiting the European Union and a weakening Chinese economy. The overall impact of these events were negative on credit risk assets.

Despite overall risk aversion spreading into loan markets, in our view, loans continue to be a compelling investment opportunity given their duration profile and overall lower sensitivity to Treasury rate volatility. We continue to believe that in the face of rising volatility around geopolitical risks and the prospect for the Fed raising interest rates at the end of 2015, that loans are positioned to perform well relative to other asset classes. We also feel the market volatility experienced in the wake of the global macro related issues, as opposed to underlying deterioration of credits in the names we hold, will continue in the near term and presents our strategies with compelling new investment opportunities.

For JSD we also continued to invest in credit default swaps, which were used to provide a benefit if particular bonds credit quality worsened. These contracts had a negligible effect on performance.

All of these Funds have owned, or currently own, loans with the LIBOR floor feature. The coupon on most senior loans consists of both LIBOR (usually 90-day U.S. LIBOR) plus a spread. For example, a senior loan might have a coupon structure of LIBOR plus 400 basis points (bp) in which the coupon consists of 90-day LIBOR, plus 400bp. Given today s relatively low LIBOR rate, however, many issuers have put in place LIBOR floors to enhance the yield (and satisfy demand from investors) for newly issued loans. LIBOR floors, as the name suggests, put a floor on the reference LIBOR rate. LIBOR floors typically range from 150bp to 50bp. A loan with a LIBOR floor might have a structure of LIBOR + 400bp with a 100bp LIBOR floor. In this example, the effective coupon is 5% (100bp + 400bp as long as LIBOR is less than or equal to 100bp). As a result, as LIBOR rises from current levels, the yield on a senior loan with a LIBOR floor will not rise in lockstep until after the reference LIBOR rate exceeds the LIBOR floor. Although many loans have LIBOR floors (the asset class is one of the few that will float when interest rates begin to rise), we believe the senior loan asset class provides fixed income oriented investors with a potential safeguard from a secular rise in interest rates.

Fund

Leverage

IMPACT OF THE FUNDS LEVERAGE STRATEGIES ON PERFORMANCE

One important factor impacting the returns of the Funds relative to their benchmarks was the Funds use of leverage through the use of bank borrowings, Variable Rate Term Preferred (VRTP) Shares for NSL, JFR and JRO and reverse repurchase agreements for JQC. The Funds use leverage because our research has shown that, over time, leveraging provides opportunities for additional income and total return for common shareholders. However, use of leverage also can expose common shareholders to additional volatility. For example, as the prices of securities held by a Fund decline, the negative impact of these valuation changes on common share NAV and common shareholder total return is magnified by the use of leverage. Conversely, leverage may enhance common share returns during periods when the prices of securities held by a Fund generally are rising. The Funds—use of leverage had a positive impact on performance during this reporting period.

The Funds also used interest rate swap contracts to partially fix the interest cost of leverage, which as mentioned previously, is through bank borrowings and or VRTP Shares. During the reporting period, NSL, JFR, JRO and JQC unwound their respective swap contracts. JSD began the reporting period with three swap contracts, one of which matured and another was unwound prior to the end of the reporting period. The swap contracts held by NSL, JFR, JRO and JQC had an overall negligible impact on Fund performance, while JSD s swap contracts detracted from overall Fund performance.

As of July 31, 2015, the Funds percentages of leverage are shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC
Effective Leverage*	38.14%	38.18%	38.21%	31.18%	37.30%
Regulatory Leverage*	38.14%	38.18%	38.21%	31.18%	32.25%

^{*}Effective leverage is a Fund s effective economic leverage, and includes both regulatory leverage and the leverage effects of certain derivative and other investments in a Fund s portfolio that increase the Fund s investment exposure. Regulatory leverage consists of preferred shares issued or borrowings of a Fund. Both of these are part of a Fund s capital structure. Regulatory leverage is subject to asset coverage limits set forth in the Investment Company Act of 1940.

THE FUNDS REGULATORY LEVERAGE

Bank Borrowings

The Funds employ regulatory leverage through the use of bank borrowings. As of July 31, 2015, the Funds outstanding bank borrowings are as shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC
Bank Borrowings	\$ 112,500,000	\$ 270,300,000	\$188,800,000	\$85,200,000	\$ 640,000,000
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Refer to Notes to Financial Statements, Note 9 Borrowing Arrangements for further details.

Variable Rate Term Preferred Shares

In addition to bank borrowings, NSL, JFR, and JRO also issued VRTP Shares. As of July 31, 2015, the Funds outstanding VRTP Shares are as shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO
VRTP Shares, at liquidation value	\$ 58,000,000	\$ 139,000,000	\$ 98,000,000
Refer to Notes to Financial Statements, Note 4	Fund Shares, Preferred Shares for	or further details on	VRTP Shares.

Common Share

Information

COMMON SHARE DISTRIBUTION INFORMATION

The following information regarding the Funds distributions is current as of July 31, 2015. Each Fund s distribution levels may vary over time based on each Fund s investment activity and portfolio investment value changes.

During the current reporting period, each Fund s distributions to common shareholders were as shown in the accompanying table.

	Per Common Share Amounts					
Ex-Dividend Date	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC	
August 2014	\$ 0.0350	\$ 0.0600	\$ 0.0630	\$ 0.0970	\$ 0.0435	
September	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0435	
October	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0435	
November	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0435	
December	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0435	
January	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0435	
February	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0485	
March	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0485	
April	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0485	
May	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0485	
June	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0500	
July 2015	0.0350	0.0600	0.0630	0.0970	0.0500	
Long-Term Capital Gain*	\$	\$	\$	\$ 0.0376	\$	
Current Distribution Rate**	6.62%	6.75%	6.99%	7.09%	6.98%	

^{*}Distribution paid in December 2014.

Each Fund in this report seeks to pay regular monthly dividends out of its net investment income at a rate that reflects its past and projected net income performance. To permit each Fund to maintain a more stable monthly dividend, the Fund may pay dividends at a rate that may be more or less than the amount of net income actually earned by the Fund during the period. If a Fund has cumulatively earned more than it has paid in dividends, it will hold the excess in reserve as undistributed net investment income (UNII) as part of the Fund s net asset value. Conversely, if a Fund has cumulatively paid in dividends more than it has earned, the excess will constitute a negative UNII that will likewise be reflected in the Fund s net asset value. Each Fund will, over time, pay all its net investment income as dividends to shareholders.

As of July 31, 2015, all of the Funds had positive UNII balances for tax purposes. JQC had a positive UNII balance while the remaining four Funds had a negative UNII balance for financial reporting purposes.

^{**}Current distribution rate is based on the Fund s current annualized monthly distribution divided by the Fund s current market price. The Fund s monthly distributions to its shareholders may be comprised of ordinary income, net realized capital gains and, if at the end of the fiscal year the Fund s cumulative net ordinary income and net realized gains are less than the amount of the Fund s distributions, a return of capital for tax purposes.

All monthly dividends paid by each Fund during the current reporting period were paid from net investment income. If a portion of the Fund s monthly distributions was sourced from or comprised of elements other than net investment income, including capital gains and/or a return of capital, shareholders would have received a notice to that effect. For financial reporting purposes, the composition and per share amounts of each Fund s dividends for the reporting period are presented in this report s Statement of Changes in Net Assets and Financial Highlights, respectively. For income tax purposes, distribution information for each Fund as of its most recent tax year end is presented in Note 6 Income Tax Information within the Notes to Financial Statements of this report.

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COMMON SHARE REPURCHASES

During August 2015 (subsequent to the close of this reporting period), the Funds Board of Trustees reauthorized an open-market share repurchase program, allowing each Fund to repurchase an aggregate of up to approximately 10% of its outstanding shares.

As of July 31, 2015, and since the inception of the Funds repurchase programs, the Funds have cumulatively repurchased and retired their outstanding common shares as shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC
Common shares cumulatively					
repurchased and retired	0	147,593	19,400	0	4,500,400
Common shares authorized for					
repurchase	3,865,000	5,515,000	3,850,000	1,010,000	13,605,000

During the current reporting period, the Funds repurchased and retired common shares at a weighted average price per share and a weighted average discount per common share as shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC
Common shares repurchased and retired	0	0	0	0	144,208
Weighted average price per common share repurchased					
and retired	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$8.57
Weighted average discount per common share repurchased					
and retired	0%	0%	0%	0%	13.77%

COMMON SHARE EQUITY SHELF PROGRAMS

During the reporting period, the following Funds were authorized to issue additional shares through their ongoing equity shelf programs. Under these programs, each Fund, subject to market conditions, may raise additional capital from time to time in varying amounts and offering methods at a net price or above the Fund s net asset value (NAV) per common share. Under the equity shelf programs, the Funds were authorized to issue the following number of additional common shares:

	JSD	JQC
Additional common shares authorized	1,000,000	13,600,000

During the current reporting period, the Funds did not sell any common shares through their equity shelf programs.

As of November 30, 2014, the Funds shelf offering registration statement are no longer effective. Therefore, the Funds may not issue additional common shares under their equity shelf programs until a new registration statement is effective.

OTHER COMMON SHARE INFORMATION

As of July 31, 2015, and during the current reporting period, the Funds common share prices were trading at a premium/(discount) to their common share NAVs as shown in the accompanying table.

	NSL	JFR	JRO	JSD	JQC
Common share NAV	\$7.16	\$12.01	\$12.05	\$18.63	\$9.88
Common share price	\$6.34	\$10.67	\$10.82	\$16.41	\$8.59
Premium/(Discount) to NAV	(11.45)%	(11.16)%	(10.21)%	(11.92)%	(13.06)%
12-month average					
premium/(discount) to NAV	(9.32)%	(9.13)%	(7.68)%	(9.83)%	(12.17)%

Risk

Considerations

Fund shares are not guaranteed or endorsed by any bank or other insured depository institution, and are not federally insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation.

Nuveen Senior Income Fund (NSL)

Investing in closed-end funds involves risk; principal loss is possible. There is no guarantee the Funds investment objectives will be achieved. Closed-end fund shares may frequently trade at a discount or premium to their net asset value. **Adjustable Rate Senior Loans** may not be fully secured by collateral, generally do not trade on exchanges, and are typically issued by unrated or below-investment grade companies, and therefore are subject to greater liquidity and credit risk. **Lower credit** debt securities may be more likely to fail to make timely interest or principal payments. **Leverage** increases return volatility and magnifies the Funds potential return and its risks; there is no guarantee a funds leverage strategy will be successful. These and other risk considerations such as **interest rate risk** are described in more detail on the Funds web page at www.nuveen.com/NSL.

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund (JFR)

Investing in closed-end funds involves risk; principal loss is possible. There is no guarantee the Funds investment objectives will be achieved. Closed-end fund shares may frequently trade at a discount or premium to their net asset value. **Adjustable Rate Senior Loans** may not be fully secured by collateral, generally do not trade on exchanges, and are typically issued by unrated or below-investment grade companies, and therefore are subject to greater liquidity and credit risk. **Lower credit** debt securities may be more likely to fail to make timely interest or principal payments. **Leverage** increases return volatility and magnifies the Funds potential return and its risks; there is no guarantee a funds leverage strategy will be successful. These and other risk considerations such as **interest rate risk** are described in more detail on the Funds web page at www.nuveen.com/JFR.

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Opportunity Fund (JRO)

Investing in closed-end funds involves risk; principal loss is possible. There is no guarantee the Funds investment objectives will be achieved. Closed-end fund shares may frequently trade at a discount or premium to their net asset value. **Adjustable Rate Senior Loans** may not be fully secured by collateral, generally do not trade on exchanges, and are typically issued by unrated or below-investment grade companies, and therefore are subject to greater liquidity and credit risk. **Lower credit** debt securities may be more likely to fail to make timely interest or principal payments. **Leverage** increases return volatility and magnifies the Funds potential return and its risks; there is no guarantee a funds leverage strategy will be successful. These and other risk considerations such as **interest rate risk** are described in more detail on the Funds web page at www.nuveen.com/JRO.

Nuveen Short Duration Credit Opportunities Fund (JSD)

Investing in closed-end funds involves risk; principal loss is possible. There is no guarantee the Fund s investment objectives will be achieved. Closed-end fund shares may frequently trade at a discount or premium to their net asset value. **Adjustable Rate Senior Loans** may not be fully secured by collateral, generally do not trade on exchanges, and are typically issued by unrated or below-investment grade companies, and therefore are subject to greater liquidity and credit risk. **Lower credit** debt securities may be more likely to fail to make timely interest or principal payments. **Leverage** increases return volatility and magnifies the Fund s potential return and its risks; there is no guarantee a

fund s leverage strategy will be successful. These and other risk considerations such as **interest rate risk** are described in more detail on the Fund s web page at www.nuveen.com/JSD.

Nuveen Credit Strategies Income Fund (JQC)

Investing in closed-end funds involves risk; principal loss is possible. There is no guarantee the Fund s investment objectives will be achieved. Closed-end fund shares may frequently trade at a discount or premium to their net asset value. **Adjustable Rate Senior Loans** may not be fully secured by collateral, generally do not trade on exchanges, and are typically issued by unrated or below-investment grade companies, and therefore are subject to greater liquidity and credit risk. **Lower credit** debt securities may be more likely to fail to make timely interest or principal payments. **Common stock** prices have often experienced significant volatility. **Leverage** increases return volatility and magnifies the Fund s potential return and its risks; there is no guarantee a fund s leverage strategy will be successful. These and other risk considerations such as **interest rate risk** are described in more detail on the Fund s web page at www.nuveen.com/JQC.

NSL

Nuveen Senior Income Fund

Performance Overview and Holding Summaries as of July 31, 2015

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Average Annual Total Returns as of July 31, 2015

		Average Annual			
	1-Year	5-Year	10-Year		
NSL at Common Share NAV	0.96%	8.10%	6.00%		
NSL at Common Share Price	(3.25)%	5.26%	4.43%		
CSFB Leveraged Loan Index	2.29%	5.47%	4.67%		

Past performance is not predictive of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the data shown. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that shareholders may have to pay on Fund distributions or upon the sale of Fund shares. Returns at NAV are net of Fund expenses and assume reinvestment of distributions. Comparative index return information is provided for the Fund shares at NAV only. Indexes are not available for direct investment.

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

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Fund Allocation

(% of net assets)

Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests	136.5%
Common Stocks	1.6%
\$25 Par (or similar) Retail Preferred	0.0%
Convertible Bonds	0.3%
Corporate Bonds	18.4%
Repurchase Agreements	14.2%
Other Assets Less Liabilities	(9.3)%
Net Assets Plus Borrowings and VRTP Shares, at Liquidation Value	161.7%
Borrowings	(40.7)%
VRTP Shares, at Liquidation Value	(21.0)%
Net Assets	100%

Top Five Issuers

(% of total long-term investments)

Albertson s LLC	3.6%
Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	3.0%
Endo Health Solutions, Inc.	2.5%
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.	2.1%
Dell, Inc.	2.0%

Portfolio Composition

(% of total investments)

Media	11.0%
Pharmaceuticals	6.5%

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Software	6.0%
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	5.3%
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	4.6%
Food & Staples Retailing	4.6%
Diversified Consumer Services	4.1%
Diversified Telecommunication Services	3.9%
Health Care Providers & Services	3.9%
Food Products	3.9%
Real Estate Investment Trust	3.0%
Commercial Services & Supplies	2.3%
Airlines	2.3%
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	2.3%
Insurance	2.1%
Wireless Telecommunication Services	2.0%
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	1.9%
Automobiles	1.6%
Communications Equipment	1.5%
Other	18.9%
Repurchase Agreements	8.3%
Total	100%
Credit Quality	

(% of total long-term fixed income investments)

BBB	7.4%
BB or Lower	89.5%
N/R (not rated)	3.1%
Total	100%

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JFR

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund

Performance Overview and Holding Summaries as of July 31, 2015

Refer to Glossary of Terms Used in this Report for further definition of the terms used within this section.

Average Annual Total Returns as of July 31, 2015

		Average Annual		
	1-Year	5-Year	10-Year	
JFR at Common Share NAV	1.15%	7.95%	5.67%	
JFR at Common Share Price	(2.88)%	6.20%	5.18%	
CSFB Leveraged Loan Index	2.29%	5.47%	4.67%	

Past performance is not predictive of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the data shown. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that shareholders may have to pay on Fund distributions or upon the sale of Fund shares. Returns at NAV are net of Fund expenses and assume reinvestment of distributions. Comparative index return information is provided for the Fund shares at NAV only. Indexes are not available for direct investment.

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

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Fund Allocation

(% of net assets)

Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests	128.1%
Common Stocks	1.4%
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\$25 Par (or similar) Retail Preferred	0.0%
Convertible Bonds	0.2%
Corporate Bonds	16.7%
Asset-Backed Securities	6.2%
Investment Companies	1.7%
Repurchase Agreements	14.9%
Other Assets Less Liabilities	(7.4)%
Net Assets Plus Borrowings and VRTP Shares, at Liquidation Value	161.8%
Borrowings	(40.8)%
VRTP Shares, at Liquidation Value	(21.0)%
Net Assets	100%
Top Five Issuers	

(% of total long-term investments)

Albertson s LLC	3.2%
Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	2.7%
Endo Health Solutions, Inc.	2.1%
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.	1.8%
Dell, Inc.	1.7%

Portfolio Composition

(% of total investments)

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Media	11.2%
Software	5.7%
Pharmaceuticals	5.5%
Health Care Providers & Services	4.6%
Food & Staples Retailing	4.2%
Diversified Telecommunication Services	4.0%
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	4.0%
Diversified Consumer Services	3.8%
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	3.5%
Food Products	3.2%
Wireless Telecommunication Services	2.7%
Real Estate Investment Trust	2.6%
Commercial Services & Supplies	2.3%
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	2.2%
Airlines	2.0%
Insurance	1.9%
Automobiles	1.8%
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	1.6%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	1.4%
Other	18.3%
Asset-Backed Securities	3.7%
Investment Companies	1.0%
Repurchase Agreements	8.8%
Total	100%
Credit Quality	

(% of total long-term fixed income investments)

BBB	6.9%
BB or Lower	90.0%
N/R (not rated)	3.1%
Total	100%

JRO

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Opportunity Fund

Performance Overview and Holding Summaries as of July 31, 2015

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Average Annual Total Returns as of July 31, 2015

		Average Annual		
	1-Year	5-Year	10-Year	
JRO at Common Share NAV	1.03%	8.82%	6.37%	
JRO at Common Share Price	(6.74)%	6.09%	6.15%	
CSFB Leveraged Loan Index	2.29%	5.47%	4.67%	

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Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

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Fund Allocation

(% of net assets)

Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests	129.4%
Common Stocks	1.6%
\$25 Par (or similar) Retail Preferred	0.0%
Convertible Bonds	0.3%
Corporate Bonds	18.9%
Asset-Backed Securities	5.9%
Repurchase Agreements	13.3%
Other Assets Less Liabilities	(7.6)%
Net Assets Plus Borrowings and VRTP Shares, at Liquidation Value	161.8%
Borrowings	(40.7)%
VRTP Shares, Liquidation Value	(21.1)%
Net Assets	100%
Top Five Issuers	

(% of total long-term investments)

Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	3.3%
Albertson s LLC	3.0%
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.	2.0%
Endo Health Solutions, Inc.	2.0%
US Foods, Inc.	2.0%

Portfolio Composition

(% of total investments)

Media 12.3%

Software	6.2%
Pharmaceuticals	5.6%
Diversified Consumer Services	4.4%
Diversified Telecommunication Services	4.3%
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	4.0%
Food & Staples Retailing	4.0%
Health Care Providers & Services	3.9%
Food Products	3.5%
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	3.5%
Real Estate Investment Trust	2.7%
Commercial Services & Supplies	2.5%
Wireless Telecommunication Services	2.3%
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	2.2%
Automobiles	2.2%
Airlines	2.1%
Insurance	1.9%
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	1.6%
Other	19.4%
Asset-Backed Securities	3.5%
Repurchase Agreements	7.9%
Total	100%
Credit Quality	

(% of total long-term fixed income investments)

BBB	7.3%
BB or Lower	91.1%
N/R (not rated)	1.6%
Total	100%

JSD

Nuveen Short Duration Credit Opportunities Fund

Performance Overview and Holding Summaries as of July 31, 2015

Refer to the Glossary of Terms Used in this Report for further definition of the terms used within this section.

Average Annual Total Returns as of July 31, 2015

	Aver	Average Annual	
		Since	
	1-Year	Inception	
JSD at Common Share NAV	1.87%	7.12%	
JSD at Common Share Price	(3.27)%	3.14%	
CSFB Leveraged Loan Index	2.29%	4.53%	

Since inception returns are from May 25, 2011. Past performance is not predictive of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the data shown. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that shareholders may have to pay on Fund distributions or upon the sale of Fund shares. Returns at NAV are net of Fund expenses and assume reinvestment of distributions. Comparative index return information is provided for the Fund s shares at NAV only. Indexes are not available for direct investment.

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

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Fund Allocation

(% of net assets)

Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests	123.0%
Common Stocks	0.6%
Corporate Bonds	17.6%
Repurchase Agreements	8.4%
Other Assets Less Liabilities	(4.3)%
Net Assets Plus Borrowings	145.3%
Borrowings	(45.3)%
Net Assets	100%
Top Five Issuers	

$(\% \text{ of total long-term investments})^1$

Albertson s LLC	4.3%
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc.	3.1%
Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	3.0%
Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc.	2.3%
Delta Air Lines, Inc.	2.3%

Portfolio Composition

(% of total investments)¹

Media	9.0%
Software	6.9%
Pharmaceuticals	5.9%
Food & Staples Retailing	5.4%

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Health Care Providers & Services	5.0%
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	5.0%
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	4.4%
Diversified Telecommunication Services	4.3%
Real Estate Investment Trust	3.8%
Diversified Consumer Services	3.6%
Airlines	3.5%
Food Products	2.7%
Commercial Services & Supplies	2.6%
Wireless Telecommunication Services	2.6%
Internet Software & Services	2.2%
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	2.0%
Leisure Products	2.0%
Communications Equipment	1.9%
Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals	1.8%
Other	19.8%
Repurchase Agreements	5.6%
Total	100%
Credit Quality	

(% of total long-term fixed income investments)

BBB	8.1%
BB or Lower	91.1%
N/R (not rated)	0.8%
Total	100%

1 Excluding investments in derivatives.

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JQC

Nuveen Credit Strategies Income Fund

Performance Overview and Holding Summaries as of July 31, 2015

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Average Annual Total Returns as of July 31, 2015

		Average Annual		
	1-Year	5-Year	10-Year	
JQC at Common Share NAV	1.82%	8.57%	4.11%	
JQC at Common Share Price	1.02%	8.95%	4.50%	
CSFB Leveraged Loan Index	2.29%	5.47%	4.67%	

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Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

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Fund Allocation

(% of net assets)

Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests	114.9%
Common Stocks	6.6%
Exchange-Traded Funds	0.8%
Convertible Preferred Securities	0.4%
Corporate Bonds	31.8%
Repurchase Agreements	5.4%
Other Assets Less Liabilities	(0.4)%
Net Assets Plus Borrowings and Reverse Repurchase Agreements	159.5%
Borrowings	(47.6)%
Reverse Repurchase Agreements	(11.9)%
Net Assets	100%

Top Five Issuers

(% of total long-term investments)

First Data Corporation	2.4%
Albertson s LLC	2.0%
US Foods, Inc.	2.0%
Sprint Corporation	2.0%
Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc.	2.0%

Portfolio Composition

(% of total investments)

Software	10.2%
Media	9.5%

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Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	5.7%
Diversified Telecommunication Services	5.4%
Pharmaceuticals	5.1%
Health Care Equipment & Supplies	4.5%
Real Estate Investment Trust	4.3%
Chemicals	3.8%
Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment	3.8%
Health Care Providers & Services	3.7%
Wireless Telecommunication Services	3.4%
Food & Staples Retailing	3.4%
Specialty Retail	3.2%
Diversified Consumer Services	3.2%
Communications Equipment	2.6%
Food Products	2.5%
Consumer Finance	2.3%
Other	20.0%
Repurchase Agreements	3.4%
Total	100%
Credit Quality	

(% of total long-term fixed income investments)

BBB	6.9%
BB or Lower	92.8%
N/R (not rated)	0.3%
Total	100%

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Shareholder

Meeting Report

The annual meeting of shareholders was held in the offices of Nuveen Investments on March 26, 2015 for NSL, JFR, JRO, JSD and JQC; at this meeting the shareholders were asked to elect Board Members.

	NSL		JFR		JRO		JSD	JQC
	Common and		Common and		Common and			
	Preferred		Preferred		Preferred			
	shares		shares		shares			
	voting		voting		voting			
	together as		together as		together as			
		eferred	a F	Preferred		referred	Common	Common
	class	Shares	class	Shares	class	Shares	Shares	Shares
Approval of								
the Board								
Members was	S							
reached as								
follows:								
William Adam								
For	33,683,317		48,580,529		32,734,715		8,898,657	
Withhold	599,202		817,190		1,061,675		133,328	
Total	34,282,519		49,397,719		33,796,390		9,031,985	
Jack B. Evans								
For	33,714,801		48,595,769		32,727,078		8,938,309	110,900,089
Withhold	567,718		801,950		1,069,312		93,676	6,584,067
Total	34,282,519		49,397,719		33,796,390		9,031,985	117,484,156
William C. Hu	ınter							
For		580		1,390		980		
Withhold								
Total		580		1,390		980		
David J. Kund	ert							
For	33,698,308		48,579,068		32,699,606		8,916,924	
Withhold	584,211		818,651		1,096,784		115,061	
Total	34,282,519		49,397,719		33,796,390		9,031,985	
John K. Nelso	n							
For	33,725,408		48,591,638		32,794,054		8,917,730	
Withhold	557,111		806,081		1,002,336		114,255	
Total	34,282,519		49,397,719		33,796,390		9,031,985	
William J. Sch	meider							
For		580		1,390		980	8,930,019	110,897,345
Withhold							101,966	6,586,811
Total		580		1,390		980	9,031,985	117,484,156
Thomas S. Sch	nreier, Jr.							
For	33,673,216		48,521,481		32,749,286		8,917,230	110,919,928

Withhold	609,303	876,238	1,047,104	114,755	6,564,228
Total	34,282,519	49,397,719	33,796,390	9,031,985	117,484,156
Terence J. To	th				
For	33,711,949	48,583,194	32,801,199	8,885,955	
Withhold	570,570	814,525	995,191	146,030	
Total	34,282,519	49,397,719	33,796,390	9,031,985	

Report of

Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Trustees and Shareholders of

Nuveen Senior Income Fund

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund

Nuveen Floating Rate Income Opportunity Fund

Nuveen Short Duration Credit Opportunities Fund

Nuveen Credit Strategies Income Fund:

We have audited the accompanying statements of assets and liabilities, including the portfolios of investments, of Nuveen Senior Income Fund, Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund, Nuveen Floating Rate Income Opportunity Fund, Nuveen Short Duration Credit Opportunities Fund and Nuveen Credit Strategies Income Fund (the Funds) as of July 31, 2015, and the related statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows and the financial highlights for the year then ended. These financial statements and financial highlights are the responsibility of the Funds management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements and financial highlights based on our audits. The statements of changes in net assets and the financial highlights for the periods presented through July 31, 2014, were audited by other auditors whose reports dated September 25, 2014, expressed unqualified opinions on those statements and those financial highlights.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements and financial highlights are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of July 31, 2015, by correspondence with the custodian and brokers or other appropriate auditing procedures. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements and financial highlights referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Funds as of July 31, 2015, the results of their operations, the changes in their net assets, their cash flows and the financial highlights for the year then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

/s/ KPMG LLP

Chicago, Illinois

September 29, 2015

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Nuveen Senior Income Fund Portfolio of Investments

July 31, 2015

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Л	(000)	Description (1)	Coupon (4)	Maturity (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS 15	56.8% (91.7%	of Total Investm	ents)	
		VARIABLE RATE SENIOR LOAN	INTERESTS	136.5% (79.8%	of Total Inve	stments) (4)
		Aerospace & Defense 2.5% (1.4%)	of Total Invest	ments)		
\$	1,829	B/E Aerospace, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	4.000%	12/16/21	BB+	\$ 1,848,322
	3,369	Sequa Corporation, Term Loan B, (DD1)	5.250%	6/19/17	В3	2,990,149
	1,995	Transdigm, Inc., Term Loan E, First Lien	3.500%	5/16/22	Ba3	1,988,115
	7,193	Total Aerospace & Defense				6,826,586
		Airlines 3.9% (2.3% of Total Inves	stments)			
	1,466	American Airlines, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	3.250%	6/27/20	BB+	1,461,350
	2,000	American Airlines, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	3.500%	10/08/21	BB+	2,001,876
	3,895	Delta Air Lines, Inc., Term Loan B1	3.250%	10/18/18	BBB	3,895,708
	975	Delta Air Lines, Inc., Term Loan B2	2.438%	4/18/16	BBB	975,261
	2,450	US Airways, Inc., Term Loan B1	3.500%	5/23/19	BB+	2,450,218
	10,786	Total Airlines				10,784,413
		Automobiles 2.8% (1.6% of Total)	Investments)			
	3,456	Chrysler Group LLC, Tranche B, Term Loan	3.250%	12/31/18	BB+	3,459,274
	3,341	Formula One Group, Term Loan, First Lien	4.750%	7/30/21	В	3,341,257
	1,000	Formula One Group, Term Loan, Second Lien	7.750%	7/29/22	CCC+	1,000,938
	7,797	Total Automobiles				7,801,469
		Building Products 1.1% (0.6% of T	Total Investme	nts)		
	1,588	Gates Global LLC, Term Loan	4.250%	7/06/21	B+	1,583,906
	1,418	Quikrete Holdings, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	4.000%	9/28/20	B+	1,420,456
	3,006	Total Building Products				3,004,362
		Capital Markets 0.5% (0.3% of To	tal Investment	s)		
	1,474	Guggenheim Partners LLC, Initial Term Loan	4.250%	7/22/20	N/R	1,482,270

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Chemicals 2.0% (1.2% of Total Investments)

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1,542	Ineos US Finance LLC, Cash Dollar, Term Loan	3.750%	5/04/18	ВВ	1,542,876
335	Ineos US Finance LLC, Term Loan B, First Lien	4.250%	3/31/22	ВВ	336,118
1,595	Mineral Technologies, Inc., Term Loan B2	4.750%	5/07/21	BB	1,615,405
975	PQ Corporation, Term Loan B	4.000%	8/07/17	B+	975,061
1,164	Univar, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	4.250%	6/24/22	BB	1,168,031
5,611	Total Chemicals				5,637,491
	Commercial Services & Supplies 3.6%	% (2.1% of To	otal Investments)		
709	Acosta, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	9/26/21	B1	710,798
1,988	CCS Income Trust, Term Loan, First Lien	6.250%	5/12/18	В	1,794,868
130	Education Management LLC, Tranche A, Term Loan, (5)	5.500%	7/02/20	N/R	88,547
224	Education Management LLC, Tranche B, Term Loan, (5)	2.000%	7/02/20	N/R	129,161
2,295	iQor US, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	6.000%	4/01/21	В	2,077,284
250	iQor US, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	9.750%	4/01/22	CCC+	228,333
5,898	Millennium Laboratories, Inc., Tranche B, Term Loan	5.250%	4/16/21	CCC+	2,477,125
1,500	Protection One, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	5.000%	6/18/21	B1	1,507,500
66	Universal Services of America, Delayed Draw, Term Loan, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	В	65,662
934	Universal Services of America, Term Loan, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	В	931,213
13,994	Total Commercial Services & Supplies				10,010,491
	Communications Equipment 1.8% (1.	.1% of Total	Investments)		
2,663	Avaya, Inc., Term Loan B3	4.691%	10/26/17	B1	2,646,523
326	Avaya, Inc., Term Loan B6	6.500%	3/31/18	B1	324,211
1,083	Commscope, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	3.750%	5/28/22	BB	1,088,298
998	Riverbed Technology, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	6.000%	4/25/22	В1	1,011,571
5,070	Total Communications Equipment				5,070,603

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(000)	Description (1)	Coupon (4)	Maturity (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Consumer Finance 2.2% (1.3% of To	otal Investme	nts)		
\$ 1,500	First Data Corporation, Term Loan B	3.937%	6/24/22	BB	\$ 1,500,938
1,000	First Data Corporation, Second New Dollar, Term Loan	3.687%	3/24/17	ВВ	999,922
3,500	First Data Corporation, Term Loan	3.687%	3/23/18	BB	3,495,898
6,000	Total Consumer Finance				5,996,758
	Containers & Packaging 0.5% (0.3%)	of Total Inv	estments)		
1,287	BWAY Holding Company, Term Loan B, First Lien	5.500%	8/14/20	B2	1,296,049
	Diversified Consumer Services 6.5%	(3.8% of Tot	al Investments)	
1,000	AlixPartners LLP, Term Loan B, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	B+	1,004,250
4,839	Cengage Learning Acquisitions, Inc., Exit Term Loan	7.000%	3/31/20	B+	4,867,660
2,902	Harland Clarke Holdings Corporation, Term Loan B3	7.000%	5/22/18	B+	2,914,408
3,712	Hilton Hotels Corporation, Term Loan B2	3.500%	10/25/20	BBB	3,723,939
1,500	Houghton Mifflin, Term Loan B, First Lien	4.000%	5/28/21	ВВ	1,499,063
568	Laureate Education, Inc., Term Loan B	5.000%	6/15/18	В	532,463
1,756	New Albertson s, Inc., Term Loan	4.750%	6/24/21	Ba3	1,762,327
1,822	ServiceMaster Company, Term Loan	4.250%	7/01/21	B+	1,828,724
18,099	Total Diversified Consumer Services				18,132,834
	Diversified Financial Services 0.7% ((0.4% of Tota	l Investments)		
1,000	MJ Acquisition Corp., Term Loan, First Lien	4.000%	6/01/22	ВВ	1,000,625
995	Transdigm, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	4.750%	11/12/21	N/R	999,198
1,995	Total Diversified Financial Services				1,999,823
	Diversified Telecommunication Service	es 4.7% (2.8	3% of Total Inv	restments)	
858	Greeneden U.S. Holdings II LLC, Term Loan B	4.000%	2/08/20	В	858,238
974	Level 3 Financing, Inc., Term Loan B2	3.500%	5/31/22	BB	971,248
1,667	Level 3 Financing, Inc., Term Loan, Tranche B3	4.000%	8/01/19	BB+	1,671,528
990	TelX Group, Inc., Initial Term Loan, First Lien	4.500%	4/09/20	B1	993,918
500	TelX Group, Inc., Initial Term Loan, Second Lien	7.500%	4/09/21	CCC	505,250
3,118	WideOpenWest Finance LLC, Term Loan B	4.500%	4/01/19	Ba3	3,126,192
1,849	Ziggo N.V., Term Loan B1	3.500%	1/15/22	BB	1,843,389
1,191	Ziggo N.V., Term Loan B2	3.500%	1/15/22	BB	1,187,915

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1,960	Ziggo N.V., Term Loan B3, Delayed Draw	3.500%	1/15/22	BB	1,953,696
13,107	Total Diversified Telecommunication Services				13,111,374
	Electronic Equipment, Instruments & C	omponents	1.2% (0.7% of T	otal Investm	ents)
1,540	SMART Modular Technologies, Inc., Term Loan B	8.250%	8/26/17	В	1,493,401
1,778	TTM Technologies, Term Loan B	6.000%	5/31/21	B+	1,765,925
3,318	Total Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components				3,259,326
	Energy Equipment & Services 1.4% (0	.8% of Tota	l Investments)		
2,519	Drill Rigs Holdings, Inc., Tranche B1, Term Loan	6.000%	3/31/21	В	1,970,477
347	Dynamic Energy Services International LLC, Term Loan	9.500%	3/06/18	В3	323,682
1,442	Offshore Group Investment Limited, Term Loan B	5.000%	10/25/17	CCC	888,665
739	Pacific Drilling S.A., Term Loan B	4.500%	6/03/18	B+	596,300
5,047	Total Energy Equipment & Services				3,779,124
	Food & Staples Retailing 7.8% (4.6%	of Total Invo	estments)		
2,474	Albertson s LLC, Term Loan B2	5.375%	3/21/19	BB	2,487,757
12,968	Albertson s LLC, Term Loan B4	5.500%	8/25/21	BB	13,037,499
2,357	BJ s Wholesale Club, Inc., Replacement Loan, First Lien	4.500%	9/26/19	В	2,364,173
2,000	BJ s Wholesale Club, Inc., Replacement Loan, Second Lien	8.500%	3/26/20	CCC	2,018,750
750	Rite Aid Corporation, Tranche 2, Term Loan, Second Lien	4.875%	6/21/21	BB	752,696
972	Supervalu, Inc., New Term Loan	4.500%	3/21/19	BB	977,085
21,521	Total Food & Staples Retailing				21,637,960
	Food Products 6.6% (3.9% of Total In	vestments)			
990	Hearthside Group Holdings, Term Loan, First Lien	4.500%	6/02/21	B1	991,510
4,000	Jacobs Douwe Egberts, Term Loan B	4.250%	7/23/21	BB	4,000,000

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rincipal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon (4)	Maturity (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Food Products (continued)				
\$ 2,175	Pinnacle Foods Finance LLC, Term Loan G	3.000%	4/29/20	BB+	\$ 2,173,236
7,985	US Foods, Inc., Incremental Term Loan	4.500%	3/31/19	B2	8,020,339
3,230	Wilton Products, Inc., Tranche B, Term Loan	7.500%	8/30/18	В3	3,161,362
18,380	Total Food Products				18,346,447
	Health Care Equipment & Supplies 4.4% (2.5% of Total Investments)				
583	Ardent Medical Services, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	B1	586,328
1,280	Ardent Medical Services, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	7.500%	7/02/18	B+	1,284,074
714	Ardent Medical Services, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	11.750%	1/02/19	CCC+	722,321
992	CareCore National LLC, Term Loan	5.500%	3/05/21	В	987,500
973	ConvaTec Healthcare, Term Loan B	4.250%	6/09/20	Ba2	971,629
2,106	Kinetic Concepts, Inc., Incremental Term Loan E1	4.500%	5/04/18	ВВ	2,118,963
3,393	Onex Carestream Finance LP, Term Loan, First Lien	5.000%	6/07/19	B+	3,401,441
973	Onex Carestream Finance LP, Term Loan, Second Lien	9.500%	12/09/19	В	969,968
1,000	Sterigenics International, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	5/16/22	B1	1,007,500
12,014	Total Health Care Equipment & Supplies				12,049,724
	Health Care Providers & Services 4.6% (2.7% of Total Investments)				
6	Community Health Systems, Inc., Term Loan F	3.534%	12/31/18	ВВ	5,702
527	Community Health Systems, Inc., Term Loan G	3.750%	12/31/19	ВВ	528,661
1,054	Community Health Systems, Inc., Term Loan H	4.000%	1/27/21	ВВ	1,059,831
2,302	DaVita HealthCare Partners, Inc., Tranche B, Term Loan	3.500%	6/24/21	Ba1	2,310,138
3,506	Drumm Investors LLC, Term Loan	6.750%	5/04/18	В	3,552,506
578	Genesis Healthcare LLC, Term Loan	10.000%	12/04/17	В	592,180
995	Healogics, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	5.250%	7/01/21	В	996,219

1,721	Heartland Dental Care, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	5.500%	12/21/18	B1	1,726,756
500	Heartland Dental Care, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	9.750%	6/21/19	CCC+	505,000
868	LHP Operations Co. LLC, Term Loan B	9.000%	7/03/18	B2	851,056
596	National Mentor Holdings, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	1/31/21	B+	597,484
12,653	Total Health Care Providers & Services				12,725,533
	Health Care Technology 0.5% (0.3% of Total Investments)				
1,329	Catalent Pharma Solutions, Inc., Term Loan	4.250%	5/20/21	ВВ	1,335,916
	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 7.9% (4.6% of Total Investments)				
3,571	Burger King Corporation, Term Loan B	3.750%	12/10/21	Ba3	3,583,085
3,359	CCM Merger, Inc., Term Loan B	4.500%	8/08/21	BB	3,374,737
2,955	CityCenter Holdings LLC, Term Loan	4.250%	10/16/20	BB	2,966,721
537	Extended Stay America, Inc., Term Loan	5.000%	6/24/19	BB+	545,877
1,663	Intrawest Resorts Holdings, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	4.750%	12/09/20	CCC	1,679,747
1,500	Life Time Fitness, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	6/10/22	BB	1,499,688
1,463	MGM Resorts International, Term Loan B	3.500%	12/20/19	BB+	1,459,910
1,992	Scientific Games Corporation, Term Loan B2	6.000%	10/01/21	ВВ	2,003,452
1,970	Scientific Games Corporation, Term Loan	6.000%	10/18/20	ВВ	1,980,534
912	Seaworld Parks and Entertainment, Inc., Term Loan B2	3.000%	5/14/20	ВВ	887,587
1,818 21,740	Station Casino LLC, Term Loan B Total Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	4.250%	3/02/20	B+	1,824,014 21,805,352
	Household Durables 0.2% (0.1% of 7	Fotal Investme	ents)		
443	Serta Simmons Holdings LLC, Term Loan	4.250%	10/01/19	B+	444,337
	Industrial Conglomerates 0.5% (0.39)	% of Total Inv	estments)		
1,375	Brand Energy & Infrastructure Services, Inc., Initial Term Loan	4.750%	11/26/20	B1	1,325,151
	Insurance 3.5% (2.1% of Total Inves	stments)			
1,726	Alliant Holdings I LLC, Incremental Term Loan	5.000%	12/23/19	B+	1,728,730
2,340	Alliant Holdings I LLC, Initial Term Loan B, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	B2	2,342,886
2,704	Hub International Holdings, Inc., Initial Term Loan	4.000%	10/02/20	B1	2,695,631

2,930	USI Holdings Corporation, Initial	4.250%	12/27/19	B1	2,934,582
	Term Loan				
9,700	Total Insurance				9,701,829

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	Internet & Catalog Retail 1.1% (0.	6% of Total In	vestments)		
\$ 2,985	Travelport LLC, Term Loan B, First Lien	5.750%	9/02/21	В	\$ 2,999,615
	Internet Software & Services 1.7% (1.0% of Total Investments)				
491	Sabre Inc., Term Loan B2	4.000%	2/19/19	Ba3	493,952
116	Sabre Inc., Term Loan C	3.500%	2/19/18	Ba3	116,232
731	Sabre Inc., Term Loan	4.000%	2/19/19	Ba3	734,830
3,325	Tibco Software, Inc., Term Loan B	6.500%	12/04/20	B1	3,336,431
4,663	Total Internet Software & Services				4,681,445
	IT Services 1.1% (0.6% of Total In	vestments)			
2,082	EIG Investors Corp., Term Loan	5.000%	11/09/19	В	2,081,237
285	VFH Parent LLC, New Term Loan	5.250%	11/08/19	N/R	286,308
553	Zayo Group LLC, Term Loan B	3.216%	5/06/21	Ba2	551,820
2,920	Total IT Services				2,919,365
	Leisure Products 2.3% (1.3% of To	otal Investmen	its)		
1,506	24 Hour Fitness Worldwide, Inc., Term Loan B	4.750%	5/28/21	Ba3	1,451,329
2,500	Academy, Ltd., Term Loan B	5.000%	7/01/22	В	2,512,110
688	Bombardier Recreational Products, Inc., Term Loan B	3.750%	1/30/19	ВВ	690,668
1,173	Equinox Holdings, Inc., New Initial Term Loan, First Lien	5.000%	1/31/20	B1	1,184,845
500	Four Seasons Holdings, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	6.250%	12/27/20	В	502,500
6,367	Total Leisure Products				6,341,452
	Machinery 0.8% (0.5% of Total In	vestments)			
1,709	Doosan Infracore International, Inc., Term Loan	4.500%	5/27/21	ВВ	1,720,920
498	Rexnord LLC, Term Loan B	4.000%	8/21/20	BB	498,980
2,207	Total Machinery				2,219,900
	Media 14.1% (8.3% of Total Invest	tments)			
3,500	Cequel Communications LLC, Extended Term Loan, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	N/R	3,489,790
1,290	Advantage Sales & Marketing, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	4.250%	7/25/21	B1	1,290,250
950	Advantage Sales & Marketing, Inc., Term Loan, Second Lien	7.500%	7/25/22	CCC+	945,844
639	Affinion Group Holdings, Inc., Initial Term Loan, Second Lien	8.500%	10/31/18	Caa1	576,511
1,485	Catalina Marketing Corporation, Term Loan, First Lien	4.500%	4/09/21	B+	1,277,100
1,000		7.750%	4/11/22	CCC+	733,333

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Catalina Marketing Corporation, Term Loan, Second Lien **TBD** N/R 3,009,912 3,000 **Charter Communications Operating TBD** Holdings LLC, Term Loan I, (WI/DD) Clear Channel Communications, Inc. 7.690% 7/30/19 CCC+ 1,969,912 2,111 Term Loan E Cumulus Media, Inc., Term Loan B, 12/23/20 6,705 4.250% B+ 6,202,331 (DD1) Emerald Expositions Holdings, Inc., 1,260,547 1,257 4.750% 6/17/20 BBTerm Loan, First Lien 445 Gray Television, Inc., Initial Term 3.750% 6/13/21 BB446,680 990 992,970 IMG Worldwide, Inc., First Lien 5.250% 5/06/21 B1 2,228 Interactive Data Corporation, Term 5/02/21 B+ 4.750% 2,238,916 Loan B 750 Lions Gate Entertainment Corporation, 5.000% BB754,688 3/13/22 Term Loan B, Second Lien McGraw-Hill Education Holdings 1,673 4.750% 3/22/19 B+ 1,682,567 LLC, Term Loan B Mediacom Broadband LLC, Tranche BB+ 973 4.000% 1/20/20 975,337 G, Term Loan 1,600 Numericable Group S.A., Term Loan 4.500% 5/21/20 Ba3 1,607,088 Numericable Group S.A., Term Loan Ba3 1,390,350 1,385 4.500% 5/21/20 B21,654 Springer Science & Business Media, 4.750% 8/14/20 **B**1 1,662,209 Inc., Term Loan B9, First Lien 3,821 Univision Communications, Inc., B+ 3,823,294 4.000% 3/01/20 Replacement Term Loan, First Lien 1,013 Weather Channel Corporation, Term 7.000% 6/26/20 CCC+ 951,766 Loan, Second Lien 1,304 WMG Acquisition Corporation, 7/01/20 B+ 1,293,546 3.750% Tranche B, Refinancing Term Loan Yell Group PLC, Term Loan A2 263 3/01/19 N/R 505,591 5.281% Yell Group PLC, Term Loan A2, (8) 3/03/19 N/R 21 1.500% 756 Yell Group PLC, Term Loan B2, PIK, N/R 0.000%3/03/24 (8) Total Media 39,080,532 40,813 Multiline Retail 2.4% (1.4% of Total Investments) 998 4.000% Bass Pro Group LLC, Term Loan B, 6/05/20 BB 1,001,241 First Lien 2,645 Dollar Tree, Inc., Term Loan B1 3.500% 7/06/22 BB+ 2,655,469 Dollar Tree, Inc., Term Loan B2 BB+ 830 4.250% 3/09/22 832,594 J.C. Penney Corporation, Inc., Term 2,228 5.000% 6/20/19 В 2,231,677 Loan

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		Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels 2.3%	(1.3% of Tota	l Investments)	_		
\$	562	Western Refining, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	11/12/20	BB	\$	563,015
	351	Crestwood Holdings LLC, Term Loan B	7.000%	6/19/19	B2		344,663
	2,718	Energy and Exploration Partners, Term Loan	7.750%	1/22/19	N/R	2	2,254,356
	916	Fieldwood Energy LLC, Term Loan, Second Lien	8.375%	9/30/20	B2		506,565
	1,402	Harvey Gulf International Marine, Inc., Term Loan B	5.500%	6/18/20	В	1	,085,634
	1,851	Seadrill Partners LLC, Initial Term Loan	4.000%	2/21/21	ВВ	1	,391,534
	184	Southcross Holdings Borrower L.P., Holdco Term Loan	6.000%	8/04/21	B2		176,486
	7,984	Total Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels				6	,322,253
		Pharmaceuticals 9.5% (5.5% of Tot	al Investment	s)			
	8,000	Endo Health Solutions, Inc., Asset Sale Bridge Loan, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	Ba1	8	5,015,000
	3,000	Endo Health Solutions, Inc., Term Loan B, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	Ba1	3	,017,577
	2,000	Graceway Pharmaceuticals LLC, Second Lien Term Loan, (5)	0.000%	5/03/13	N/R		12,500
	95	Graceway Pharmaceuticals LLC, Term Loan, (5)	0.000%	5/03/12	N/R		95,707
	963	Grifols, Inc., Term Loan	3.190%	2/27/21	Ba1		967,365
	1,776	Par Pharmaceutical Companies, Inc., Term Loan B2	4.000%	9/30/19	B1	1	,777,099
	308	Par Pharmaceutical Companies, Inc., Term Loan B3	4.250%	9/30/19	B1		307,851
	990	Patheon, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	3/11/21	B1		987,967
	2,799	Pharmaceutical Product Development, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	4.000%	12/01/18	Ba2	2	2,803,405
	2,322	Pharmaceutical Research Associates, Inc., Term Loan	4.500%	9/23/20	B+	2	,333,601
	1,412	Therakos, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	7.000%	12/27/17	В	1	,409,954
	1,318	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc., Term Loan E	3.500%	8/05/20	BB+	1	,321,438
	3,092	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc., Term Loan F	4.000%	4/01/22	BB+	3	,110,346
	28,075	Total Pharmaceuticals				26	,159,810
		Professional Services 0.3% (0.2% of	f Total Investn	nents)			

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774	Ceridian Corporation, Term Loan B2	4.500%	9/15/20	Ba3	771,51
	Real Estate Investment Trust 4.8% (2.8	8% of Tota	al Investments)		
8,100	Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	5.000%	10/24/22	BBB	7,907,62
2,444	Realogy Corporation, Initial Term Loan B	3.750%	3/05/20	BB	2,448,980
572	Starwood Property Trust, Inc., Term Loan B	3.500%	4/17/20	BB	570,34
2,431	Walter Investment Management Corporation, Tranche B, Term Loan, First Lien	4.750%	12/18/20	B+	2,331,36
13,547	Total Real Estate Investment Trust				13,258,31
	Real Estate Management & Development	1.4% (0	0.8% of Total Inves	tments)	
1,861	Capital Automotive LP, Term Loan, Second Lien	6.000%	4/30/20	B1	1,894,79
1,855	Capital Automotive LP, Term Loan, Tranche B1	4.000%	4/10/19	Ba2	1,865,77
3,716	Total Real Estate Management & Development				3,760,57
	Road & Rail 0.4% (0.2% of Total Inves	stments)			
1,000	Quality Distribution Inc., First Lien Term Loan, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	B1	990,00
	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equip	ment 3.3	3% (1.9% of Total I	nvestments)	
3,208	Avago Technologies, Term Loan B	3.750%	5/06/21	BBB	3,216,60
3,433	Freescale Semiconductor, Inc., Term Loan, Tranche B4	4.250%	2/28/20	BB	3,446,34
1,474	Freescale Semiconductor, Inc., Term Loan, Tranche B5	5.000%	1/15/21	BB	1,483,51
969	NXP Semiconductor LLC, Term Loan D	3.250%	1/11/20	BBB	968,54
9,084	Total Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment				9,115,01
	Software 9.8% (5.7% of Total Investme	ents)			
1,179	Blackboard, Inc., Term Loan B3	4.750%	10/04/18	B+	1,181,34
2,091	BMC Software, Inc., Initial Term Loan	5.000%	9/10/20	B1	1,916,42
2,694	Compuware Corporation, Tranche B2, Term Loan, First Lien	6.250%	12/15/21	В	2,635,53
1,002	Datatel Parent Corp, Term Loan B1	4.000%	7/19/18	BB D-2	1,005,00
1,045	Emdeon Business Services LLC, Term Loan B2	3.750%	11/02/18	Ba3	1,044,41
5,961	Infor Global Solutions Intermediate Holdings, Ltd., Term Loan B5, (DD1)	3.750%	6/03/20	Ba3	5,931,62
1,000	Informatica Corp., Term Loan B, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	В	1,001,97
792	Micro Focus International PLC, Term Loan B	5.250%	11/19/21	BB	796,25
1,316	Micro Focus International PLC, Term Loan C	4.500%	11/20/19	BB	1,318,16

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon (4)	Maturity (2)	Ratings (3)		Value
	Software (continued)					
3,404	Misys PLC, Term Loan B, First Lien	5.000%	12/12/18	B+	\$	3,417,652
2,448	SS&C Technologies, Inc./ Sunshine Acquisition II, Inc., Term Loan B1	4.000%	7/08/22	ВВ		2,471,129
404	SS&C Technologies, Inc./ Sunshine Acquisition II, Inc., Term Loan B2	4.000%	7/08/22	BB		407,329
872	SunGard Data Systems, Inc., Term Loan E	4.000%	3/08/20	ВВ		874,137
946	Vertafore, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	4.250%	10/03/19	B+		948,655
2,111	Zebra Technologies Corporation, Term Loan B, First Lien	4.750%	10/27/21	BB+		2,139,313
27,265	Total Software					27,088,959
	Specialty Retail 2.0% (1.2% of Total	al Investment	(s)			
1,568	Jo-Ann Stores, Inc., Term Loan, First Lien	4.000%	3/16/18	Ba3		1,552,775
1,347	Petsmart, Inc., Term Loan B	4.250%	3/11/22	BB		1,353,435
337	Pilot Travel Centers LLC, Term Loan B, First Lien	4.250%	10/01/21	BB+		341,639
2,200	Staples, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien, (WI/DD)	TBD	TBD	BBB		2,203,355
5,452	Total Specialty Retail					5,451,204
	Technology Hardware, Storage & Per	ripherals 3.	2% (1.9% of T	otal Investm	ents)	
8,865	Dell, Inc., Term Loan B2	4.000%	4/29/20	BBB		8,873,287
	Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods 0.7% (0.4% of Total Investments)					
1,976	Polymer Group, Inc., Initial Term Loan	5.250%	12/19/19	B2		1,990,475
	Trading Companies & Distributors	1.8% (1.1%	of Total Invest	ments)		
4,277	HD Supply, Inc., Term Loan	4.000%	6/28/18	BB		4,289,084
833	Neff Rental/Neff Finance Closing Date Loan, Second Lien	7.250%	6/09/21	В		826,796
5,110	Total Trading Companies & Distributors					5,115,880
	Transportation Infrastructure 0.4%	% (0.3% of To	otal Investment	ts)		
67	Ceva Group PLC, Canadian Term Loan	6.500%	3/19/21	B2		61,576
387	Ceva Group PLC, Dutch B.V., Term Loan	6.500%	3/19/21	B2		357,141
371	Ceva Group PLC, Synthetic Letter of Credit Term Loan	6.500%	3/19/21	B2		342,946
534	Ceva Group PLC, US Term Loan	6.500%	3/19/21	B2		492,608
1,359	Total Transportation Infrastructure					1,254,271
	Wireless Telecommunication Services	s 1.7% (1.0°	% of Total Inv	estments)		
869	Asurion LLC, Term Loan B4, First	TBD	TBD	В		869,482

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		Lian (WI/DD)				
	960	Lien, (WI/DD)	5 00000	5/24/10	Da2	972.094
	869 2,974	Asurion LLC, Term Loan B1 Fairpoint Communications, Inc., Term	5.000% 7.500%	5/24/19 2/14/19	Ba3 B	872,984 3,014,052
	2,974	Loan B	7.300%	2/14/19	Б	3,014,032
	4,712	Total Wireless Telecommunication				4,756,518
	7,712	Services				4,750,510
\$	388,514	Total Variable Rate Senior Loan				377,436,580
·	,-	Interests (cost \$384,956,571)				- · · · , · · · , · · · · · ·
	Shares	Description (1)				Value
		COMMON STOCKS 1.6% (0.9% of	Total Investm	ents)		
		Diversified Consumer Services 0.5%	(0.3% of Tota	l Investments)		
	53,514	Cengage Learning Holdings II LP, (6),				\$ 1,418,121
		(7)				
	1,561,859	Education Management Corporation,				15,619
		(6), (7)				
		Total Diversified Consumer Services				1,433,740
		Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 0.5% ((0.3% of Total	l Investments)		
	40,968	BLB Worldwide Holdings Inc., (6), (7)				1,433,880
		Media 0.5% (0.3% of Total Investment	nts)			
	3,479	Cumulus Media, Inc., (6)				5,740
	6,268	Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, (6), (7)				491,255
	18,422	Tribune Media Company				930,127
	14,825	Tribune Media Company, (8)				
	4,605	Tribune Publishing Company				68,568
		Total Media				1,495,690

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	Shares	Description (1)					Value
		Professional Services 0.1% (0.0% of To	tal Investme	nts)			
	47,152	Vertrue, Inc., (6), (7)		,		\$	117,880
	,	Software 0.0% (0.0% of Total Investme	ents)				·
	291,294	Eagle Topco LP, (6), (8)	,				
	,	Total Common Stocks (cost \$3,775,587)				4	4,481,190
	Shares	Description (1)	Coupon		Ratings (3)		Value
		\$25 PAR (OR SIMILAR) RETAIL PREF	ERRED 0	.0% (0.0% of	Total Investm	ents)	
		Diversified Consumer Services 0.0% (0	.0% of Total	Investments)	1		
	1,738	Education Management Corporation	7.500%		N/R	\$	43,450
		Total \$25 Par (or similar) Retail Preferred (cost \$4,219)					43,450
	rincipal						
A	Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (3)		Value
		CONVERTIBLE BONDS 0.3% (0.2%	of Total Inve	estments)			
		Communications Equipment 0.3% (0.2	% of Total I	nvestments)			
\$	850	Nortel Networks Corp., (5)	1.750%	4/15/12	N/R	\$	745,875
\$	850	Total Convertible Bonds (cost \$710,500)					745,875
	rincipal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (3)		Value
		CORPORATE BONDS 18.4% (10.8%	of Total Inve	estments)			
		Commercial Services & Supplies 0.3%	(0.2% of Tot	al Investmen	ts)		
\$	900	NES Rental Holdings Inc., 144A	7.875%	5/01/18	В	\$	900,000
		Communications Equipment 0.4% (0.3	% of Total I	nvestments)			
	1,500	Avaya Inc., 144A	10.500%	3/01/21	CCC+		1,218,750
		Consumer Finance 0.2% (0.1% of Tota	l Investment	s)			
	402	First Data Corporation, 144A	7.375%	6/15/19	ВВ		419,326
		Containers & Packaging 0.3% (0.2% of	f Total Inves	tments)			
	776	Reynolds Group	9.875%	8/15/19	CCC+		816,255
		Diversified Telecommunication Services	2.0% (1.2%	of Total Inv	estments)		
	750	Frontier Communications Corporation	6.875%	1/15/25	BB		638,438
	300	IntelSat Limited	6.750%	6/01/18	CCC+		280,500
	3,050	IntelSat Limited	7.750%	6/01/21	CCC+		2,424,750
	2,650 6,750	IntelSat Limited	8.125%	6/01/23	CCC+		2,106,750 5,450,438
	5,750					•	.,,

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	Total Diversified Telecommunication Services				
	Health Care Equipment & Supplies	3.6% (2.1% of	Total Investme	ents)	
2,025	Kinetic Concepts	10.500%	11/01/18	В	2,154,094
1,000	Kinetic Concepts	12.500%	11/01/19	CCC+	1,072,500
3,500	Tenet Healthcare Corporation	6.000%	10/01/20	Ba2	3,806,250
1,100	Tenet Healthcare Corporation	8.125%	4/01/22	В3	1,234,068
1,560	THC Escrow Corporation II, 144A	6.750%	6/15/23	В3	1,630,200
9,185	Total Health Care Equipment & Suppli-	es			9,897,112
	Health Care Providers & Services	2.1% (1.2% of T	otal Investmen	its)	
1,500	Community Health Systems, Inc.	5.125%	8/01/21	BB	1,556,250
2,400	Community Health Systems, Inc.	6.875%	2/01/22	B+	2,568,000
600	IASIS Healthcare Capital Corporation	8.375%	5/15/19	CCC+	624,750
1,000	Truven Health Analytics Inc.	10.625%	6/01/20	CCC+	1,045,000
5,500	Total Health Care Providers & Services	S			5,794,000

Principal Amount					
(000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (3)	Value
	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 0.6% (0.	.4% of Total	Investments)	
\$ 275	Scientific Games Corporation	8.125%	9/15/18	В	\$ 265,375
1,550	Scientific Games International Inc.	10.000%	12/01/22	В	1,505,438
1,825	Total Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure				1,770,813
	Media 4.2% (2.4% of Total Investment	ts)			
100	CCO Safari II LLC, 144A	3.579%	7/23/20	BBB	100,295
1,524	Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	10.000%	1/15/18	CCC	1,219,200
2,872	Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	9.000%	12/15/19	CCC+	2,760,710
6,340	Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	14.000%	2/01/21	CCC	4,192,490
3,050	Clear Channel Communications, Inc.	9.000%	3/01/21	CCC+	2,760,250
500	McGraw-Hill Global Education Holdings	9.750%	4/01/21	BB	553,750
14,386	Total Media				11,586,695
	Pharmaceuticals 1.6% (0.9% of Total I	(nvestments)			
750	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International,	6.750%	8/15/18	B1	787,969
730	144A	0.730%	0/13/10	DI	767,909
2,000	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, 144A	7.000%	10/01/20	B1	2,077,500
500	Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, 144A	7.250%	7/15/22	B1	527,500
1,000	VPII Escrow Corporation, 144A	7.500%	7/15/21	B1	1,085,000
4,250	Total Pharmaceuticals				4,477,969
	Real Estate Investment Trust 0.3% (0.2	2% of Total I	nvestments)		
750	iStar Financial Inc.	4.000%	11/01/17	B+	736,875
	Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equip	ment 0.6%	(0.3% of To	tal Investments)	
1,075	Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.	7.750%	8/01/20	В	723,608
1,200	Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.	7.500%	8/15/22	В	828,000
2,275	Total Semiconductors & Semiconductor Equipment				1,551,608
	Software 0.5% (0.3% of Total Investment	ents)			
1,330	BMC Software Finance Inc., 144A	8.125%	7/15/21	CCC+	990,850
700	Boxer Parent Company Inc./BMC Software, 144A	9.000%	10/15/19	CCC+	434,000
2,030	Total Software				1,424,850
	Wireless Telecommunication Services 1.7% (1.0% of Total Investments)				
500	FairPoint Communications Inc., 144A	8.750%	8/15/19	В	525,000
500	Sprint Corporation	7.875%	9/15/23	B+	479,375
2,000	Sprint Corporation	7.125%	6/15/24	B+	1,830,000
1,750	T-Mobile USA Inc.	6.250%	4/01/21	ВВ	1,833,125
75	T-Mobile USA Inc.	6.731%	4/28/22	BB	79,500
75	T-Mobile USA Inc.	6.836%	4/28/23	BB	80,250
4,900	Total Wireless Telecommunication				4,827,250

	Services	
\$ 55,429	Total Corporate Bonds (cost \$54,843,363)	50,871,941
	Total Long-Term Investments (cost	433,579,036
	\$444,290,240)	

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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1) Coupon Maturity	Value
	SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS 14.2% (8.3% of Total Investments)	
	REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS 14.2% (8.3% of Total Investments)	
\$ 39,279	Repurchase Agreement with Fixed Income Clearing 0.000% 8/03/15 Corporation, dated 7/31/15, repurchase price \$39,279,324, collateralized by \$40,065,000 U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.000%, due 7/31/22, value \$40,065,000	\$ 39,279,324
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$39,279,324)	39,279,324
	Total Investments (cost \$483,569,564) 171.0%	472,858,360
	Borrowings (40.7)% (9), (10)	(112,500,000)
	Variable Rate Term Preferred Shares, at	(58,000,000)
	Liquidation Value (21.0)% (11)	
	Other Assets Less Liabilities (9.3)%	(25,828,139)
	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares 100%	\$ 276,530,221

For Fund portfolio compliance purposes, the Fund s industry classifications refer to any one or more of the industry sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or ratings group indexes, and/or as defined by Fund management. This definition may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine industry sub-classifications into sectors for reporting ease.

- (1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to common shares unless otherwise noted.
- (2) Senior loans generally are subject to mandatory and/or optional prepayment. Because of these mandatory prepayment conditions and because there may be significant economic incentives for a borrower to prepay, prepayments of senior loans may occur. As a result, the actual remaining maturity of senior loans held may be substantially less than the stated maturities shown.
- Ratings (not covered by the report of independent registered public accounting firm): Using the highest of Standard & Poor s Group (Standard & Poor s), Moody s Investors Service, Inc. (Moody s) or Fitch, Inc. (Fit rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor s, Baa by Moody s or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade. Holdings designated N/R are not rated by any of these national rating agencies.
- (4) Senior loans generally pay interest at rates which are periodically adjusted by reference to a base short-term, floating lending rate plus an assigned fixed rate. These floating lending rates are generally (i) the lending rate referenced by the London Inter-Bank Offered Rate (LIBOR), or (ii) the prime rate offered by one or more

major United States banks. Senior loans may be considered restricted in that the Fund ordinarily is contractually obligated to receive approval from the agent bank and/or borrower prior to the disposition of a senior loan. The rate shown is the coupon as of the end of the reporting period.

- (5) At or subsequent to the end of the reporting period, this security is non-income producing. Non-income producing, in the case of a fixed-income security, generally denotes that the issuer has (1) defaulted on the payment of principal or interest, (2) is under the protection of the Federal Bankruptcy Court or (3) the Fund s Adviser has concluded that the issue is not likely to meet its future interest payment obligations and has ceased accruing additional income on the Fund s records.
- (6) Non-income producing; issuer has not declared a dividend within the past twelve months.
- (7) For fair value measurement disclosure purposes, investment classified as Level 2. See Notes to Financial Statements, Note 2 Investment Valuation and Fair Value Measurements for more information.
- (8) Investment valued at fair value using methods determined in good faith by, or at the discretion of, the Board. For fair value measurement disclosure purposes, investment classified as Level 3. See Notes to Financial Statements, Note 2 Investment Valuation and Fair Value Measurements for more information.
- (9) Borrowings as a percentage of Total Investments is 23.8%.
- (10) The Fund segregates 100% of its eligible investments (excluding any investments separately pledged as collateral for specific investments in derivatives, when applicable) as collateral for borrowings.
- (11) Variable Rate Term Preferred Shares, at Liquidation Value as a percentage of Total Investments is 12.3%.
- (DD1) Portion of investment purchased on a delayed delivery basis.

(WI/DD)Purchased on a when-issued or delayed delivery basis.

- 144A Investment is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. These investments may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration, which are normally those transactions with qualified institutional buyers.
- TBD Senior loan purchased on a when-issued or delayed-delivery basis. Certain details associated with this purchase are not known prior to the settlement date of the transaction. In addition, senior loans typically trade without accrued interest and therefore a coupon rate is not available prior to settlement. At settlement, if still unknown, the borrower or counterparty will provide the Fund with the final coupon rate and maturity date.

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund Portfolio of Investments

July 31, 2015

Principal Amount				Maturity		
	(000)	Description (1)	Coupon (4)	(2)	Ratings (3)	Value
		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS 1	54.3% (91.2%	of Total Investm	ents)	
		VARIABLE RATE SENIOR LOAN	N INTERESTS	128.1% (75.7%	of Total Inve	estments) (4)
		Aerospace & Defense 1.8% (1.1%)	of Total Invest	ments)		
\$	4,269	B/E Aerospace, Inc., Term Loan B, First Lien	4.000%	12/16/21	BB+	\$ 4,312,751
	5,532	Sequa Corporation, Term Loan B, (DD1)	5.250%	6/19/17	В3	4,909,624
	2,993	Transdigm, Inc., Term Loan E, First Lien	3.500%	5/16/22	Ba3	2,982,173
	12,794	Total Aerospace & Defense				12,204,548
		Airlines 3.4% (2.0% of Total Inve	estments)			
	3,431	American Airlines, Inc., Term Loan B First Lien	3.250%	6/27/20	BB+	3,419,683
	3,000	American Airlines, Inc., Term Loan B First Lien	3.500%	10/08/21	BB+	3,002,814
	9,745	Delta Air Lines, Inc., Term Loan B1	3.250%	10/18/18	BBB	9,746,621
	1,950	Delta Air Lines, Inc., Term Loan B2	2.438%	4/18/16	BBB	1,950,523
	4,410	US Airways, Inc., Term Loan B1	3.500%	5/23/19	BB+	4,410,392
	22,536	Total Airlines				