

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549
FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the quarterly period ended September 30, 2021

OR

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period from: to

Commission File Number: 814-00939

MSC Income Fund, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Maryland
(State or other jurisdiction of
incorporation or organization)
1300 Post Oak Boulevard, 8th Floor
Houston, TX
(Address of principal executive offices)

45-3999996
(I.R.S. Employer
Identification No.)

77056
(Zip Code)

(713) 350-6000

(Registrant's telephone number including area code)

n/a

(Former name, former address and former fiscal year, if changed since last report)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of Each Class	Trading Symbol	Name of Each Exchange on Which Registered
None	N/A	N/A

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). Yes No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer Accelerated filer Non-accelerated filer Smaller reporting company
Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes No

The number of shares outstanding of the issuer's common stock as of November 12, 2021 was 79,826,954.

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MSC Income Fund, Inc.**Consolidated Balance Sheets****(dollars in thousands, except shares and per share amounts)**

	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
	(unaudited)	
ASSETS		
Investments at fair value:		
Control investments (cost: \$18,223 and \$18,152 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	\$ 34,471	\$ 33,831
Affiliate investments (cost: \$194,908 and \$143,740 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	218,875	157,690
Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments (cost: \$783,920 and \$678,764 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	748,934	634,001
Total investments (cost: \$997,051 and \$840,656 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	1,002,280	825,522
Cash and cash equivalents	21,442	8,586
Restricted cash	—	40,480
Dividends and interest receivable	10,728	8,303
Receivable for securities sold	563	—
Deferred financing costs (net of accumulated amortization of \$960 and \$4,443 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	4,321	2,691
Prepays and other assets	1,462	2,439
Total assets	<u>\$ 1,040,796</u>	<u>\$ 888,021</u>
LIABILITIES		
Credit facilities	\$ 353,688	\$ 301,816
Unsecured term debt	60,000	—
Accounts payable and other liabilities	2,712	2,093
Interest payable	3,441	286
Dividend payable	11,964	—
Management fees payable	4,473	4,202
Payable for securities purchased	1,169	—
Total liabilities	437,447	308,397
Commitments and contingencies (Note I)		
NET ASSETS		
Common stock, \$0.001 par value per share (150,000,000 shares authorized, 79,756,378 and 79,608,304 issued and outstanding at September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively)	80	80
Additional paid-in capital	683,194	682,028
Total undistributed (overdistributed) earnings	(79,925)	(102,484)
Total net assets	603,349	579,624
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 1,040,796</u>	<u>\$ 888,021</u>
NET ASSET VALUE PER SHARE	<u>\$ 7.56</u>	<u>\$ 7.28</u>

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MSC Income Fund, Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(dollars in thousands, except shares and per share amounts)

	(unaudited)		Nine Months Ended	
	Three Months Ended		September 30,	
	September 30,		September 30,	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
INVESTMENT INCOME:				
Interest, fee and dividend income:				
Control investments	\$ 845	\$ 780	\$ 2,188	\$ 1,876
Affiliate investments	5,365	3,676	13,461	11,129
Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments	16,544	15,063	49,873	52,761
Total investment income	22,754	19,519	65,522	65,766
EXPENSES:				
Interest	3,759	4,000	10,223	13,503
Base management fees	4,473	4,701	12,534	14,325
Internal administrative service expenses	1,152	959	3,247	2,495
Offering costs	55	28	110	205
Professional fees	490	226	1,298	1,726
Insurance	114	103	343	310
Board of director fees	97	86	295	309
General and administrative	644	388	1,411	863
Total expenses before fee and expense waivers	10,784	10,491	29,461	33,736
Waiver of internal administrative services expenses	(1,152)	(959)	(3,247)	(2,495)
Total expenses, net of fee and expense waivers	9,632	9,532	26,214	31,241
NET INVESTMENT INCOME	13,122	9,987	39,308	34,525
NET REALIZED GAIN (LOSS):				
Affiliate investments	(203)	—	(2,673)	(4,054)
Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments	(3,473)	(17,868)	(1,176)	(31,507)
Realized loss on extinguishment of debt	—	—	(2,091)	—
Total net realized gain (loss)	(3,676)	(17,868)	(5,940)	(35,561)
NET UNREALIZED APPRECIATION (DEPRECIATION):				
Control investments	572	300	569	(881)
Affiliate investments	3,987	4,157	10,017	2,617
Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments	2,784	43,467	9,777	(24,753)
Total net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	7,343	47,924	20,363	(23,017)
INCOME TAXES:				
Federal and state income, excise and other taxes	453	97	1,283	192
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS	\$ 16,336	\$ 39,946	\$ 52,448	\$ (24,245)
NET INVESTMENT INCOME PER SHARE—BASIC AND DILUTED	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.49	\$ 0.43
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS PER SHARE—BASIC AND DILUTED	\$ 0.20	\$ 0.50	\$ 0.66	\$ (0.31)
WEIGHTED-AVERAGE SHARES OUTSTANDING—BASIC AND DILUTED	79,908,827	79,608,304	79,831,292	79,079,204

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MSC Income Fund, Inc.
Consolidated Statements of Changes in Net Assets
(dollars in thousands, except shares)
(unaudited)

	Common Stock		Additional Paid-In Capital	Total Undistributed (Overdistributed) Earnings	Total Net Asset Value
	Number of Shares	Par Value			
Balances at December 31, 2019	78,463,377	\$ 78	\$ 675,554	\$ (66,327)	\$ 609,305
Dividend reinvestment	751,240	1	5,898	—	5,899
Common stock repurchased	(791,488)	(1)	(6,093)	—	(6,094)
Net decrease resulting from operations	—	—	—	(85,816)	(85,816)
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	(13,730)	(13,730)
Balances at March 31, 2020	<u>78,423,129</u>	<u>\$ 78</u>	<u>\$ 675,359</u>	<u>\$ (165,873)</u>	<u>\$ 509,564</u>
Dividend reinvestment	894,499	1	5,875	—	5,876
Net increase resulting from operations	—	—	—	21,625	21,625
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	(13,790)	(13,790)
Balances at June 30, 2020	<u>79,317,628</u>	<u>\$ 79</u>	<u>\$ 681,234</u>	<u>\$ (158,038)</u>	<u>\$ 523,275</u>
Dividend reinvestment	290,676	1	1,919	—	1,920
Net increase resulting from operations	—	—	—	39,946	39,946
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	—	—
Balances at September 30, 2020	<u>79,608,304</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>	<u>\$ 683,153</u>	<u>\$ (118,092)</u>	<u>\$ 565,141</u>
Balances at December 31, 2020	79,608,304	\$ 80	\$ 682,028	\$ (102,484)	\$ 579,624
Net increase resulting from operations	—	—	—	12,657	12,657
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	(7,961)	(7,961)
Balances at March 31, 2021	<u>79,608,304</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>	<u>\$ 682,028</u>	<u>\$ (97,788)</u>	<u>\$ 584,320</u>
Offering of common stock	67,114	—	500	—	500
Dividend reinvestment	424,455	—	3,162	—	3,162
Common stock repurchased	(383,512)	—	(2,861)	—	(2,861)
Net increase resulting from operations	—	—	—	23,455	23,455
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	(9,964)	(9,964)
Balances at June 30, 2021	<u>79,716,361</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>	<u>\$ 682,829</u>	<u>\$ (84,297)</u>	<u>\$ 598,612</u>
Dividend reinvestment	478,309	1	3,682	—	3,683
Common stock repurchased	(438,292)	(1)	(3,317)	—	(3,318)
Net increase resulting from operations	—	—	—	16,336	16,336
Dividends to stockholders	—	—	—	(11,964)	(11,964)
Balances at September 30, 2021	<u>79,756,378</u>	<u>\$ 80</u>	<u>\$ 683,194</u>	<u>\$ (79,925)</u>	<u>\$ 603,349</u>

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MSC Income Fund, Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(dollars in thousands)

(unaudited)

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 52,448	\$ (24,245)
Adjustments to reconcile net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Investments in portfolio companies	(334,947)	(72,635)
Proceeds from sales and repayments of debt investments in portfolio companies	182,367	147,792
Net unrealized (appreciation) depreciation	(20,363)	23,017
Net realized loss on the sale of portfolio investments	3,986	35,561
Realized loss on extinguishment of debt	2,091	—
Amortization of deferred financing costs	886	1,078
Amortization of deferred offering costs	110	205
Accretion of unearned income	(3,425)	(4,230)
Payment-in-kind interest	(4,376)	(3,230)
Changes in other assets and liabilities:		
Dividends and interest receivable	(2,425)	171
Receivable for investments sold	(563)	—
Prepaid and other assets	977	1,560
Payable for investments purchased	1,169	—
Management fees payable	272	(690)
Interest payable	3,155	—
Accounts payable and other liabilities	619	380
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	(118,019)	104,734
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from offering of common stock	500	—
Redemption of common stock	(6,179)	(6,094)
Payment of offering costs	(110)	(205)
Dividends paid	(11,081)	(18,494)
Repayments on Credit Facilities payable	(340,816)	(149,198)
Proceeds from Credit Facilities payable	392,688	79,327
Proceeds from unsecured term debt	60,000	—
Payment of deferred financing costs	(4,607)	(623)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	90,395	(95,287)
Net increase (decrease) in cash, cash equivalents and restricted cash	(27,624)	9,447
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	49,066	21,846
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH AT END OF PERIOD	\$ 21,442	\$ 31,293
Supplemental cash flow disclosures:		
Interest paid	\$ 6,183	\$ 12,294
Taxes paid	\$ 1,328	\$ 795
Non-cash financing activities:		
Dividends declared and unpaid	\$ 11,964	\$ —
Value of shares issued pursuant to the dividend reinvestment plan	\$ 6,845	\$ 13,695

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MSC Income Fund, Inc.

Consolidated Schedule of Investments

September 30, 2021

(dollars in thousands)

(unaudited)

Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
Control Investments (5)									
Copper Trail Fund Investments	(12) (13)	July 17, 2017	Investment Partnership						
			LP Interests (CTMH, LP) (24)	38.8%				\$ 835	\$ 710
GRT Rubber Technologies LLC		December 19, 2014	Manufacturer of Engineered Rubber Products						
			Secured Debt Member Units (8)	2,896	7.10% (L+7.00%)	12/31/2023	8,262	8,250	8,250
								6,435	22,120
								14,685	30,370
Harris Preston Fund Investments	(12) (13)	October 1, 2017	Investment Partnership						
			LP Interests (2717 MH, L.P.) (24)	49.3%				2,703	3,391
Subtotal Control Investments (5.7% of net assets at fair value)								\$ 18,223	\$ 34,471
Affiliate Investments (6)									
AFG Capital Group, LLC		November 7, 2014	Provider of Rent-to-Own Financing Solutions and Services						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (8)	46	10.00%	5/25/2022	58	58	58
								300	1,850
								358	1,908
Analytical Systems Keco Holdings, LLC		August 16, 2019	Manufacturer of Liquid and Gas Analyzers						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9)	800	12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%)	8/16/2024	1,254	1,191	1,191
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9)	607				607	1,200
			Warrants (27)	105		8/16/2029		79	-
								2,677	2,391
ATX Networks Corp.	(11)	June 30, 2015	Provider of Radio Frequency Management Equipment						
			Secured Debt (9)		8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	9/1/2026	7,698	7,121	7,121
			Unsecured Debt (19)		10.00% PIK	9/1/2028	3,082	1,973	1,973
			Common Stock	585				-	-
								9,094	9,094
Barfly Ventures, LLC	(10)	August 31, 2015	Casual Restaurant Group						
			Member Units	12				528	643
Brewer Crane Holdings, LLC		January 9, 2018	Provider of Crane Rental and Operating Services						
			Secured Debt (9)		11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)	1/9/2023	2,046	2,033	2,033

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(unaudited)

Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
			Preferred Member Units (8)	737				1,070	1,070
Centre Technologies Holdings, LLC	January 4, 2019	Provider of IT Hardware Services and Software Solutions						3,103	3,103
			Secured Debt (9)		12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%)	1/4/2024	2,392	2,367	2,367
			Preferred Member Units	3,174				1,460	1,460
								3,827	3,827
Chamberlin Holding LLC	February 26, 2018	Roofing and Waterproofing Specialty Contractor							
			Secured Debt (9)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	2/26/2023	4,454	4,396	4,454
			Member Units (8)	1,087				2,860	6,030
			Member Units (8) (23)	261,786				330	358
								7,586	10,842
Charps, LLC	February 3, 2017	Pipeline Maintenance and Construction							
			Preferred Member Units (8)	400				100	3,560
Clad-Rex Steel, LLC	December 20, 2016	Specialty Manufacturer of Vinyl-Clad Metal							
			Secured Debt (9)		10.50% (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%)	1/15/2024	2,620	2,617	2,617
			Member Units (8)	179				1,820	2,560
			Secured Debt (23)	200	10.00%	12/20/2036	272	270	270
								53	133
								4,760	5,580
Cody Pools, Inc.	March 6, 2020	Designer of Residential and Commercial Pools							
			Secured Debt (9)		12.25% (L+10.50%, Floor 1.75%)	3/6/2025	4,512	4,432	4,509
			Preferred Member Units (8)	147				2,079	7,600
								6,511	12,109
Colonial Electric Company LLC	March 31, 2021	Provider of Electrical Contracting Services							
			Secured Debt (9)		12.00%	3/31/2026	6,221	6,077	6,077
			Preferred Member Units	4,320				1,920	2,110
								7,997	8,187
Datacom, LLC	May 30, 2014	Technology and Telecommunications Provider							
			Secured Debt (9)		5.00%	12/31/2025	991	901	901
			Preferred Member Units	1,000				290	290
								1,191	1,191

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(unaudited)

Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
Digital Products Holdings LLC	April 1, 2018	Designer and Distributor of Consumer Electronics	Secured Debt (9)		11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)	4/1/2023	4,296	4,262	4,262
			Preferred Member Units (8)	964				2,375	2,459
							6,637	6,721	
Direct Marketing Solutions, Inc.	February 13, 2018	Provider of Omni-Channel Direct Marketing Services	Secured Debt (9)		12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)	2/13/2023	3,714	3,677	3,677
			Preferred Stock (8)	2,100				2,100	4,290
							5,777	7,967	
Freeport Financial Funds (12) (13)	June 13, 2013	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (Freeport First Lien Loan Fund III LP)	(8) (24)	6.0%			7,629	7,231
Gamber-Johnson Holdings, LLC	June 24, 2016	Manufacturer of Ruggedized Computer Mounting Systems	Secured Debt (9) (17)		9.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 2.00%)	6/24/2021	5,160	5,160	5,160
			Member Units (8)	2,261				4,423	13,840
							9,583	19,000	
GFG Group, LLC.	July 31, 2015	Grower and Distributor of a Variety of Plants and Products to Other Wholesalers, Retailers and Garden Centers	Secured Debt (8)		12.00%	3/31/2026	3,136	3,049	3,049
			Preferred Member Units (8)	56				1,225	1,750
							4,274	4,799	
Gulf Publishing Holdings, LLC	April 29, 2016	Energy Industry Focused Media and Publishing	Secured Debt (9) (17) (19)		10.50% (5.25% Cash, 5.25% PIK) (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%)	9/30/2020	64	64	64
			Secured Debt (17) (19)		12.50% (6.25% Cash, 6.25% PIK)	4/29/2021	3,391	3,391	2,616
			Member Units	920				920	-
							4,375	2,680	
Harris Preston Fund Investments (12) (13)	August 9, 2017	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (HPEP 3, L.P.)	(24)	8.2%			3,193	4,183

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Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)		
Hawk Ridge Systems, LLC	(13)	December 2, 2016	Value-Added Reseller of Engineering Design and Manufacturing Solutions	Secured Debt	(9)	7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	12/2/2023	646	646	646	
				Secured Debt		9.00%	12/2/2023	3,350	3,347	3,350	
				Preferred Member Units	(8)	56				713	3,290
				Preferred Member Units	(23)	56				38	170
										4,744	7,456
J&J Services, Inc.	October 31, 2019	Provider of Dumpster and Portable Toilet Rental Services	Secured Debt		11.50%	10/31/2024	2,700	2,665	2,700		
			Preferred Stock	703				1,771	3,850		
							4,436	6,550			
Kickhafer Manufacturing Company, LLC	October 31, 2018	Precision Metal Parts Manufacturing	Secured Debt		11.50%	10/31/2023	5,104	5,032	5,032		
			Member Units	145				3,060	3,060		
			Secured Debt		9.00%	10/31/2048	982	972	972		
			Member Units	(8) (23)	200			248	302		
						9,312	9,366				
Market Force Information, LLC	July 28, 2017	Provider of Customer Experience Management Services	Secured Debt	(14) (19)	12.00% PIK	7/28/2023	6,520	6,463	2,790		
			Member Units	185,980				4,160	-		
							10,623	2,790			
MH Corbin Holding LLC	August 31, 2015	Manufacturer and Distributor of Traffic Safety Products	Secured Debt		13.00%	3/31/2022	2,083	2,078	1,502		
			Preferred Member Units	16,500				1,100	-		
			Preferred Member Units	1,000				1,500	-		
							4,678	1,502			
Mystic Logistics Holdings, LLC	August 18, 2014	Logistics and Distribution Services Provider for Large Volume Mailers	Secured Debt		12.00%	1/17/2022	1,677	1,677	1,677		
			Common Stock	(8)	1,468			680	1,792		
							2,357	3,469			
NexRev LLC	February 28, 2018	Provider of Energy Efficiency Products & Services	Secured Debt		11.00%	2/28/2023	4,111	4,082	3,687		
			Preferred Member Units	(8)	21,600,000			1,720	820		
							5,802	4,507			

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Consolidated Schedule of Investments (Continued)

September 30, 2021

(dollars in thousands)

(unaudited)

Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
NuStep, LLC	January 31, 2017	Designer, Manufacturer and Distributor of Fitness Equipment	Secured Debt (9)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	1/31/2025	400	400	400
			Secured Debt		10.50%	1/31/2025	4,310	4,303	4,310
			Preferred Member Units	102				2,550	3,380
								7,253	8,090
Oneliance, LLC	August 6, 2021	Construction Cleaning Company	Secured Debt (9)		12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/6/2026	1,400	1,373	1,373
			Preferred Stock	264				264	264
								1,637	1,637
Orttech Holdings, LLC	July 30, 2021	Distributor of Industrial Clutches, Brakes and Other Components	Secured Debt (9)		12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)	7/31/2026	6,094	5,972	5,972
			Preferred Stock (23)	2,900				2,900	2,900
								8,872	8,872
SI East, LLC	August 31, 2018	Rigid Industrial Packaging Manufacturing	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (8)	52	10.25%	8/31/2023	21,200	21,134	21,200
								406	3,470
								21,540	24,670
Sonic Systems International, LLC (10)	August 20, 2021	Nuclear Power Staffing Services	Secured Debt Common Stock (9)	9,191	8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	8/20/2026	14,000	13,725	13,725
								1,250	1,250
								14,975	14,975
Tedder Industries, LLC	August 31, 2018	Manufacturer of Firearm Holsters and Accessories	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units	120	12.00%	8/31/2022	4,200	4,147	4,147
								2,034	2,034
								6,181	6,181
Trantech Radiator Topco, LLC	May 31, 2019	Transformer Cooling Products and Services	Secured Debt Common Stock (8)	154	12.00%	5/31/2024	2,180	2,134	2,134
								1,164	1,660
								3,298	3,794
Subtotal Affiliate Investments (36.3% of net assets at fair value)							\$ 194,908	\$ 218,875	

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Non-Control/Non-Affiliate Investments (7)									
AAC Holdings, Inc.	(11)	June 30, 2017	Substance Abuse Treatment Service Provider						
			Secured Debt (19)		18.00% (10.00% Cash, 8.00% PIK)	6/25/2025	3,563	3,253	3,461
			Common Stock	593,927				3,148	2,110
			Warrants (29)	197,717		12/11/2025		-	703
								6,401	6,274
Adams Publishing Group, LLC	(10)	November 19, 2015	Local Newspaper Operator						
			Secured Debt (9)		8.75% (L+7.00%, Floor 1.75%)	7/3/2023	4,920	4,842	4,885
ADS Tactical, Inc.	(11)	March 7, 2017	Value-Added Logistics and Supply Chain Provider to the Defense Industry						
			Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	3/19/2026	18,750	18,397	18,867
American Nuts, LLC	(10)	April 10, 2018	Roaster, Mixer and Packager of Bulk Nuts and Seeds						
			Secured Debt (9)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	4/10/2025	12,044	11,898	12,044
American Teleconferencing Services, Ltd.	(11)	May 19, 2016	Provider of Audio Conferencing and Video Collaboration Solutions						
			Secured Debt (9) (17)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	9/9/2021	2,425	2,375	926
			Secured Debt (9) (14) (17)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	9/9/2021	11,693	11,451	4,465
								13,826	5,391
Arcus Hunting LLC	(10)	January 6, 2015	Manufacturer of Bowhunting and Archery Products and Accessories						
			Secured Debt (9)		11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/31/2022	6,801	6,781	6,798
ASC Ortho Management Company, LLC	(10)	August 31, 2018	Provider of Orthopedic Services						
			Secured Debt (9)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/31/2023	5,117	5,077	5,111
			Secured Debt (19)		13.75% PIK	12/1/2023	2,265	2,238	2,265
								7,315	7,376
BBB Tank Services, LLC		April 8, 2016	Maintenance, Repair and Construction Services to the Above-Ground Storage Tank Market						
			Unsecured Debt (9) (17)		12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)	4/8/2021	1,200	1,200	935
			Preferred Stock (non-voting) (8) (14) (19)		15.00% PIK			41	-
			Member Units	200,000				200	-

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								1,441	935
Berry Aviation, Inc.	(10)	July 6, 2018	Charter Airline Services						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23)	122,416	12.00% (10.50% Cash, 1.50% PIK)	1/6/2024	4,671	4,637	4,671
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (14) (19) (23)	1,548,387	16.00% PIK			162	162
					8.00% PIK			1,671	1,963
								6,470	6,796
BigName Commerce, LLC	(10)	May 11, 2017	Provider of Envelopes and Complimentary Stationery Products						
			Secured Debt (9)		8.25% (L+7.25%, Floor 1.00%)	5/11/2022	1,891	1,888	1,891
Binswanger Enterprises, LLC	(10)	March 10, 2017	Glass Repair and Installation Service Provider						
			Secured Debt Member Units (9)	1,050,000	9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/10/2023	12,387	12,330	12,387
								1,050	730
								13,380	13,117
Bluestem Brands, Inc.	(11)	December 19, 2013	Multi-Channel Retailer of General Merchandise						
			Secured Debt Common Stock (9) (8)	700,446	10.00% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.50%)	8/28/2025	5,745	5,745	5,721
								-	1,310
								5,745	7,031
Boccella Precast Products LLC		June 30, 2017	Manufacturer of Precast Hollow Core Concrete						
			Secured Debt Member Units (8)	540,000	10.00%	2/28/2027	80	80	80
								564	1,207
								644	1,287
Brightwood Capital Fund Investments	(12) (13)	July 21, 2014	Investment Partnership						
			LP Interests (Brightwood Capital Fund III, LP) (8) (24)	1.2%				2,495	1,393
			LP Interests (Brightwood Capital Fund IV, LP) (8) (24)	0.5%				8,737	8,998
								11,232	10,391
Buca C, LLC		June 30, 2015	Casual Restaurant Group						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9) (17) (14) (19)	4	10.25% (L+9.25%, Floor 1.00%)	6/30/2020	13,164	13,164	9,705
					6.00% PIK			3,040	-
								16,204	9,705
Burning Glass Intermediate Holding Company, Inc.	(10)	June 14, 2021	Provider of Skills-Based Labor Market Analytics						
			Secured Debt (9)		6.00% (L+5.00%, Floor 1.00%)	6/10/2028	13,423	13,169	13,169

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Cadence Aerospace LLC	(10)	November 14, 2017	Aerostructure Manufacturing								
				Secured Debt	(9) (19)		9.50% (7.50% Cash, 2.00% PIK) (2.00% PIK + L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	11/14/2023	20,223	20,109	18,743
CAI Software LLC		October 10, 2014	Provider of Specialized Enterprise Resource Planning Software								
				Secured Debt Member Units	(8)	16,742	12.50%	12/7/2023	7,709	7,639	7,709
									2,670		
								7,639	10,379		
Camin Cargo Control, Inc.	(11)	June 14, 2021	Provider of Mission Critical Inspection, Testing and Fuel Treatment Services								
					7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	6/4/2026	7,980	7,904	7,940		
Cenveo Corporation	(11)	September 4, 2015	Provider of Digital Marketing Agency Services								
			Common Stock	253,194				4,848	2,089		
Chisholm Energy Holdings, LLC	(10)	May 15, 2019	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production								
					7.75% (L+6.25%, Floor 1.50%)	5/15/2026	2,857	2,815	2,661		
Clarius BIGS, LLC	(10)	September 23, 2014	Prints & Advertising Film Financing								
					15.00% PIK	1/5/2015	2,788	2,445	28		
Classic H&G Holdings, LLC		March 12, 2020	Provider of Engineered Packaging Solutions								
				Secured Debt	(9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/12/2025	350	347	347
				Secured Debt			8.00%	3/12/2025	4,819	4,710	4,819
				Preferred Member Units	(8)	39				1,440	3,410
							6,497	8,576			
Clickbooth.com, LLC	(10)	December 5, 2017	Provider of Digital Advertising Performance Marketing Solutions								
					9.50% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.00%)	1/31/2025	7,700	7,601	7,700		
Computer Data Source, LLC	(10)	August 6, 2021	Third Party Maintenance Provider to the Data Center Ecosystem								
				Secured Debt	(9)		8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	8/6/2026	17,583	17,194	17,194

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Construction Supply Investments, LLC	(10) December 29, 2016	Distribution Platform of Specialty Construction Materials to Professional Concrete and Masonry Contractors	Member Units (8)	861,618				3,335	10,580
DTE Enterprises, LLC	(10) April 13, 2018	Industrial Powertrain Repair and Services	Secured Debt Class AA Preferred Member Units (non-voting) Class A Preferred Member Units (9) (8) (19) (14) (19)		10.00% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.50%)	4/13/2023	9,357	9,288	8,903
					10.00% PIK			1,024	1,024
				776,316	8.00% PIK			776	440
								11,088	10,367
Dynamic Communities, LLC	(10) July 17, 2018	Developer of Business Events and Online Community Groups	Secured Debt (9) (19)		12.50% (4.75% Cash, 7.75% PIK) (L+11.50%, Floor 1.00%)	7/17/2023	5,751	5,706	5,507
EPIC Y-Grade Services, LP	(11) June 22, 2018	NGL Transportation & Storage	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	6/30/2027	6,909	6,829	5,955
Flip Electronics LLC	(10) January 4, 2021	Distributor of Hard-to-Find and Obsolete Electronic Components	Secured Debt (9)		8.99% (L+7.99%, Floor 1.00%)	1/2/2026	6,000	5,885	5,961
Gibson Brands, Inc.	(11) August 19, 2021	Manufacturer of Guitars and Related Music Products	Secured Debt (9)		5.75% (L+5.00%, Floor 0.75%)	8/11/2028	2,500	2,475	2,475
GoWireless Holdings, Inc.	(11) July 13, 2020	Provider of Wireless Telecommunications Carrier Services	Secured Debt (9)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/22/2024	15,252	15,183	15,297
GS Operating, LLC	(10) February 24, 2020	Distributor of Industrial and Specialty Parts	Secured Debt (9)		8.00% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.50%)	2/24/2025	10,968	10,744	10,968
HDC/HW Intermediate Holdings	(10) December 21, 2018	Managed Services and Hosting Provider	Secured Debt (9)		8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/21/2023	1,938	1,918	1,717

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HW Temps LLC	July 2, 2015	Temporary Staffing Solutions	Secured Debt		8.00%	3/29/2023	1,961	1,959	1,959
Hybrid Promotions, LLC	(10) June 30, 2021	Wholesaler of Licensed, Branded and Private Label Apparel	Secured Debt (9)		9.25% (L+8.25%, Floor 1.00%)	6/30/2026	7,875	7,724	7,724
IG Parent Corporation	(11) July 30, 2021	Software Engineering	Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	7/30/2026	6,410	6,289	6,289
Implus Footcare, LLC	(10) June 1, 2017	Provider of Footwear and Related Accessories	Secured Debt (9)		8.75% (L+7.75%, Floor 1.00%)	4/30/2024	17,135	17,121	16,121
Independent Pet Partners Intermediate Holdings, LLC	(10) November 20, 2018	Omnichannel Retailer of Specialty Pet Products	Secured Debt (19) Preferred Stock (non-voting) (14) (19) Preferred Stock (non-voting) Member Units	1,191,667	6.00% PIK 6.00% PIK	11/20/2023	10,258	9,554 2,470 -	9,554 3,130 -
Industrial Services Acquisition, LLC	(10) June 17, 2016	Industrial Cleaning Services	Secured Debt (9) Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23) Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23) Member Units (23)	336 187 2,100	7.75% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.00%) 10.00% PIK 20.00% PIK	8/13/2026	18,065	17,673 276 184 2,100	17,673 378 227 1,710
Interface Security Systems, L.L.C	(10) August 7, 2019	Commercial Security & Alarm Services	Secured Debt (9) (19)		9.75% (8.75% Cash, 1.00% PIK) (1.00% PIK + L+7.00%, Floor 1.75%)	8/7/2023	7,316	7,243	6,308
Intermedia Holdings, Inc.	(11) August 3, 2018	Unified Communications as a Service	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	7/19/2025	9,923	9,903	9,930
Invincible Boat Company, LLC.	(10) August 28, 2019	Manufacturer of Sport Fishing Boats	Secured Debt (9)		8.00% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.50%)	8/28/2025	17,770	17,615	17,770

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INW Manufacturing, LLC	(11) May 19, 2021	Manufacturer of Nutrition and Wellness Products	Secured Debt (9)		6.50% (L+5.75%, Floor 0.75%)	3/25/2027	7,406	7,194	7,258
Iron-Main Investments, LLC	August 3, 2021	Consumer Reporting Agency Providing Employment Background Checks and Drug Testing	Secured Debt		13.00%	8/1/2026	1,150	1,116	1,116
			Secured Debt		12.50%	9/1/2026	800	776	776
			Common Stock	25,684				257	257
								2,149	2,149
Isagenix International, LLC	(11) June 21, 2018	Direct Marketer of Health & Wellness Products	Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	6/14/2025	5,261	5,230	4,406
Jackmont Hospitality, Inc.	(10) May 26, 2015	Franchisee of Casual Dining Restaurants	Secured Debt (9)		7.75% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.00%)	10/14/2021	7,802	7,802	6,386
Joerns Healthcare, LLC	(11) April 3, 2013	Manufacturer and Distributor of Health Care Equipment & Supplies	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/21/2024	3,336	3,302	3,113
			Common Stock	392,514				3,678	710
								6,980	3,823
Kemp Technologies Inc.	(10) November 14, 2018	Provider of Application Delivery Controllers	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/29/2024	7,331	7,247	7,331
Knight Energy Services LLC	(11) December 0, 1900	Oil and Gas Equipment & Services	Secured Debt (19)		8.50% PIK	2/9/2024	941	941	677
			Common Stock	25,692				1,843	-
								2,784	677
Larchmont Resources, LLC	(11) August 13, 2013	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Secured Debt (9) (17)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/9/2021	3,628	3,628	3,446
			Member Units (23)	4,806				601	7
								4,229	3,453
Laredo Energy, LLC	(10) January 15, 2019	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Member Units	1,155,952			11,560	11,560	9,771
Lightbox Holdings, L.P.	(11) May 23, 2019	Provider of Commercial Real Estate Software							

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			Secured Debt		5.13% (L+5.00%)	5/9/2026	5,904	5,846	5,874
LL Management, Inc.	(10) May 2, 2019	Medical Transportation Service Provider							
			Secured Debt	(9)	8.25% (L+7.25%, Floor 1.00%)	9/25/2023	14,384	14,298	14,384
LLFlex, LLC	(10) August 16, 2021	Provider of Metal-Based Laminates							
			Secured Debt	(9)	10.00% (L+9.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/16/2026	5,000	4,890	4,890
Logix Acquisition Company, LLC	(10) June 24, 2016	Competitive Local Exchange Carrier							
			Secured Debt	(9)	6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	12/22/2024	12,518	12,469	11,943
Lulu's Fashion Lounge, LLC	(10) August 31, 2017	Fast Fashion E-Commerce Retailer							
			Secured Debt	(9) (19)	10.50% (8.00% Cash, 2.50% PIK) (2.50% PIK + L+7.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/28/2022	5,378	5,334	4,599
Lynx FBO Operating LLC	(10) September 30, 2019	Fixed Based Operator in the General Aviation Industry							
			Secured Debt Member Units	(9) 3,704	7.25% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.50%)	9/30/2024	13,509	13,312 500	13,509 670
Mac Lean-Fogg Company	(10) April 22, 2019	Manufacturer and Supplier for Auto and Power Markets							
			Secured Debt	(9)	5.38% (L+4.75%, Floor 0.625%)	12/22/2025	7,320	7,282	7,320
			Preferred Stock	(19)	13.75% (4.50% Cash, 9.25% PIK)			760	760
Mako Steel, LP	(10) March 15, 2021	Self-Storage Design & Construction						8,042	8,080
			Secured Debt	(9)	8.00% (L+7.25%, Floor 0.75%)	3/13/2026	19,790	19,401	19,642
MB2 Dental Solutions, LLC	(11) January 28, 2021	Dental Partnership Organization							
			Secured Debt	(9)	7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	1/29/2027	9,970	9,724	9,970
Mills Fleet Farm Group, LLC	(10) October 24, 2018	Omnichannel Retailer of Work, Farm and Lifestyle Merchandise							
			Secured Debt	(9)	7.25% (L+6.25%, Floor 1.00%)	10/24/2024	15,781	15,547	15,781
NinjaTrader, LLC	(10) December 18, 2019	Operator of Futures Trading Platform							
			Secured Debt	(9)	8.25% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.50%)	12/18/2024	16,875	16,581	16,835

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NNE Partners, LLC	(10) March 2, 2017	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Secured Debt (19)		9.38% (4.88% Cash, 4.50% PIK) (4.50% PIK + L+4.75%)	12/31/2023	21,364	21,342	19,610
NTM Acquisition Corp.	(11) July 12, 2016	Provider of B2B Travel Information Content	Secured Debt (9) (19)		8.25% (7.25% Cash, 1.00% PIK) (1.00% PIK + L+6.25%, Floor 1.00%)	6/7/2024	4,280	4,273	4,238
NWN Corporation	(10) May 7, 2021	Value Added Reseller and Provider of Managed Services to a Diverse Set of Industries	Secured Debt (9)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	5/7/2026	21,403	20,904	20,904
RA Outdoors LLC	(10) April 8, 2021	Software Solutions Provider for Outdoor Activity Management	Secured Debt (9)		7.75% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.00%)	4/8/2026	18,765	18,582	18,582
Research Now Group, Inc. and Survey Sampling International, LLC	(11) December 31, 2017	Provider of Outsourced Online Surveying	Secured Debt (9)		6.50% (L+5.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/20/2024	9,923	9,923	9,831
RM Bidder, LLC	(10) November 12, 2015	Scripted and Unscripted TV and Digital Programming Provider	Member Units Warrants (28)	1,854		10/20/2025	31	31 284	20 20
Roof Opco, LLC	(10) August 27, 2021	Residential Re-Roofing/Repair	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/27/2026	3,500	3,336	3,336
Rug Doctor, LLC.	(10) July 16, 2021	Carpet Cleaning Products and Machinery	Secured Debt (9) (19)		7.25% (6.25% Cash, 1.00% PIK) (1.00% PIK + L+5.25%, Floor 1.00%)	5/16/2022	10,720	10,558	10,558
Salient Partners L.P.	(11) June 25, 2015	Provider of Asset Management Services	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	10/30/2022	7,501	7,542	5,312
Savers, Inc.	(11) May 14, 2021	For-Profit Thrift Retailer							

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			Secured Debt (9)		6.50% (L+5.75%, Floor 0.75%)	4/26/2028	12,900	12,777	13,061
Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd. (Mariner) (12) (13)	May 8, 2019	Structured Finance	Subordinated Structured Notes (16)		12.00%	4/30/2032	25,935	21,224	18,243
Slick Innovations, LLC	September 13, 2018	Text Message Marketing Platform	Secured Debt		13.00%	9/13/2023	1,330	1,195	1,330
			Common Stock	17,500				175	380
			Warrants (29)	4,521		9/13/2028		45	100
								1,415	1,810
Student Resource Center, LLC (10)	June 25, 2021	Higher Education Services	Secured Debt (9)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	6/25/2026	12,344	12,092	12,092
Team Public Choices, LLC (11)	October 28, 2019	Home-Based Care Employment Service Provider	Secured Debt (9)		6.00% (L+5.00%, Floor 1.00%)	12/18/2027	4,512	4,473	4,512
Tex Tech Tennis, LLC (10)	July 7, 2021	Sporting Goods & Textiles	Common Stock (23)	1,000,000				1,000	1,000
The Affiliati Network, LLC	August 9, 2021	Performance Marketing Solutions	Secured Debt		10.00%	8/9/2026	100	95	95
			Secured Debt		11.83%	8/9/2026	3,440	3,364	3,364
			Preferred Stock	320,000				1,600	1,600
								5,059	5,059
U.S. TelePacific Corp. (11)	May 17, 2017	Provider of Communications and Managed Services	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	5/2/2023	12,500	12,381	10,422
USA DeBusk LLC (10)	October 22, 2019	Provider of Industrial Cleaning Services	Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	9/8/2026	20,000	19,720	19,835
Vida Capital, Inc (11)	October 10, 2019	Alternative Asset Manager	Secured Debt		6.08% (L+6.00%)	10/1/2026	6,928	6,850	6,391
Vistar Media, Inc. (10)	February 17, 2017	Operator of Digital Out-of-Home Advertising Platform	Preferred Stock	70,207				767	1,430
Volusion, LLC	January 26, 2015	Provider of Online Software-as-a-Service eCommerce Solutions	Secured Debt (17)		11.50%	1/26/2020	7,472	7,472	7,472

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			Unsecured Convertible Debt		8.00%	11/16/2023	175	175	175
			Preferred Member Units	2,090,001				6,000	2,570
			Warrants (29)	784,867		1/26/2025		1,104	-
								14,751	10,217
Wall Street Prep, Inc.	(10)	July 19, 2021	Financial Training Services		8.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 1.00%)	7/19/2026	5,500	5,384	5,384
			Secured Debt Common Stock (9)	500,000				500	500
								5,884	5,884
YS Garments, LLC	(11)	August 22, 2018	Designer and Provider of Branded Activewear		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/9/2024	6,517	6,482	6,289
			Secured Debt (9)						
Subtotal Non-Control/Non-Affiliate Investments (124.0% of net assets at fair value)								\$ 783,920	\$ 748,934
Total Portfolio Investments, June 30, 2021 (166.0% of net assets at fair value)								\$ 997,051	\$ 1,002,280
Short Term Investments (28)									
US Bank Money Market Account (29)								\$ 15,710	\$ 15,710
Total Short Term Investments								\$ 15,710	\$ 15,710

- (1) All investments are Lower Middle Market portfolio investments, unless otherwise noted. See Note C for a description of Lower Middle Market portfolio investments. All of the Company's investments, unless otherwise noted, are encumbered either as security for one of the Company's Credit Facilities.
- (2) Debt investments are income producing, unless otherwise noted. Equity and warrants are non-income producing, unless otherwise noted.
- (3) See Note C and Schedule 12-14 for a summary of geographic location of portfolio companies.
- (4) Principal is net of repayments. Cost is net of repayments and accumulated unearned income.
- (5) Control investments are defined by the 1940 Act, as investments in which more than 25% of the voting securities are owned or where the ability to nominate greater than 50% of the board representation is maintained.
- (6) Affiliate investments are defined by the 1940 Act as investments in which between 5% and 25% (inclusive) of the voting securities are owned and the investments are not classified as Control investments.
- (7) Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments are defined by the 1940 Act as investments that are neither Control investments nor Affiliate investments.
- (8) Income producing through dividends or distributions.
- (9) Index based floating interest rate is subject to contractual minimum interest rate. A majority of the variable rate loans in the Company's investment portfolio bear interest at a rate that may be determined by reference to either LIBOR or an alternate Base Rate (commonly based on the Federal Funds Rate or the Prime Rate), which typically resets semi-annually, quarterly, or monthly at the borrower's option. The borrower may also elect to have multiple interest reset periods for each loan. For each such loan, the Company has provided the weighted-average annual stated interest rate in effect at September 30, 2021. As noted in this schedule, 84% of the loans (based on the par

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amount) contain LIBOR floors which range between 0.63% and 2.00%, with a weighted-average LIBOR floor of approximately 1.07%.

- (10) Private Loan portfolio investment. See Note C for a description of Private Loan portfolio investments.
- (11) Middle Market portfolio investment. See Note C for a description of Middle Market portfolio investments.
- (12) Other Portfolio investment. See Note C for a description of Other Portfolio investments.
- (13) Investment is not a qualifying asset as defined under Section 55(a) of the 1940 Act. Qualifying assets must represent at least 70% of total assets at the time of acquisition of any additional non-qualifying assets.
- (14) Non-accrual and non-income producing investment.
- (15) All of the Company's portfolio investments are generally subject to restrictions on resale as "restricted securities."
- (16) Our CLO equity position is entitled to recurring distributions which are generally equal to the remaining cash flow of payments made by underlying assets less contractual payments to debt holders and CLO expenses. The effective yield is estimated based upon the current projection of the amount and timing of these recurring distributions in addition to the estimated amount of terminal principal payment. We monitor the anticipated cash flows from our CLO equity position and adjust our effective yield periodically as needed on a prospective basis. The estimated yield and investment cost may ultimately not be realized.
- (17) Maturity date is under on-going negotiations with the portfolio company and other lenders, if applicable.
- (18) Investment fair value was determined using significant unobservable inputs, unless otherwise noted. See Note C for further discussion.
- (19) PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income represent income not paid currently in cash.
- (20) All portfolio company headquarters are based in the United States, unless otherwise noted.
- (21) Portfolio company headquarters are located outside of the United States.
- (22) Investment date represents the date of initial investment in the portfolio company.
- (23) Shares/Units represent ownership in an underlying Real Estate or HoldCo entity.
- (24) Investment is not unitized. Presentation is made in percent of fully diluted ownership unless otherwise indicated.
- (25) Warrants are presented in equivalent shares with a strike price of \$10.92 per share.
- (26) Warrants are presented in equivalent units with a strike price of \$14.28 per unit.
- (27) Warrants are presented in equivalent shares/units with a strike price of \$0.01 per share/unit.
- (28) Short term investments represent an investment in a fund that invests in highly liquid investments with average original maturity dates of three months or less. These short term investments are included as Cash and cash equivalents.
- (29) Effective yield as of September 30, 2021 was approximately 0.05% at US Bank Money Market Account

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Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
Control Investments (5)									
Copper Trail Fund Investments	(12) (13)	July 17, 2017	Investment Partnership						
			LP Interests (CTMH, LP) (24)	38.8%			\$ 872	\$ 747	
GRT Rubber Technologies LLC ("GRT")		December 19, 2014	Manufacturer of Engineered Rubber Products						
			Secured Debt Member Units (8)	2,896	7.15% (L+7.00%)	12/31/2023	\$ 8,262	8,246	8,262
							6,435	22,120	
							14,681	30,382	
Harris Preston Fund Investments	(12) (13)	October 1, 2017	Investment Partnership						
			LP Interests (2717 MH, L.P.) (24)	49.3%			2,599	2,702	
Subtotal Control Investments (5.8% of net assets at fair value)							\$ 18,152	\$ 33,831	
Affiliate Investments (6)									
AFG Capital Group, LLC		November 7, 2014	Provider of Rent-to-Own Financing Solutions and Services						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units	46	10.00%	5/25/2022	123	123	123
							300	1,450	
							423	1,573	
Analytical Systems Keco, LLC		August 16, 2019	Manufacturer of Liquid and Gas Analyzers						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units Warrants (9) (27)	800 105	12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%)	8/16/2024	1,289	1,180	1,180
							800	800	
							79	-	
							2,059	1,980	
Brewer Crane Holdings, LLC		January 9, 2018	Provider of Crane Rental and Operating Services						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9) (8)	737	11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)	1/9/2023	2,139	2,119	2,119
							1,070	1,460	
							3,189	3,579	
Centre Technologies Holdings, LLC		January 4, 2019	Provider of IT Hardware Services and Software Solutions						
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9)	3,174	12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%)	1/4/2024	2,907	2,868	2,868
							1,460	1,540	
							4,328	4,408	
Chamberlin Holding LLC		February 26, 2018	Roofing and Waterproofing Specialty Contractor						

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					9.00%				
					(L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	2/26/2023	3,803	3,745	3,803
			Secured Debt (9)					2,860	7,020
			Member Units (8)	1,087				330	318
			Member Units (8) (23)	1				6,935	11,141
Charlotte Russe, Inc (11)	May 28, 2013	Fast-Fashion Retailer to Young Women	Common Stock	14,973				2,470	-
Charps, LLC	February 3, 2017	Pipeline Maintenance and Construction	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (8)	400	15.00%	6/5/2022	167	167	167
								100	2,630
								267	2,797
Clad-Rex Steel, LLC	December 20, 2016	Specialty Manufacturer of Vinyl-Clad Metal	Secured Debt (9)		10.50%				
					(L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/20/2021	2,720	2,706	2,706
			Member Units (8)	179				1,820	2,153
			Secured Debt (23)		10.00%	12/20/2036	278	275	275
			Member Units (23)	200				53	132
								4,854	5,266
Cody Pools, Inc.	March 6, 2020	Designer of Residential and Commercial Pools	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9)	147	12.25%	3/6/2025	3,554	3,488	3,554
					(L+10.50%, Floor 1.75%)			2,079	3,740
								5,567	7,294
Copper Trail Fund Investments (12) (13)	July 17, 2017	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (Copper Trail Energy Fund I, LP) (8) (24)	12.4%				2,161	1,782
Digital Products Holdings LLC	April 1, 2018	Designer and Distributor of Consumer Electronics	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (9)	964	11.00%	4/1/2023	4,543	4,493	4,493
					(L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)			2,375	2,459
								6,868	6,952
Direct Marketing Solutions, Inc.	February 13, 2018	Provider of Omni-Channel Direct Marketing Services	Secured Debt Preferred Stock (9)	2,100	12.00%	2/13/2023	3,772	3,717	3,717
					(L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)			2,100	4,840
								5,817	8,557
Freeport Financial Funds (12) (13)	July 31, 2015	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (Freeport) (8) (24)	6.0%				10,785	10,321

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			First Lien Loan Fund III LP						
Gamber-Johnson Holdings, LLC ("GJH")	June 24, 2016	Manufacturer of Ruggedized Computer Mounting Systems	Secured Debt Member Units (9) (8)	9,042	9.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 2.00%)	6/24/2021	4,960	4,935 3,711	4,960 13,120 18,080
Gulf Publishing Holdings, LLC	April 29, 2016	Energy Industry Focused Media and Publishing	Secured Debt Member Units (9) (17) (19) (19)	920	10.50% (5.25% Cash, 5.25% PIK) (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%) 12.50% (6.25% Cash, 6.25% PIK)	9/30/2020 4/29/2021	63 3,269	63 3,264 920	63 2,988 - 3,051
Harris Preston Fund Investments (12) (13)	August 9, 2017	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (HPEP 3, L.P.) (24)	8.2%				3,071	3,258
Hawk Ridge Systems, LLC (13)	December 2, 2016	Value-Added Reseller of Engineering Design and Manufacturing Solutions	Secured Debt Preferred Member Units (8) Preferred Member Units (23)	56 56	11.00%	12/2/2023	3,350	3,335 713 38	3,350 2,008 105 5,463
J&J Services, Inc.	October 31, 2019	Provider of Dumpster and Portable Toilet Rental Services	Secured Debt Preferred Stock	695	11.50%	10/31/2024	3,200	3,150 1,771	3,200 3,170 6,370
Kickhaefer Manufacturing Company, LLC	October 31, 2018	Precision Metal Parts Manufacturing	Secured Debt Member Units Secured Debt Member Units (8) (23)	145 200	11.50% 9.00%	10/31/2023 10/31/2048	5,604 988	5,500 3,060 978 248	5,500 3,060 978 290 9,828
Market Force Information, LLC	July 28, 2017	Provider of Customer Experience Management Services	Secured Debt Member Units (14) (19)	185,980	12.00% PIK	7/28/2023	6,520	6,463 4,160	3,391 - 10,623 3,391

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MH Corbin Holding LLC	August 31, 2015	Manufacturer and Distributor of Traffic Safety Products								
					13.00% (10.00% Cash, 3.00% PIK)	3/31/2022	2,143	2,131	2,070	
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units	(19)	16,500				1,100	590
			Preferred Member Units		1,000				1,500	-
							4,731	2,660		
Mystic Logistics Holdings, LLC	August 18, 2014	Logistics and Distribution Services Provider for Large Volume Mailers			12.00%	1/17/2022	1,683	1,682	1,682	
			Secured Debt Common Stock	(8)	1,468				680	2,248
							2,362	3,930		
NexRev LLC	February 28, 2018	Provider of Energy Efficiency Products & Services			11.00%	2/28/2023	4,274	4,231	4,177	
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units	(8)	21,600,000				1,720	370
							5,951	4,547		
NuStep, LLC	January 31, 2017	Designer, Manufacturer and Distributor of Fitness Equipment			12.00%	1/31/2022	4,310	4,288	4,288	
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units		102				2,550	2,700
							6,838	6,988		
Project BarFly, LLC (10)	August 31, 2015	Casual Restaurant Group	Member Units	12				528	528	
SI East, LLC	August 31, 2018	Rigid Industrial Packaging Manufacturing			9.50%	8/31/2023	10,988	10,884	10,986	
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units	(8)	52				2,000	3,260
							12,884	14,246		
Tedder Industries, LLC	August 31, 2018	Manufacturer of Firearm Holsters and Accessories			12.00%	8/31/2023	4,100	4,023	4,025	
			Secured Debt Preferred Member Units		120				2,034	2,034
							6,057	6,059		
Trantech Radiator Topco, LLC	May 31, 2019	Transformer Cooling Products and Services			12.00%	5/31/2024	2,180	2,122	2,131	
			Secured Debt Common Stock	(8)	154				1,164	1,510
							3,286	3,641		
Subtotal Affiliate Investments (27.2% of net assets at fair value)							\$ 143,740	\$ 157,690		

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Non-Control/Non-Affiliate Investments (7)									
AAC Holdings, Inc.	(11)	June 30, 2017	Substance Abuse Treatment Service Provider						
			Secured Debt (19)		18.00% (10.00% Cash, 8.00% PIK)	6/25/2025	3,354	2,998	2,998
			Common Stock	593,927				3,148	3,148
			Warrants (27)	197,717		12/11/2025		-	1,048
								6,146	7,194
Adams Publishing Group, LLC	(10)	November 19, 2015	Local Newspaper Operator						
			Secured Debt (9)		8.75% (L+7.00%, Floor 1.75%)	7/3/2023	5,863	5,742	5,813
ADS Tactical, Inc.	(10)	March 7, 2017	Value-Added Logistics and Supply Chain Provider to the Defense Industry						
			Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.25%, Floor 0.75%)	7/26/2023	15,659	15,700	15,659
Aethon United BR LP	(10)	September 8, 2017	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production						
			Secured Debt (9)		7.75% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.00%)	9/8/2023	7,000	6,938	6,852
American Nuts, LLC	(10)	April 10, 2018	Roaster, Mixer and Packager of Bulk Nuts and Seeds						
			Secured Debt (9)		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	4/10/2023	12,128	11,916	12,109
American Teleconferencing Services, Ltd.	(11)	May 19, 2016	Provider of Audio Conferencing and Video Collaboration Solutions						
			Secured Debt (9)		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	6/8/2023	14,125	13,803	6,568
American Trailer Rental Group LLC		June 7, 2017	Provider of Short-term Trailer and Container Rental						
			Member Units (23)	18,373				2,149	4,000
APTIM Corp.	(11)	August 17, 2018	Engineering, Construction & Procurement						
			Secured Debt		7.75%	6/15/2025	6,952	6,356	5,434
Arcus Hunting LLC	(10)	January 6, 2015	Manufacturer of Bowhunting and Archery Products and Accessories						
			Secured Debt (9)		11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/31/2021	5,504	5,455	5,504
ASC Ortho Management Company, LLC	(10)	August 31, 2018	Provider of Orthopedic Services						
			Secured Debt (9)		8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	8/31/2023	5,206	5,151	5,149
			Secured Debt (19)		13.25% PIK	12/1/2023	2,047	2,011	2,047
								7,162	7,196
ATX Networks Corp.	(11) (13) (21)	June 30, 2015	Provider of Radio Frequency						

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		Management Equipment	Secured Debt (9) (19)		8.75% (7.25% Cash, 1.50% PIK) (1.50% PIK + L+6.25%, Floor 1.00%)	12/31/2023	13,435	13,338	12,293
BBB Tank Services, LLC	April 8, 2016	Maintenance, Repair and Construction Services to the Above-Ground Storage Tank Market	Unsecured Debt (9)		12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%)	4/8/2021	1,200	1,200	1,177
			Preferred Stock (non-voting) Member Units (8) (19)	200,000	15.00% PIK			38 200	38 70
							1,438		1,285
Berry Aviation, Inc.	(10) July 6, 2018	Charter Airline Services	Secured Debt (19)		12.00% (10.50% Cash, 1.5% PIK)	1/6/2024	4,618	4,575	4,618
			Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23)	122,416	16.00% PIK			143	143
			Preferred Member Units (19) (23)	1,548,387	8.00% PIK			1,548	904
							6,266		5,665
BigName Commerce, LLC	(10) May 11, 2017	Provider of Envelopes and Complimentary Stationery Products	Secured Debt (9)		8.25% (L+7.25%, Floor 1.00%)	5/11/2022	2,037	2,030	2,004
Binswanger Enterprises, LLC	(10) March 10, 2017	Glass Repair and Installation Service Provider	Secured Debt (9)		9.50% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.00%)	3/9/2022	12,958	12,801	12,958
			Member Units	1,050,000				1,050	670
							13,851		13,628
BLST Operating Company, LLC.	(11) December 19, 2013	Multi-Channel Retailer of General Merchandise	Secured Debt (9)		10.00% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.50%)	8/28/2025	6,304	6,304	6,304
			Common Stock	700				-	-
							6,304		6,304
Bocella Precast Products LLC	June 30, 2017	Manufacturer of Precast Hollow Core Concrete	Member Units (8)	564,000				564	1,510
Brightwood Capital Fund Investments	(12) (13) July 21, 2014	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (Brightwood Capital Fund III, LP) (8) (24)		1.2%			3,695	2,867
			LP Interests (Brightwood Capital Fund IV, LP) (8) (24)		0.5%			10,037	9,490

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								13,732	12,357
Buca C, LLC	June 30, 2015	Casual Restaurant Group	Secured Debt (9) (17) Preferred Member Units (8) (19)	4	10.25% (L+9.25%, Floor 1.00%) 6.00% PIK	6/30/2020	12,670	12,670 3,040	9,504 -
								15,710	9,504
Cadence Aerospace LLC	(10) November 14, 2017	Aerostructure Manufacturing	Secured Debt (9) (19)		9.50% (4.25% Cash, 5.25% PIK) (5.25% PIK + L+3.25%, Floor 1.00%)	11/14/2023	19,687	19,538	18,732
CAI Software LLC	October 10, 2014	Provider of Specialized Enterprise Resource Planning Software	Secured Debt (8) Member Units (8)	16,742	12.50%	12/7/2023	2,086	2,101 188	2,086 1,510
								2,289	3,596
Conveo Corporation	(11) September 4, 2015	Provider of Digital Marketing Agency Services	Secured Debt (9) Common Stock	138,889	10.50% (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%)	6/7/2023	4,117	3,929 4,163	3,849 2,049
								8,092	5,898
Chisholm Energy Holdings, LLC	(10) May 15, 2019	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Secured Debt (9)		7.75% (L+6.25%, Floor 1.50%)	5/15/2026	3,571	3,512	3,274
Clarius BIGS, LLC	(10) September 23, 2014	Prints & Advertising Film Financing	Secured Debt (14) (17) (19)		15.00% PIK	1/5/2015	2,849	2,498	31
Classic H&G Holdings, LLC	March 12, 2020	Provider of Engineered Packaging Solutions	Secured Debt (8) Preferred Member Units (8)	39	12.00%	3/12/2025	6,200	6,033 1,440	6,200 2,380
								7,473	8,580
Clickbooth.com, LLC	(10) December 5, 2017	Provider of Digital Advertising Performance Marketing Solutions	Secured Debt (9)		9.50% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.00%)	1/31/2025	7,850	7,731	7,850
Copper Trail Fund Investments	(12) (13) July 17, 2017	Investment Partnership	LP Interests (CTEF I, LP)	375				-	67
Corel Corporation	(11) (13) (21) July 13, 2020	Publisher of Desktop and Cloud-based Software	Secured Debt		5.23% (L+5.00%)	7/2/2026	1,962	1,866	1,934

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Datacom, LLC	May 30, 2014	Technology and Telecommunications Provider	Secured Debt (14)		8.00%	5/31/2021	200	200	179	
			Secured Debt (14) (19)		10.50% PIK	5/31/2021	1,376	1,369	1,159	
			Class A Preferred Member Units	-				144	-	
			Class B Preferred Member Units	717				670	-	
								2,383	1,338	
Digital River, Inc.	(11)	February 24, 2015	Provider of Outsourced e-Commerce Solutions and Services		8.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 1.00%)	2/12/2023	8,377	8,344	8,335	
DTE Enterprises, LLC	(10)	April 13, 2018	Industrial Powertrain Repair and Services	Secured Debt (9)		10.00% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.50%)	4/13/2023	9,324	9,225	9,011
				Class AA Preferred Member Units (non-voting) (8) (19)		10.00% PIK			951	951
				Class A Preferred Member Units	776,316				776	880
								10,952	10,842	
Dynamic Communities, LLC	(10)	July 17, 2018	Developer of Business Events and Online Community Groups		12.50% (6.25% Cash, 6.25% PIK) (L+11.50%, Floor 1.00%)	7/17/2023	5,425	5,364	5,020	
EPIC Y-Grade Services, LP	(11)	June 22, 2018	NGL Transportation & Storage		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	6/30/2027	6,944	6,855	5,798	
GoWireless Holdings, Inc.	(11)	December 31, 2017	Provider of Wireless Telecommunications Carrier Services		7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/22/2024	14,083	13,998	13,970	
Gexpro Services	(10)	February 24, 2020	Distributor of Industrial and Specialty Parts		8.00% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.50%)	2/24/2025	12,506	12,202	12,408	
HDC/HW Intermediate Holdings	(10)	December 21, 2018	Managed Services and Hosting Provider		8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	12/21/2023	1,951	1,926	1,883	
Hunter Defense Technologies, Inc.	(10)	March 29, 2018	Provider of Military and Commercial Shelters and Systems							

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			Secured Debt (9)		8.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 1.00%)	3/29/2023	16,583	16,416	16,583
HW Temps LLC	July 2, 2015	Temporary Staffing Solutions	Secured Debt		12.00%	3/29/2023	2,450	2,420	2,248
Hyperion Materials & Technologies, Inc.	(11) (13) September 12, 2019	Manufacturer of Cutting and Machine Tools & Specialty Polishing Compounds	Secured Debt (9)		6.50% (L+5.50%, Floor 1.00%)	8/28/2026	7,425	7,299	6,938
Implus Footcare, LLC	(10) June 1, 2017	Provider of Footwear and Related Accessories	Secured Debt (9)		8.75% (L+7.75%, Floor 1.00%)	4/30/2024	17,264	17,113	15,694
Independent Pet Partners Intermediate Holdings, LLC	(10) November 20, 2018	Omnichannel Retailer of Specialty Pet Products	Secured Debt (19) Preferred Stock (non-voting) Preferred Stock (non-voting) Member Units	1,191,667	6.00% PIK	11/20/2023	9,944	8,992 2,470 - 1,192	8,992 2,470 - 1,192
Industrial Services Acquisition, LLC	(10) June 17, 2016	Industrial Cleaning Services	Unsecured Debt (19) Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23) Preferred Member Units (8) (19) (23) Member Units (23)	336 187 2,100	13.00% (6.00% Cash, 7.00% PIK) 10.00% PIK 20.00% PIK	12/17/2022	12,892	12,871 202 124 2,100	12,892 202 124 1,237
Interface Security Systems, L.L.C	(10) August 7, 2019	Commercial Security & Alarm Services	Secured Debt (9) (19)		11.75% (8.75% Cash, 3.00% PIK) (3.00% PIK + L+7.00%, Floor 1.75%)	8/7/2023	7,266	7,168	7,266
Intermedia Holdings, Inc.	(11) August 3, 2018	Unified Communications as a Service	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	7/19/2025	3,480	3,456	3,478
Invincible Boat Company, LLC.	(10) August 28, 2019	Manufacturer of Sport Fishing Boats	Secured Debt (9)		8.00% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.50%)	8/28/2025	8,876	8,797	8,876
Isagenix International, LLC	(11) June 21, 2018	Direct Marketer of Health & Wellness Products	Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	6/14/2025	5,572	5,533	3,130

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Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)	
Jackmont Hospitality, Inc.	(10)	May 26, 2015	Franchisee of Casual Dining Restaurants	Secured Debt (9)		7.75% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.00%)	5/26/2021	7,908	7,906	6,315
Joerns Healthcare, LLC	(11)	April 3, 2013	Manufacturer and Distributor of Health Care Equipment & Supplies	Secured Debt (9) Common Stock	392,514	7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/21/2024	3,336	3,294	3,336
								<u>3,678</u>	<u>2,322</u>	<u>5,658</u>
Kemp Technologies Inc.	(10)	June 27, 2019	Provider of Application Delivery Controllers			7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%)	3/29/2024	7,388	7,280	7,388
Knight Energy Services LLC	(11)	November 14, 2018	Oil and Gas Equipment & Services	Secured Debt (17) (19) Common Stock	25,692	8.50% PIK	2/9/2024	828	882	745
								<u>1,843</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>745</u>
								<u>2,725</u>	<u>2,725</u>	<u>745</u>
Kore Wireless Group Inc.	(11)	December 31, 2018	Mission Critical Software Platform			5.75% (L+5.50%)	12/20/2024	6,000	5,979	5,917
Larchmont Resources, LLC	(11)	August 13, 2013	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Secured Debt (9) (19) Member Units (23)	4,806	11.00% PIK (L+10.00% PIK, Floor 1.00%)	8/9/2021	3,715	3,780	1,672
								<u>601</u>	<u>192</u>	<u>1,864</u>
								<u>4,381</u>	<u>4,381</u>	<u>1,864</u>
Laredo Energy VI, LP	(10)	January 15, 2019	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Member Units	1,155,952				11,560	10,238
Lightbox Holdings, L.P.	(11)	May 23, 2019	Provider of Commercial Real Estate Software	Secured Debt		5.15% (L+5.00%)	5/9/2026	4,925	4,864	4,777
LL Management, Inc.	(10)	May 2, 2019	Medical Transportation Service Provider			8.25% (L+7.25%, Floor 1.00%)	9/25/2023	13,581	13,485	13,581
Logix Acquisition Company, LLC	(10)	June 24, 2016	Competitive Local Exchange Carrier	Secured Debt (9)		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	12/22/2024	12,620	12,560	11,673
LSF9 Atlantis Holdings, LLC	(11)	May 17, 2017	Provider of Wireless Telecommunications Carrier Services			7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	5/1/2023	12,600	12,555	12,561

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Lulu's Fashion Lounge, LLC	(10) August 31, 2017	Fast Fashion E-Commerce Retailer	Secured Debt (9) (19)		10.50% (8.00% Cash, 2.50% PIK) (2.50% PIK + L+7.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/28/2022	5,622	5,539	4,807
Lynx FBO Operating LLC	(10) September 30, 2019	Fixed Based Operator in the General Aviation Industry	Secured Debt (9) Member Units	3,704	7.25% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.50%)	9/30/2024	13,613	13,370 500	13,521 594 14,115
Mac Lean-Fogg Company	(10) April 22, 2019	Manufacturer and Supplier for Auto and Power Markets	Secured Debt (9) Preferred Stock (8) (19)		5.63% (L+5.00%, Floor 0.625%) 13.75% (4.50% Cash, 9.25% PIK)	12/22/2025	7,375	7,332 1 793	7,375 780 8,155
Mills Fleet Farm Group, LLC	(10) October 24, 2018	Omnichannel Retailer of Work, Farm and Lifestyle Merchandise	Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	10/24/2024	13,875	13,599	13,623
NinjaTrader, LLC	(10) December 18, 2019	Operator of Futures Trading Platform	Secured Debt (9)		8.25% (L+6.75%, Floor 1.50%)	12/18/2024	16,875	16,520	16,828
NNE Partners, LLC	(10) March 2, 2017	Oil & Gas Exploration & Production	Secured Debt (19)		9.48% (4.75% Cash, 4.50% PIK) (4.50% PIK + L+4.75%)	12/31/2023	20,649	20,590	18,331
Novetta Solutions, LLC	(11) June 21, 2017	Provider of Advanced Analytics Solutions for Defense Agencies	Secured Debt (9)		6.00% (L+5.00%, Floor 1.00%)	10/17/2022	14,668	14,504	14,638
NTM Acquisition Corp.	(11) July 12, 2016	Provider of B2B Travel Information Content	Secured Debt (9) (19)		8.25% (7.25% Cash, 1.00% PIK) (1.00% PIK + L+6.25%, Floor 1.00%)	6/7/2024	4,347	4,332	3,912
PricewaterhouseCoopers Public Sector LLP	(11) May 24, 2018	Provider of Consulting Services to Governments	Secured Debt		8.15% (L+8.00%)	5/1/2026	14,100	14,063	14,100
RM Bidder, LLC	(10) November 12, 2015	Scripted and Unscripted TV and Digital Programming Provider	Warrants (26)	218,601		10/20/2025		284	-

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			Member Units	1,854				31	17
								315	17
Salient Partners L.P.	(11)	June 25, 2015	Provider of Asset Management Services		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/31/2021	6,450	6,505	4,542
			Secured Debt (9)						
Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd. (Mariner)	(12) (13)	May 8, 2019	Structured Finance		8.30%	4/30/2032	25,935	21,705	19,300
			Subordinated Structured Notes						
Slick Innovations, LLC		September 13, 2018	Text Message Marketing Platform		13.00%	9/13/2023	1,430	1,241	1,430
			Secured Debt Common Stock	17,500				175	330
			Warrants (27)	4,521		9/13/2028		45	90
								1,461	1,850
TGP Holdings III LLC	(11)	September 30, 2017	Outdoor Cooking & Accessories		9.50% (L+8.50%, Floor 1.00%)	9/25/2025	5,000	5,000	4,825
			Secured Debt (9)						
The Pasha Group	(11)	February 2, 2018	Diversified Logistics and Transportation Provided		9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%)	1/26/2023	7,031	6,916	6,451
			Secured Debt (9)						
USA DeBusk LLC	(10)	October 22, 2019	Provider of Industrial Cleaning Services		6.75% (L+5.75%, Floor 1.00%)	10/22/2024	16,632	16,373	16,394
			Secured Debt (9)						
U.S. TelePacific Corp.	(11)	September 14, 2016	Provider of Communications and Managed Services		6.50% (L+5.50%, Floor 1.00%)	5/2/2023	12,500	12,329	11,328
			Secured Debt (9)						
Vida Capital, Inc	(11)	October 10, 2019	Alternative Asset Manager		6.15% (L+6.00%)	10/1/2026	7,238	7,145	7,002
			Secured Debt						
Vistar Media, Inc.	(10)	February 17, 2017	Operator of Digital Out-of-Home Advertising Platform		12.00% (8.50% Cash, 3.50% PIK) (3.50% PIK + L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%)	4/3/2023	4,656	4,550	4,656
			Secured Debt Preferred Stock	70,207				767	910
			Warrants (25)	69,675		4/3/2029		-	920
								5,317	6,486
Volusion, LLC		January 26, 2015	Provider of Online Software-as-a-Service eCommerce Solutions		11.50%	1/26/2020	8,672	8,646	8,247
			Secured Debt Unsecured Convertible Debt	(17)		11/16/2023	175	175	124
			Preferred Member Units	2,090,001				6,000	2,570

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Portfolio Company (1) (20)	Investment Date (22)	Business Description	Type of Investment (2) (3) (15)	Shares/Units	Rate	Maturity Date	Principal (4)	Cost (4)	Fair Value (18)
			Warrants (27)	784,867		1/26/2025		1,104	-
								15,925	10,941
White Cap Parent, LLC	(10)	December 29, 2016	Distribution Platform of Specialty Construction Materials to Professional Concrete and Masonry Contractors						
			Member Units					5,637	8,617
YS Garments, LLC	(11)	August 22, 2018	Designer and Provider of Branded Activewear						
			Secured Debt (9)		7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%)	8/9/2024	6,998	6,951	6,457
Subtotal Non-Control/Non-Affiliate Investments (109.4% of net assets at fair value)								\$ 678,764	\$ 634,001
Total Portfolio Investments, December 31, 2020 (142.4% of net assets at fair value)								\$ 840,656	\$ 825,522
Short Term Investments (28)									
Fidelity Institutional Money Market Funds (29)			Prime Money Market Portfolio					\$ 3,989	\$ 3,989
US Bank Money Market Account (29)								40,217	40,217
Total Short Term Investments								\$ 44,206	\$ 44,206

- (1) All investments are Lower Middle Market portfolio investments, unless otherwise noted. See Note C for a description of Lower Middle Market portfolio investments. All of the Company's investments, unless otherwise noted, are encumbered either as security for one of the Company's Credit Facilities.
- (2) Debt investments are income producing, unless otherwise noted. Equity and warrants are non-income producing, unless otherwise noted.
- (3) See C.2 and Schedule 12-14 for a summary of geographic location of portfolio companies.
- (4) Principal is net of repayments. Cost is net of repayments and accumulated unearned income.
- (5) Control investments are defined by the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended ("1940 Act"), as investments in which more than 25% of the voting securities are owned or where the ability to nominate greater than 50% of the board representation is maintained.
- (6) Affiliate investments are defined by the 1940 Act as investments in which between 5% and 25% (inclusive) of the voting securities are owned and the investments are not classified as Control investments.
- (7) Non-Control/Non-Affiliate investments are defined by the 1940 Act as investments that are neither Control investments nor Affiliate investments.
- (8) Income producing through dividends or distributions.
- (9) Index based floating interest rate is subject to contractual minimum interest rate, or floors.
- (10) Private Loan portfolio investment. See C.2 for a description of Private Loan portfolio investments.
- (11) Middle Market portfolio investment. See C.2 for a description of Middle Market portfolio investments.
- (12) Other Portfolio investment. See C.2 for a description of Other Portfolio investments.
- (13) Investment is not a qualifying asset as defined under Section 55(a) of the 1940 Act. Qualifying assets must represent at least 70% of total assets at the time of acquisition of any additional non-qualifying assets.
- (14) Non-accrual and non-income producing investment.
- (15) All of the Company's portfolio investments are generally subject to restrictions on resale as "restricted securities."

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- (16) Not used
- (17) Maturity date is under on-going negotiations with the portfolio company and other lenders, if applicable.
- (18) Investment fair value was determined using significant unobservable inputs, unless otherwise noted. See C.1 for further discussion.
- (19) PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income represent income not paid currently in cash.
- (20) All portfolio company headquarters are based in the United States, unless otherwise noted.
- (21) Portfolio company headquarters are located outside of the United States.
- (22) Investment date represents the date of initial investment in the portfolio company.
- (23) Shares/Units represent ownership in an underlying Real Estate or HoldCo entity.
- (24) Investment is not unitized. Presentation is made in percent of fully diluted ownership unless otherwise indicated.
- (25) Warrants are presented in equivalent shares with a strike price of \$10.92 per share.
- (26) Warrants are presented in equivalent units with a strike price of \$14.28 per unit.
- (27) Warrants are presented in equivalent shares/units with a strike price of \$0.01 per share/unit.
- (28) Short term investments represent an investment in a fund that invests in highly liquid investments with average original maturity dates of three months or less. These short term investments are included as Cash and cash equivalents.
- (29) Effective yield as of December 31, 2020 was approximately .05% at US Bank Money Market Account and .01% at Fidelity Institutional Money Market Funds.

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(Unaudited)

NOTE A—ORGANIZATION AND BASIS OF PRESENTATION

1. Organization

MSC Income Fund, Inc. (formerly known as HMS Income Fund, Inc. through October 30, 2020) (“MSC Income Fund” and, collectively with its consolidated subsidiaries, the “Company”) was formed as a Maryland corporation on November 28, 2011 under the General Corporation Law of the State of Maryland. The Company is an externally managed, non-diversified closed-end management investment company that has elected to be treated as a business development company (“BDC”) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “1940 Act”). MSC Income Fund has elected to be treated for U.S. federal income tax purposes as a regulated investment company (“RIC”) under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”). As a result, MSC Income Fund generally will not pay corporate-level U.S. federal income taxes on any net ordinary taxable income or capital gains that it distributes to its stockholders.

The Company’s primary investment objective is to generate current income through debt and equity investments. A secondary objective of the Company is to generate current dividend income and long-term capital appreciation through direct equity investments and equity-related investments, including warrants, convertible securities and other rights to acquire equity securities. The Company’s portfolio strategy is to invest primarily in illiquid debt and equity securities issued by lower middle market (“LMM”) companies, which generally have annual revenues between \$10 million and \$150 million, and debt securities issued by middle market (“Middle Market”) companies that are generally larger in size than the LMM companies. The Company’s LMM and Middle Market portfolio investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. The Company categorizes some of its investments in LMM companies and Middle Market companies as private loan (“Private Loan”) portfolio investments. Private Loan investments, often referred to in the debt markets as “club deals,” are investments, generally in debt instruments, that the Company originates on a collaborative basis with other investment funds. Private Loan investments are typically similar in size, structure, terms and conditions to investments the Company holds in its LMM portfolio and Middle Market portfolio. The Company’s portfolio also includes other portfolio (“Other Portfolio”) investments primarily consisting of investments managed by third parties, which differ from the typical profiles for the Company’s other types of investments.

MSC Income Fund has certain direct and indirect wholly owned subsidiaries that are maintained for different specific operating purposes. Several of these subsidiaries have elected to be taxable entities (the “Taxable Subsidiaries”), with the primary purpose of permitting the Company to hold equity investments in portfolio companies which are “pass through” entities for tax purposes. Two other subsidiaries were created to facilitate debt financing activities of the Company, including HMS Funding I LLC (“HMS Funding”), which was created in connection with the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility. MSIF Funding LLC (“MSIF Funding”) which was created in connection with the JPM SPV Facility. The Deutsche Bank Credit Facility, the TIAA Credit Facility and the JPM SPV Facility (each as defined below in “Note E — Debt”) are collectively referred to herein as our “Credit Facilities”.

Unless otherwise noted or the context otherwise indicates, the terms “we,” “us,” “our,” and the “Company” refer to MSC Income Fund and its consolidated subsidiaries.

Prior to October 30, 2020, the business of the Company was managed by HMS Adviser LP (“HMS Adviser”), a Texas limited partnership and affiliate of Hines Interests Limited Partnership (“Hines”), under an Investment Advisory and Administrative Services Agreement dated May 31, 2012 (as amended, the “Original Investment Advisory Agreement”). Prior to October 30, 2020, the Company and HMS Adviser retained MSC Adviser I, LLC (“MSC Adviser”), a wholly owned subsidiary of Main Street Capital Corporation (“Main Street”), a New York Stock Exchange-listed BDC, as the Company’s investment sub-adviser, pursuant to an Investment Sub-Advisory Agreement (the “Sub-Advisory Agreement”), to identify, evaluate, negotiate and structure prospective investments, make investment and portfolio management recommendations for approval by HMS Adviser, monitor the Company’s investment portfolio

and provide certain ongoing administrative services to HMS Adviser. HMS Adviser and MSC Adviser are collectively referred to as the “Advisers,” and each is registered as an investment adviser under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended. Upon the execution of the Sub-Advisory Agreement, Main Street became an affiliate of the Company. The Company engaged Hines Securities, Inc. (the “Dealer Manager”), an affiliate of HMS Adviser, to serve as the Dealer Manager for previously offered and sold shares of its common stock on a continuous basis pursuant to registration statements on Form N-2 that were filed with and declared effective by the SEC.

HMS Adviser entered into an asset purchase agreement, dated June 26, 2020 (the “Purchase Agreement”), with MSC Adviser, Main Street (solely for the purposes set forth in the Purchase Agreement) and Hines (solely for the purposes set forth in the Purchase Agreement). The Purchase Agreement contemplated that, subject to approval by the Company’s Board of Directors and the Company’s stockholders, the Company would enter into the Investment Advisory and Administrative Services Agreement with MSC Adviser as sole investment adviser (the “Investment Advisory Agreement”) and that the Original Investment Advisory Agreement and the Sub-Advisory Agreement would terminate concurrently therewith.

On June 29, 2020, the Company’s Board of Directors, including all of its independent directors, unanimously approved and recommended to the stockholders of the Company for approval of the Investment Advisory Agreement. On October 28, 2020, the Company’s stockholders approved the Investment Advisory Agreement to take effect upon the closing of the transactions contemplated by the Purchase Agreement (collectively, the “Transaction”). Upon the closing of the Transaction on October 30, 2020, the Company entered into the Investment Advisory Agreement with MSC Adviser and MSC Adviser became the sole investment adviser to the Company. See “Note J — Related Party Transactions” for additional information regarding the Investment Advisory Agreement.

2. Basis of Presentation

The Company’s consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”). The Company is an investment company following accounting and reporting guidance in Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”) 946, *Financial Services—Investment Companies* (“ASC 946”). For each of the periods presented herein, the Company’s consolidated financial statements include the accounts of MSC Income Fund and its consolidated subsidiaries. The Investment Portfolio, as used herein, refers to all of the Company’s investments in Private Loan portfolio companies, LMM portfolio companies, Middle Market portfolio companies and Other Portfolio investments (see “Note C.2” for additional discussion of the Company’s Investment Portfolio). The Company’s results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, cash flows for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, and financial position as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, are presented on a consolidated basis. The effects of all intercompany transactions between MSC Income Fund and its consolidated subsidiaries have been eliminated in consolidation.

The accompanying unaudited consolidated financial statements of the Company are presented in conformity with U.S. GAAP for interim financial information and pursuant to the requirements for reporting on Form 10-Q and Articles 6, 10 and 12 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, certain disclosures accompanying annual financial statements prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP are omitted. The unaudited financial statements and notes should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements and notes thereto for the year ended December 31, 2020. In the opinion of management, the unaudited consolidated financial results included herein contain all adjustments, consisting solely of normal recurring accruals, considered necessary for the fair presentation of financial statements for the interim periods included herein. The results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 are not necessarily indicative of the operating results to be expected for the full year. Financial statements prepared on a U.S. GAAP basis require management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts and disclosures reported in the financial statements and accompanying notes. Such estimates and assumptions could change in the future as more information becomes known, which could impact the amounts reported and disclosed herein.

Certain prior period information has been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. The reclassification has no effect on the Company’s consolidated financial position or the consolidated results of operations as previously reported.

Principles of Consolidation

Under ASC 946, the Company is precluded from consolidating other entities in which it has equity investments, including those in which it has a controlling interest, unless the other entity is another investment company. Accordingly, the Company consolidates its wholly-owned subsidiaries, including the Taxable Subsidiaries and does not consolidate its Investment Portfolio.

Portfolio Investment Classification

The Company classifies its Investment Portfolio in accordance with the requirements of the 1940 Act. Under the 1940 Act, (a) “Control Investments” are defined as investments in which the Company owns more than 25% of the voting securities or has rights to maintain greater than 50% of the board representation, (b) “Affiliate Investments” are defined as investments in which the Company owns between 5% and 25% (inclusive) of the voting securities and does not have rights to maintain greater than 50% of the board representation, and (c) “Non-Control/Non-Affiliate Investments” are defined as investments that are neither Control Investments nor Affiliate Investments. For purposes of determining the classification of its Investment Portfolio, the Company has excluded consideration of any voting securities or board appointment rights held by Main Street and other funds advised by Main Street.

NOTE B—SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

1. Valuation of the Investment Portfolio

The Company accounts for its Investment Portfolio at fair value. As a result, the Company follows the provisions of ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures* (“ASC 820”). ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, establishes a fair value hierarchy based on the quality of inputs used to measure fair value and enhances disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. ASC 820 requires the Company to assume that the portfolio investment is to be sold in the principal market to independent market participants, which may be a hypothetical market. Market participants are defined as buyers and sellers in the principal market that are independent, knowledgeable and willing and able to transact. Pursuant to its internal valuation process and the requirements under the 1940 Act, the Company performs valuation procedures on each of its portfolio investments quarterly.

The Company’s portfolio strategy calls for it to invest primarily in illiquid debt and equity securities issued by privately held, LMM companies and more liquid debt securities issued by Middle Market companies that are generally larger in size than the LMM companies. The Company categorizes some of its investments in LMM companies and Middle Market companies as Private Loan portfolio investments, which are primarily debt securities in privately held companies that have been originated through strategic relationships with other investment funds on a collaborative basis, and are often referred to in the debt markets as “club deals.” Private Loan investments are typically similar in size, structure, terms and conditions to investments the Company holds in its LMM portfolio and Middle Market portfolio. The Company’s portfolio also includes Other Portfolio investments which primarily consist of investments that are not consistent with the typical profiles for its LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments or Private Loan portfolio investments, including investments which may be managed by third parties. The Company’s portfolio investments may be subject to restrictions on resale.

Private Loan investments may include investments which have no established trading market or have established markets that are not active. LMM investments and Other Portfolio investments (excluding the Company’s investment in Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd. (the “Signal CLO”)) generally have no established trading market while Middle Market investments and the Signal CLO generally have established markets that are not active. The Company determines in good faith the fair value of its Investment Portfolio pursuant to a valuation policy in accordance with ASC 820 and a valuation process approved by its Board of Directors and in accordance with the 1940 Act. The Company’s valuation policies and processes are intended to provide a consistent basis for determining the fair value of the Company’s Investment Portfolio.

For LMM portfolio investments, the Company generally reviews external events, including private mergers, sales and acquisitions involving comparable companies, and includes these events in the valuation process by using an enterprise value waterfall methodology (“Waterfall”) for its LMM equity investments and an income approach using a

yield-to-maturity model (“Yield-to-Maturity”) for its LMM debt investments. For Middle Market portfolio investments, the Company primarily uses quoted prices in the valuation process. The Company determines the appropriateness of the use of third-party broker quotes, if any, in determining fair value based on its understanding of the level of actual transactions used by the broker to develop the quote and whether the quote was an indicative price or binding offer, the depth and consistency of broker quotes and the correlation of changes in broker quotes with underlying performance of the portfolio company and other market indices. For Middle Market and Private Loan portfolio investments in debt securities for which it has determined that third-party quotes or other independent pricing are not available or appropriate, the Company generally estimates the fair value based on the assumptions that it believes hypothetical market participants would use to value the investment in a current hypothetical sale using the Yield-to-Maturity valuation method. For its Other Portfolio equity investments, excluding its investment in Signal CLO, the Company generally calculates the fair value of the investment primarily based on the net asset value (“NAV”) of the fund and adjusts the fair value for other factors deemed relevant that would affect the fair value of the investment. All of the valuation approaches for the Company’s portfolio investments estimate the value of the investment as if the Company were to sell, or exit, the investment as of the measurement date.

These valuation approaches consider the value associated with the Company’s ability to control the capital structure of the portfolio company, as well as the timing of a potential exit. For valuation purposes, “control” portfolio investments are composed of debt and equity securities in companies for which the Company has a controlling interest in the equity ownership of the portfolio company or the ability to nominate a majority of the portfolio company’s board of directors. For valuation purposes, “non-control” portfolio investments are generally composed of debt and equity securities in companies for which the Company does not have a controlling interest in the equity ownership of the portfolio company or the ability to nominate a majority of the portfolio company’s board of directors.

Under the Waterfall valuation method, the Company estimates the enterprise value of a portfolio company using a combination of market and income approaches or other appropriate valuation methods, such as considering recent transactions in the equity securities of the portfolio company or third-party valuations of the portfolio company, and then performs a waterfall calculation by allocating the enterprise value over the portfolio company’s securities in order of their preference relative to one another. The enterprise value is the fair value at which an enterprise could be sold in a transaction between two willing parties, other than through a forced or liquidation sale. Typically, privately held companies are bought and sold based on multiples of earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (“EBITDA”), cash flows, net income, revenues, or in limited cases, book value. There is no single methodology for estimating enterprise value. For any one portfolio company, enterprise value is generally described as a range of values from which a single estimate of enterprise value is derived. In estimating the enterprise value of a portfolio company, the Company analyzes various factors including the portfolio company’s historical and projected financial results. Due to SEC deadlines for the Company’s quarterly and annual financial reporting, the operating results of a portfolio company used in the current period valuation are generally the results from the period ended three months prior to such valuation date and may include unaudited, projected, budgeted or pro forma financial information and may require adjustments for non-recurring items or to normalize the operating results that may require significant judgment from the Company’s management. In addition, projecting future financial results requires significant judgment regarding future growth assumptions. In evaluating the operating results, the Company also analyzes the impact of exposure to litigation, loss of customers or other contingencies. After determining the appropriate enterprise value, the Company allocates the enterprise value to investments in order of the legal priority of the various components of the portfolio company’s capital structure. In applying the Waterfall valuation method, the Company assumes the loans are paid off at the principal amount in a change in control transaction and are not assumed by the buyer, which the Company believes is consistent with its past transaction history and standard industry practices.

Under the Yield-to-Maturity valuation method, the Company also uses the income approach to determine the fair value of debt securities based on projections of the discounted future free cash flows that the debt security will likely generate, including analyzing the discounted cash flows of interest and principal amounts for the debt security, as set forth in the associated loan agreements, as well as the financial position and credit risk of the portfolio company. The Company’s estimate of the expected repayment date of its debt securities is generally the maturity date of the instrument, as the Company generally intends to hold its loans and debt securities to maturity. The Yield-to-Maturity analysis also considers changes in leverage levels, credit quality, portfolio company performance, changes in market-based interest rates and other factors. The Company will generally use the value determined by the Yield-to-Maturity analysis as the fair value for that security; however, because of the Company’s general intent to hold its loans to maturity, the fair value will not exceed the principal amount of the debt security valued using the Yield-to-Maturity valuation method. A change in the assumptions that the Company uses to estimate the fair value of its debt securities using the Yield-to-Maturity

valuation method could have a material impact on the determination of fair value. If there is deterioration in credit quality or if a debt security is in workout status, the Company may consider other factors in determining the fair value of the debt security, including the value attributable to the debt security from the enterprise value of the portfolio company or the proceeds that would most likely be received in a liquidation analysis.

Under the NAV valuation method, for an investment in an investment fund that does not have a readily determinable fair value, the Company measures the fair value of the investment predominately based on the NAV of the investment fund as of the measurement date and adjusts the investment's fair value for factors known to the Company that would affect that fund's NAV, including, but not limited to, fair values for individual investments held by the fund if the Company holds the same investment or for a publicly traded investment. In addition, in determining the fair value of the investment, the Company considers whether adjustments to the NAV are necessary in certain circumstances, based on the analysis of any restrictions on redemption of the Company's investment as of the measurement date, recent actual sales or redemptions of interests in the investment fund, and expected future cash flows available to equity holders, including the rate of return on those cash flows compared to an implied market return on equity required by market participants, or other uncertainties surrounding the Company's ability to realize the full NAV of its interests in the investment fund.

For valuation purposes, all of the Company's Private Loan portfolio investments are non-control investments. For Private Loan portfolio investments for which it has determined that third-party quotes or other independent pricing are not available or appropriate, the Company generally estimates the fair value based on the assumptions that it believes hypothetical market participants would use to value such Private Loan debt investments in a current hypothetical sale using the Yield-to-Maturity valuation method and such Private Loan equity investments in a current hypothetical sale using the Waterfall valuation method.

In addition to its internal valuation process, in arriving at estimates of fair value for its investments in its Private Loan portfolio companies, the Company, among other things, consults with a nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm. The nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm analyzes and provides observations and recommendations and an assurance certification regarding the Company's determinations of the fair value of its Private Loan portfolio company investments. The nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm is generally consulted relative to the Company's investments in each Private Loan portfolio company at least once every calendar year, and for the Company's investments in new Private Loan portfolio companies, at least once in the twelve-month period subsequent to the initial investment. In certain instances, the Company may determine that it is not cost-effective, and as a result is not in its stockholders' best interest, to consult with the nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm on its investments in one or more Private Loan portfolio companies. Such instances include, but are not limited to, situations where the fair value of the Company's investment in a Private Loan portfolio company is determined to be insignificant relative to the total Investment Portfolio. The Company consulted with and received an assurance certification from its independent financial advisory services firm in arriving at its determination of fair value on its investments in a total of 19 Private Loan portfolio companies for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, representing approximately 47% of the total Private Loan portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2021, and on a total of 23 Private Loan portfolio companies for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, representing approximately 57% of the total Private Loan portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2020. Excluding its investments in Private Loan portfolio companies that, as of September 30, 2021 and 2020, as applicable, had not been in the Investment Portfolio for at least twelve months subsequent to the initial investment and its investments in Private Loan portfolio companies that were not reviewed because the investment is valued based upon third-party quotes or other independent pricing, the percentage of the Private Loan portfolio reviewed and certified by its independent financial advisory services firm for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 was 66% and 65% of the total Private Loan portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

In addition to its internal valuation process, in arriving at estimates of fair value for its investments in its LMM portfolio companies, the Company, among other things, consults with a nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm. The nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm analyzes and provides observations, recommendations and an assurance certification regarding the Company's determinations of the fair value of its LMM portfolio company investments. The nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm is generally consulted relative to the Company's investments in each LMM portfolio company at least once every calendar year, and for the Company's investments in new LMM portfolio companies, at least once in the twelve-month period subsequent to the initial investment. In certain instances, the Company may determine that it is not cost-effective,

and as a result is not in its stockholders' best interest, to consult with the nationally recognized independent financial advisory services firm on its investments in one or more LMM portfolio companies. Such instances include, but are not limited to, situations where the fair value of the Company's investment in a LMM portfolio company is determined to be insignificant relative to the total Investment Portfolio. The Company consulted with and received an assurance certification from its independent financial advisory services firm in arriving at the Company's determination of fair value on its investments in a total of 27 LMM portfolio companies for the nine months ended September 30, 2021, representing approximately 75% of the total LMM portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2021, and on a total of 25 LMM portfolio companies for the nine months ended September 30, 2020, representing approximately 75% of the total LMM portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2020. Excluding its investments in LMM portfolio companies that, as of September 30, 2021 and 2020, as applicable, had not been in the Investment Portfolio for at least twelve months subsequent to the initial investment or whose primary purpose is to own real estate for which a third-party appraisal is obtained on at least an annual basis, the percentage of the LMM portfolio reviewed and certified by its independent financial advisory services firm for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 was 81% and 77% of the total LMM portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

For valuation purposes, all of the Company's Middle Market portfolio investments are non-control investments. To the extent sufficient observable inputs are available to determine fair value, the Company uses observable inputs to determine the fair value of these investments through obtaining third-party quotes or other independent pricing. For Middle Market portfolio investments for which it has determined that third-party quotes or other independent pricing are not available or appropriate, the Company generally estimates the fair value based on the assumptions that it believes hypothetical market participants would use to value such Middle Market debt investments in a current hypothetical sale using the Yield-to-Maturity valuation method and such Middle Market equity investments in a current hypothetical sale using the Waterfall valuation method. Because the vast majority of the Middle Market portfolio investments are typically valued using third-party quotes or other independent pricing services (including 92% and 88% of the Middle Market portfolio investments as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively), the Company generally does not consult with any financial advisory services firms in connection with determining the fair value of its Middle Market investments.

For valuation purposes, all of the Company's Other Portfolio investments are non-control investments. The Company's Other Portfolio investments comprised 4.4% and 6.1% of the Company's Investment Portfolio at fair value as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively. Similar to the LMM investment portfolio, market quotations for Other Portfolio equity investments, except for the Company's investment in Signal CLO, are generally not readily available. For its Other Portfolio equity investments, except for the Company's investment in Signal CLO, the Company generally determines the fair value of these investments using the NAV valuation method. For the Company's investment in Signal CLO, the Company determines the appropriateness of the use of the third-party broker quote in determining fair value based on its understanding of the level of actual transactions used by the broker to develop the quote and whether the quote was an indicative price or binding offer, the depth and consistency of broker quotes and the correlation of changes in broker quotes with underlying performance of the portfolio company and other market indices. The Company often cannot observe the inputs considered by the third party in determining their quotes.

Due to the inherent uncertainty in the valuation process, the Company's determination of fair value for its Investment Portfolio may differ materially from the values that would have been determined had a ready market for the securities existed. In addition, changes in the market environment, portfolio company performance and other events that may occur over the lives of the investments may cause the gains or losses ultimately realized on these investments to be materially different than the valuations currently assigned. The Company determines the fair value of each individual investment and records changes in fair value as unrealized appreciation or depreciation.

MSC Adviser, the Company's investment adviser, uses an internally developed portfolio investment rating system in connection with its investment oversight, portfolio management and analysis and investment valuation procedures for the Company's LMM portfolio companies. This system takes into account both quantitative and qualitative factors of the LMM portfolio company and the investments held therein.

The SEC has adopted Rule 2a-5 under the 1940 Act, which permits a BDC's board of directors to designate its executive officers or investment adviser as a valuation designee to determine the fair value for its investment portfolio, subject to the active oversight of the board. The Company's Board of Directors approved policies and procedures pursuant to Rule 2a-5 (the "Valuation Procedures") and has designated MSC Adviser, and specifically a group of its

executive officers, to serve as the Board's valuation designee. The Company adopted the Valuation Procedures effective April 1, 2021. The Company believes its Investment Portfolio as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 approximates fair value as of those dates based on the markets in which the Company operates and other conditions in existence on those reporting dates.

2. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different conditions or assumptions. Additionally, as explained in Note B.1., the consolidated financial statements include investments in the Investment Portfolio whose values have been estimated by the Company pursuant to valuation policies and procedures approved and overseen by the Company's Board of Directors in the absence of readily ascertainable market values. Because of the inherent uncertainty of the Investment Portfolio valuations, those estimated values may differ materially from the values that would have been determined had a ready market for the securities existed.

The COVID-19 pandemic, and the related effect on the U.S. and global economies, has impacted, and threatens to continue to impact, the businesses and operating results of certain of the Company's portfolio companies, as well as market interest rate spreads. As a result of these and other current effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, as well as the uncertainty regarding the extent and duration of its impact, the valuation of the Company's Investment Portfolio has been experiencing increased volatility since the beginning of the COVID-19 pandemic.

3. Cash, Cash Equivalents and Restricted Cash

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash and highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less at the date of purchase. Cash and cash equivalents are carried at cost, which approximates fair value.

At September 30, 2021, cash balances totaling \$4.3 million exceeded Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insurance protection levels, subjecting the Company to risk related to the uninsured balance. All of the Company's cash deposits are held at large established high credit quality financial institutions and management believes that the risk of loss associated with any uninsured balances is remote. At September 30, 2021, the Company had investments in short-term money market accounts totaling \$15.7 million classified as cash equivalents.

Amounts included in restricted cash at December 31, 2020 represented balances in the cash accounts held at HMS Funding, which had been set aside pursuant to an amendment to the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility effective April 24, 2020 (see Note E — Debt) (i) as a reserve for draws on unfunded commitments related to investments held by HMS Funding or (ii) to be applied against outstanding advances on the facility. On February 3, 2021, the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility was fully repaid through the use of restricted cash and proceeds from borrowings under the JPM SPV Facility and accordingly, the Company has no other restrictions on cash (or restricted cash requirement) upon the extinguishment of the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility.

4. Interest, Dividend and Fee Income

The Company records interest and dividend income on the accrual basis to the extent amounts are expected to be collected. Dividend income is recorded as dividends are declared by the portfolio company or at the point an obligation exists for the portfolio company to make a distribution. In accordance with the Company's valuation policies, the Company evaluates accrued interest and dividend income periodically for collectability. When a loan or debt security becomes 90 days or more past due, and if the Company otherwise does not expect the debtor to be able to service all of its debt or other obligations, the Company will generally place the loan or debt security on non-accrual status and cease recognizing interest income on that loan or debt security until the borrower has demonstrated the ability and intent to pay contractual amounts due. If a loan or debt security's status significantly improves regarding the debtor's ability to service the debt or other obligations, or if a loan or debt security is sold or written off, the Company removes it from non-accrual status.

As of September 30, 2021, the Company’s total Investment Portfolio had three investments on non-accrual status, which comprised approximately 0.8% of its fair value and 2.3% of its cost. As of December 31, 2020, the Company’s total Investment Portfolio had three investments on non-accrual status, which comprised approximately 0.6% of its fair value and 1.3% of its cost.

Interest income from investments in the “equity” class of security of collateralized loan obligation (“CLO”) funds (typically subordinated notes) is recorded based upon an estimation of an effective yield to expected maturity utilizing estimated projected cash flows in accordance with ASC 325-40, *Beneficial Interests in Securitized Financial Assets*. The Company monitors the expected cash inflows from its investment in a CLO, including the expected residual payments, and the effective yield is determined and updated periodically.

The Company holds certain debt and preferred equity instruments in its Investment Portfolio that contain payment-in-kind (“PIK”) interest and cumulative dividend provisions. The PIK interest, computed at the contractual rate specified in each debt agreement, is periodically added to the principal balance of the debt and is recorded as interest income. Thus, the actual collection of this interest may be deferred until the time of debt principal repayment. Cumulative dividends are recorded as dividend income, and any dividends in arrears are added to the balance of the preferred equity investment. The actual collection of these dividends in arrears may be deferred until such time as the preferred equity is redeemed or sold. To maintain RIC tax treatment (as discussed in Note B.8. below), these non-cash sources of income may need to be paid out to stockholders in the form of distributions, even though the Company may not have collected the PIK interest and cumulative dividends in cash. For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 2.5% and 6.4%, respectively, of the Company’s total investment income was attributable to PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income not paid currently in cash. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 2.4% and 4.9%, respectively, of the Company’s total investment income was attributable to PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income not paid currently in cash. The Company stops accruing PIK interest and cumulative dividends and writes off any accrued and uncollected interest and dividends in arrears when it determines that such PIK interest and dividends in arrears are no longer collectible.

The Company may periodically provide services, including structuring and advisory services, to its portfolio companies or other third parties. For services that are separately identifiable and evidence exists to substantiate fair value, fee income is recognized as earned, which is generally when the investment or other applicable transaction closes. Fees received in connection with debt financing transactions for services that do not meet these criteria are treated as debt origination fees and are deferred and accreted into income over the life of the financing.

A presentation of total investment income the Company received from its Investment Portfolio in each of the periods presented is as follows:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	(dollars in thousands)			
Interest, fee and dividend income:				
Interest income	\$ 18,818	\$ 17,347	\$ 52,218	\$ 58,834
Dividend income	3,249	2,089	12,227	5,833
Fee income	687	83	1,077	1,099
Total interest, fee and dividend income	<u>\$ 22,754</u>	<u>\$ 19,519</u>	<u>\$ 65,522</u>	<u>\$ 65,766</u>

5. Deferred Financing Costs

Deferred financing costs represent fees and other direct costs incurred in connection with arranging the Company’s borrowings. These costs were incurred in connection with the Company’s Credit Facilities and the Main Street Term Loan (see Note E — Debt) and have been capitalized. The deferred financing costs are being amortized to interest expense using the straight-line method over the life of the related credit facility, which the Company believes is materially consistent with the effective interest method.

6. Equity Offering Costs

In accordance with the Original Investment Advisory Agreement and the Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Company had historically reimbursed HMS Adviser for any offering costs that were paid on the Company's behalf, which consist of, among other costs, actual legal, accounting, bona fide out-of-pocket itemized and detailed due diligence costs, printing, filing fees, transfer agent costs, postage, escrow fees, data processing fees, advertising and sales literature and other offering costs. In connection with the Transaction, HMS Adviser agreed to permanently waive its right to receive reimbursement for any and all accrued and unpaid or unreimbursed expenses under the Original Investment Advisory Agreement, except for certain organizational and offering expenses described further in Note J - Related Party Transactions.

Deferred offering costs were fully amortized to expense upon the closing of the our prior public continuous offering of common stock to new investors. Any future offering costs will be currently expensed as incurred by the Company or as it becomes obligated to reimburse HMS Adviser for such costs.

7. Unearned Income—Debt Origination Fees and Original Issue Discount and Discounts / Premiums to Par Value

The Company capitalizes debt origination fees received in connection with financings and reflects such fees as unearned income netted against the applicable debt investments. The unearned income from the fees is accreted into income based on the effective interest method over the life of the financing.

In connection with its portfolio debt investments, the Company sometimes receives nominal cost warrants or warrants with an exercise price below the fair value of the underlying equity (together, "nominal cost equity") that are valued as part of the negotiation process with the particular portfolio company. When the Company receives nominal cost equity, it allocates its cost basis in its investment between its debt security and its nominal cost equity at the time of origination based on amounts negotiated with the particular portfolio company. The allocated amounts are based upon the fair value of the nominal cost equity, which is then used to determine the allocation of cost to the debt security. Any discount recorded on a debt investment resulting from this allocation is reflected as unearned income, which is netted against the applicable debt investment, and accreted into interest income based on the effective interest method over the life of the debt investment. The actual collection of this interest is deferred until the time of debt principal repayment.

The Company may purchase debt securities at a discount or at a premium to the par value of the debt security. In the case of a purchase at a discount, the Company records the investment at the par value of the debt security net of the discount, and the discount is accreted into interest income based on the effective interest method over the life of the debt investment. In the case of a purchase at a premium, the Company records the investment at the par value of the debt security plus the premium, and the premium is amortized as a reduction to interest income based on the effective interest method over the life of the debt investment.

To maintain RIC tax treatment (as discussed in Note B.8. below), these non-cash sources of income may need to be paid out to stockholders in the form of distributions, even though the Company may not have collected the interest income. For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 5.9% and 4.7%, respectively, of the Company's total investment income was attributable to interest income from the accretion of discounts associated with debt investments, net of any premium reduction. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 5.3% and 3.4%, respectively, of the Company's total investment income was attributable to interest income from the accretion of discounts associated with debt investments, net of any premium reduction.

8. Income Taxes

The Company has elected to be treated for U.S. federal income tax purposes as a RIC. The Company's taxable income includes the taxable income generated by the Company and certain of its subsidiaries, which are treated as disregarded entities for tax purposes. As a RIC, the Company generally will not pay corporate-level U.S. federal income taxes on any net ordinary taxable income or capital gains that the Company distributes to its stockholders. The Company must generally distribute at least 90% of its "investment company taxable income" (which is generally its net ordinary taxable income and realized net short-term capital gains in excess of realized net long-term capital losses) and 90% of its tax-exempt income to maintain its RIC status (pass-through tax treatment for amounts distributed). As a part of

maintaining RIC status, undistributed taxable income (subject to a 4% non-deductible U.S. federal excise tax) pertaining to a given fiscal year may be distributed up to 12 months subsequent to the end of that fiscal year, provided such dividends are declared on or prior to the later of (i) the filing of the U.S. federal income tax return for the applicable fiscal year or (ii) the fifteenth day of the ninth month following the close of the year in which such taxable income was generated.

The Taxable Subsidiaries primarily hold certain portfolio investments for the Company. The Taxable Subsidiaries permit the Company to hold equity investments in portfolio companies which are “pass-through” entities for tax purposes and to continue to comply with the “source-of-income” requirements contained in the RIC tax provisions of the Code. The Taxable Subsidiaries are consolidated with the Company for U.S. GAAP financial reporting purposes, and the portfolio investments held by the Taxable Subsidiaries are included in the Company’s consolidated financial statements as portfolio investments and are recorded at fair value. The Taxable Subsidiaries are not consolidated with the Company for income tax purposes and may generate income tax expense, or benefit, and tax assets and liabilities, as a result of their ownership of certain portfolio investments. The taxable income, or loss, of the Taxable Subsidiaries may differ from their book income, or loss, due to temporary book and tax timing differences and permanent differences. The Taxable Subsidiaries are each taxed at their normal corporate tax rates based on their taxable income. The income tax expense, or benefit, if any, and the related tax assets and liabilities, of the Taxable Subsidiaries are reflected in the Company’s consolidated financial statements.

The Taxable Subsidiaries use the liability method in accounting for income taxes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recorded for temporary differences between the tax basis of assets and liabilities and their reported amounts in the consolidated financial statements, using statutory tax rates in effect for the year in which the temporary differences are expected to reverse. A valuation allowance is provided, if necessary, against deferred tax assets when it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax asset will not be realized.

Taxable income generally differs from net income for financial reporting purposes due to temporary and permanent differences in the recognition of income and expenses. Taxable income generally excludes net unrealized appreciation or depreciation, as investment gains or losses are not included in taxable income until they are realized. The Company’s stockholder’s equity includes an adjustment to classification as a result of permanent book-to-tax differences, which include differences in the book and tax treatment of income and expenses.

9. Net Realized Gains or Losses and Net Unrealized Appreciation or Depreciation

Realized gains or losses are measured by the difference between the net proceeds from the sale or redemption of an investment or a financial instrument and the cost basis of the investment or financial instrument, without regard to unrealized appreciation or depreciation previously recognized, and includes investments written-off during the period net of recoveries and realized gains or losses from in-kind redemptions. Net unrealized appreciation or depreciation reflects the net change in the fair value of the Investment Portfolio and financial instruments and the reclassification of any prior period unrealized appreciation or depreciation on exited investments and financial instruments to realized gains or losses.

10. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Fair value estimates are made at discrete points in time based on relevant information. These estimates may be subjective in nature and involve uncertainties and matters of significant judgment and, therefore, cannot be determined with precision. The Company believes that the carrying amounts of its financial instruments, consisting of cash and cash equivalents, receivables, payables and other liabilities approximate the fair values of such items due to the short-term nature of these instruments.

11. Earnings per Share

Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations per share and net investment income per share, are calculated based upon the weighted-average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the reporting period.

12. Recently Issued or Adopted Accounting Standards

In March 2020, the FASB issued ASU 2020-04, “Reference rate reform (Topic 848)—Facilitation of the effects of reference rate reform on financial reporting.” The amendments in this update provide optional expedients and exceptions for applying U.S. GAAP to certain contracts and hedging relationships that reference LIBOR or another reference rate expected to be discontinued due to reference rate reform and became effective upon issuance for all entities. The Company has agreements that have LIBOR as a reference rate with certain portfolio companies and also with certain lenders. Many of these agreements include language for choosing an alternative successor rate if LIBOR reference is no longer considered to be appropriate. Contract modifications are required to be evaluated in determining whether the modifications result in the establishment of new contracts or the continuation of existing contracts. The Company adopted this amendment in March 2020 and plans to apply the amendments in this update to account for contract modifications due to changes in reference rates when LIBOR reference is no longer used. The Company did not utilize the optional expedients and exceptions provided by ASU 2020-04 during the nine months ended September 30, 2021. The Company continues to evaluate the impact that the amendments in this update will have on its consolidated financial statements and disclosures when applied.

In May 2020, the SEC published Release No. 33-10786 (the “May 2020 Release”), *Amendments to Financial Disclosures about Acquired and Disposed Businesses*, announcing its adoption of rules amending Rule 1-02(w)(2) under Regulation S-X used in the determination of a significant subsidiary specific to investment companies, including BDCs. In part, the rules adopted pursuant to the May 2020 Release eliminated the use of the asset test, and amended the income and investment tests for determining whether an unconsolidated subsidiary requires additional disclosure in the footnotes of the financial statements. The Company adopted the rules pursuant to the May 2020 Release during the quarter ended December 31, 2020. The impact of the adoption of these rules on the Company’s consolidated financial statements was not material.

In December 2020, the SEC published Release No. IC-34084 (the “December 2020 Release”) *Use of Derivatives by Registered Investment Companies and Business Development Companies*, announcing its adoption of Rule 18f-4 and amendment of Rule 6c-11 under the 1940 Act to provide an updated, comprehensive approach to the regulation of registered investment companies’, including BDCs’, use of derivatives and address investor protection concerns. In part, the rules adopted pursuant to the December 2020 Release require that funds using derivatives generally will have to adopt a derivatives risk management program that a derivatives risk manager administers and that the fund’s board of directors oversees, and comply with an outer limit on fund leverage. Funds that use derivatives only in a limited manner will not be subject to these requirements, but they will have to adopt and implement policies and procedures reasonably designed to manage the fund’s derivatives risks. Funds also will be subject to reporting and recordkeeping requirements regarding their derivatives use. The Company adopted the rules pursuant to the December 2020 Release during the quarter ended March 31, 2021. As the Company is a limited user of derivatives, the impact of the adoption of these rules on the consolidated financial statements was not material.

From time to time, new accounting pronouncements are issued by the FASB or other standard-setting bodies that are adopted by the Company as of the specified effective date. The Company believes that the impact of recently issued standards and any that are not yet effective will not have a material impact on its consolidated financial statements upon adoption.

NOTE C—FAIR VALUE HIERARCHY FOR INVESTMENTS AND DEBENTURES—PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, establishes a fair value hierarchy based on the quality of inputs used to measure fair value, and enhances disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. The Company accounts for its investments at fair value.

1. Fair Value Hierarchy

In accordance with ASC 820, the Company has categorized its investments based on the priority of the inputs to the valuation technique into a three-level fair value hierarchy. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical investments (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3).

Investments recorded on the Company's balance sheet are categorized based on the inputs to the valuation techniques as follows:

Level 1—Investments whose values are based on unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets in an active market that the Company has the ability to access (examples include investments in active exchange-traded equity securities and investments in most U.S. government and agency securities).

Level 2—Investments whose values are based on quoted prices in markets that are not active or model inputs that are observable either directly or indirectly for substantially the full term of the investment. Level 2 inputs include the following:

- Quoted prices for similar assets in active markets (for example, investments in restricted stock);
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets in non-active markets (for example, investments in thinly traded public companies);
- Pricing models whose inputs are observable for substantially the full term of the investment (for example, market interest rate indices); and
- Pricing models whose inputs are derived principally from, or corroborated by, observable market data through correlation or other means for substantially the full term of the investment.

Level 3—Investments whose values are based on prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both unobservable and significant to the overall fair value measurement (for example, investments in illiquid securities issued by privately held companies). These inputs reflect management's own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in pricing the investment.

As required by ASC 820, when the inputs used to measure fair value fall within different levels of the hierarchy, the level within which the fair value measurement is categorized is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. For example, a Level 3 fair value measurement may include inputs that are observable (Levels 1 and 2) and unobservable (Level 3). Therefore, unrealized appreciation and depreciation related to such investments categorized within the Level 3 tables below may include changes in fair value that are attributable to both observable inputs (Levels 1 and 2) and unobservable inputs (Level 3).

As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company's Private Loan portfolio investments primarily consisted of investments in interest-bearing secured debt investments. The fair value determination for these investments consisted of a combination of observable inputs in non-active markets for which sufficient observable inputs were not available to determine the fair value of these investments and unobservable inputs. As a result, all of the Company's Private Loan portfolio investments were categorized as Level 3 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, all of the Company's LMM portfolio investments consisted of illiquid securities issued by privately held companies and the fair value determination for these investments primarily consisted of unobservable inputs. As a result, all of the Company's LMM portfolio investments were categorized as Level 3 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company's Middle Market portfolio investments consisted primarily of investments in secured and unsecured debt investments and independently rated debt investments. The fair value determination for these investments and the Signal CLO consisted of a combination of observable inputs in non-active markets for which sufficient observable inputs were not available to determine the fair value of these investments and unobservable inputs. As a result, all of the Company's Middle Market portfolio investments and the Signal CLO were categorized as Level 3 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company's Other Portfolio investments (other than the Signal CLO) consisted of illiquid securities issued by privately held companies and the fair value determination for these

investments primarily consisted of unobservable inputs. As a result, all of the Company's Other Portfolio investments were categorized as Level 3 as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

The fair value determination of each portfolio investment categorized as Level 3 required one or more of the following unobservable inputs:

- Financial information obtained from each portfolio company, including unaudited statements of operations and balance sheets for the most recent period available as compared to budgeted numbers;
- Current and projected financial condition of the portfolio company;
- Current and projected ability of the portfolio company to service its debt obligations;
- Type and amount of collateral, if any, underlying the investment;
- Current financial ratios (e.g., fixed charge coverage ratio, interest coverage ratio and net debt/EBITDA ratio) applicable to the investment;
- Current liquidity of the investment and related financial ratios (e.g., current ratio and quick ratio);
- Pending debt or capital restructuring of the portfolio company;
- Projected operating results of the portfolio company;
- Current information regarding any offers to purchase the investment;
- Current ability of the portfolio company to raise any additional financing as needed;
- Changes in the economic environment which may have a material impact on the operating results of the portfolio company;
- Internal occurrences that may have an impact (both positive and negative) on the operating performance of the portfolio company;
- Qualitative assessment of key management;
- Contractual rights, obligations or restrictions associated with the investment; and
- Other factors deemed relevant.

The use of significant unobservable inputs creates uncertainty in the measurement of fair value as of the reporting date. The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Company's LMM equity securities, which are generally valued through an average of the discounted cash flow technique and the market comparable/enterprise value technique (unless one of these approaches is determined to not be appropriate), are (i) EBITDA multiples and (ii) the weighted-average cost of capital ("WACC"). Significant increases (decreases) in EBITDA multiple inputs in isolation would result in a significantly higher (lower) fair value measurement. On the contrary, significant increases (decreases) in WACC inputs in isolation would result in a significantly lower (higher) fair value measurement. The significant unobservable inputs used in the fair value measurement of the Company's LMM, Middle Market and Private Loan securities are (i) risk adjusted discount rates used in the Yield-to-Maturity valuation technique (see "Note B.1.—Valuation of the Investment Portfolio") and (ii) the percentage of expected principal recovery. Significant increases (decreases) in any of these discount rates in isolation would result in a significantly lower (higher) fair value measurement. Significant increases (decreases) in any of these expected principal recovery percentages in isolation would result in a significantly higher (lower) fair value measurement. However, due to the nature of certain investments, fair value measurements may be based on other criteria, such as third-party appraisals of collateral and fair values as determined by independent third parties, which are not presented in the tables below.

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The following tables provide a summary of the significant unobservable inputs used to fair value the Company's Level 3 portfolio investments as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020:

Type of Investment	Fair Value as of September 30, 2021 (in thousands)	Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Range	Weighted	
					Average(3)	Median(3)
Equity investments	\$ 199,332	Discounted cash flow	WACC	10.3% - 19.1%	13.7 %	15.0 %
		Market comparable / Enterprise Value	EBITDA multiple(1)	4.9x - 9.0x(2)	7.4x	6.4x
Debt investments	629,979	Discounted cash flow	Risk adjusted discount factor	5.5% - 15.2%(2)	9.6 %	9.5 %
			Expected principal recovery percentage	1.0% - 100.0%	99.6 %	100.0 %
Debt investments	172,969	Market approach	Third-party quote	38.2 - 101.3	94.2	97.3
Total Level 3 investments	\$ 1,002,280					

- (1) EBITDA may include proforma adjustments and/or other addbacks based on specific circumstances related to each investment.
- (2) Range excludes outliers that are greater than one standard deviation from the mean. Including these outliers, the range for EBITDA multiple is 3.8x - 15.0x and the range for risk adjusted discount factor is 4.7% - 36.5%.
- (3) Does not include investments for which the valuation technique does not include the use of the applicable fair value input.

Type of Investment	Fair Value as of December 31, 2020 (in thousands)	Valuation Technique	Significant Unobservable Inputs	Range(3)	Weighted	
					Average(3)	Median(3)
Equity investments	\$ 187,099	Discounted cash flow	WACC	11.3%-19.9%	14.1 %	15.3 %
		Market comparable / Enterprise Value	EBITDA multiple(1)	5.2x-8.5x(2)	6.9x	6.4x
Debt investments	456,576	Discounted cash flow	Risk adjusted discount factor	7.4%-14.2%(2)	10.3 %	10.2 %
			Expected principal recovery percentage	1.1%-100.0%	99.3 %	100.0 %
Debt investments	181,847	Market approach	Third-party quote	45.0 - 100.0	92.0 %	93.4
Total Level 3 investments	\$ 825,522					

- (1) EBITDA may include proforma adjustments and/or other addbacks based on specific circumstances related to each investment.
- (2) Range excludes outliers that are greater than one standard deviation from the mean. Including these outliers, the range for EBITDA multiple is 4.0x - 11.9x and the range for risk adjusted discount factor is 5.4% - 25.0%.
- (3) Does not include investments for which the valuation technique does not include the use of the applicable fair value input.

The following tables provide a summary of changes in fair value of the Company's Level 3 portfolio investments for the nine-month periods ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 (amounts in thousands):

Type of Investment	Fair Value as of December 31, 2020	Transfers Into Level 3 Hierarchy	Redemptions/ Repayments	New Investments	Net Changes from Unrealized to Realized	Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)	Other(1)	Fair Value as of September 30, 2021
Debt	\$ 638,423	\$ —	\$ (193,819)	\$ 351,851	\$ 4,997	\$ 2,466	\$ (970)	\$ 802,948
Equity(2)	185,041	—	(18,133)	13,064	1,209	16,372	976	198,529
Equity Warrant	2,058	—	—	—	(1,290)	35	—	803
	<u>\$ 825,522</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ (211,952)</u>	<u>\$ 364,915</u>	<u>\$ 4,916</u>	<u>\$ 18,873</u>	<u>\$ 6</u>	<u>\$ 1,002,280</u>

- (1) Includes the impact of non-cash conversions. These transactions represent non-cash investing activities. See additional cash flow information at the consolidated statements of cash flows.
(2) Includes the Company's investment in the Signal CLO subordinated notes. (See Note D — *Investment in Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd.*)

Type of Investment	Fair Value as of December 31, 2019	Transfers Into Level 3 Hierarchy	Redemptions/ Repayments	New Investments	Net Changes from Unrealized to Realized	Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)	Other(1)	Fair Value as of September 30, 2020
Debt	\$ 848,265	\$ —	\$ (180,927)	\$ 57,743	\$ 4,230	\$ (10,659)	\$ (11,560)	\$ 707,092
Equity(2)	177,993	—	(2,766)	18,123	—	(10,077)	11,560	194,833
Equity Warrant	1,339	—	—	—	—	(606)	—	733
	<u>\$ 1,027,597</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ (183,693)</u>	<u>\$ 75,866</u>	<u>\$ 4,230</u>	<u>\$ (21,342)</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 902,658</u>

- (1) Includes the impact of non-cash conversions. These transactions represent non-cash investing activities. See additional cash flow information at the consolidated statements of cash flows.
(2) Includes the Company's investment in the Signal CLO subordinated notes. (See Note D — *Investment in Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd.*)

At September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company's investments were categorized as follows in the fair value hierarchy for ASC 820 purposes:

	Fair Value	Fair Value Measurements (in thousands)		
		Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
At September 30, 2021				
Private Loan portfolio investments	\$ 501,463	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 501,463
LMM portfolio investments	265,197	—	—	265,197
Middle Market portfolio investments	191,472	—	—	191,472
Other Portfolio investments (1)	44,148	—	—	44,148
Total investments	<u>\$ 1,002,280</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 1,002,280</u>

- (1) Includes the Company's investment in the Signal CLO subordinated notes. (See Note D — *Investment in Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd.*)

At December 31, 2020	Fair Value	Fair Value Measurements (in thousands)		
		Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets (Level 1)	Significant Other Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)
Private Loan portfolio investments	\$ 366,649	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 366,649
LMM portfolio investments	217,036	—	—	217,036
Middle Market portfolio investments	191,304	—	—	191,304
Other Portfolio investments (1)	50,533	—	—	50,533
Total investments	\$ 825,522	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 825,522

(1) Includes the Company's investment in the Signal CLO subordinated notes. (See Note D — *Investment in Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd.*)

2. Investment Portfolio Composition

The Company's Private Loan portfolio investments are primarily debt securities in privately held companies that have been originated through strategic relationships with other investment funds on a collaborative basis, and are often referred to in the debt markets as "club deals." Private Loan investments are typically similar in size, structure, terms and conditions to investments the Company holds in its LMM portfolio and Middle Market portfolio. The Company's Private Loan portfolio debt investments are generally secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company and typically have a term of between three and seven years from the original investment date.

The Company's LMM portfolio investments primarily consist of secured debt, equity warrants and direct equity investments in privately held, LMM companies based in the United States. The Company's LMM portfolio companies generally have annual revenues between \$10 million and \$150 million, and its LMM investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. The LMM debt investments are typically secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company, can include either fixed or floating rate terms and generally have a term of between five and seven years from the original investment date. In most LMM portfolio investments, the Company receives nominally priced equity warrants and/or makes direct equity investments in connection with a debt investment.

The Company's Middle Market portfolio investments primarily consist of direct investments in or secondary purchases of interest-bearing debt securities in privately held companies based in the United States that are generally larger in size than the companies included in the Company's LMM portfolio. The Company's Middle Market portfolio companies generally have annual revenues between \$150 million and \$1.5 billion, and its Middle Market investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. The Company's Middle Market portfolio debt investments are generally secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company and typically have a term of between three and seven years from the original investment date.

The Company's Other Portfolio investments primarily consist of investments that are not consistent with the typical profiles for its LMM, Middle Market or Private Loan portfolio investments, including investments which may be managed by third parties. In the Other Portfolio, the Company may incur indirect fees and expenses in connection with investments managed by third parties, such as investments in other investment companies or private funds. For Other Portfolio investments, the Company generally receives distributions related to the assets held by the portfolio company. Those assets are typically expected to be liquidated over a five to ten-year period.

Investment income, consisting of interest, dividends and fees, can fluctuate dramatically due to various factors, including the level of new investment activity, repayments of debt investments or sales of equity interests. Investment income in any given year could also be highly concentrated among several portfolio companies. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company did not record investment income from any single portfolio company in excess of 10% of total investment income.

The following tables provide a summary of the Company's investments in the LMM, Middle Market and Private Loan portfolios as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 (this information excludes the Other Portfolio investments which are discussed further below):

	As of September 30, 2021		
	LMM (a)	Middle Market (dollars in millions)	Private Loan
Number of portfolio companies	39	26	51
Fair value	\$ 265.2	\$ 191.5	\$ 501.5
Cost	\$ 231.9	\$ 210.8	\$ 507.5
Debt investments as a % of portfolio (at cost)	69.8 %	94.2 %	93.4 %
Equity investments as a % of portfolio (at cost)	30.2 %	5.8 %	6.6 %
% of debt investments at cost secured by first priority lien	99.8 %	99.0 %	97.8 %
Weighted-average annual effective yield (b)	10.8 %	7.6 %	8.6 %
Average EBITDA(c)	\$ 7.0	\$ 92.2	\$ 37.2

- (a) At September 30, 2021, the Company had equity ownership in approximately 97% of its LMM portfolio companies, and the average fully diluted equity ownership in those portfolio companies was approximately 9%.
- (b) The weighted average annual effective yields were computed using the effective interest rates for all debt investments at cost as of September 30, 2021, including amortization of deferred debt origination fees and accretion of original issue discount but excluding fees payable upon repayment of the debt instruments and any debt investments on non-accrual status. The weighted-average annual effective yield on the Company's debt portfolio as of September 30, 2021 including debt investments on non-accrual status was 10.4% for its LMM portfolio, 7.1% for its Middle Market portfolio and 8.5% for its Private Loan portfolio. The weighted-average annual effective yield is not reflective of what an investor in shares of the Company's common stock will realize on its investment because it does not reflect the Company's expenses or any sales load paid by an investor.
- (c) The average EBITDA is calculated using a simple average for the LMM portfolio and a weighted-average for the Middle Market and Private Loan portfolios. These calculations exclude certain portfolio companies, including two Private Loan portfolio companies, as EBITDA is not a meaningful valuation metric for the Company's investments in these portfolio companies, and those portfolio companies whose primary purpose is to own real estate.

	As of December 31, 2020		
	LMM (a)	Middle Market (dollars in millions)	Private Loan
Number of portfolio companies	34	28	40
Fair value	\$ 217.0	\$ 191.3	\$ 366.6
Cost	\$ 191.2	\$ 216.4	\$ 378.2
Debt investments as a % of portfolio (at cost)	66.0 %	93.5 %	91.4 %
Equity investments as a % of portfolio (at cost)	34.0 %	6.5 %	8.6 %
% of debt investments at cost secured by first priority lien	99.7 %	90.6 %	91.3 %
Weighted-average annual effective yield (b)	11.1 %	8.2 %	9.2 %
Average EBITDA (c)	\$ 6.2	\$ 78.5	\$ 54.1

- (a) At December 31, 2020, the Company had equity ownership in approximately 97% of its LMM portfolio companies, and the average fully diluted equity ownership in those portfolio companies was approximately 10%.
- (b) The weighted-average annual effective yields were computed using the effective interest rates for all debt investments at cost as of December 31, 2020, including amortization of deferred debt origination fees and accretion of original issue discount but excluding fees payable upon repayment of the debt instruments and any debt investments on non-accrual status. The weighted-average annual effective yield on the Company's debt portfolio as of December 31, 2020 including debt investments on non-accrual status was 10.4% for its LMM portfolio, 8.2% for its Middle Market portfolio and 9.2% for its Private Loan portfolio. The weighted-average annual effective yield is not reflective of what an investor in shares of the Company's common stock will realize on its investment because it does not reflect the Company's expenses or any sales load paid by an investor.

- (c) The average EBITDA is calculated using a simple average for the LMM portfolio and a weighted-average for the Middle Market and Private Loan portfolios. These calculations exclude certain portfolio companies, including three LMM portfolio companies, one Middle Market portfolio company and four Private Loan portfolio companies, as EBITDA is not a meaningful valuation metric for the Company's investments in these portfolio companies, and those portfolio companies whose primary purpose is to own real estate.

For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company achieved an annualized total return on investments of 17.0% and 25.1%, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company achieved an annualized total return on investments of 17.9% and 16.9%, respectively. Total return on investments is calculated using the interest, dividend, and fee income, as well as the realized and unrealized change in fair value of the Investment Portfolio for the specified period. The Company's total return on investments is not reflective of what an investor in shares of the Company's common stock will realize on its investment because it does not reflect the Company's expenses or any sales load paid by an investor.

As of September 30, 2021, the Company had Other Portfolio investments in five companies, collectively totaling approximately \$44.1 million in fair value and approximately \$46.8 million in cost basis and which comprised approximately 4.4% and 4.7% of the Company's Investment Portfolio at fair value and cost, respectively. As of December 31, 2020, the Company had Other Portfolio investments in five companies, collectively totaling approximately \$50.5 million in fair value and approximately \$54.9 million in cost basis and which comprised approximately 6.1% and 6.5% of the Company's Investment Portfolio at fair value and cost, respectively.

The following tables summarize the composition of the Company's total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments at cost and fair value by type of investment as a percentage of the total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments, as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 (this information excludes the Other Portfolio investments, which are discussed above).

Cost:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
First lien debt	86.6 %	79.5 %
Equity	11.9 %	13.9 %
Second lien debt	1.0 %	4.6 %
Equity warrants	0.2 %	0.2 %
Other	0.3 %	1.8 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>
Fair Value:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
First lien debt	82.6 %	76.0 %
Equity	16.0 %	17.3 %
Second lien debt	1.0 %	4.6 %
Equity warrants	0.1 %	0.3 %
Other	0.3 %	1.8 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>

The following tables summarize the composition of the Company's total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments by geographic region of the United States and other countries at cost and fair value as a percentage of the total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments, as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 (this information excludes the Other Portfolio investments). The geographic composition is determined by the location of the corporate headquarters of the portfolio company.

Cost:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Southwest	26.0 %	24.9 %
Northeast	20.5 %	18.9 %
Southeast	20.1 %	18.8 %
West	19.7 %	17.5 %
Midwest	12.7 %	18.2 %
Canada	1.0 %	1.7 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>

Fair Value:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Southwest	27.9 %	25.7 %
Northeast	20.6 %	19.2 %
West	18.6 %	16.3 %
Southeast	18.2 %	17.1 %
Midwest	13.8 %	20.1 %
Canada	0.9 %	1.6 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>

The Company's LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments are in companies conducting business in a variety of industries. The following tables summarize the composition of the Company's total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments by industry at cost and fair value as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 (this information excludes the Other Portfolio investments).

Cost:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Commercial Services & Supplies	8.0 %	8.1 %
Internet Software & Services	7.1 %	5.4 %
Machinery	5.5 %	6.5 %
IT Services	5.1 %	4.0 %
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	5.1 %	7.0 %
Diversified Telecommunication Services	4.9 %	5.4 %
Specialty Retail	4.8 %	4.5 %
Health Care Providers & Services	4.4 %	3.4 %
Leisure Equipment & Products	4.2 %	3.5 %
Communications Equipment	4.1 %	5.7 %
Aerospace & Defense	4.1 %	8.4 %
Construction & Engineering	3.8 %	3.4 %
Professional Services	3.2 %	2.2 %
Diversified Consumer Services	2.9 %	0.7 %
Containers & Packaging	2.8 %	1.6 %
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	2.6 %	3.1 %
Building Products	2.5 %	0.6 %
Diversified Financial Services	2.5 %	3.1 %
Distributors	2.4 %	3.1 %
Energy Equipment & Services	1.6 %	0.9 %
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods	1.6 %	0.9 %
Software	1.5 %	1.2 %
Media	1.5 %	2.5 %
Transportation Infrastructure	1.5 %	2.6 %
Food Products	1.3 %	0.7 %
Food & Staples Retailing	1.3 %	1.5 %
Internet & Catalog Retail	1.2 %	1.5 %
Trading Companies & Distributors	1.1 %	1.6 %
Household Products	1.1 %	— %
Computers & Peripherals	1.0 %	1.1 %
Electrical Equipment	1.0 %	0.4 %
Air Freight & Logistics	1.0 %	1.1 %
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components	0.8 %	1.5 %
Other (1)	2.5 %	2.8 %
	100.0 %	100.0 %

(1) Includes various industries with each industry individually less than 1.0% of the total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments at each date.

Fair Value:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Commercial Services & Supplies	7.8 %	7.9 %
Machinery	7.0 %	8.5 %
Internet Software & Services	6.6 %	4.8 %
IT Services	5.1 %	4.0 %
Diversified Telecommunication Services	4.9 %	5.2 %
Specialty Retail	4.8 %	4.1 %
Construction & Engineering	4.4 %	4.1 %
Health Care Providers & Services	4.4 %	3.6 %
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	4.4 %	6.1 %
Leisure Equipment & Products	4.3 %	3.5 %
Aerospace & Defense	3.9 %	8.5 %
Diversified Consumer Services	3.5 %	0.9 %
Containers & Packaging	3.1 %	1.8 %
Communications Equipment	2.9 %	4.6 %
Diversified Financial Services	2.6 %	3.3 %
Building Products	2.6 %	0.7 %
Distributors	2.5 %	3.1 %
Professional Services	2.3 %	1.2 %
Software	2.1 %	1.7 %
Computers & Peripherals	2.0 %	2.3 %
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	1.7 %	2.1 %
Textiles, Apparel & Luxury Goods	1.6 %	0.8 %
Media	1.5 %	2.7 %
Transportation Infrastructure	1.5 %	2.7 %
Food & Staples Retailing	1.3 %	1.6 %
Energy Equipment & Services	1.2 %	0.5 %
Food Products	1.2 %	0.4 %
Construction Materials	1.2 %	1.3 %
Internet & Catalog Retail	1.2 %	1.4 %
Trading Companies & Distributors	1.1 %	1.6 %
Air Freight & Logistics	1.1 %	1.2 %
Household Products	1.1 %	— %
Electrical Equipment	1.0 %	0.5 %
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components	0.4 %	1.2 %
Other (1)	1.7 %	2.1 %
	100.0 %	100.0 %

(1) Includes various industries with each industry individually less than 1.0% of the total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments at each date.

At September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company had no portfolio investment that was greater than 10% of the Investment Portfolio at fair value.

3. Unconsolidated Significant Subsidiaries

In evaluating its unconsolidated controlled portfolio companies in accordance with Regulation S-X, there are two tests that the Company must utilize to determine if any of the Company's Control Investments (as defined in Note A, including those unconsolidated portfolio companies defined as Control Investments in which the Company does not own greater than 50% of the voting securities or maintain greater than 50% of the board representation) are considered significant subsidiaries: the investment test and the income test. The investment test is generally measured by dividing the Company's investment in the Control Investment by the value of the Company's total investments. The income test is generally measured by dividing the absolute value of the combined sum of total investment income, net realized gain (loss) and net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) from the relevant Control Investment for the period being tested by the absolute value of the Company's change in net assets resulting from operations for the same period.

Regulation S-X requires the Company to include (1) separate audited financial statements of an unconsolidated majority-owned subsidiary (Control Investments in which the Company owns greater than 50% of the voting securities) in an annual report and (2) summarized financial information of a Control Investment in a quarterly report, respectively, if certain thresholds of the investment or income tests are exceeded and the unconsolidated portfolio company qualifies as a significant subsidiary.

As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, the Company had no single investment that qualified as a significant subsidiary under either the investment or income tests.

NOTE D – INVESTMENT IN SIGNAL PEAK CLO 7, LTD.

On April 4, 2017, the Company and ORIX Funds Corp. (“Orix”) entered into a limited liability company agreement to co-manage HMS-ORIX SLF LLC (“HMS-ORIX”), which invested primarily in broadly-syndicated loans. Pursuant to the terms of the limited liability agreement and through representation on the HMS-ORIX Board of Managers, the Company and Orix each had 50% voting control of HMS-ORIX and together were required to agree on all portfolio and investment decisions as well as all other significant actions for HMS-ORIX. The Company did not have sole control of significant actions of HMS-ORIX and, accordingly, did not consolidate the operations of HMS-ORIX within the consolidated financial statements. The Company and Orix funded an aggregate of \$50.0 million of equity to HMS-ORIX, with the Company providing \$30.0 million (60% of the equity) and Orix providing \$20.0 million (40% of the equity).

On May 8, 2019, HMS-ORIX Holdings I LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of HMS-ORIX, which held all of the investments in broadly-syndicated loans held by HMS-ORIX, was merged (the “HMS-ORIX Holdings Merger”) into Mariner CLO 7, Ltd., an exempted company incorporated under the laws of the Cayman Islands (“Mariner CLO”). In connection with the HMS-ORIX Holdings Merger, HMS-ORIX made certain distributions to its members. The Company used the cash proceeds it received from the HMS-ORIX Holdings Merger to purchase an aggregate principal amount of approximately \$25.9 million of the “Subordinated Notes” (the equity tranche of the CLO’s securities) due in 2032 issued by Mariner CLO in connection with an offering of \$405.9 million aggregate principal amount of notes. After distribution to its members of residual cash remaining after the HMS-ORIX Holdings Merger, HMS-ORIX was fully liquidated on September 26, 2019. On October 8, 2020, Mariner CLO changed its name to Signal Peak CLO 7, Ltd. (“Signal Peak CLO”).

During the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, the Company recognized approximately \$0.9 million and \$0.5 million of interest income in respect of its investment in Signal Peak CLO. During the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, the Company recognized approximately \$2.2 million and \$1.5 million of interest income in respect of its investment in Signal Peak CLO.

NOTE E—DEBT

Summary of debt as of September 30, 2021 is as follows:

	Outstanding Balance	Unamortized Debt Issuance Costs	Recorded Value	Estimated Fair Value (1)
(dollars in thousands)				
TIAA Credit Facility	\$ 93,000	\$ (1,230)	\$ 91,770	\$ 91,770
JPM SPV Facility	260,688	(2,745)	257,943	257,943
Main Street Term Loan	60,000	(346)	59,654	59,654
Total Debt	<u>\$ 413,688</u>	<u>\$ (4,321)</u>	<u>\$ 409,367</u>	<u>\$ 409,367</u>

(1) Estimated fair value for outstanding debt if the Company had adopted the fair value option under ASC 825.

Summary of debt as of December 31, 2020 is as follows:

	<u>Outstanding Balance</u>	<u>Unamortized Debt Issuance Costs</u>	<u>Recorded Value</u>	<u>Estimated Fair Value (1)</u>
	(dollars in thousands)			
TIAA Credit Facility	\$ 44,000	\$ (491)	\$ 43,509	\$ 43,509
Deutsche Bank Credit Facility	257,816	(2,200)	255,616	255,616
Total Debt	<u>\$ 301,816</u>	<u>\$ (2,691)</u>	<u>\$ 299,125</u>	<u>\$ 299,125</u>

(1) Estimated fair value for outstanding debt if the Company had adopted the fair value option under ASC 825.

Summarized interest expense on the Company's debt for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 is as follows:

	<u>Three Months Ended September 30,</u>		<u>Nine Months Ended September 30,</u>	
	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
	(dollars in thousands)			
TIAA Credit Facility	\$ 751	\$ 735	\$ 1,706	\$ 2,681
Deutsche Bank Credit Facility	—	3,265	1,046	10,822
JPM SPV Facility	2,257	—	5,830	—
Main Street Term Loan	751	—	1,641	—
Total Interest Expense	<u>\$ 3,759</u>	<u>\$ 4,000</u>	<u>\$ 10,223</u>	<u>\$ 13,503</u>

1. TIAA Credit Facility

The Company is a party to a senior secured revolving credit agreement dated March 6, 2017 (as amended, the "TIAA Credit Facility") with TIAA, FSB ("TIAA Bank"), as administrative agent, and with TIAA Bank and other financial institutions as lenders. On September 22, 2021, the Company entered into an amendment to the credit agreement governing the TIAA Credit Facility which included the following modifications to the existing TIAA Credit Facility:

- increased total commitments from \$130.0 million to \$165.0 million, while maintaining an expanded accordion feature that allows for an increase up to \$200.0 million of total commitments from new and existing lenders on the same terms and conditions as the existing commitments,
- extended the revolving period and the maturity date to September 1, 2025 and March 1, 2026, respectively, while maintaining two, one-year extension options with lender approval,
- reduced interest rate for borrowings to (i) applicable LIBOR plus 2.40% from LIBOR plus 2.60% and (ii) base rate plus 1.40% from base rate plus 1.60%, as applicable,
- reduced the Asset Coverage Ratio requirement to 2.00:1.00 from 2.10:1.00, and
- and allows for additional unsecured debt, subject to specific terms.

Borrowings under the TIAA Credit Facility bear interest, subject to the Company's election, on a per annum basis at a rate equal to (i) LIBOR plus 2.40% or (ii) the base rate plus 1.40%. The base rate is defined as the higher of (a) the prime rate, (b) the Federal Funds Rate (as defined in the credit agreement) plus 0.5% or (c) LIBOR plus 1.0%. Additionally, the Company pays an annual unused commitment fee of 0.30% on the unused revolver commitments if more than 50% or more of the revolver commitments are being used and an annual unused commitment fee of 0.625% on the unused revolver commitments if less than 50% of the revolver commitments are being used.

The TIAA Credit Facility permits the creation of certain “Structured Subsidiaries,” which are not guarantors under the TIAA Credit Facility and which are permitted to incur debt outside of the TIAA Credit Facility. Borrowings under the TIAA Credit Facility are secured by all of the Company’s assets, other than the assets of Structured Subsidiaries, or immaterial subsidiaries, as well as all of the assets, and a pledge of equity ownership interests, of any future subsidiaries of the Company (other than Structured Subsidiaries or immaterial subsidiaries). The TIAA Credit Facility contains affirmative and negative covenants usual and customary for credit facilities of this nature, including: (i) maintaining a minimum interest coverage ratio of at least 2.00 to 1.00; (ii) maintaining an asset coverage ratio of at least 2.00 to 1.00; and (iii) maintaining a minimum consolidated tangible net worth, excluding Structured Subsidiaries, of at least the greater of (a) the aggregate amount of the revolver commitments or (b) \$50.0 million. Further, the TIAA Credit Facility contains limitations on incurrence of other indebtedness (other than by the Structured Subsidiaries), limitations on industry concentration, and an anti-hoarding provision to protect the collateral under the TIAA Credit Facility. Additionally, the Company must provide information to TIAA Bank on a regular basis, preserve its corporate existence, comply with applicable laws, including the 1940 Act, pay obligations when they become due, and invest the proceeds of the sales of common stock in accordance with its investment objectives and strategies (as set forth in the TIAA Credit Facility). Further, the credit agreement contains usual and customary default provisions including: (i) a default in the payment of interest and principal; (ii) insolvency or bankruptcy of the Company; (iii) a material adverse change in the Company’s business; or (iv) breach of any covenant, representation or warranty in the loan agreement or other credit documents and failure to cure such breach within defined periods. Additionally, the TIAA Credit Facility requires the Company to obtain written approval from the administrative agent prior to entering into any material amendment, waiver or other modification of any provision of the Investment Advisory Agreement.

As of September 30, 2021, the interest rate on the TIAA Credit Facility was 2.49%. The average cost of borrowings on the TIAA Credit Facility, excluding amortization of deferred financing costs and unused fees, was approximately 2.67% and 2.95% per annum for the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively. The average costs of borrowings was approximately 2.71% and 3.66% per annum for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively. As of September 30, 2021, the Company was not aware of any instances of noncompliance with covenants related to the TIAA Credit Facility.

2. JPM SPV Facility

On February 3, 2021, MSIF Funding, the Company’s wholly-owned subsidiary that primarily holds originated loan investments, entered into a senior secured revolving credit facility (as amended from time to time, the “JPM SPV Facility”) by and among JPMorgan Chase Bank, National Association (“JPM”), as administrative agent, and U.S. Bank, N.A., as collateral agent and collateral administrator and the Company as portfolio manager. The revolving period under the JPM SPV Facility expires on February 3, 2024 and the JPM SPV Facility is scheduled to mature on February 3, 2025. Advances under the JPM SPV Facility bear interest at a per annum rate equal to the three-month LIBOR in effect, plus the applicable margin of 2.90% per annum. MSIF Funding will also pay a commitment fee of 0.75% per annum on the average daily unused amount of the financing commitments until the third anniversary of the JPM SPV Facility. The initial commitment amount of the JPM SPV Facility is \$300 million. The JPM SPV Facility has an accordion feature, subject to the satisfaction of various conditions, which could bring total commitments and borrowing availability under the JPM SPV Facility to up to \$450 million.

Initial proceeds from borrowings under the JPM SPV Facility were used to purchase certain investments and participating interest from HMS Funding. HMS Funding, in turn, used the proceeds from these transactions and restricted cash to fully repay its existing indebtedness under the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility (as defined below). Concurrently, the Company and HMS Funding extinguished the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility and transferred certain portfolio investments previously held by HMS Funding to MSIF Funding. The Deutsche Bank Credit Facility had been in an amortization period, requiring that all principal and interest payments received on investments held by HMS Funding be paid to lenders to retire the outstanding balance under the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility, since April 2020.

As of September 30, 2021, the interest rate on the JPM SPV Facility, excluding amortization of deferred financing costs and unused fees, was 3.04%. The average cost of borrowings on the JPM SPV Facility, excluding amortization of deferred financing costs and unused fees, was approximately 3.04% and 3.08% per annum for the three months and nine months ended September 30, 2021, respectively. As of September 30, 2021, the Company was not aware of any instances of noncompliance with covenants related to the JPM SPV Facility.

3. Deutsche Bank Credit Facility

On May 18, 2015, HMS Funding entered into an amended and restated credit agreement (as amended, the “Deutsche Bank Credit Facility”) among HMS Funding, as borrower, the Company, as equity holder and as servicer, Deutsche Bank AG, New York Branch (“Deutsche Bank”), as administrative agent, the financial institutions party thereto as lenders (together with Deutsche Bank, the “HMS Funding Lenders”), and U.S. Bank National Association, as collateral agent and collateral custodian. On April 24, 2020, the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility was amended to, among other things, terminate the revolver commitments effective on April 24, 2020 and begin the amortization period, through November 20, 2022, the maturity date. On February 3, 2021, the total amount outstanding on the facility under the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility was fully repaid. As a result, the Company recorded a loss on the extinguishment of debt in the amount of \$2.1 million, which represented the write-off of the unamortized deferred financing fees related to the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility.

For the three months ended September 30, 2020, the average cost of borrowings on the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility, excluding amortization of deferred financing costs, was approximately 4.01% per annum. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the average cost of borrowings on the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility was approximately 2.93% and 4.29% per annum, respectively.

4. Main Street Term Loan

On January 27, 2021, the Company entered into a term loan agreement (the “Main Street Term Loan”) with Main Street, which initially provided for an aggregate principal amount of \$40.0 million in borrowings. The Company paid a 1.0% upfront fee to Main Street on the closing date.

On July 27, 2021, the Company entered into an amendment to the Main Street Term Loan that allowed the Company to initially draw an additional \$20.0 million, with another \$15.0 million available to be drawn in two separate \$7.5 million tranches (each a “Delayed Draw Term Loan”) at a later date. Following the amendment, as of September 30, 2021, the aggregate principal amount outstanding under the Main Street Term Loan was \$60.0 million bearing interest at a fixed rate of 5.00% per annum and maturing on January 27, 2026.

Borrowings under the Main Street Term Loan were expressly subordinated and junior in right of payment to all secured indebtedness of the Company. As of September 30, 2021, the Company was not aware of any instances of noncompliance with covenants related to the Main Street Term Loan. On October 22, 2021, the Company fully repaid all borrowings outstanding under the Main Street Term Loan and the Main Street Term Loan was terminated. See Note – E Debt and Note K – Subsequent Events for further discussion.

NOTE F—FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

Per Share Data:	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020
NAV at the beginning of the period	\$ 7.28	\$ 7.77
Net investment income(1)	0.49	0.43
Net realized loss(1)(2)	(0.08)	(0.45)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)(2)	0.25	(0.29)
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations(1)	0.66	(0.31)
Dividends paid(1)(3)	(0.38)	(0.35)
Other(4)	(0.01)	(0.01)
NAV at the end of the period	\$ 7.56	\$ 7.10
Shares of common stock outstanding at end of period	79,756,378	79,608,304
Weighted-average shares of common stock outstanding	79,831,292	79,079,204

(1) Based on weighted-average number of common shares outstanding for the period.

(2) Net realized gains or losses, net unrealized appreciation or depreciation, and income taxes can fluctuate significantly from period to period.

- (3) Dividends paid represent the stockholder distributions declared during the period.
- (4) Includes the impact of the different share amounts as a result of calculating per share data based on the weighted-average basic shares outstanding during the period and certain per share data based on the shares outstanding as of a period end or transaction date.

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020
	(dollars in thousands)	
NAV at end of period	\$ 603,349	\$ 565,141
Average NAV	\$ 591,476	\$ 551,821
Average outstanding debt	\$ 293,110	\$ 402,009
Ratios to average net assets:		
Ratio of operating expenses to average NAV(1)(2)	4.43 %	5.70 %
Ratio of operating expenses excluding interest expense to NAV(1)(2)	2.70 %	3.21 %
Ratio of net investment income to average NAV(2)	6.65 %	6.22 %
Portfolio turnover ratio(2)	19.99 %	16.00 %
Total return based on change in NAV(2)(3)	9.00 %	(4.12)%

- (1) Total expenses are the sum of operating expenses and net income tax provision/benefit. Net income tax provision/benefit includes the accrual of net deferred tax provision/benefit relating to the net unrealized appreciation/depreciation on portfolio investments held in Taxable Subsidiaries and due to the change in the loss carryforwards, which are non-cash in nature and may vary significantly from period to period. The Company is required to include net deferred tax provision/benefit in calculating its total expenses even though these net deferred taxes are not currently payable/receivable.
- (2) Not annualized.
- (3) Total return is based on change in net asset value as calculated using the sum of ending net asset value plus dividends to stockholders and other non-operating changes during the period, as divided by the beginning net asset value. Non-operating changes include any items that affect net asset value other than the net increase in net assets resulting from operations, such as the effects of stock offerings, shares issued under the dividend reinvestment plan and other miscellaneous items.

NOTE G—DIVIDENDS, DISTRIBUTIONS AND TAXABLE INCOME

The Company currently pays quarterly dividends to its stockholders. Future quarterly dividends, if any, will be determined by its Board of Directors on a quarterly basis. The Company paid dividends of \$10.0 million, or \$0.125 per share, during the three months ended September 30, 2021, and \$17.9 million, or \$0.225 per share, during the nine months ended September 30, 2021, compared to no dividends paid during the three months ended September 30, 2020, and \$27.5 million, or \$0.350 per share, during the nine months ended September 30, 2020.

The Company has elected to be treated for U.S. federal income tax purposes as a RIC. The Company’s taxable income includes the taxable income generated by the Company and certain of its subsidiaries which are treated as disregarded entities for tax purposes. As a RIC, the Company generally will not pay corporate-level U.S. federal income taxes on any net ordinary taxable income or capital gains that the Company distributes to its stockholders. The Company must generally distribute at least 90% of its “investment company taxable income” (which is generally its net ordinary taxable income and realized net short-term capital gains in excess of realized net long-term capital losses) and 90% of its tax-exempt income to maintain its RIC status (pass-through tax treatment for amounts distributed). As part of maintaining RIC status, undistributed taxable income (subject to a 4% non-deductible U.S. federal excise tax) pertaining to a given fiscal year may be distributed up to 12 months subsequent to the end of that fiscal year, provided such dividends are declared on or prior to the later of (i) filing of the U.S. federal income tax return for the applicable fiscal year or (ii) the fifteenth day of the ninth month following the close of the year in which such taxable income was generated.

The determination of the tax attributes for the Company’s distributions is made annually, based upon its taxable income for the full year and distributions paid for the full year. Therefore, a determination made on an interim basis may not be representative of the actual tax attributes of distributions for a full year. Ordinary dividend distributions from a RIC do not qualify for the 20% maximum tax rate (plus a 3.8% Medicare surtax, if applicable) on dividend income from domestic corporations and qualified foreign corporations, except to the extent that the RIC received the income in the form of qualifying dividends from domestic corporations and qualified foreign corporations. The tax attributes for distributions will generally include both ordinary income and qualified dividends, but may also include either one or both of capital gains and return of capital.

Listed below is a reconciliation of “Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations” to taxable income and to total distributions declared to common stockholders for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020.

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020
	(estimated,	
	dollars in thousands)	
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 52,448	\$ (24,245)
Net unrealized (appreciation) depreciation	(20,363)	23,017
Income tax provision	1,283	192
Pre-tax book (income) loss not consolidated for tax purposes	(10,763)	31,317
Book income (loss) and tax income differences, including debt origination, structuring fees, dividends, realized gains and changes in estimates	3,437	893
Estimated taxable income ⁽¹⁾	26,042	31,174
Taxable income earned in prior year and carried forward for distribution in current year	29,173	16,796
Taxable income earned prior to period end and carried forward for distribution next period	(37,290)	(20,450)
Dividend accrued as of period end and paid-in the following period	11,964	-
Taxable income earned to be carried forward	(25,326)	(20,450)
Total distributions accrued or paid to common stockholders	\$ 29,889	\$ 27,520

(1) The Company’s taxable income for each period is an estimate and will not be finally determined until the Company files its tax return for each year. Therefore, the final taxable income, and the taxable income earned in each period and carried forward for distribution in the following period, may be different than this estimate.

The Taxable Subsidiaries primarily hold certain portfolio investments for MSC Income Fund. The Taxable Subsidiaries permit MSC Income Fund to hold equity investments in portfolio companies which are “pass-through” entities for tax purposes and to continue to comply with the “source-of-income” requirements contained in the RIC tax provisions of the Code. The Taxable Subsidiaries are consolidated with MSC Income Fund for U.S. GAAP financial reporting purposes, and the portfolio investments held by the Taxable Subsidiaries are included in the Company’s consolidated financial statements as portfolio investments and recorded at fair value. The Taxable Subsidiaries are not consolidated with the Company for income tax purposes and may generate income tax expense, or benefit, and tax assets and liabilities, as a result of their ownership of certain portfolio investments. The taxable income, or loss, of the Taxable Subsidiaries may differ from their book income, or loss, due to temporary book and tax timing differences and permanent differences. The Taxable Subsidiaries are each taxed at their normal corporate tax rates based on their taxable income. The income tax expense, or benefit, if any, and the related tax assets and liabilities, of the Taxable Subsidiaries are reflected in The Company’s consolidated financial statements.

The income tax expense (benefit) for the Company is generally composed of (i) deferred tax expense (benefit), which is primarily the result of the net activity relating to the portfolio investments held in the Taxable Subsidiaries, including changes in loss carryforwards, changes in net unrealized appreciation or depreciation and other temporary book tax differences, and (ii) current tax expense, which is primarily the result of current U.S. federal income and state taxes and excise taxes on the Company’s estimated undistributed taxable income. The income tax expense, or benefit, and the related tax asset and liabilities generated by the Taxable Subsidiaries, if any, are reflected in the Company’s

consolidated statement of operations. The Company's provision for income taxes was comprised of the following for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020 (amounts in thousands):

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
Current tax expense (benefit):				
Federal	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —
State	82	97	251	192
Excise	371	—	1,032	—
Total current tax expense (benefit)	453	97	1,283	192
Deferred tax expense (benefit):				
Federal	—	—	—	—
State	—	—	—	—
Total deferred tax expense (benefit)	—	—	—	—
Total income tax provision (benefit)	\$ 453	\$ 97	\$ 1,283	\$ 192

The net deferred tax liability at September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 was \$0. Deferred tax asset and liability balances primarily related to net unrealized appreciation or depreciation, loss carryforwards, and other temporary book-tax differences relating to portfolio investments held by the Taxable Subsidiaries. The Company recorded a valuation allowance to reduce the carrying value of deferred tax assets to the amount that more likely than not can be realized. At September 30, 2021, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the Taxable Subsidiaries had net operating loss carryforwards from prior years which, if unused, will expire in various taxable years from 2034 through 2037. Any net operating losses generated in 2018 and future periods are not subject to expiration and will carryforward indefinitely until utilized. The net capital loss carryforwards of the Company will expire in taxable years 2021 through 2025. The timing and manner in which the Company will utilize any loss carryforwards in such taxable years, or in total, may be limited in the future under the provisions of the Code. Additionally, the Taxable Subsidiaries have interest expense limitation carryforwards which have an indefinite carryforward period.

NOTE H—SHARE REPURCHASE PROGRAM

Prior to March 31, 2020, the Company historically conducted quarterly tender offers pursuant to its share repurchase program. On March 31, 2020, the Company's Board of Directors unanimously approved a temporary suspension of the Company's share repurchase program commencing with the second quarter of 2020. The Board of Directors determined that it was in the best interest of the Company to suspend the share repurchase program in order to preserve financial flexibility and liquidity given the potential prolonged impact of COVID-19. From April 2020 through March 2021, the share repurchase plan remained suspended due to the impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. On March 8, 2021, the Company announced that its Board of Directors approved the reinstatement of the share repurchase program following the payment of the dividend declared by the Board of Directors for payment on April 1, 2021.

Under the terms of the reinstated share repurchase program, the Company offers to purchase shares at the estimated NAV per share, as determined within 48 hours prior to the repurchase date. The amount of shares of the Company's common stock to be repurchased during any calendar quarter may be equal to the lesser of (i) the number of shares of common stock the Company could repurchase with the proceeds it received from the issuance of common stock under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan or (ii) 2.5% of the weighted-average number of shares of common stock outstanding in the prior four calendar quarters. Upon resuming making offers to repurchase shares pursuant to the share repurchase program, the Company is currently limiting repurchase offers to the number of shares of common stock it can repurchase with 90% of the cash retained as a result of issuances of common stock under the Company's dividend reinvestment plan.

At the discretion of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company may also use cash on hand, cash available from borrowings and cash from the sale of investments as of the end of the applicable period to repurchase shares. The Company's Board of Directors may amend, suspend or terminate the share repurchase program upon 30 days' notice. Since inception of its share repurchase program, the Company has funded the repurchase of \$109.2 million in shares of common stock. For the three months ended September 30, 2021, the Company funded \$3.3 million for shares of its common stock tendered for repurchase under the plan. The share repurchase program was suspended during the second

quarter of 2020, and therefore no shares were repurchased for the three months ended September 30, 2020. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company funded \$6.2 million and \$6.1 million, respectively, for shares of its common stock tendered for repurchase under the plan.

NOTE I—COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

At September 30, 2021, the Company had the following outstanding commitments (in thousands):

<u>Investments with equity capital commitments that have not yet funded:</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Brightwood Capital Fund III, LP	\$ 1,000
Freeport First Lien Loan Fund III LP	4,032
HPEP 3, L.P.	1,555
Total Equity Commitments	\$ 6,587
<u>Investments with commitments to fund revolving loans that have not been fully drawn or term loans with additional commitments not yet funded:</u>	
Adams Publishing Group, LLC	\$ 5,000
MB2 Dental Solutions, LLC	4,874
Roof Opco, LLC	4,861
NWN Corporation	3,488
SI East, LLC	2,500
Computer Data Source, LLC	2,417
Evergreen North America Acquisitions, LLC	1,935
Lynx FBO Operating LLC	1,875
IG Parent Corporation	1,667
Mako Steel, LP	1,623
Burning Glass Intermediate Holding Company, Inc.	1,549
RA Outdoors LLC	1,235
Invincible Boat Company, LLC.	1,080
Student Resource Center, LLC	833
DTE Enterprises, LLC	750
NinjaTrader, LLC	750
GRT Rubber Technologies LLC	660
Classic H&G Holdco, LLC	650
Wall Street Prep, Inc.	500
Clickbooth.com, LLC	457
Direct Marketing Solutions, Inc.	400
Chamberlin Holding LLC	400
Cody Pools, Inc.	400
Trantech Radiator Topco, LLC	400
Colonial Electric Company LLC	400
The Affiliati Network, LLC	400
Dynamic Communities, LLC	250
American Nuts, LLC	247
Orttech Holdings, LLC	156
Hawk Ridge Systems, LLC	154
HW Temps LLC	100
Arcus Hunting LLC	96
Total Loan Commitments	\$ 42,107
Total Commitments	\$ 48,694

The Company will fund its unfunded commitments from the same sources it uses to fund its investment commitments that are funded at the time they are made (which are typically through existing cash and cash equivalents and borrowings under the Credit Facilities). The Company follows a process to manage its liquidity and ensure that it has available capital to fund its unfunded commitments as necessary. The Company had no unrealized depreciation on the outstanding unfunded commitments as of September 30, 2021.

NOTE J - RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

1. Advisory Agreements and Conditional Fee and Expense Reimbursement Waivers

Prior to October 30, 2020, the business of the Company was managed by HMS Adviser (an affiliate of Hines), pursuant to Original Investment Advisory Agreement. On October 30, 2020, the Company entered into the Investment Advisory Agreement with MSC Adviser, which includes similar terms to those contained in Original Investment Advisory Agreement with HMS Adviser. The agreements state that the respective adviser will oversee the management of the Company's activities and is responsible for making investment decisions with respect to, and providing day-to-day management and administration of, the Company's investment portfolio. Prior to October 30, 2020, the Company and HMS Adviser had engaged MSC Adviser pursuant to a sub-advisory agreement to identify, evaluate, negotiate and structure the Company's prospective investments, make investment and portfolio management recommendations for approval by HMS Adviser, monitor the Company's investment portfolio and provide certain ongoing administrative services to HMS Adviser in exchange for which HMS Adviser agreed to pay MSC Adviser 50.0% of the base management fee and incentive fees described below as compensation for its services.

Pursuant to the Original Investment Advisory Agreement, the Company paid HMS Adviser a base management fee and incentive fees as compensation for the services described above. The base management fee was calculated at an annual rate of 2.0% of the Company's average gross assets. The term "gross assets" means total assets of the Company as disclosed on the Company's balance sheet. "Average gross assets" are calculated based on the Company's gross assets at the end of the two most recently completed calendar quarters. The base management fee was payable quarterly in arrears. Under the Investment Advisory Agreement, the Company pays a 1.75% base management fee to MSC Adviser on substantially the same terms as the Original Investment Advisory Agreement. The base management fee is expensed as incurred.

The incentive fee under the Original Investment Advisory Agreement and under the Investment Advisory Agreement is the same. The incentive fees consist of two parts. The first part, referred to as the subordinated incentive fee on income, is calculated and payable quarterly in arrears based on pre-incentive fee net investment income for the immediately preceding quarter. The subordinated incentive fee on income is equal to 20.0% of the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income for the immediately preceding quarter, expressed as a quarterly rate of return on adjusted capital at the beginning of the most recently completed calendar quarter, exceeding 1.875% (or 7.5% annualized), subject to a "catch up" feature (as described below).

For this purpose, pre-incentive fee net investment income means interest income, dividend income and any other income (including any other fees such as commitment, origination, structuring, diligence and consulting fees or other fees that we receive from portfolio companies) accrued during the calendar quarter, minus our operating expenses for the quarter (including the management fee, expenses payable under any proposed administration agreement and any interest expense and dividends paid on any issued and outstanding preferred stock, but excluding the incentive fee). Pre-incentive fee net investment income includes, in the case of investments with a deferred interest feature (such as original issue discount debt instruments and PIK interest and zero coupon securities), accrued income that we have not yet received in cash. Pre-incentive fee net investment income does not include any realized capital gains, realized capital losses or unrealized capital appreciation or depreciation. For purposes of this fee, adjusted capital means cumulative gross proceeds generated from sales of the Company's common stock (including proceeds from the Company's dividend reinvestment plan) reduced for non-liquidating distributions, other than distributions of profits, paid to the Company's stockholders and amounts paid for share repurchases pursuant to the Company's share repurchase program. The subordinated incentive fee on income is expensed in the quarter in which it is incurred.

The calculation of the subordinated incentive fee on income for each quarter is as follows:

- No subordinated incentive fee on income shall be payable to MSC Adviser in any calendar quarter in which the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income does not exceed the hurdle rate of 1.875% (or 7.5% annualized) on adjusted capital;
- 100% of the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income, if any, that exceeds the hurdle rate but is less than or equal to 2.34375% in any calendar quarter (9.375% annualized) shall be payable to MSC Adviser. This portion of the subordinated incentive fee on income is referred to as the "catch up" and is

intended to provide MSC Adviser with an incentive fee of 20.0% on all of the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income as if the hurdle rate did not apply when the pre-incentive fee net investment income exceeds 2.34375% (9.375% annualized) in any calendar quarter; and

- For any quarter in which the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income exceeds 2.34375% (9.375% annualized), the subordinated incentive fee on income shall equal 20.0% of the amount of the Company's pre-incentive fee net investment income, as the hurdle rate and catch-up will have been achieved.

The second part of the incentive fee, referred to as the incentive fee on capital gains, is an incentive fee on realized capital gains earned from the portfolio of the Company and is determined and payable in arrears as of the end of each calendar year (or upon termination of the Investment Advisory Agreement). This fee equals 20.0% of the Company's incentive fee capital gains, which equals the Company's realized capital gains on a cumulative basis from inception, calculated as of the end of each calendar year, computed net of all realized capital losses and unrealized capital depreciation on a cumulative basis, less the aggregate amount of any previously paid capital gain incentive fees. At the end of each reporting period, the Company estimates the incentive fee on capital gains and accrues the fee based on a hypothetical liquidation of its portfolio. Therefore, the accrual includes both net realized gains and net unrealized gains (the net unrealized difference between the fair value and the par value of its portfolio), if any. The incentive fee accrued pertaining to the unrealized gain is neither earned nor payable to MSC Adviser until such time it is realized.

For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company incurred base management fees of approximately \$4.5 million and \$4.7 million, respectively. For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company did not incur any subordinated incentive fees on income or any capital gains incentive fees. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company incurred base management fees of approximately \$12.5 million and \$14.3 million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company did not incur any subordinated incentive fees on income or any capital gains incentive fees.

Pursuant to the Investment Advisory Agreement and the Original Investment Advisory Agreement, the Company is required to pay or reimburse MSC Adviser or its prior investment adviser, HMS Adviser, as applicable, for administrative services expenses, which include all costs and expenses related to the Company's day-to-day administration and management not related to advisory services, whether such administrative services were performed by a third party service provider or affiliates of the applicable investment adviser (to the extent performed by MSC Adviser, HMS Adviser or their affiliates, the "Internal Administrative Services"). MSC Adviser does not, and HMS Adviser did not, earn any profit under their provision of Internal Administrative Services to the Company. For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company incurred, and the Advisers, as applicable, waived 100.0% of the reimbursements of, Internal Administrative Services expenses of approximately \$1.2 million, and \$1.0 million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company incurred, and the Advisers, as applicable, waived 100.0% of the reimbursements of, Internal Administrative Services expenses of approximately \$3.2 million, and \$2.5 million, respectively. MSC Adviser also agreed to waive reimbursement of Internal Administrative Expenses from October 30, 2020 through September 30, 2021. Since inception, the Advisers waived the reimbursement of total Internal Administrative Services expenses of \$23.0 million. Waived Internal Administrative Services expenses are permanently waived and are not subject to future reimbursement.

2. Offering Costs

In accordance with the Original Investment Advisory Agreement and the Sub-Advisory Agreement, the Company reimbursed HMS Adviser for any offering costs that are paid on the Company's behalf, which consisted of, among other costs, actual legal, accounting, bona fide out-of-pocket itemized and detailed due diligence costs, printing, filing fees, transfer agent costs, postage, escrow fees, advertising and sales literature and other costs incurred in connection with an offering of the Company including the Company's dividend reinvestment plan. The Advisers were responsible for the payment of offering costs to the extent they exceeded 1.5% of the aggregate gross stock offering proceeds. Pursuant to the Transaction, HMS Adviser agreed to permanently waive reimbursement of organizational and offering expenses except for \$580,338 which remained payable to HMS Adviser. No outstanding amount was payable to MSC Adviser. As of September 30, 2021, \$525,405 of the Company's reimbursement obligation to HMS Adviser for organizational and offering expenses remained outstanding.

As of September 30, 2021, the Company has reimbursed HMS Advisers approximately \$12.8 million since inception for offering costs.

3. Main Street Term Loan

On January 27, 2021, the Company entered into the Main Street Term Loan with Main Street. As of September 30, 2021, \$60.0 million was drawn on the Main Street Term Loan, bearing interest at a fixed rate of 5.00% per annum and maturing on January 27, 2026. The Company paid a 1.0% upfront fee to Main Street on the closing date of the initial \$40.0 million drawn on the Main Street Term Loan. On July 27, 2021, the Company entered into an amendment to the Main Street Term Loan that allowed the Company to initially draw an additional \$20.0 million, and \$15.0 million to be drawn in two separate \$7.5 million tranches (each a “Delayed Draw Term Loan”) at a later date. Borrowings under the Main Street Term Loan were expressly subordinated and junior in right of payment to all secured indebtedness of the Company. On October 22, 2021, the Company fully repaid all borrowings outstanding under the Main Street Term Loan and the Main Street Term Loan was terminated. See Note E – Debt and Note K – Subsequent Events for further discussion.

NOTE K—SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On October 22, 2021, the Company and certain qualified institutional investors entered into a Master Note Purchase Agreement (the “Note Purchase Agreement”), which governs the issuance of \$150.0 million in aggregate principal amount of the Company’s 4.04% Series A Senior Notes due 2026 (the “Series A Notes”). The Series A Notes bear a fixed interest rate of 4.04% per year and will mature on October 30, 2026, unless redeemed, purchased or prepaid prior to such date by the Company in accordance with their terms. The Company issued \$77.5 million of Series A Notes up entering into the Note Purchase Agreement, and will issue an additional \$72.5 million in January 2022. Proceeds from the initial issuance were primarily used to fully repay the \$60.0 million of the principal amount outstanding under the Main Street Term Loan plus accrued interest and fees, in connection with which the Main Street Term Loan was terminated.

Interest on the Series A Notes will be due semiannually on April 30 and October 30 each year, beginning on April 30, 2022. The Series A Notes may be redeemed in whole or in part at any time or from time to time at the Company’s option at par plus accrued interest to the prepayment date and, if applicable, a make-whole premium. In addition, the Company is obligated to offer to prepay the Series A Notes at par plus accrued and unpaid interest up to, but excluding, the date of prepayment, if certain change in control events occur. The Series A Notes are general unsecured obligations of the Company that rank *pari passu* with all outstanding and future unsecured unsubordinated indebtedness issued by the Company.

The Note Purchase Agreement contains customary terms and conditions for senior unsecured notes issued in a private placement, including, without limitation, affirmative and negative covenants such as information reporting, maintenance of the Company’s status as a BDC within the meaning of the 1940 Act, a minimum asset coverage ratio of 2.00 to 1.00, subject to reduction to 1.50 to 1.00 upon the Company obtaining the approval required under the 1940 Act, a minimum interest coverage ratio of 2.00 to 1.00, which may be reduced to 1.25 to 1.00 under certain conditions, and minimum unsecured debt coverage ratio of 1.25 to 1.00. In addition, in the event that a Below Investment Grade Event (as defined in the Note Purchase Agreement) occurs, the Series A Notes will bear interest at a fixed rate of 5.04% per year from the date of the occurrence of the Below Investment Grade Event to and until the date on which the Below Investment Grade Event is no longer continuing.

The Note Purchase Agreement also contains customary events of default with customary cure and notice periods, including, without limitation, nonpayment, incorrect representation in any material respect, breach of covenant, cross-default under other indebtedness of the Company or subsidiary guarantors subject to a cure pass-through, certain judgments and orders and certain events of bankruptcy.

On November 1, 2021, the Company repurchased 511,026 shares of its common stock validly tendered and not withdrawn on the terms set forth in the tender offer statement on Schedule TO and Offer to Purchase filed with the SEC on September 13, 2021. The shares were repurchased at a price of \$7.60 per share, which was the Company’s net asset value per share as of November 1, 2021, for an aggregate purchase price of \$3.9 million (an amount equal to 90% of the

proceeds the Company received from the issuance of shares under the Company’s distribution reinvestment plan from the November 1, 2021 dividend payment).

On November 11, 2021, our Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.15 per share payable February 1, 2022 to stockholders of record as of December 31, 2021.

Schedule 12-14

MSC Income Fund, Inc.
Consolidated Schedule of Investments In and Advances to Affiliates
September 30, 2021
(dollars in thousands)
(unaudited)

Company	Investment(1)(10)(11)	Geography	Amount of Realized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Interest, Fees or Dividends Credited to Income(2)	December 31, 2020 Fair Value	Gross Additions(3)	Gross Reductions(4)	September 30, 2021 Fair Value
GRT Rubber Technologies LLC	7.10% (L+7.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	\$ -	\$ (16)	\$ 449	\$ 8,262	\$ 4	\$ 16	\$ 8,250
	Member Units	(8)	-	-	1,739	22,120	-	-	22,120
Harris Preston Fund Investments	LP Interests (2717 MH, L.P.)	(8)	-	585	-	2,702	689	-	3,391
Copper Trail Energy Fund I, LP - CTMH	LP Interests (CTMH, LP)	(9)	-	-	-	747	-	37	710
Other									
Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other									
1940 Act classification during the period									
Total Control Investments			\$ -	\$ 569	\$ 2,188	\$ 33,831	\$ 693	\$ 53	\$ 34,471
Affiliate Investments									
AFG Capital Group, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(8)	\$ -	\$ 400	\$ 50	\$ 1,450	\$ 400	\$ -	\$ 1,850
	10.00% Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	7	123	-	65	58
ASK (Analytical Systems Keco Holdings, LLC)	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	(800)	-	800	-	800	-
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	593	-	-	1,200	-	1,200
	12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	163	1,180	66	55	1,191
	Warrants	(8)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ATX Networks Corp.	10.00% PIK Unsecured Debt	(6)	-	-	30	-	1,973	-	1,973
	8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(6)	-	-	55	-	7,121	-	7,121
	8.75% (7.25% Cash, 1.50% PIK) (1.50% PIK + L+6.25%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(6)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barfly Ventures, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	115	-	528	115	-	643
Brewer Crane Holdings, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	(390)	99	1,460	-	390	1,070
	11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(9)	-	-	181	2,119	7	93	2,033
Centre Technologies Holdings, LLC	12.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 2.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	247	2,868	14	515	2,367
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	(80)	-	1,540	-	80	1,460
Chamberlin Holding LLC	9.00% (L+8.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	281	3,803	1,000	349	4,454
	Member Units	(8)	-	(990)	895	7,020	-	990	6,030
	Member Units	(8)	-	41	13	317	41	-	358
Charlotte Russe, Inc	Common Stock	(9)	(2,470)	2,470	-	-	2,470	2,470	-
Charps, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	930	530	2,630	930	-	3,560
	15.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	1	167	-	167	-
Clad-Rex Steel, LLC	10.50% (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	246	2,706	11	100	2,617
	Member Units	(5)	-	407	545	2,153	407	-	2,560
	Member Units	(5)	-	2	-	132	2	-	134
	10.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	21	275	-	5	270
Cody Pools, Inc.	12.25% (L+10.50%, Floor 1.75%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	11	398	3,554	2,025	1,070	4,509
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	3,858	367	3,740	3,860	-	7,600
Colonial Electric Company LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(6)	-	-	396	-	6,156	79	6,077
	Preferred Member Units	(6)	-	190	-	-	2,110	-	2,110
Copper Trail Energy Fund I, LP	LP Interests (Copper Trail Energy Fund I, LP)	(9)	(203)	379	482	1,782	379	2,161	-
Datacom, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	-	-	-	290	-	290
	5.00% Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	47	-	910	-	901
Digital Products Holdings LLC	11.00% (L+10.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	382	4,493	17	248	4,262
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	-	38	2,459	-	-	2,459
Direct Marketing Solutions, Inc.	Preferred Stock	(9)	-	(550)	168	4,840	-	550	4,290
	12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(9)	-	-	362	3,717	19	59	3,677
Freeport Financial Funds	LP Interests (Freeport First Lien Loan Fund III LP)	(5)	-	66	613	10,321	66	3,156	7,231
Gamber-Johnson Holdings, LLC	9.00% (L+7.00%, Floor 2.00%) Secured Debt	(5)	-	(25)	375	4,960	225	25	5,160
	Member Units	(5)	-	8	849	13,120	720	-	13,840
GFG Group, LLC.	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	525	115	-	1,750	-	1,750
	12.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	245	-	3,849	800	3,049
Gulf Publishing Holdings, LLC	10.50% (5.25% Cash, 5.25% PIK) (L+9.50%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	6	63	1	-	64
	12.50% (6.25% Cash, 6.25% PIK) Secured Debt	(8)	-	(499)	250	2,988	127	499	2,616
Hawk Ridge Systems, LLC	9.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	(13)	257	3,350	13	13	3,350

Company	Investment(1)(10)(11)	Geography	Amount of Realized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Interest, Fees or Dividends Credited to Income(2)	December 31, 2020		Gross		September 30,
						Fair Value	Additions(3)	Reductions(4)	2021	
						Fair Value	Additions(3)	Reductions(4)	Fair Value	
	7.00% (L+6.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(9)	-	1	5	-	646	-	646	
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	1,282	173	2,008	1,282	-	3,290	
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	65	-	105	65	-	170	
HPEP 3, L.P.	LP Interests (HPEP 3, L.P.)	(8)	-	803	-	3,258	925	-	4,183	
J&J Services, Inc.	11.50% Secured Debt	(7)	-	(15)	285	3,200	15	515	2,700	
	Preferred Stock	(7)	-	680	-	3,170	680	-	3,850	
Kickhaefer Manufacturing Company, LLC	Member Units	(5)	-	-	19	3,060	-	-	3,060	
	11.50% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	497	5,500	32	500	5,032	
	9.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	67	978	-	6	972	
	Member Units	(5)	-	12	-	290	12	-	302	
Market Force Information, LLC	12.00% PIK Secured Debt	(9)	-	(601)	-	3,391	-	601	2,790	
MH Corbin Holding LLC	13.00% (10.00% Cash, 3.00% PIK) Secured Debt	(5)	-	(515)	215	2,070	7	575	1,502	
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	(590)	-	590	-	590	-	
Oneliance, LLC	Preferred Stock	(7)	-	-	-	-	264	-	264	
	12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(7)	-	-	27	-	1,373	-	1,373	
Ortech Holdings, LLC	Preferred Stock	(5)	-	-	-	-	2,900	-	2,900	
	12.00% (L+11.00%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	132	-	5,972	-	5,972	
Mystic Logistics Holdings, LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(6)	-	-	153	1,682	2	7	1,677	
	Common Stock	(6)	-	(456)	137	2,248	-	456	1,792	
NexRev LLC	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	450	15	370	450	-	820	
	11.00% Secured Debt	(8)	-	4	17	197	4	-	201	
	11.00% Secured Debt	(8)	-	(345)	345	3,980	15	509	3,486	
NuStep, LLC	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	680	-	2,700	680	-	3,380	
	7.50% (L+6.50%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	6	-	500	100	400	
	10.50% Secured Debt	(5)	-	7	384	4,288	22	-	4,310	
SI East, LLC (Stavig)	10.25% Secured Debt	(7)	-	(37)	782	10,987	11,512	1,300	21,199	
	Preferred Member Units	(7)	-	1,804	699	3,260	1,804	1,594	3,470	
Sonic Systems International, LLC	Common Stock	(8)	-	-	25	-	1,250	-	1,250	
	8.50% (L+7.50%, Floor 1.00%) Secured Debt	(8)	-	-	144	-	13,725	-	13,725	
Tedder Industries, LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	-	366	4,025	123	400	3,748	
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	-	-	2,034	-	-	2,034	
	12.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	(2)	21	-	401	2	399	
Trantech Radiator Topco, LLC	Common Stock	(7)	-	150	22	1,510	150	-	1,660	
	12.00% Secured Debt	(7)	-	(8)	211	2,131	11	8	2,134	
Other										
Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other 1940 Act classification during the period										
Total Affiliate investments			\$ (2,673)	\$ 10,017	\$ 13,461	\$ 157,690	\$ 83,096	\$ 21,911	\$ 218,875	

- (1) The principal amount, the ownership detail for equity investments and if the investment is income producing is included in the consolidated schedule of investments.
- (2) Represents the total amount of interest, fees and dividends credited to income for the portion of the period for which an investment was included in Control or Affiliate categories, respectively. For investments transferred between Control and Affiliate categories during the period, any income or investment balances related to the time period it was in the category other than the one shown at period end is included in "Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other 1940 Act classifications during the period."
- (3) Gross additions include increases in the cost basis of investments resulting from new portfolio investments, follow-on investments and accrued PIK interest, and the exchange of one or more existing securities for one or more new securities. Gross additions also include net increases in unrealized appreciation or net decreases in net unrealized depreciation as well as the movement of an existing portfolio company into this category and out of a different category.
- (4) Gross reductions include decreases in the cost basis of investments resulting from principal repayments or sales and the exchange of one or more existing securities for one or more new securities. Gross reductions also include net increases in net unrealized depreciation or net decreases in unrealized appreciation as well as the movement of an existing portfolio company out of this category and into a different category.
- (5) Portfolio company located in the Midwest region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$75,365. This represented 12.5% of net assets as of September 30, 2021.

- (6) Portfolio company located in the Northeast region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$11,657. This represented 1.9% of net assets as of September 30, 2021.
- (7) Portfolio company located in the Southeast region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$36,650. This represented 6.1% of net assets as of September 30, 2021.
- (8) Portfolio company located in the Southwest region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for control investments located in this region was \$33,761. This represented 5.6% of net assets as of September 30, 2021. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$58,612. This represented 9.7% of net assets as of September 30, 2021.
- (9) Portfolio company located in the West region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for control investments located in this region was \$710. This represented 0.1% of net assets as of September 30, 2021. The fair value as of September 30, 2021 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$27,497. This represented 4.6% of net assets as of September 30, 2021.
- (10) All of the Company's portfolio investments are generally subject to restrictions on resale as "restricted securities," unless otherwise noted.
- (11) This schedule should be read in conjunction with the consolidated schedule of investments and notes to the consolidated financial statements. Supplemental information can be located within the schedule of investments including end of period interest rate, preferred dividend rate, maturity date, investments not paid currently in cash and investments whose value was determined using significant unobservable inputs.

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Company	Investment(1)(10)(11)	Geography	Amount of Realized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Interest, Fees or Dividends Credited to Income(2)	December 31, 2019 Fair Value	Gross Additions(3)	Gross Reductions(4)	September 30, 2020 Fair Value
GRT Rubber Technologies LLC	LIBOR Plus 7.00%	(8)	\$ -	\$ (4)	\$ 491	\$ 7,396	\$ 870	\$ 4	\$ 8,262
	Member Units	(8)	-	(997)	1,260	23,372	-	998	22,374
Copper Trail Fund Investments	LP Interests (CTMH, LP)	(9)	-	-	125	872	-	-	872
Harris Preston Fund Investments	LP Interests (2717 MH, L.P.)	(8)	-	120	-	3,156	121	-	3,277
Other Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other 1940 Act classification during the period									
			-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Control investments			\$ -	\$ (881)	\$ 1,876	\$ 34,796	\$ 991	\$ 1,002	\$ 34,785
Affiliate Investments									
AFG Capital Group, LLC	10.00% Secured Debt	(8)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 13	\$ 209	\$ -	\$ 65	\$ 144
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	45	-	1,295	45	-	1,340
Analytical Systems Keco, LLC	LIBOR Plus 10.00% (Floor 2.00%)	(8)	-	(1)	131	1,266	9	86	1,189
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	-	-	800	-	-	800
	Warrants	(8)	-	10	-	79	10	1	88
Brewer Crane Holdings, LLC	LIBOR Plus 10.00% (Floor 1.00%)	(9)	-	-	195	2,233	6	92	2,147
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	333	23	1,070	333	-	1,403
Centre Technologies Holdings, LLC	LIBOR Plus 10.00% (Floor 2.00%)	(8)	-	-	284	3,008	11	117	2,902
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	55	23	1,460	55	-	1,515
Chamberlin Holding LLC	LIBOR Plus 10.00% (Floor 1.00%)	(8)	-	(22)	400	4,443	22	472	3,993
	Member Units	(8)	-	992	728	6,009	992	-	7,001
	Member Units	(8)	-	(133)	13	363	-	133	230
Charlotte Russe, Inc	Common Stock	(9)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chaps, LLC	15.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	56	500	-	38	462
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	620	113	1,730	620	-	2,350
Clad-Rex Steel, LLC	LIBOR Plus 9.50% (Floor 1.00%)	(5)	-	(2)	229	2,696	9	2	2,703
	Member Units	(5)	-	(255)	79	2,408	-	255	2,153
	10% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	21	282	-	5	277
	Member Units	(5)	-	-	-	115	-	-	115
Cody Pools, Inc.	LIBOR Plus 10.50% (Floor 1.75%)	(8)	-	76	290	-	4,084	184	3,900
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	882	15	-	2,961	-	2,961
Copper Trail Fund Investments	LP Interests (Copper Trail Energy Fund I, LP)	(9)	21	(562)	1,184	1,643	1,212	1,001	1,854
Direct Marketing Solutions, Inc.	LIBOR Plus 11.00% (Floor 1.00%)	(9)	-	(16)	376	3,929	16	173	3,772
	Preferred Stock	(9)	-	(36)	-	5,051	-	36	5,015
Digital Products Holdings LLC	LIBOR Plus 10.00% (Floor 1.00%)	(5)	-	157	422	4,611	172	278	4,505
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	433	50	1,294	433	-	1,727
	LP Interests (Freepart First Lien Loan Fund III LP)	(5)	-	(205)	630	9,696	990	365	10,321
Gamber-Johnson Holdings, LLC	LIBOR Plus 6.50% (Floor 2.00%)	(5)	-	(11)	329	4,755	419	214	4,960
	Member Units	(5)	-	(41)	763	13,352	-	41	13,311
Guerdon Modular Holdings, Inc.	16.00% Secured Debt	(9)	(2,792)	3,117	30	-	3,147	3,147	-
	LIBOR Plus 8.50% (Floor 1.00%)	(9)	(252)	252	-	-	253	253	-
	Preferred Stock	(9)	(285)	285	-	-	285	285	-
	Common Stock	(9)	(746)	746	-	-	746	746	-
Gulf Publishing Holdings, LLC	LIBOR Plus 9.50% (Floor 1.00%)	(8)	-	-	5	70	1	10	61
	6.25% Current / 6.25% PIK Member Units	(8)	-	(279)	312	3,124	96	279	2,941
	Member Units	(8)	-	(605)	-	605	-	605	-
Harris Preston Fund Investments	LP Interests (HPEP 3, L.P.)	(8)	-	-	-	2,474	597	-	3,071

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Company	Investment(1)(10)(11)	Geography	Amount of Realized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Unrealized Gain/(Loss)	Amount of Interest, Fees or Dividends Credited to Income(2)	December 31, 2019 Fair Value	Gross Additions(3)	Gross Reductions(4)	September 30, 2020 Fair Value
Hawk Ridge Systems, LLC	LIBOR Plus 6.00% (Floor 1.00%)	(9)	-	-	-	148	100	-	248
	11.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	(12)	139	3,350	12	12	3,350
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	33	17	1,975	33	-	2,008
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	-	-	105	-	-	105
J&J Services, Inc.	11.50% Secured Debt	(7)	-	59	391	4,315	85	800	3,600
	Preferred Stock	(7)	-	1,207	-	1,790	1,207	18	2,979
Kickhafer Manufacturing Company, LLC	9.50% Current/2.00% PIK Secured Debt	(5)	-	(1)	587	6,146	371	741	5,776
	Member Units	(5)	-	(21)	17	290	-	21	269
	9.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	76	977	8	5	980
	Member Units	(5)	-	-	-	3,060	-	-	3,060
Market Force Information, LLC	12.00% PIK Secured Debt	(9)	-	(2,927)	63	5,625	790	2,986	3,429
	Member Units	(9)	-	(1,319)	-	1,319	-	1,319	-
MH Corbin Holding LLC	13.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	(20)	223	2,213	17	80	2,150
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	(452)	-	1,192	-	452	740
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	(5)	-	5	-	5	-
Mystic Logistics Holdings, LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(6)	-	-	156	1,561	254	134	1,681
	Common Stock	(6)	-	440	-	2,103	440	-	2,543
NexRev LLC	11.00% PIK Secured Debt	(8)	-	(126)	378	4,331	56	237	4,150
	Preferred Member Units	(8)	-	(1,340)	(14)	1,577	-	1,340	237
NuStep, LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(5)	-	-	469	4,901	19	40	4,880
	Preferred Member Units	(5)	-	-	-	2,550	-	-	2,550
SI East, LLC	9.50% Current, Secured Debt	(7)	-	(25)	827	10,988	25	25	10,988
	Preferred Member Units	(7)	-	506	431	2,734	506	1	3,239
Tedder Industries, LLC	12.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	(65)	391	4,066	176	65	4,177
	12.00% Secured Debt	(9)	-	-	15	158	-	158	-
	Preferred Member Units	(9)	-	-	-	2,034	-	-	2,034
Trantech Radiator Topco, LLC	12% Secured Debt	(7)	-	50	217	2,237	63	120	2,180
	Common Stock	(7)	-	778	22	1,164	778	1	1,941
Other Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other 1940 Act classification during the period			-	22	10	674	22	696	-
Total Affiliate investments			<u>\$ (4,054)</u>	<u>\$ 2,617</u>	<u>\$ 11,129</u>	<u>\$ 154,158</u>	<u>\$ 22,486</u>	<u>\$ 18,139</u>	<u>\$ 158,505</u>

- (1) The principal amount, the ownership detail for equity investments and if the investment is income producing is included in the consolidated schedule of investments.
- (2) Represents the total amount of interest, fees and dividends credited to income for the portion of the period for which an investment was included in Control or Affiliate categories, respectively. For investments transferred between Control and Affiliate categories during the period, any income or investment balances related to the time period it was in the category other than the one shown at period end is included in "Amounts related to investments transferred to or from other 1940 Act classifications during the period."
- (3) Gross additions include increases in the cost basis of investments resulting from new portfolio investments, follow-on investments and accrued PIK interest, and the exchange of one or more existing securities for one or more new securities. Gross additions also include net increases in unrealized appreciation or net decreases in net unrealized depreciation as well as the movement of an existing portfolio company into this category and out of a different category.
- (4) Gross reductions include decreases in the cost basis of investments resulting from principal repayments or sales and the exchange of one or more existing securities for one or more new securities. Gross reductions also include net increases in net unrealized depreciation or net decreases in unrealized appreciation as well as the movement of an existing portfolio company out of this category and into a different category.
- (5) Portfolio company located in the Midwest region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$63,289. This represented 11.2% of net assets as of September 30, 2020.

- (6) Portfolio company located in the Northeast region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$4,224. This represented 0.7% of net assets as of September 30, 2020.
- (7) Portfolio company located in the Southeast region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$24,927. This represented 4.4% of net assets as of September 30, 2020.
- (8) Portfolio company located in the Southwest region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for control investments located in this region was \$33,913. This represented 6.0% of net assets as of September 30, 2020. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$36,523. This represented 6.5% of net assets as of September 30, 2020.
- (9) Portfolio company located in the West region as determined by location of the corporate headquarters. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for control investments located in this region was \$872. This represented 0.2% of net assets as of September 30, 2020. The fair value as of September 30, 2020 for affiliate investments located in this region was \$29,542. This represented 5.2% of net assets as of September 30, 2020.
- (10) All of the Company's portfolio investments are generally subject to restrictions on resale as "restricted securities," unless otherwise noted.
- (11) This schedule should be read in conjunction with the consolidated schedule of investments and notes to the consolidated financial statements. Supplemental information can be located within the schedule of investments including end of period interest rate, preferred dividend rate, maturity date, investments not paid currently in cash and investments whose value was determined using significant unobservable inputs.

Item 2. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q contains forward-looking statements regarding the plans and objectives of management for future operations and which relate to future events or our future performance or financial condition. Any such forward-looking statements may involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause our actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by any forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements, which involve assumptions and describe our future plans, strategies and expectations, are generally identifiable by use of the words "may," "will," "should," "expect," "anticipate," "estimate," "believe," "intend" or "project" or the negative of these words or other variations on these words or comparable terminology. These forward-looking statements are based on assumptions that may be incorrect, and we cannot assure you that the projections included in these forward-looking statements will come to pass. Our actual results could differ materially from those expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements as a result of various factors, including, without limitation: changes in laws and regulations and adverse changes in the economy generally or in the industries in which our portfolio companies operate, including with respect to changes from the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, and the resulting impacts on our and our portfolio companies' business and operations, liquidity and access to capital; and such other factors referenced in Item 1A entitled "Risk Factors" below in Part II of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, if any, and discussed in Item 1A entitled "Risk Factors" in Part I of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on March 30, 2021 and elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and our other SEC filings.

We have based the forward-looking statements included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q on information available to us on the date of filing of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, and we assume no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements, unless we are required to do so by applicable law. However, you are advised to refer to any additional disclosures that we may make directly to you or through reports that we in the future may file with the SEC, including subsequent periodic and current reports.

COVID-19 UPDATE

The COVID-19 pandemic, and the related effect on the U.S. and global economies, has had, and threatens to continue to have, adverse consequences for our business and operating results, and the businesses and operating results of our portfolio companies. During the quarter ended September 30, 2021, MSC Adviser continued to work collectively with its personnel and our portfolio companies to navigate the significant challenges created by the COVID-19 pandemic, including the ongoing the labor and supply constraints, rising costs, and supply chain disruptions currently being experienced across the U.S. economy. MSC Adviser remains focused on ensuring the safety of its personnel and the employees of our portfolio companies, while also managing our ongoing business activities. In this regard, MSC Adviser remains heavily engaged with our portfolio companies. As discussed below under "Discussion and Analysis of Results of Operations," our investment income, principally our interest and dividend income, was negatively impacted by the economic effects of the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020. We continue to maintain access to multiple sources of liquidity, including cash, and unused capacity under our TIAA Credit Facility and JPM SPV Facility (as defined below). As of September 30, 2021, we were in compliance with all debt covenants and do not anticipate any issues with our ability to comply with all covenants in the future. Refer to "— Financial Condition, Liquidity and Capital Resources" below for further discussion as of September 30, 2021.

Neither our management, MSC Adviser nor our Board of Directors is able to predict the full impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, including its duration and the magnitude of its economic and societal impact. As such, while we will continue to monitor the evolving situation and guidance from U.S. authorities, including federal, state and local public health authorities, we are unable to predict with any certainty the extent to which the outbreak will negatively affect our portfolio companies' operating results and financial condition or the impact that such disruptions may have on our results of operations and financial condition in the future.

OVERVIEW

Our primary investment objective is to generate current income through debt and equity investments. A secondary objective is to generate long-term capital appreciation through such equity and equity-related investments,

including warrants, convertible securities and other rights to acquire equity securities. Our strategy is to invest primarily in illiquid debt and equity securities issued by lower middle market (“LMM”) companies, which generally have annual revenues between \$10 million and \$150 million, and middle market (“Middle Market”) companies that are generally larger in size than the LMM companies and have annual revenues typically between \$150 million and \$1.5 billion. Our LMM and Middle Market portfolio investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. We categorize some of our investments in LMM companies and Middle Market companies as private loan (“Private Loan”) portfolio investments. Private Loan investments, often referred to in the debt markets as “club deals,” are investments, generally in debt instruments, that we originate on a collaborative basis with other investment funds. Private Loan investments are typically similar in size, structure, terms and conditions to investments we hold in our LMM portfolio and Middle Market portfolio. Our investment portfolio also includes other portfolio (“Other Portfolio”) investments primarily consisting of investments managed by third parties, which may differ from the typical profiles for our other types of investments. In our Other Portfolio, we may incur indirect fees and expenses in connection with investments managed by third parties, such as investments in other investment companies or private funds.

The level of new portfolio investment activity will fluctuate from period to period based upon our view of the current economic fundamentals, our ability to identify new investment opportunities that meet our investment criteria, and our ability to consummate the identified opportunities. The level of new investment activity, and associated interest and fee income, will directly impact future investment income. In addition, the level of dividends paid by portfolio companies and the portion of our portfolio debt investments on non-accrual status will directly impact future investment income. While we intend to grow our portfolio and our investment income over the long term, our growth and our operating results may be more limited during depressed economic periods. However, we intend to appropriately manage our cost structure and liquidity position based on applicable economic conditions and our investment outlook. The level of realized gains or losses and unrealized appreciation or depreciation on our investments will also fluctuate depending upon portfolio activity, economic conditions and the performance of our individual portfolio companies. The changes in realized gains and losses and unrealized appreciation or depreciation could have a material impact on our operating results.

Our LMM investments include customized direct secured and unsecured loans to and equity securities of LMM companies. Companies that issue customized LMM securities to us are privately held at the time we invest in them. Our investments in LMM companies are co-investments with Main Street and/or its affiliates and, as a result, we obtained an exemptive order from the SEC, as discussed below, to permit us to do so. While the structure of our investments in customized LMM securities is likely to vary, we may invest in senior secured debt, senior unsecured debt, subordinated secured debt, subordinated unsecured debt, mezzanine debt, convertible debt, convertible preferred equity, preferred equity, common equity, warrants and other instruments, many of which generate current yields. We will make other investments as allowed by the 1940 Act and consistent with our continued qualification as a RIC. For a discussion of the risks inherent in our portfolio investments, see “Item 1A. Risk Factors — Risks Relating to our Business and Structure” in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

Our investments may include other equity investments, such as warrants, options to buy a minority interest in a portfolio company, or contractual payment rights or rights to receive a proportional interest in the operating cash flow or net income of such company. When determined by MSC Adviser to be in our best interest, we, in conjunction with other investment funds managed by or affiliated with MSC Adviser, may acquire a controlling interest in a portfolio company. Any warrants we receive with our debt securities may require only a nominal cost to exercise, and thus, as a portfolio company appreciates in value, we may achieve additional investment return from this equity interest. We intend to structure such warrants to include provisions protecting our rights as a minority-interest or, if applicable, controlling-interest holder, as well as puts, or rights to sell such securities back to the company upon the occurrence of specified events. In addition, we may obtain demand or “piggyback” registration rights in connection with these equity interests.

We plan to hold many of our investments to maturity or repayment but may sell our investments earlier if a liquidity event takes place, such as the sale or recapitalization of a portfolio company, or if we determine the sale to be in our best interest.

As a BDC, we are subject to certain regulatory restrictions in making our investments, including limitations on our ability to co-invest with certain affiliates. In April 2014, we received an exemptive order from the SEC permitting co-investments by us and Main Street in certain negotiated transactions where co-investing would otherwise be

prohibited under the 1940 Act. During December 2020, we received an amended exemptive order from the SEC permitting co-investments by us, Main Street and other funds advised by MSC Adviser in certain negotiated transactions where co-investing would otherwise be prohibited under the 1940 Act. We have made co-investments with Main Street and in the future intend to make co-investments with Main Street and other funds advised by MSC Adviser, in accordance with the conditions of the order. The order requires, among other things, that we and MSC Adviser consider whether each such investment opportunity is appropriate for us and Main Street and other funds advised by MSC Adviser, as applicable, and if it is appropriate, to propose an allocation of the investment opportunity between such parties. Because MSC Adviser is not managing our investment activities as its sole activity, this may provide MSC Adviser an incentive to allocate opportunities to other funds instead of us. However, MSC Adviser has policies and procedures in place to manage this conflict, including oversight by the independent members of our Board of Directors and the independent members of the Board of Directors of Main Street. Additional information regarding the operation of the co-investment program is set forth in the order granting exemptive relief, which may be reviewed on the SEC's Website at www.sec.gov.

In addition to the co-investment program described in this Form 10-Q and in the SEC's order for co-investment exemptive relief, we may continue to co-invest in syndicated deals and secondary loan market transactions where only price is negotiated by MSC Adviser and its affiliates.

See "Note C.2 – Investment Portfolio Composition" in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for a summary of the Company's investments in the LMM, Middle Market and Private Loan portfolios as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The preparation of financial statements and related disclosures in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and revenues and expenses during the periods reported. Actual results could materially differ from those estimates. Critical accounting policies are those that require management to make subjective or complex judgments about the effect of matters that are inherently uncertain and may change in subsequent periods. Changes that may be required in the underlying assumptions or estimates in these areas could have a material impact on our current and future financial condition and results of operations.

Management has discussed the development and selection of each critical accounting policy and estimate with the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors. Our critical accounting policies and estimates include the Investment Portfolio Valuation and Revenue Recognition policies described below. Our significant accounting policies are described in greater detail in Note B in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included in "Item 1.—Consolidated Financial Statements" of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

Investment Portfolio Valuation

The most significant determination inherent in the preparation of our consolidated financial statements is the valuation of our Investment Portfolio and the related amounts of unrealized appreciation and depreciation. We consider this determination to be a critical accounting estimate, given the significant judgments and subjective measurements required. As of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 our Investment Portfolio valued at fair value represented approximately 96% and 93% of our total assets, respectively. We are required to report our investments at fair value. We follow the provisions of FASB ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures* ("ASC 820"). ASC 820 defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value, establishes a fair value hierarchy based on the quality of inputs used to measure fair value and enhances disclosure requirements for fair value measurements. ASC 820 requires us to assume that the portfolio investment is to be sold in the principal market to independent market participants, which may be a hypothetical market. Market participants are defined as buyers and sellers in the principal market that are independent, knowledgeable and willing and able to transact. See "Note B.1.—Valuation of the Investment Portfolio" in the notes to our consolidated financial statements for a detailed discussion of our investment portfolio valuation process and procedures.

Due to the inherent uncertainty in the valuation process, our determination of fair value for our Investment Portfolio may differ materially from the values that would have been determined had a ready market for the securities existed. In addition, changes in the market environment, portfolio company performance and other events that may occur over the lives of the investments may cause the gains or losses ultimately realized on these investments to be materially different than the valuations currently assigned. We determine the fair value of each individual investment and record changes in fair value as unrealized appreciation or depreciation.

The SEC has adopted Rule 2a-5 under the 1940 Act, which permits a BDC's board of directors to designate its executive officers or investment adviser as a valuation designee to determine the fair value for its investment portfolio, subject to the active oversight of the board. Our Board of Directors has approved valuation policies and procedures pursuant to Rule 2a-5 (the "Valuation Procedures") and has designated MSC Adviser, and specifically a group of its executive officers, to serve as the Board's valuation designee. We adopted the Valuation Procedures effective April 1, 2021. We believe our investment portfolio as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 approximates fair value as of those dates based on the markets in which we operate and other conditions in existence on those reporting dates.

Revenue Recognition

Interest and Dividend Income

We record interest and dividend income on the accrual basis to the extent amounts are expected to be collected. Dividend income is recorded as dividends are declared by the portfolio company or at the point an obligation exists for the portfolio company to make a distribution. In accordance with our valuation policies, we evaluate accrued interest and dividend income periodically for collectability. When a loan or debt security becomes 90 days or more past due, and if we otherwise do not expect the debtor to be able to service all of its debt or other obligations, we will generally place the loan or debt security on non-accrual status and cease recognizing interest income on that loan or debt security until the borrower has demonstrated the ability and intent to pay contractual amounts due. If a loan or debt security's status significantly improves regarding the debtor's ability to service the debt or other obligations, or if a loan or debt security is sold or written off, we remove it from non-accrual status.

Payment-in-Kind ("PIK") Interest and Cumulative Dividends

We hold certain debt and preferred equity instruments in our Investment Portfolio that contain PIK interest and cumulative dividend provisions. The PIK interest, computed at the contractual rate specified in each debt agreement, is periodically added to the principal balance of the debt and is recorded as interest income. Thus, the actual collection of this interest may be deferred until the time of debt principal repayment. Cumulative dividends are recorded as dividend income, and any dividends in arrears are added to the balance of the preferred equity investment. The actual collection of these dividends in arrears may be deferred until such time as the preferred equity is redeemed or sold. To maintain RIC tax treatment (as discussed in "Income Taxes" within "Note B. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies" in the notes to our consolidated financial statements), these non-cash sources of income may need to be paid out to stockholders in the form of distributions, even though we may not have collected the PIK interest and cumulative dividends in cash. We stop accruing PIK interest and cumulative dividends and write off any accrued and uncollected interest and dividends in arrears when we determine that such PIK interest and dividends in arrears are no longer collectible. For the three months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 2.5% and 6.4%, respectively, of our total investment income was attributable to PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income not paid currently in cash. For the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and 2020, approximately 2.4% and 4.9%, respectively, of our total investment income was attributable to PIK interest income and cumulative dividend income not paid currently in cash.

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION

Our LMM portfolio investments primarily consist of secured debt, equity warrants and direct equity investments in privately held, LMM companies based in the United States. Our LMM portfolio companies generally have annual revenues between \$10 million and \$150 million, and our LMM investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. The LMM debt investments are typically secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company, can include either fixed or floating rate terms and generally have a term of between five

and seven years from the original investment date. In most LMM portfolio investments, we receive nominally priced equity warrants and/or make direct equity investments in connection with a debt investment.

Our Middle Market portfolio investments primarily consist of direct investments in or secondary purchases of interest-bearing debt securities in privately held companies based in the United States that are generally larger in size than the companies included in our LMM portfolio. Our Middle Market portfolio companies generally have annual revenues between \$150 million and \$1.5 billion, and our Middle Market investments generally range in size from \$1 million to \$15 million. Our Middle Market portfolio debt investments are generally secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company and typically have a term of between three and seven years from the original investment date.

Our Private Loan portfolio investments are primarily debt securities in privately held companies which have been originated through strategic relationships with other investment funds on a collaborative basis and are often referred to in the debt markets as “club deals.” Private Loan investments are typically similar in size, structure, terms and conditions to investments we hold in our LMM portfolio and Middle Market portfolio. Our Private Loan portfolio debt investments are generally secured by either a first or second priority lien on the assets of the portfolio company and typically have a term of between three and seven years from the original investment date.

Our Other Portfolio investments primarily consist of investments which are not consistent with the typical profiles for LMM, Middle Market and Private Loan portfolio investments, including investments which may be managed by third parties. In the Other Portfolio, we may incur indirect fees and expenses in connection with investments managed by third parties, such as investments in other investment companies or private funds. For Other Portfolio investments, we generally receive distributions related to the assets held by the portfolio company. Those assets are typically expected to be liquidated over a five to ten-year period.

The following tables summarize the composition of our total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments at cost and fair value by type of investment as a percentage of the total combined LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments as of September 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 (this information excludes the Other Portfolio investments).

Cost:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
First lien debt	86.6 %	79.5 %
Equity	11.9 %	13.9 %
Second lien debt	1.0 %	4.6 %
Equity warrants	0.2 %	0.2 %
Other	0.3 %	1.8 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>

Fair Value:	September 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
First lien debt	82.6 %	76.0 %
Equity	16.0 %	17.3 %
Second lien debt	1.0 %	4.6 %
Equity warrants	0.1 %	0.3 %
Other	0.3 %	1.8 %
	<u>100.0 %</u>	<u>100.0 %</u>

Our LMM portfolio investments, Middle Market portfolio investments and Private Loan portfolio investments carry a number of risks including: (1) investing in companies which may have limited operating histories and financial resources; (2) holding investments that generally are not publicly traded and which may be subject to legal and other restrictions on resale; and (3) other risks common to investing in below investment-grade debt and equity investments in our Investment Portfolio. Please see “Item 1A. Risk Factors—Risks Related to Our Investments” contained in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 for a more complete discussion of the risks involved with investing in our Investment Portfolio.

PORTFOLIO ASSET QUALITY

We utilize an internally developed investment rating system to rate the performance of each LMM portfolio company and to monitor our expected level of returns on each of our LMM investments in relation to our expectations for the portfolio company. The investment rating system takes into consideration various factors, including each investment’s expected level of returns, the collectability of our debt investments and the ability to receive a return of the invested capital in our equity investments, comparisons to competitors and other industry participants, the portfolio company’s future outlook and other factors that are deemed to be significant to the portfolio company.

As of September 30, 2021, our total Investment Portfolio had three investments on non-accrual status, which comprised approximately 0.8% of its fair value and 2.3% of its cost. As of December 31, 2020, our total Investment Portfolio had three investments on non-accrual status, which comprised approximately 0.6% of its fair value and 1.3% of its cost.

The operating results of our portfolio companies are impacted by changes in the broader fundamentals of the United States economy. In periods during which the United States economy contracts, as it did due to the impact of COVID-19, it is likely that the financial results of small to mid-sized companies, like those in which we invest, could experience deterioration or limited growth from current levels, which could ultimately lead to difficulty in meeting their debt service requirements, to an increase in defaults on our debt investments or in realized losses on our investments and to difficulty in maintaining historical dividend payment rates and unrealized appreciation on our equity investments. Consequently, we can provide no assurance that the performance of certain portfolio companies will not be negatively impacted by future economic cycles or other conditions, which could also have a negative impact on our future results.

DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

Comparison of the three months ended September 30, 2021 and September 30, 2020

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Total investment income	\$ 22,754	\$ 19,519	\$ 3,235	17 %
Total expenses (net of fee and expense waivers)	9,632	9,532	100	1 %
Net investment income	13,122	9,987	3,135	31 %
Net realized gain (loss) from investments	(3,676)	(17,868)	14,192	NM
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) from investments	7,343	47,924	(40,581)	NM
Income tax benefit (provision)	(453)	(97)	(356)	NM
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 16,336	\$ 39,946	\$ (23,610)	(59) %

NM Not Meaningful

Investment Income

Total investment income for the three months ended September 30, 2021 was \$22.8 million, a 17% increase from the \$19.5 million of total investment income for the corresponding period of 2020. The following table provides a summary of the changes in the comparable period activity.

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Interest income	\$ 18,818	\$ 17,347	\$ 1,471	8 % (a)
Dividend income	3,249	2,089	1,160	56 % (b)
Fee income	687	83	604	728 %
Total investment income	<u>\$ 22,754</u>	<u>\$ 19,519</u>	<u>\$ 3,235</u>	17 %

- (a) The increase in interest income was primarily related to higher average levels of Investment Portfolio debt investments and repayment, repricing and other activities related to certain Investment Portfolio debt investments.
- (b) The increase in dividend income from equity investments is primarily a result of improved operating results, financial condition and liquidity positions of certain of our portfolio companies following the impacts from the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020.

Expenses

Total expenses, net of fee and expense waivers, for the three months ended September 30, 2021 were \$9.6 million, a 1% increase from \$9.5 million in the corresponding period of 2020. The following table provides a summary of the changes in the comparable period activity.

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Interest expense	\$ 3,759	\$ 4,000	\$ (241)	(6) %
Base management fees	4,473	4,701	(228)	(5) % (a)
Internal administrative services fees	1,152	959	193	20 %
Offering costs	55	28	27	96 %
Professional fees	490	226	264	117 % (b)
Insurance	114	103	11	11 %
Board of director fees	97	86	11	13 %
General and administrative	644	388	256	66 %
Total expenses before fee and expense waivers	10,784	10,491	293	3 %
Waiver of internal administrative services expenses	(1,152)	(959)	(193)	20 %
Total expenses	<u>\$ 9,632</u>	<u>\$ 9,532</u>	<u>\$ 100</u>	1 %

- (a) The decrease in base management fees relates to the decrease in the base management fee percentage from 2.00% to 1.75% as the result MSC Adviser becoming the sole investment manager to the Company.
- (b) The increase in professional fees is primarily due to an increase in legal fees.

Net Investment Income

Net investment income for the three months ended September 30, 2021 increased 31% to \$13.1 million, or \$0.16 per share, compared to net investment income of \$10.0 million, or \$0.12 per share, for the corresponding period of 2020. The increase in net investment income was principally attributable to the increase in total investment income, partially offset by the increase in total expenses, both as discussed above.

Net Realized Gain (Loss) from Investments

The following table provides a summary of the primary components of the total net realized gain (loss) on investments of \$3.7 million for the three months ended September 30, 2021:

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2021							
	Full Exits		Partial Exits		Restructures		Other (a)	Total (a)
	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	Net Gain/(Loss)
	(dollars in thousands)							
LMM Portfolio	\$ —	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	—	\$ —	\$ —
Middle Market Portfolio	-	-	-	-	(4,179)	1	108	(4,071)
Private Loan Portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	598	598
Other Portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	(203)	(203)
Total Net Realized Gain/(Loss)	\$ -	-	\$ -	-	\$ (4,179)	1	\$ 503	\$ (3,676)

(a) Other activity includes realized gains and losses from transactions involving five portfolio companies which are not considered to be significant individually or in the aggregate.

Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)

The following table provides a summary of the total net unrealized appreciation of \$7.3 million for the three months ended September 30, 2021:

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2021				
	LMM(a)	Middle Market	Private Loan	Other	Total
	(dollars in millions)				
Accounting reversals of net unrealized (appreciation) depreciation recognized in prior periods due to net realized (gains/income) losses recognized during the current period	\$ —	\$ 0.6	\$ (1.5)	\$ 0.2	\$ (0.7)
Net unrealized appreciation relating to investments	3.6	1.5	2.3	0.6	8.0
Total net appreciation relating to investments	\$ 3.6	\$ 2.1	\$ 0.8	\$ 0.8	\$ 7.3

(a) LMM includes unrealized appreciation on 19 LMM portfolio investments and unrealized depreciation on 17 LMM portfolio investments.

Income Tax Benefit (Provision)

The income tax provision for the three months ended September 30, 2021 of \$0.5 million consisted of a current tax provision of \$0.5 million, related to a \$0.4 million provision for excise tax on our estimated undistributed taxable income and \$0.1 million provision for current state income taxes.

Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Resulting from Operations

The net increase in net assets resulting from operations for the three months ended September 30, 2021 was \$16.3 million, or \$0.20 per share, compared with a net increase in net assets of \$39.9 million, or \$0.50 per share, during the three months ended September 30, 2020. The tables above provide a summary of the net increase in net assets resulting from operations for the three months ended September 30, 2021.

Comparison of the nine months ended September 30, 2021 and September 30, 2020

	Nine Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Total investment income	\$ 65,522	\$ 65,766	\$ (244)	(0)%
Total expenses (net of fee and expense waivers)	26,214	31,241	(5,027)	(16)%
Net investment income	39,308	34,525	4,783	14 %
Net realized loss	(5,940)	(35,561)	29,621	NM
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) from investments	20,363	(23,017)	43,380	NM
Income tax benefit (provision)	(1,283)	(192)	(1,091)	NM
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	<u>\$ 52,448</u>	<u>\$ (24,245)</u>	<u>\$ 76,693</u>	NM

NM Not Meaningful

Investment Income

Total investment income for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 was \$65.5 million as compared to \$65.8 million of total investment income for the corresponding period of 2020. The following table provides a summary of the changes in the comparable period activity.

	Nine Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Interest Income	\$ 52,218	\$ 58,834	\$ (6,616)	(11)% (a)
Dividend Income	12,227	5,833	6,394	110 % (b)
Fee Income	1,077	1,099	(22)	(2) %
Total Investment Income	<u>\$ 65,522</u>	<u>\$ 65,766</u>	<u>\$ (244)</u>	(0) %

- (a) The decrease in interest income was primarily due to lower average levels of Investment Portfolio debt investments.
- (b) The increase in dividend income from equity investments is primarily a result of improved operating results, financial condition and liquidity positions of certain of our portfolio companies following the impacts from the COVID-19 pandemic in 2020.

Expenses

Total expenses, net of fee and expense waivers, for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 were \$26.2 million, a 16% decrease from \$31.2 million in the corresponding period of 2020. The following table provides a summary of the changes in the comparable period activity.

	Nine Months Ended September 30,		Net Change	
	2021	2020	Amount	%
	(dollars in thousands)			
Interest expense	\$ 10,223	\$ 13,503	\$ (3,280)	(24)% (a)
Base management fees	12,534	14,325	(1,791)	(13)% (b)
Internal administrative services fees	3,247	2,495	752	30 % (c)
Offering costs	110	205	(95)	(46)%
Professional fees	1,298	1,726	(428)	(25)% (d)
Insurance	343	310	33	11 %
Board of director fees	295	309	(14)	(5)%
General and administrative	1,411	863	548	63 %
Total expenses before fee and expense waivers	29,461	33,736	(4,275)	(13)%
Waiver of internal administrative services expenses	(3,247)	(2,495)	(752)	30 % (c)
Total expenses	\$ 26,214	\$ 31,241	\$ (5,027)	(16)%

- (a) The decrease in interest expense was primarily due to lower floating interest rates on our revolving lines of credit based upon the decline in LIBOR and lower amounts outstanding under our Credit Facilities (as defined below).
- (b) The decrease in the base management fees relates to a decrease in the base management fee from 2.00% to 1.75% as a result of MSC Adviser becoming the sole investment manager to the Company.
- (c) The increase in both the internal administrative services fees and waiver of internal administrative services expenses are both primarily due to higher expenses allocated from MSC Adviser to the Company as a result increased activities performed by MSC Adviser for the Company. These increases fully offset each other and as a result have no impact on the Company's operating results as these items were fully waived by MSC Adviser.
- (d) The decrease in professional fees is primarily related to lower legal expenses in the 2021 period as compared to the legal expenses incurred during the comparable period in connection with the Asset Purchase Agreement between HMS Adviser and MSC Adviser and related transactions which were completed in 2020.

Net Investment Income

Net investment income for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 increased 14% to \$39.3 million, or \$0.49 per share, compared to net investment income of \$34.5 million, or \$0.43 per share, for the corresponding period of 2020. The increase in net investment income was principally attributable to the decrease in total expenses, partially offset by the decrease in total investment income, both as discussed above.

Net Realized Gain (Loss)

The net realized loss of \$5.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 includes a realized loss on extinguishment of debt of \$2.1 million associated with the repayment and termination of the Deutsche Bank Credit Facility in the first quarter 2021 and a net realized loss from investments of \$3.8 million. The following table provides a

summary of the primary components of the total net realized gain (loss) on investments of \$3.8 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2021:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2021							
	Full Exits		Partial Exits		Restructures		Other (a)	Total (a)
	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	# of Investments	Net Gain/(Loss)	Net Gain/(Loss)
	(dollars in thousands)							
LMM Portfolio	\$ (2,470)	1	\$ -	-	\$ (1,193)	1	\$ -	\$ (3,663)
Middle Market Portfolio	(798)	1	4,262	1	(4,179)	1	134	(581)
Private Loan Portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	598	598
Other Portfolio	-	-	-	-	-	-	(203)	(203)
Total Net Realized Gain/(Loss)	<u>\$ (3,268)</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>\$ 4,262</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>\$ (5,372)</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>\$ 529</u>	<u>\$ (3,849)</u>

(a) Other activity includes realized gains and losses from transactions involving six portfolio companies which are not considered to be significant individually or in the aggregate.

Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)

The following table provides a summary of the total net unrealized appreciation of \$20.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2021:

	Nine Months Ended September 30, 2021				
	LMM(a)	Middle Market	Private Loan	Other	Total
	(dollars in millions)				
Accounting reversals of net unrealized (appreciation) depreciation recognized in prior periods due to net realized (gains / income) losses recognized during the current period	\$ (1.3)	\$ 3.8	\$ (1.4)	\$ 0.2	\$ 1.3
Net unrealized appreciation relating to investments	8.8	2.0	6.7	1.6	19.1
Total net unrealized appreciation relating to investments	<u>\$ 7.5</u>	<u>\$ 5.8</u>	<u>\$ 5.3</u>	<u>\$ 1.8</u>	<u>\$ 20.4</u>

(a) LMM includes unrealized appreciation on 26 LMM portfolio investments and unrealized depreciation on 18 LMM portfolio investments.

Income Tax Benefit (Provision)

The income tax provision for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 of \$1.3 million consisted of a current tax provision of \$1.3 million, related to a \$1.0 million provision for excise tax on our estimated undistributed taxable income and \$0.3 million provision for current state income taxes.

Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Resulting from Operations

The net increase in net assets resulting from operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2021 was \$52.4 million, or \$0.66 per share, compared with a net decrease in net assets of \$24.2 million, or \$0.31 per share, during the nine months ended September 30, 2020. The tables above provide a summary of the net increase in net assets resulting from operations for the nine months ended September 30, 2021.

Financial Condition, Liquidity and Capital Resources

This “Financial Condition, Liquidity and Capital Resources” section should be read in conjunction with the “COVID-19 Update” section above.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

As of September 30, 2021, we had \$21.4 million in cash and cash equivalents, which we held in various custodial accounts and our NAV totaled approximately \$603.3 million, equating to approximately \$7.56 per share. As of December 31, 2020, we had approximately \$49.1 million in cash, restricted cash and cash equivalents, which we held in various custodial accounts and our NAV totaled approximately \$579.6 million equating to approximately \$7.28 per share.

Cash Flows

For the nine months ended September 30, 2021, we experienced a net decrease in cash and cash equivalents of \$27.6 million, which is the net result of \$118.0 million of cash used in our operating activities and \$90.4 million of cash provided by our financing activities.

The \$118.0 million of cash used in our operating activities resulted primarily from the funding of new portfolio investments of \$334.9 million, partially offset by (i) cash proceeds totaling \$182.4 million from the sales and repayments of debt investments and sales of and return on capital of equity investments, (ii) cash flows we generated from the operating profits earned totaling \$31.4 million, which is our net investment income, excluding the non-cash effects of the accretion of unearned income, payment-in-kind interest income, cumulative dividends and the amortization of expenses for deferred financing costs and (iii) cash proceeds of \$3.2 million related to the change in other assets and liabilities.

The \$90.4 million provided by financing activities principally consisted of \$51.9 million net cash proceeds related to our Deutsche Bank Credit Facility, TIAA Credit Facility and JPM SPV Facility (together, the “Credit Facilities”), \$60.0 million of cash proceeds from our Main Street Term Loan (see Note E – Debt in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for these defined terms) and \$0.5 million net cash proceeds related to our common stock issuance, as described below in “Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds” of Part II of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, partially offset by (i) \$11.1 million in cash dividends paid to stockholders, (ii) \$4.6 million for deferred financing costs, (iii) \$6.2 million for the repurchase of common stock and (iv) \$0.1 million in offering costs.

Share Repurchase Program

On March 31, 2020, the Company’s Board of Directors unanimously approved a temporary suspension of the Company’s share repurchase program commencing with the second quarter of 2020. The Board of Directors determined that it was the best interest of the Company to suspend the share repurchase program in order to preserve the financial flexibility and liquidity given the prolonged impact of COVID-19.

On March 2, 2021, the Company’s Board of Directors unanimously approved the reinstatement of the Company’s share repurchase program commencing in April 2021 with repurchases effectuated via tender offers and generally equal to 90% of the amount of the dividend reinvestment plan proceeds resulting from dividend payments. See “Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds” of Part II of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for more information regarding repurchases of our common stock during the three months ended September 30, 2021.

Capital Resources

As of September 30, 2021, we had \$21.4 million in cash and cash equivalents, \$111.3 million of unused capacity under our Credit Facilities, which we maintain to support our investment and operating activities, and \$15.0 million of unused capacity under the Main Street Term Loan. As of September 30, 2021, our net asset value totaled \$603.3 million, or \$7.56 per share.

As of September 30, 2021, we had \$93.0 million outstanding and \$72.0 million of undrawn commitments under our TIAA Credit Facility, and \$260.7 million outstanding and \$39.3 million of undrawn commitments under the JPM SPV Facility, both of which we estimate approximated fair value. As of September 30, 2021, we also had \$60.0 million outstanding and \$15.0 million of undrawn commitments under our Main Street Term Loan. Availability under the TIAA Credit Facility is subject to certain borrowing base limitations and the asset coverage restrictions. Availability under the JPM SPV Facility is subject to certain borrowing base limitations. For further information on our Credit Facilities,

including key terms and financial covenants, refer to “Note E — *Debt*” in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

Subsequent to September 30, 2021, we completed several activities to provide additional liquidity - see “Recent Developments” below for a discussion of our entry into the Note Purchase Agreement governing the issuance of \$150.0 million in aggregate principal amount of our Series A Notes and the related repayment and termination of the repayment of the Main Street Term Loan occurring subsequent to quarter-end.

We anticipate that we will continue to fund our investment activities through existing cash and cash equivalents, cash flows generated through our ongoing operating activities, utilization of available borrowings under our Credit Facilities, the Note Purchase Agreement, and future issuances of debt capital. Our primary uses of funds will be investments in portfolio companies, operating expenses, cash distributions to holders of our common stock and share repurchases under our share repurchase program.

We may occasionally invest excess cash balances into marketable securities and idle funds investments. The primary investment objective of marketable securities and idle funds investments is to generate incremental cash returns on excess cash balances prior to utilizing those funds for investment in our LMM, Middle Market and Private Loan portfolio investments. Marketable securities and idle funds investments generally consist of debt investments, independently rated debt investments, certificates of deposit with financial institutions, diversified bond funds and publicly traded debt and equity investments.

In order to satisfy the Code requirements applicable to a RIC, we intend to distribute to our stockholders, after consideration and application of our ability under the Code to carry forward certain excess undistributed taxable income from one tax year into the next tax year, substantially all of our taxable income. In addition, as a BDC, we generally are required to meet a coverage ratio of total assets to total senior securities, which include borrowings and any preferred stock we may issue in the future, of at least 200% (or 150% if certain requirements are met). This requirement limits the amount that we may borrow.

Although we have been able to secure access to additional liquidity, including through our Credit Facilities, and the Note Purchase Agreement, there is no assurance that debt or equity capital will be available to us in the future on favorable terms, or at all.

Recently Issued or Adopted Accounting Standards

See “Note B.12 – Recently Issued or Adopted Accounting Standards” in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for a discussion of recently issued or adopted accounting standards.

From time to time, new accounting pronouncements are issued by the FASB or other standard-setting bodies that are adopted by us as of the specified effective date. We believe that the impact of recently issued standards and any that are not yet effective will not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements upon adoption.

Inflation

Inflation has not had a significant effect on our results of operations in any of the reporting periods presented herein. However, our portfolio companies have experienced, including as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, and may continue to experience, the impacts of inflation on their operating results, including periodic escalations in their costs for labor, raw materials, third party services and required energy consumption. Prolonged or more severe impacts of inflation to our portfolio companies could impact their ability to service their debt obligations and/or reduce their available cash for distributions which in turn could negatively affect our results of operations.

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

We may be a party to financial instruments with off-balance sheet risk in the normal course of business to meet the financial needs of our portfolio companies. These instruments include commitments to extend credit and fund equity capital and involve, to varying degrees, elements of liquidity and credit risk in excess of the amount recognized in the

balance sheet. At September 30, 2021, we had a total of \$48.7 million in outstanding commitments comprised of (i) thirty-two investments with commitments to fund revolving loans that had not been fully drawn or term loans with additional commitments not yet funded and (ii) three investments with equity capital commitments that had not been fully called.

Contractual Obligations

As of September 30, 2021, we had \$413.7 million in borrowings outstanding under our Credit Facilities and Main Street Term Loan. The TIAA Credit Facility will mature on March 1, 2026. The JPM SPV Facility will mature on February 3, 2025. The Main Street Term Loan will mature on January 27, 2026 (see “Recent Developments” below for a discussion of the repayment and termination of the Main Street Term Loan subsequent to quarter-end). See further discussion of the terms of our Credit Facilities and other debt in “Note E —Debt” in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	Thereafter	Total
(dollars in thousands)							
TIAA Credit Facility	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ —	\$ 93,000	\$ 93,000
JPM SPV Facility	—	—	—	—	260,688	—	260,688
Main Street Term Loan	—	—	—	—	—	60,000	60,000
Interest Due on Main Street Term Loan	2,091	3,154	3,042	3,050	3,042	219	14,598
Total	\$ 2,091	\$ 3,154	\$ 3,042	\$ 3,050	\$ 263,730	\$ 153,219	\$ 428,286

Related Party Transactions

We have entered into agreements with HMS Adviser, MSC Adviser and the Dealer Manager, whereby we pay certain fees and reimbursements to these entities. These included payments to the Dealer Manager for selling commissions and the Dealer Manager fee and include payments to HMS Adviser and MSC Adviser for reimbursement of offering costs. In addition, we make payments for certain services that include the identification, execution, and management of our investments and also the management of our day-to-day operations provided to us by MSC Adviser, pursuant to various agreements that we have entered into. See “Note J — Related Party Transactions and Arrangements” in the notes to our consolidated financial statements included elsewhere in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for additional information regarding related party transactions.

Recent Developments

On October 22, 2021, we and certain qualified institutional investors entered into a Master Note Purchase Agreement (the “Note Purchase Agreement”), which governs the issuance of \$150.0 million in aggregate principal amount of the Company’s 4.04% Series A Senior Notes due 2026 (the “Series A Notes”). The Series A Notes bear a fixed interest rate of 4.04% per year and will mature on October 30, 2026, unless redeemed, purchased or prepaid prior to such date by us in accordance with their terms. We issued \$77.5 million of Series A Notes upon entering into the Note Purchase Agreement, and will issue an additional \$72.5 million in January 2022. Proceeds from the initial issuance were primarily used to fully repay the \$60.0 million of the principal amount outstanding under the Main Street Term Loan plus accrued interest and fees, in connection with which the Main Street Term Loan was terminated.

Interest on the Series A Notes will be due semiannually on April 30 and October 30 each year, beginning on April 30, 2022. The Series A Notes may be redeemed in whole or in part at any time or from time to time at our option at par plus accrued interest to the prepayment date and, if applicable, a make-whole premium. In addition, we are obligated to offer to prepay the Series A Notes at par plus accrued and unpaid interest up to, but excluding, the date of prepayment, if certain change in control events occur. The Series A Notes are general unsecured obligations of ours that rank *pari passu* with all outstanding and future unsecured unsubordinated indebtedness issued by us.

On November 1, 2021, we repurchased 511,026 shares of our common stock validly tendered and not withdrawn on the terms set forth in our tender offer statement on Schedule TO and Offer to Purchase filed with the SEC on September 13, 2021. The shares were repurchased at a price of \$7.60 per share, which was our net asset value per share as of November 1, 2021, for an aggregate purchase price of \$3.9 million (an amount equal to 90% of the proceeds)

we received from the issuance of shares under our dividend reinvestment plan from our November 1, 2021 dividend payment).

On November 11, 2021, our Board of Directors declared a quarterly cash dividend of \$0.15 per share payable February 1, 2022 to stockholders of record as of December 31, 2021.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures about Market Risk

We are subject to financial market risks, including changes in interest rates, and changes in interest rates may affect both our interest expense on the debt outstanding under our Credit Facilities and our interest income from portfolio investments. Our risk management systems and procedures are designed to identify and analyze our risk, to set appropriate policies and limits and to continually monitor these risks. Our investment income will be affected by changes in various interest rates, including LIBOR and prime rates, to the extent that any debt investments include floating interest rates. See “Risk Factors — Risks Relating to Our Investments — Changes relating to the LIBOR calculation process, the phase-out of LIBOR and the use of replacement rates for LIBOR may adversely affect the value of our portfolio securities.”, “Risk Factors — Risk Related to Our Investments — Changes in interest rates may affect our cost of capital, net investment income and the value of our investments.” and “Risk Factors — Risk Related to Debt Financing — Because we borrow money, the potential for gain or loss on amounts invested in us is magnified and may increase the risk of investing in us.” included in our Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 for more information regarding risks associated with our debt investments and borrowings that utilize LIBOR or other floating rates as a reference rate.

The majority of our debt investments are made with either fixed interest rates or floating rates that are subject to contractual minimum interest rates for the term of the investment. As of September 30, 2021, approximately 83% of our debt investment portfolio (at cost) bore interest at floating rates, 94% of which were subject to contractual minimum interest rates. Our interest expense will be affected by changes in the published LIBOR rate (or other floating reference rate) in connection with our Credit Facilities; however, the interest rate on our outstanding Main Street Term Loan was fixed for the life of such debt (as discussed above, the Main Street Term Loan was fully repaid and terminated on October 22, 2021 in conjunction with the Company’s issuance of new fixed rate debt). As of September 30, 2021, we had not entered into any interest rate hedging arrangements. Due to our Adviser’s limited use of derivatives, we have claimed an exclusion from the definition of the term “commodity pool operator” under the Commodity Exchange Act and, therefore, are not subject to registration or regulation as a pool operator under such Act. The following table shows the approximate annualized increase or decrease in the components of net investment income due to hypothetical base rate changes in interest rates, assuming no changes in our investments and borrowings as of September 30, 2021.

Basis Point Change	Increase (Decrease) in Interest Income	(Increase) Decrease in Interest Expense	Increase (Decrease) in Net Investment Income	Increase (Decrease) in Net Investment Income per Share
	(dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)			
(150)	\$ (48)	\$ 458	\$ 410	\$ 0.01
(100)	(48)	458	410	0.01
(50)	(48)	458	410	0.01
(25)	(48)	458	410	0.01
25	106	(884)	(778)	(0.01)
50	212	(1,768)	(1,556)	(0.02)
75	389	(2,653)	(2,264)	(0.03)
100	1,238	(3,537)	(2,299)	(0.03)
125	2,777	(4,421)	(1,644)	(0.02)
150	4,414	(5,305)	(891)	(0.01)

The hypothetical results assume that all LIBOR and prime rate changes would be effective on the first day of the period. However, the contractual LIBOR and prime rate reset dates would vary throughout the period, on either a monthly or quarterly basis, for both our investments and our Credit Facilities. The hypothetical results would also be impacted by the changes in the amount of debt outstanding under our Credit Facilities (with an increase (decrease) in the debt outstanding under the Credit Facilities resulting in an (increase) decrease in the hypothetical interest expense).

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

As of the end of the period covered by this report, we carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our Chief Executive Officer, President, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Compliance Officer and Chief Accounting Officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15 of the Exchange Act). Based on that evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer, President, Chief Financial Officer, Chief Compliance Officer and Chief Accounting Officer have concluded that our current disclosure controls and procedures are effective in timely alerting them of material information relating to us that is required to be disclosed in the reports we file or submit under the Exchange Act. There have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the quarter ended September 30, 2021 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II—OTHER INFORMATION**Item 1. Legal Proceedings**

Neither we, MSC Adviser, nor our subsidiaries are currently subject to any material pending legal proceedings, other than ordinary routine litigation incidental to our respective businesses. However, we, MSC Adviser or our subsidiaries may in the future, from time to time, be involved in litigation arising out of our respective operations in the normal course of business or otherwise. Furthermore, third parties may seek to impose liability on us in connection with the activities of our portfolio companies. While the outcome of any current legal proceedings cannot at this time be predicted with certainty, we do not expect any current matters will materially affect our or MSC Adviser's financial condition or results of operations; however, there can be no assurance whether any pending legal proceedings will have a material adverse effect on our or MSC Adviser's financial condition or results of operations in any future reporting period.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

In addition to the other information set forth in this report, you should carefully consider the risk factors described in Part I, "Item 1A. Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 that we filed with the SEC on March 30, 2021, which could materially affect our business, financial condition and/or operating results. There have been no material changes to the risk factors as previously disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020.

The risks described in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2020 are not the only risks facing us. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to us or that we currently deem to be immaterial also may materially and adversely affect our business, financial condition and/or operating results.

Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

During the three months ended September 30, 2021, we issued 478,309 shares of our common stock under our dividend reinvestment plan. The aggregate value of the shares of common stock issued during the three months ended September 30, 2021 under the dividend reinvestment plan was approximately \$3.7 million.

The following chart summarizes repurchases of our common stock for the three months ended September 30, 2021:

Period	Total number of shares purchased	Average price paid per share	Total number of shares purchased as part of publicly announced plans or programs	Approximate dollar value of shares that may yet be purchased under the plans or programs
July 1 through July 31, 2021	—	—	—	—
August 1 through August 31, 2021	438,292 ⁽¹⁾	\$ 7.57	438,292	N/A
September 1 through September 30, 2021	—	—	—	—

- (1) In August 2021, pursuant to our tender offer to purchase shares of our common stock on the terms set forth in our tender offer statement on Schedule TO and Offer to Purchase filed with the SEC on June 11, 2021, we purchased a total of 438,292 shares validly tendered and not withdrawn at a price of \$7.57 per share, which was our net asset value per share as of August 2, 2021, for an aggregate purchase price of \$3.3 million (an amount equal to 90% of the proceeds we received from the issuance of shares under our distribution reinvestment plan in connection with our August 2, 2021 dividend payment).

Item 5. Other Information

Not applicable.

Item 6. Exhibits

Listed below are the exhibits which are filed as part of this report (according to the number assigned to them in Item 601 of Regulation S-K):

Exhibit Number	Description of Exhibit
10.1	<u>Sixth Amendment and Waiver to Amended and Restated Senior Secured Revolving Credit Agreement, dated as of September 22, 2021, by and among the Registrant, the Guarantors party thereto, the lenders party thereto and TIAA, FSB (filed as exhibit 10.1 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K on September 28, 2021 (File No. 814-00939) and incorporated herein by reference).</u>
10.2	<u>Master Note Purchase Agreement, dated as of October 22, 2021, by and among the Company and the Purchasers party thereto (filed as exhibit 10.1 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K on October 22, 2021 and incorporated herein by reference).</u>
31.1	<u>Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.</u>
31.2	<u>Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.</u>
32.1	<u>Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (18 U.S.C. 1350).</u>
32.2	<u>Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (18 U.S.C. 1350).</u>

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

MSC INCOME FUND, INC.

Date: November 12, 2021	<hr/> <i>/s/ DWAYNE L. HYZAK</i> Dwayne L. Hyzak <i>Chief Executive Officer</i> <i>(principal executive officer)</i> <hr/> <i>/s/ JESSE E. MORRIS</i>
Date: November 12, 2021	Jesse E. Morris <i>Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer</i> <i>(principal financial officer)</i> <hr/> <i>/s/ CORY E. GILBERT</i>
Date: November 12, 2021	Cory E. Gilbert <i>Chief Accounting Officer</i> <i>(principal accounting officer)</i>

I, Dwayne L. Hyzak, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2021 of MSC Income Fund, Inc. (the “registrant”);
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant’s other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant’s disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant’s most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant’s fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant’s other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant’s auditors and the audit committee of the registrant’s board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant’s ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting.

Dated this November 12, 2021.

By: /s/ DWAYNE L. HYZAK
Dwayne L. Hyzak
Chief Executive Officer

I, Jesse E. Morris, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q for the quarterly period ended September 30, 2021 of MSC Income Fund, Inc. (the “registrant”);
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant’s other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
 - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
 - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
 - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant’s disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
 - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant’s most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant’s fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting; and
5. The registrant’s other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant’s auditors and the audit committee of the registrant’s board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
 - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant’s ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
 - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant’s internal control over financial reporting.

Dated this November 12, 2021.

By: /s/ JESSE E. MORRIS

Jesse E. Morris
Chief Financial Officer and Chief Operating Officer

**Certification of Chief Executive Officer
Pursuant to
Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (18 U.S.C. 1350)**

In connection with the Quarterly Report of MSC Income Fund, Inc. (the "Registrant") on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2021 (the "Report"), as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, Dwayne L. Hyzak, the Chief Executive Officer of the Registrant, hereby certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Registrant.

/s/ DWAYNE L. HYZAK

Name: Dwayne L. Hyzak

Date: November 12, 2021

**Certification of Chief Financial Officer
Pursuant to
Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (18 U.S.C. 1350)**

In connection with the Quarterly Report of MSC Income Fund, Inc. (the "Registrant") on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended September 30, 2021 (the "Report"), as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, I, Jesse E. Morris, the Chief Financial Officer of the Registrant, hereby certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. §1350, as adopted pursuant to §906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or Section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended; and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Registrant.

/s/ JESSE E. MORRIS

Name: Jesse E. Morris

Date: November 12, 2021
