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Investments are grouped by economic sectors.

| Name of Issuer | Quantity | Fair Value (\$) | Name of Issuer | Quantity | Fair Value (\$) |
|--|----------------|---------------------|--|--------------------------|----------------------|
| Common Stocks - 62.8% | | | Honeywell International, Inc. | 1,450 | 277,124 |
| Communications - 0.5% | | | Motorola Solutions, Inc. | 1,400 | 400,582 |
| American Tower Corp. | 1,050 | 214,557 | Northrop Grumman Corp. Parker-Hannifin Corp. | 675 1,350 | 311,661 453,748 |
| Consumer Durables - 0.5% | | | Safran SA, ADR | 11,550 | 427,581 |
| YETI Holdings, Inc. * | 5,500 | 220,000 | Siemens AG, ADR | 5,175 | 418,916 |
| Consumer Non-Durables - 3.1% | | | | | 2,556,063 |
| Constellation Brands, Inc. | 2,025 | 457,427 | Retail Trade - 6.8% | | |
| Estee Lauder Cos., Inc Class A Mondelez International, Inc. | 1,635 3,400 | 402,962 237,048 | Amazon.com, Inc.* | 9,700 | 1,001,913 |
| PepsiCo, Inc. | 1,825 | 332,698 | CVS Health Corp. | 5,800 | 430,998 |
| repsico, inc. | 1,023 | | Home Depot, Inc. | 1,825 | 538,594 |
| | | 1,430,135 | Lululemon Athletica, Inc. * | 925 | 336,876 |
| Consumer Services - 2.4% | | | TJX Cos., Inc. Ulta Beauty, Inc. * | 5,100 795 | 399,636 433,808 |
| McDonald's Corp. | 1,450 | 405,434 | Olta Beauty, IIIC. | 193 | |
| Visa, Inc. | 3,100 | 698,926 | | | 3,141,825 |
| | | 1,104,360 | Technology Services - 15.5% | 2.025 | 570.765 |
| Electronic Technology - 11.2% | | | Accenture, PLC | 2,025 | 578,765 |
| Apple, Inc. | 14,600 | 2,407,540 | Adobe, Inc. * Alphabet, Inc Class A* | 475 12,400 | 183,051 1,286,252 |
| Applied Materials, Inc. | 2,600 | 319,358 | Alphabet, Inc Class A Alphabet, Inc Class C* | 4,100 | 426,400 |
| Broadcom, Inc. | 1,485 | 952,687 | Atlassian Corp. * | 1,050 | 179,728 |
| NVIDIA Corp. Palo Alto Networks, Inc.* | 4,200 500 | 1,166,634 99,870 | Autodesk, Inc. * | 1,275 | 265,404 |
| Qualcomm, Inc. | 1,100 | 140,338 | Dynatrace, Inc. * | 4,250 | 179,775 |
| Quareonini, inc. | 1,100 | | Intuit, Inc. | 1,200 | 534,996 |
| | | 5,086,427 | Microsoft Corp. | 7,800 | 2,248,740 |
| Energy Minerals - 1.6% | | | Paycom Software, Inc.* | 600 | 182,406 |
| ConocoPhillips | 5,775 | 572,938 | Salesforce, Inc. * | 3,650 | 729,197 |
| Shell, PLC, ADR | 2,400 | 138,096 | ServiceNow, Inc.* | 560 | 260,243 |
| | | 711,034 | | | 7,054,957 |
| Finance - 3.3% | | | Transportation - 1.4% | 0.77 | 222 552 |
| Ameriprise Financial, Inc. | 1,150 | 352,475 | FedEx Corp. | 975 | 222,778 |
| Chubb, Ltd. | 1,400 | 271,852 | Union Pacific Corp. | 2,050 | 412,583 |
| Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. | 1,600 | 523,376 | | | 635,361 |
| JPMorgan Chase & Co. | 2,925 | 381,157 | Utilities - 0.7% | | |
| | | 1,528,860 | NextEra Energy, Inc. | 4,140 | 319,111 |
| Health Services - 3.2% | | | Total Common Stocks | | |
| Centene Corp.* | 3,500 | 221,235 | (cost: \$16,719,575) | | 28,643,180 |
| HCA Healthcare, Inc. | 850 | 224,128 | (| | |
| UnitedHealth Group, Inc. | 2,150 | 1,016,069 | | Duta sta st | |
| | | 1,461,432 | Name of Issuer | Principal Amount (\$) | Fair Value (\$) |
| Health Technology - 4.0% | 2.550 | 250 452 | Name of issue | Amount (\$) | Tall Value (ψ) |
| Abbott Laboratories | 3,550 | 359,473 | Bonds – 31.0% | | |
| Dexcom, Inc. * | 5,260 | 611,107 | Asset-Backed Securities - 0.4% | | |
| Johnson & Johnson Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc. | 1,250 1,200 | 193,750 691,644 | | | |
| Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc. | 1,200 | | Small Business Administration: | 12.002 | 11 079 |
| | | 1,855,974 | 2008-20A 1, 5.17%, 1/1/28 2007-20H 1, 5.78%, 8/1/27 | 12,092 10,948 | 11,978 10,922 |
| Industrial Services - 1.0% | | | Towd Point Mortgage Trust: | 10,510 | 10,722 |
| Cheniere Energy, Inc. | 2,900 | 457,040 | 2020-MH1 A1A, 2.18%, 2/25/60 1, 4 | 84,677 | 78,963 |
| Process Industries - 2.0% | | | 2019-MH1 A2, 3.00%, 11/25/58 ^{1,4} | 100,000 | 95,479 |
| Darling Ingredients, Inc.* | 3,525 | 205,860 | 2017 11111 112, 3.0070, 11/23/30 | 100,000 | |
| Linde, PLC | 1,225 | 435,414 | | | 197,342 |
| Sherwin-Williams Co. | 1,000 | 224,770 | | | |
| | | 866,044 | Collateralized Mortgage Obligations - 7.3% | | |
| Producer Manufacturing - 5.6% | | | Fannie Mae: | 10.105 | 4 2 4=0 |
| Aptiv, PLC * | 2,375 | 266,451 | 2017-84 JP, 2.75%, 10/25/47 | 18,195 | 16,470 |
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| Name of Issuer | Principal Amount (\$) | Fair Value (\$) | Name of Issuer | Principal Amount (\$) | Fair Value (\$) |
|--|--------------------------|-------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 2003-34 A1, 6.00%, 4/25/43 | 24,491 | 25,035 | 2020-2 A17, 3.00%, 12/25/49 ^{1, 4} | 27,998 | 23,703 |
| 2004-T1 1A1, 6.00%, 1/25/44 | 15,102 | 15,477 | | _,,,,, | 3,307,764 |
| 1999-17 C, 6.35%, 4/25/29 | 4,887 | 4,977 | G | | 3,307,704 |
| 2001-82 ZA, 6.50%, 1/25/32 | 8,058 | 8,316 | Corporate Bonds - 8.3% | 150,000 | 151 260 |
| 2009-30 AG, 6.50%, 5/25/39 | 26,864 | 27,980 | American Tower Trust, 5.49%, 3/15/28 ⁴ | 150,000 | 151,269 |
| 2013-28 WD, 6.50%, 5/25/42 | 24,890 | 26,463 | Baltimore Gas & Electric Co., 4.55%, 6/1/52 | 75,000 | 68,137 158,138 |
| 2004-T1 1A2, 6.50%, 1/25/44 | 41,190 | 42,583 | Bristol-Myers Squibb Co., 4.25%, 10/26/49 British Airways 2020-1 Class B Pass Through | 175,000 | 130,130 |
| 2004-W9 2A1, 6.50%, 2/25/44 | 26,201 | 26,986 | Trust, 8.38%, 11/15/28 ⁴ | 45,060 | 46,052 |
| 2010-108 AP, 7.00%, 9/25/40 | 300 | 316 | Charles Stark Draper Lab., Inc., 4.39%, 9/1/48 | 100,000 | 90,641 |
| 2004-T3 1A3, 7.00%, 2/25/44 | 5,024 | 5,277 | Consumers Energy Co., 4.35%, 8/31/64 | 50,000 | 42,001 |
| Freddie Mac: | | | CVS Pass-Through Trust, 7.51%, 1/10/32 ⁴ | 116,493 | 125,437 |
| 5280 A, 3.50%, 1/25/50 | 165,639 | 156,931 | Delta Air Lines 2015-1 Class AA Pass | 110,155 | 120,107 |
| 4812 CZ, 4.00%, 5/15/48 | 171,634 | 165,575 | Through Trust, 3.63%, 7/30/27 | 117,841 | 108,537 |
| 4293 BA, 5.28%, 10/15/47 ¹ | 7,712 | 8,000 | Dow Chemical Co., 6.90%, 5/15/53 | 75,000 | 86,226 |
| 2122 ZE, 6.00%, 2/15/29 | 28,346 | 29,097 | Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC, 5.35%, 1/15/53 | 150,000 | 155,537 |
| 2126 C, 6.00%, 2/15/29 | 18,184 | 18,566 | Duke Energy Florida, LLC: | | |
| 2480 Z, 6.00%, 8/15/32 | 20,713 | 21,238 | 2.54%, 9/1/29 | 46,034 | 42,111 |
| 2485 WG, 6.00%, 8/15/32 | 21,378 | 22,245 | 2.86%, 3/1/33 | 120,000 | 104,219 |
| 2575 QE, 6.00%, 2/15/33 | 9,640 | 10,034 | Entergy Louisiana, LLC, 4.95%, 1/15/45 | 150,000 | 139,352 |
| 2980 QA, 6.00%, 5/15/35 | 11,024 | 11,578 | Equifax, Inc., 3.10%, 5/15/30 | 100,000 | 86,880 |
| 2283 K, 6.50%, 12/15/23 | 427 | 427 | Fairfax Financial Holdings, 7.75%, 7/15/37 | 150,000 | 170,414 |
| 2357 ZJ, 6.50%, 9/15/31 | 15,550 | 15,858 | Genuine Parts Co., 1.88%, 11/1/30 | 200,000 | 159,106 |
| 4520 HM, 6.50%, 8/15/45 | 12,888 | 14,087 9,604 | Idaho Power Co., 5.50%, 3/15/53 | 150,000 | 155,170 |
| 3704 CT, 7.00%, 12/15/36 | 8,938 | 9,604 8,355 | ITT, LLC, 7.40%, 11/15/25 | 25,000 | 25,721 |
| 2238 PZ, 7.50%, 6/15/30 | 7,862 | 0,333 | JPMorgan Chase & Co., 4.59%, 4/26/33 ¹ | 100,000 | 96,695 |
| Government National Mortgage Association: | | | Leidos, Inc., 7.13%, 7/1/32 | 50,000 | 54,563 |
| 2021-86 WB, 4.73%, 5/20/51 ¹ | 143,617 | 145,220 | Louisville Gas & Electric Co., 5.45%, 4/15/33 | 50,000 | 51,935 |
| 2021-104 HT, 5.50%, 6/20/51 | 178,383 | 185,066 | Moody's Corp., 4.25%, 8/8/32 | 50,000 | 48,005 |
| 2021-27 AW, 5.85%, 2/20/51 ¹ | 193,803 | 208,343 | Nationwide Mutual Insurance Co. | | |
| 2015-80 BA, 7.00%, 6/20/45 ¹ | 9,181 | 9,616 | (Subordinated), 3 Mo. Libor + 2.29, | | |
| 2018-147 AM, 7.00%, 10/20/48 | 27,828 | 29,783 | 7.16%, 12/15/24 ^{1,4} | 195,000 | 194,204 |
| 2018-160 DA, 7.00%, 11/20/48 | 24,457 | 26,117 | Northern Trust Corp. (Subordinated), 3 Mo. | | |
| 2014-69 W, 7.20%, 11/20/34 ¹ | 12,753 | 13,431 | Libor + 1.13, 3.38%, 5/8/32 ¹ | 250,000 | 226,696 |
| 2013-133 KQ, 7.30%, 8/20/38 ¹ 2005-74 HA, 7.50%, 9/16/35 | 14,548 728 | 15,455 736 | PacifiCorp, 2.70%, 9/15/30 | 200,000 | 176,932 |
| | 120 | 730 | Polar Tankers, Inc., 5.95%, 5/10/374 | 97,890 | 101,881 |
| JP Morgan Mortgage Trust: | | | Prudential Financial, Inc. (Subordinated), | | |
| 2021-3 A4, 2.50%, 7/25/51 ^{1,4} | 131,290 | 113,971 | 3 Mo. Libor + 3.92%, 5.63%, 6/15/43 ¹ | 200,000 | 196,395 |
| 2021-6 A4, 2.50%, 10/25/51 ^{1,4} | 303,689 | 264,373 | Security Benefit Life Insurance Co. | 100.000 | 22.26 |
| 2021-13 A4, 2.50%, 4/25/52 ^{1,4} | 278,203 | 239,070 | (Subordinated), 7.45%, 10/1/33 ⁴ | 100,000 | 99,060 |
| 2019-HYB1 A5A, 3.00%, 10/25/49 1,4 | 30,809 | 28,037 | Spirit Airlines, 4.10%, 4/1/28 | 107,016 | 99,490 |
| 2020-8 A3, 3.00%, 3/25/51 ^{1,4} | 18,557 286,796 | 15,882 274,768 | Tennessee Gas Pipeline, LLC, 7.00%, 10/15/28 | 213,000 | 231,028 |
| 2021-6 A12, 5.00%, 10/25/51 ^{1,4} 2021-13 A11, 5.00%, 4/25/52 ^{1,4} | 296,152 | 269,851 | Union Electric Co., 4.00%, 4/1/48 United Airlines 2019-2 Class AA Pass Through | 100,000 | 82,515 |
| 2022-1 A11, 5.00%, 7/25/52 ^{1,4} | 346,391 | 315,429 | Trust, 2.70%, 5/1/32 | 132,679 | 111,657 |
| 2022-1 A11, 5.00%, 7/25/52 2022-2 A11, 5.00%, 8/25/52 1,4 | 324,901 | 299,314 | | 25,000 | 26,429 |
| | 324,701 | 277,514 | Waste Connections, Inc., 4.20%, 1/15/33 | 100,000 | 95,840 |
| New Residential Mortgage Loan Trust: 2018-3A A1, 4.50%, 5/25/58 1,4 | 37,557 | 35,161 | waste Connections, inc., 4.2070, 1/13/33 | 100,000 | 3,808,273 |
| PMT Loan Trust: | | | Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation - (| 0.3% | |
| 2013-J1 A11, 3.50%, 9/25/43 ^{1, 4} | 28,173 | 25,566 | 7.50%, 7/1/29 | 53,842 | 56,072 |
| Sequoia Mortgage Trust: | · · | ŕ | 8.00%, 2/1/34 | 5,469 | 5,685 |
| 2020-4 A5, 2.50%, 11/25/50 ^{1,4} | 43,524 | 38,946 | 8.50%, 5/1/31 | 63,125 | 66,197 |
| · · · · · · | 43,324 | 30,940 | , | , | 127,954 |
| Vendee Mortgage Trust: | | | | | 127,934 |
| 2008-1 B, 5.87%, 3/15/25 ¹ | 6,848 | 7,015 | Federal National Mortgage Association - 2.2% | | |
| Wells Fargo Mortgaged Backed Securities | | | 4.50%, 7/1/52 | 334,491 | 327,375 |
| Trust: | 25.262 | 21.426 | 4.50%, 9/1/52 | 337,708 | 330,519 |
| 2020-5 A3, 2.50%, 9/25/50 ^{1, 4} | 35,263 | 31,436 | 5.50%, 8/1/56 | 162,486 | 168,778 |
| | | | 6.00%, 7/1/41 | 148,000 | 155,647 |

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| Name of Issuer | Principal Amount (\$) | Fair Value (\$) | Name of Issuer | Principal Amount (\$) | Fair Value (\$) |
|---|--------------------------|-----------------|---|--------------------------|-----------------|
| 6.50%, 2/1/24 | 703 | 700 | U.S. Treasury / Federal Agency Securities - 3.2 | 20/0 | |
| 6.50%, 9/1/27 | 18,176 | 18,750 | | . , 0 | |
| 7.00%, 1/1/32 | 4,541 | 4,549 | U.S. Treasury - 3.2% U.S. Treasury Bonds 3.63%, 2/15/53 | 650,000 | 642,586 |
| 7.00%, 3/1/33 | 12,709 | 13,060 | • | 030,000 | 042,380 |
| 7.00%, 12/1/38 | 11,262 | 11,553 | U.S. Treasury Notes: | | |
| 8.42%, 7/15/26 | 1,052 | 1,051 | 2.75%, 4/30/27 | 150,000 | 144,428 |
| | | 1,031,982 | 3.50%, 2/15/33 | 450,000 | 450,351 |
| Government National Mortgage Association - 0.6% | | | 4.00%, 2/29/28 | 150,000 | 152,566 |
| 5.00%, 5/20/48 | 24,131 | 24,537 | U.S. Treasury Strip 3.59%, 11/15/50 ⁶ | 175,000 | 63,532 |
| 5.50%, 8/20/62 | 194,541 | 194,739 | | | 1,453,463 |
| 6.50%, 11/20/38 | 9,140 | 9,349 | Total Bonds | | |
| 7.00%, 12/15/24 | 2,292 | 2,277 | (cost \$15,402,449) | | 14,162,487 |
| 7.00%, 11/20/27 | 5,428 | 5,515 | (cost \$15,402,449) | | 14,102,467 |
| 7.00%, 9/20/29 | 14,763 | 15,299 | | | |
| 7.00%, 9/20/38 | 6,366 | 6,723 | Name of Issuer | Quantity | Fair Value (\$) |
| 7.50%, 4/20/32 | 8,251 | 8,453 | Tunic or issuer | Quantity | T απ Value (ψ) |
| 8.00%, 7/15/24 | 36 | 36 | Investment Companies 3.0% | | |
| , | | | BlackRock Enhanced Government Fund | 4,536 | 44,226 |
| | | 266,928 | BlackRock Income Trust, Inc. | 5,300 | 66,727 |
| Taxable Municipal Securities - 8.7% | | | DWS Municipal Income Trust | 9,800 | 87,220 |
| Benton & Polk Sch. Dist. No. 17J G.O., | | | MFS Intermediate Income Trust | 63,700 | 176,449 |
| 5.47%, 6/15/27 | 150,000 | 155,589 | Nuveen AMT-Free Muni Credit Income Fund | 15,400 | 181,412 |
| Chicago Park Dist., 2.53%, 1/1/34 | 235,000 | 189,243 | Nuveen AMT-Free Quality Muni Income Fund | 15,100 | 167,912 |
| CO Health Facs. Auth., 3.13%, 5/15/27 | 250,000 | 225,318 | Nuveen Multi-Market Income Fund | 3,953 | 22,947 |
| Colliers Hill Metropolitan Dist. No. 2 G.O., | | | Nuveen Quality Municipal Income Fund | 12,500 | 144,125 |
| 3.99%, 12/1/47 | 250,000 | 205,045 | Putnam Master Intermediate Income Trust | 61,000 | 193,980 |
| Colorado Edu. & Cultural Fac. Auth., 3.97%, | | | Putnam Premier Income Trust | 58,975 | 209,951 |
| 3/1/56 | 205,000 | 163,264 | TCW Strategic Income Fund, Inc. | 18,000 | 84,240 |
| Coventry Local Sch. Dist., 2.20%, 11/1/29 | 200,000 | 173,068 | | , | |
| Kentucky Higher Edu. Student Loan Corp. | | | Total Investment Companies | | |
| (Subordinated), 5.27%, 6/1/36 | 100,000 | 92,262 | (cost: \$1,538,734) | | 1,379,189 |
| LaGrange Co. Regional Utility Dist., 2.98%, | | | Short Town Securities 2.00/ | | |
| 1/1/40 | 230,000 | 185,313 | Short-Term Securities - 3.0% Fidelity Inst. Money Mkt. Gyt. Fund. 4 729/ | | |
| Maricopa Co. Industrial Dev. Auth., 5.00%, | | | Fidelity Inst. Money Mkt. Gvt. Fund, 4.72% | 1 260 122 | 1 260 122 |
| 7/1/44 4 | 100,000 | 99,711 | (cost \$1,369,132) | 1,369,132 | 1,369,132 |
| Massachusetts Edu. Auth.: | | | Total Investments in Securities - 99.8% | | |
| 4.00%, 1/1/32 | 20,000 | 19,468 | (cost \$35,029,890) | | 45,553,988 |
| 4.41%, 7/1/34 | 15,000 | 14,763 | . , , , | | |
| 4.95%, 7/1/38 | 200,000 | 196,584 | Other Assets and Liabilities, net - 0.2% | | 107,102 |
| MD Comm. Dev. Admin., 4.03%, 9/1/27 | 200,000 | 193,252 | Net Assets - 100.0% | | \$45,661,090 |
| MN Hsg. Fin. Agy., 2.31%, 1/1/27 | 135,000 | 124,785 | Net Assets - 100.0 /0 | | 543,001,090 |
| NJ Higher Edu. Student Assit. Auth., 3.50%, | | | | | |
| 12/1/398 | 80,000 | 78,039 | | | |
| No. Dakota Hsg. Fin. Auth., 3.70%, 7/1/33 | 100,000 | 91,740 | | | |
| NY Mortgage Agency, 2.98%, 10/1/40 | 150,000 | 116,740 | | | |
| NY State Dormitory Auth., 2.69%, 7/1/35 | 200,000 | 154,110 | | | |
| Oregon State Fac. Auth., 2.68%, 7/1/31 | 350,000 | 294,354 | | | |
| Public Fin. Auth., 4.23%, 7/1/32 | 105,000 | 100,126 | | | |
| RI Student Loan Auth., 4.13%, 12/1/27 | 200,000 | 192,844 | | | |
| Texas Children's Hospital, 3.37%, 10/1/29 17 | 115,000 | 107,524 | | | |
| Texas Trans. Comm. State Highway, 5.18%, | | | | | |
| 4/1/30 | 150,000 | 155,147 | | | |
| Utah Charter Sch. Fin. Auth., 2.40%, 10/15/27 | 205,000 | 187,878 | | | |
| VA Hsg. Dev. Auth., 2.13%, 7/25/51 | 228,643 | 175,140 | | | |
| WA State Hsg. Fin. Comm., 3.50%, 7/1/244 | 155,000 | 151,305 | | | |
| Wichita Falls, 1.65%, 9/1/28 | 145,000 | 126,169 | | | |
| | | 3,968,781 | | | |
| | | 5,700,701 | | | |

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- * Non-income producing security.
- 1 Variable rate security. Rate disclosed is as of March 31, 2023. Certain variable rate securities are not based on a published reference rate and spread but are determined by the issuer or agent and are based on current market conditions, or, for mortgage-backed securities, are impacted by the individual mortgages which are paying off over time. These securities do not indicate a reference rate and spread in their descriptions.
- 4 144A Restricted Security. The total value of such securities as of March 31, 2023 was \$3,118,867 and represented 6.8% of net assets. These securities have been determined to be liquid by the Adviser in accordance with guidelines established by the Board of Directors.
- Zero coupon or convertible capital appreciation bond, for which the rate disclosed is either the effective yield on purchase date or the coupon rate to be paid upon conversion to coupon paying.
- 8 Securities the income from which is treated as a tax preference that is included in alternative minimum taxable income for purposes of computing federal alternative minimum tax (AMT). At March 31, 2023, 0.2% of net assets in the Fund was invested in such securities.
- 17 Security that is either an absolute and unconditional obligation of the United States Government or is collateralized by securities, loans, or leases guaranteed by the U.S. Government or its agencies or instrumentalities.

ADR — American Depositary Receipt LLC — Limited Liability Company

PLC - Public Limited Company

Numeric footnotes not disclosed are not applicable to this Schedule of Investments.

The Fund's portfolio's holdings are expressed as a percentage of net assets as of the date given, and may vary over time. They are provided for informational purposes only and should not be deemed as a recommendation to buy or sell any securities.

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Investments in securities traded on national or international securities exchanges are valued at the last reported sales price prior to the time when assets are valued. Securities traded on the over-the-counter market are valued at the last reported sales price or if the last sales price is not available at the last reported bid price. The sale and bid prices or prices deemed best to reflect fair value quoted by dealers who make markets in these securities are obtained from independent pricing services. Debt securities maturing in more than 60 days are priced by an independent pricing service. The pricing service may use models that price securities based on current yields and relative security characteristics, such as coupon rate, maturity date, issuer credit quality, and prepayment speeds as applicable. When market quotations are not readily available, or when the Adviser becomes aware that a significant event impacting the value of a security or group of securities has occurred after the closing of the exchange on which the security or securities principally trade, but before the calculation of the daily net asset value, securities are valued at fair value as determined in good faith using procedures established by the Board of Directors. The pro cedures consider, among others, the following factors to determine a security's raive: the nature and pricing history (if any) of the security; whether any dealer quotations for the security are available; and possible valuation methodologies that could be used to deter mine the fair value of the security. Debt securities of sufficient credit quality maturing in less than 60 days when acquired, or which subsequently are within 60 days of maturity, are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value

Security transactions are accounted for on the date the securities are purchased or sold. Securities gains and losses are calculated on theidentified-cost basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date or upon the receipt of ex-dividend notification in the case ofcertain foreign securities. Interest, including level-yield amortization of long-term bond premium and discount, is recorded on the accrual basis.