



FIRST TRUST PRIVATE CREDIT FUND

Class A Shares – FTCAX

Class I Shares – FTPCX

Semi-Annual Report
September 30, 2025
(Unaudited)

First Trust Private Credit Fund

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This report and the Consolidated Financial Statements contained herein are provided for the general information of the shareholders of the First Trust Private Credit Fund (the “Fund”). This report is not authorized for distribution to prospective investors in the Fund unless preceded or accompanied by an effective prospectus.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS
As of September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

| Principal Amount (\$) | | Value |
|--|---|--------------|
| ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES – 16.0% | | |
| 5,000,000 ¹ | Arts SPV S.r.l. 10.564% (3-Month Euribor+855 basis points), 11/30/2041 ^{2,3,4,5} | \$ 5,870,099 |
| 3,036,386 ¹ | Banco Santander, S.A. Series 2024-1 CLN, 11.029% (3-Month Euribor+900 basis points), 6/20/2030 ^{2,3,4,5} | 3,627,052 |
| 1,135,324 ¹ | Series Syntotta 5, 10.034% (3-Month Euribor+800 basis points), 12/27/2043 ^{2,3,4,5} | 1,356,178 |
| 877,866 | BNP Paribas – Broadway Series 1, Class JNR, 12.358% (1-Month Term SOFR+800 basis points), 4/12/2031 ^{2,4,5,6} | 884,450 |
| 2,323,221 | Deutsche Bank AG Series 2021-1X, Class CLN, 12.977% (3-Month Term SOFR+876 basis points), 2/21/2029 ^{2,4,5,6} | 2,764,633 |
| 2,000,000 ¹ | Series 2025-1X, Class CLN, 11.439% (3-Month Euribor+950 basis points), 10/25/2035 ^{2,3,5,6} | 2,356,093 |
| 5,000,000 | Granville Ltd. Series 25-1X, 10.630% (1-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 2/15/2030 ^{2,4,5} | 5,000,000 |
| 8,288,000 ¹ | Gregory SPV S.R.L. Series 32XC, 9.764% (3-Month Euribor+775 basis points), 12/30/2045 ^{2,3,4,5} | 9,735,822 |
| 1,854,723 ¹ | Landesbank Baden-Wuerttemberg Series LION-5 MEZ, 11.016% (3-Month Euribor+900 basis points), 7/31/2034 ^{2,3,4,5} | 2,162,392 |
| 3,751,489 ¹ | Series LION-6 SNR, 9.666% (3-Month Euribor+765 basis points), 10/30/2036 ^{2,3,4,5} | 4,438,587 |
| 2,500,000 ¹ | Lloyds Bank PLC 8.467% (SONIA+450 basis points), 12/16/2030 ^{2,3,4,5} | 3,366,326 |
| 2,990,997 ¹ | 11.318% (SONIA+735 basis points), 12/16/2030 ^{2,3,4,5} | 4,031,571 |
| 2,533,199 | Mespil Securities No.3 Designated Activity Company Series 2024-1, Class B, 13.680% (2-Month Term SOFR+950 basis points), 7/28/2032 ^{2,4,5} | 2,590,196 |
| 5,200,000 ¹ | PYMES Magdalena Series 12, Class NOTE, 9.029% (3-Month Euribor+700 basis points), 12/31/2039 ^{2,3,4,5,6} | 6,104,719 |
| 2,128,799 ¹ | Series 11, Class NOTE, 8.471% (3-Month Euribor+650 basis points), 7/4/2054 ^{2,3,4,5,6} | 2,493,079 |
| 15,113,890 ¹ | Santander Consumer Finance, S.A. Series 2024-1, 8.716% (3-Month STIBOR+665 basis points), 12/25/2034 ^{2,3,4,5} | 1,601,484 |
| 33,128,000 | 8.617% (3-Month CIBOR+665 basis points), 6/25/2035 ⁵ | 5,228,494 |
| 1,801,161 ¹ | Santander UK PLC Series 2024-2 F, 14.950% (SONIA+1,000 basis points), 5/22/2034 ^{2,3,4,5} | 2,463,952 |

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| ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES (Continued) | | |
| 3,000,000 | St. Lawrence Corp. Series 2023-1X, Class MEZZ, 14.090% (1-Month Term SOFR+975 basis points), 5/25/2033 ^{2,4,5,6} | \$ 3,032,070 |
| 1,151,622 | U.S. Bancorp Series 2025-SUP1, Class R, 11.856% (30-Day SOFR Average+750 basis points), 2/25/2032 ^{2,5,6,7} | 1,175,806 |
| | TOTAL ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES (Cost \$66,003,674) | 70,283,003 |
| BANK LOANS – 29.9% | | |
| 86,957 | Accordian Partners, LLC 1.000%, Delay Draw, 11/17/2031 ^{5,8} | 13,670 |
| 576,812 | 9.252%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 11/17/2031 ^{2,5} | 575,196 |
| 500,000 | Accuray, Inc. 1.000%, Delay Draw, 6/4/2030 ^{5,8} | (103) |
| 3,042,000 | 8.700% Cash, 6.000% PIK, Term Loan (30-Day SOFR Average+1,050 basis points), 6/4/2030 ^{2,5,9} | 2,364,343 |
| 4,996,671 | American Beacon Partners 11.061%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 4/30/2027 ² | 4,397,071 |
| 2,000,000 | C3 Rentals, LLC 12.354%, Term Loan, 4/22/2027 ^{5,10} | 2,020,000 |
| 1,961,492 | Cardinal Parent, Inc. 8.949%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+450 basis points), 11/12/2027 ^{2,6} | 1,951,891 |
| 9,000,000 | Catalyst Brands, LLC 12.405%, Term Loan, 9/16/2030 ⁵ | 8,910,000 |
| 394,750 | CB Buyer, Inc. 0.500%, Revolver, 7/1/2031 ^{5,8} | (395) |
| 677,195 | 1.000%, Delay Draw, 7/1/2031 ^{5,8} | 41,837 |
| 3,890,737 | 9.252%, Term Loan, 7/1/2031 ⁵ | 3,886,846 |
| 363,279 | CIRE Alto OpCo, LLC 24.090%, Term Loan, 10/31/2025 ^{5,10} | 363,279 |
| 3,980,000 | Connect America.com, LLC 9.796%, Term Loan, 12/31/2028 ^{5,10} | 3,900,400 |
| 975,000 | CPC/Cirtec Holdings, Inc. 9.316%, Term Loan, 1/30/2029 ⁵ | 968,175 |
| 410,256 | Craftmark Bakery Holdings, LLC 0.500%, Revolver, 5/6/2031 ^{5,8} | — |
| 717,949 | 9.558%, Delay Draw (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 5/6/2031 ^{5,11} | 68,427 |
| 2,871,795 | 9.558%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 5/6/2031 ⁵ | 2,809,175 |

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| BANK LOANS (Continued) | | |
| 2,032,961 | DCERT Buyer, Inc. 11.163% (1-Month Term SOFR+700 basis points), 2/24/2029 ² | \$ 1,855,077 |
| 136,672 | Dentive, LLC 7.296%, Cash, 6.250% PIK, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+300 basis points), 12/23/2028 ⁵ | 131,137 |
| 274,407 | 10.752%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+675 basis points), 12/23/2028 ⁵ | 263,294 |
| 2,987,625 | 1.000%, Delay Draw, 12/26/2028 ^{5,11} | 1,497,126 |
| 5,000,000 | Dorel Industries, Inc 7.940%, Term Loan (30-Day SOFR Average+360 basis points), 9/28/2030 ^{2,5} | 4,768,981 |
| 5,000,000 | Family Dollar Stores, LLC 10.815%, Term Loan (30-Day SOFR Average+650 basis points), 7/3/2028 ^{2,5} | 5,000,000 |
| 332,043 | Fenix Topco, LLC 1.000%, Delay Draw, ^{5,8} | — |
| 58,617 | 11.050%, Delay Draw, 4/2/2027 ^{5,10,11} | 48,196 |
| 845,690 | 13.800%, Term Loan, 3/28/2029 ^{5,10} | 809,325 |
| 1,321,945 | Fertility (ITC) Buyer, Inc. 9.692%, Term Loan (6-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 1/3/2029 ^{2,5} | 1,321,945 |
| 1,583,507 | 9.872%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 1/3/2029 ^{5,11} | 1,167,849 |
| 488,608 | Florida Food Products, LLC 9.590%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+500 basis points), 10/18/2028 ^{2,6} | 338,972 |
| 535,604 | Fortna Group, Inc. 10.080%, Term Loan (6-Month Term SOFR+550 basis points), 6/1/2029 ^{2,6} | 445,622 |
| 1,476,562 | HS Purchaser LLC 8.280%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+400 basis points), 11/30/2026 ^{2,6} | 1,399,877 |
| 528,961 | IDC Infusion Services, Inc. 10.372%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 7/7/2028 ^{5,11} | 466,089 |
| 1,438,182 | 10.502%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 7/7/2028 ^{2,5} | 1,443,791 |
| 3,465,000 | 10.502%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 7/7/2028 ^{2,5} | 3,441,091 |
| 4,232,836 | Ipsen Group Holding GmbH 7.663% Cash, 7.250% PIK, Term Loan, 7/31/2029 ^{5,9,10} | 4,086,804 |

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| BANK LOANS (Continued) | | |
| | Ivanti Software, Inc. | |
| 1,099,111 | 8.793%, Cash, 9.050% PIK, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+425 basis points), 12/1/2027 ^{2,6,9} | \$ 916,384 |
| | IvantiNewCo | |
| 79,372 | 10.051%, Term Loan (1-Month Term SOFR+575 basis points), 6/1/2029 | 81,803 |
| | KL Charlie Acquisition Company | |
| 461,384 | 9.763%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+560 basis points), 12/20/2026 ^{2,5} | 461,384 |
| 349,554 | 9.763%, Term Loan (1-Month Term SOFR+560 basis points), 12/20/2026 ^{2,5} | 349,554 |
| | Leonard Valve Company, LLC | |
| 1,980,000 | 9.502%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+550 basis points), 9/30/2027 ^{2,5} | 1,980,000 |
| | Litigation Trust Class A- 1 DIP Interest | |
| 814,953 | 0.000% Cash, 10.000% PIK, 12/30/2026 ^{5,10} | 814,953 |
| | Litigation Trust Class A- 2 Bridge Interest | |
| 264,667 | 0.000% Cash, 10.000% PIK, Bridge, 10/30/2026 ^{5,10} | 264,667 |
| | Litigation Trust Class A- 2 DIP Interest | |
| 1,057,498 | 0.000% Cash, 10.000% PIK, 12/30/2026 ^{5,10} | 1,057,498 |
| | Litigation Trust Other Claims | |
| 75,729 | 0.000%, Bridge, 10/30/2026 ⁵ | 75,729 |
| | Medical Technology Solutions, LLC | |
| 375,000 | 0.500%, Revolver, 6/3/2032 ^{5,8} | — |
| 1,250,000 | 1.000%, Delay Draw, 6/3/2032 ^{5,8} | — |
| 2,375,000 | 9.583%, Term Loan (30-Day SOFR Average+525 basis points), 6/3/2032 ^{2,5} | 2,332,812 |
| | Minds + Assembly, LLC | |
| 169,271 | 0.500%, Revolver, 10/28/2026 ^{5,8} | — |
| 3,065,326 | 10.049%, Term Loan, 10/28/2026 ^{5,10} | 3,053,064 |
| | Monroe Capital Corp. | |
| 489,437 | 9.252%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 12/20/2028 ⁵ | 489,437 |
| 487,500 | 9.549%, Term Loan, 12/20/2028 ⁵ | 487,500 |
| | Nephorn Pharmaceuticals Corp. | |
| 5,000,000 | 13.498%, Term Loan, 1/31/2028 ^{5,10} | 4,975,000 |
| | Neptune Bidco US, Inc. | |
| 1,972,267 | 9.179%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+475 basis points), 10/11/2028 ² | 1,881,049 |
| 1,959,912 | 9.429%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+500 basis points), 4/11/2029 ^{2,6} | 1,870,746 |
| 3,575,814 | 14.179%, Term Loan, 10/11/2029 | 3,557,935 |

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| BANK LOANS (Continued) | | |
| | NMA Holdings, LLC | |
| 2,101,765 | 9.026%, Term Loan, 1/2/2028 ^{5,10} | \$ 2,095,459 |
| 529,169 | 9.026%, Delay Draw, 7/7/2028 ^{5,10,11} | 95,229 |
| 352,941 | 0.500%, Revolver, 12/18/2030 ^{5,8} | — |
| | Orthopaedic (ITC) Buyer, LLC | |
| 1,543,830 | 10.896%, Term Loan, 7/31/2028 ⁵ | 1,543,830 |
| | PhyNet Dermatology, LLC | |
| 964,379 | 10.825%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 10/20/2029 ^{2,5} | 945,091 |
| 481,241 | 10.825%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 10/20/2029 ^{2,5} | 471,617 |
| 517,241 | 11.493%, Delay Draw, 10/20/2029 ^{5,8} | (10,345) |
| 1,015,124 | 11.493%, Delay Draw, 10/20/2029 ^{5,8} | (20,302) |
| | Progress Lighting, LLC | |
| 3,955,553 | 14.325%, Term Loan, 9/18/2029 ^{5,10} | 3,854,686 |
| | Project Leopard Holdings, Inc. | |
| 2,767,183 | 9.658%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 7/20/2029 ^{2,6} | 2,503,719 |
| | Riccobene Associates | |
| 1,313,484 | 9.316%, Term Loan, 11/12/2027 ^{5,10} | 1,299,036 |
| 540,582 | 8.900%, Delay Draw, 1/10/2028 ^{5,10} | 119,209 |
| 135,318 | 0.500%, Revolver, 10/31/2030 ^{5,8} | — |
| | Riskonnect Parent, LLC | |
| 4,000,000 | 0.500%, Delay Draw, 12/7/2028 ⁸ | (30,000) |
| 965,311 | 8.622%, Term Loan (6-Month Term SOFR+475 basis points), 12/7/2028 ² | 962,898 |
| | Royal Palm Equity Partners I LP | |
| 409,869 | 0.000%, Cash, 3.000% PIK, Delay Draw, 10/24/2033 ^{5,9,11} | 47,020 |
| 642,099 | 11.319%, Cash, 11.300% PIK, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+700 basis points), 10/24/2033 ^{2,5,9} | 639,210 |
| | Royal Palm Equity Partners II LP | |
| 52,861 | 0.000%, Cash, 12.319% PIK, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+800 basis points), 10/24/2028 ^{2,5,9} | 52,559 |
| 84,778 | 0.000%, Cash, 3.000% PIK, Term Loan, 10/24/2033 ^{5,9} | 84,397 |
| | Russell Investments U.S. Institutional Holdco, Inc. | |
| 5,599,387 | 9.280%, Cash, 1.500% PIK, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+500 basis points), 5/28/2027 ^{2,6,9} | 5,390,418 |
| | Sepro Holdings, LLC | |
| 432,836 | 1.000%, Delay Draw, 7/26/2030 ^{5,8} | (5,324) |
| 2,999,552 | 9.413%, Term Loan (1-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 7/26/2030 ⁵ | 2,962,658 |
| | Shryne Group, Inc. | |
| 7,727,344 | 16.000% Cash, 1.000% PIK, Term Loan, 5/26/2026 ^{5,9,10} | 7,727,344 |

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| BANK LOANS (Continued) | | |
| | South Florida ENT Associates | |
| 419,143 | 9.352%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 12/31/2025 ^{5,11} | \$ 338,822 |
| 765,798 | 9.673%, Term Loan, 12/31/2025 ⁵ | 764,343 |
| | Summit Spine & Joint Centers | |
| 829,187 | 1.000%, Delay Draw, 3/18/2028 ^{5,8} | — |
| 414,594 | 9.077%, Revolver, 3/18/2028 ^{5,10} | 23,217 |
| 2,742,438 | 9.077%, Term Loan, 3/18/2028 ^{5,10} | 2,731,468 |
| | Synamedia Americas Holdings, Inc. | |
| 3,805,172 | 12.062%, Term Loan, 12/5/2028 ⁵ | 3,800,606 |
| | Tank Holding Corp. | |
| 15,409 | 1.000%, Revolver, 3/31/2028 ⁸ | (1,223) |
| 1,851,506 | 9.913%, Term Loan (1-Month Term SOFR+575 basis points), 3/31/2028 ² | 1,760,783 |
| 682,500 | 10.163%, Term Loan (1-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 5/11/2029 ² | 647,737 |
| 295,847 | 10.263%, Delay Draw (1-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 5/11/2029 ¹¹ | 280,778 |
| | Taoglas Group Holdings Limited | |
| 214,991 | 11.240%, Revolver (1-Month Term SOFR+725 basis points), 2/28/2029 ^{5,11} | 194,233 |
| 765,384 | 11.252%, Term Loan (3-Month Term SOFR+725 basis points), 2/28/2029 ^{2,5} | 732,855 |
| | USN OPCO, LLC | |
| 2,462,500 | 10.177%, Term Loan, 12/21/2026 ⁵ | 2,462,500 |
| 1,497,051 | West Side Holdco, LLC | |
| | 13.354%, Term Loan, 9/3/2027 ^{5,10} | 1,556,933 |
| | TOTAL BANK LOANS | |
| | (Cost \$131,658,538) | 131,425,964 |
| Number of Shares | | |
| CLOSED-END FUNDS – 0.4% | | |
| 124,379 | Palmer Square Capital BDC, Inc. ¹² | 1,526,130 |
| | TOTAL CLOSED-END FUNDS | |
| | (Cost \$2,040,862) | 1,526,130 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS – 29.4% | | |
| | 720 East CLO Ltd. | |
| 250,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class ER, 6.675% (3-Month Term SOFR+550 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 250,000 |
| 750,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class D1R, 6.925% (3-Month Term SOFR+275 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 750,000 |
| | ABPCI Direct Lending Fund CLO, LLC | |
| 1,250,000 | Series 2017-1A, Class ERR, 11.825% (3-Month Term SOFR+750 basis points), 7/20/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 1,271,506 |
| | AIMCO CLO Ltd. | |
| 250,000 | Series 2019-10A, Class ERR, 9.982% (3-Month Term SOFR+565 basis points), 7/22/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 255,068 |
| | Alinea CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-1A, Class DR, 6.575% (3-Month Term SOFR+225 basis points), 7/20/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 501,226 |
| | Apidos CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2015-23A, Class DRR, 6.918% (3-Month Term SOFR+260 basis points), 4/15/2033 ^{2,6,7} | 994,076 |
| 350,000 | Series 2017-28A, Class C1R, 7.124% (3-Month Term SOFR+285 basis points), 10/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 352,787 |
| | Arini U.S. CLO Ltd. | |
| 2,000,000 | Series 1A, Class D, 8.326% (3-Month Term SOFR+400 basis points), 4/15/2038 ^{2,6,7,11} | 1,017,491 |
| | Bain Capital Credit CLO Ltd. | |
| 750,000 | Series 2018-2A, Class DR, 7.275% (3-Month Term SOFR+295 basis points), 7/19/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 753,441 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2023-1A, Class A1R, 5.725% (3-Month Term SOFR+140 basis points), 7/16/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,005,750 |
| | Ballyrock CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2019-2A, Class C1R3, 7.629% (3-Month Term SOFR+270 basis points), 10/25/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,000,000 |
| 250,000 | Series 2019-2A, Class C2R3, 7.629% (3-Month Term SOFR+395 basis points), 10/25/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 250,000 |
| | Battalion CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2020-15A, Class BR, 5.822% (3-Month Term SOFR+150 basis points), 1/17/2033 ^{2,6,7} | 500,063 |
| | Benefit Street Partners CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2021-23A, Class ER, 9.568% (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 4/25/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 502,832 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2014-IVA, Class AR5, 5.204% (3-Month Term SOFR+125 basis points), 10/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,002,717 |
| | BlueMountain CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2020-30A, Class DR, 7.618% (3-Month Term SOFR+330 basis points), 4/15/2035 ^{2,6,7} | 501,252 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS (Continued) | | |
| | Bryant Park Funding Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-20A, Class DR, 7.725% (3-Month Term SOFR+340 basis points), 4/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 510,403 |
| 500,000 | Series 2025-27A, Class D3, 8.504% (3-Month Term SOFR+430 basis points), 7/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 499,756 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-21A, Class ER, 9.161% (3-Month Term SOFR+525 basis points), 10/18/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| | Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2014-2RA, Class C, 7.273% (3-Month Term SOFR+306 basis points), 5/15/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 1,005,533 |
| | Cedar Funding CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2016-6A, Class DRR, 7.897% (3-Month Term SOFR+357 basis points), 4/20/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 501,291 |
| 500,000 | Series 2014-4A, Class DR3, 7.619% (3-Month Term SOFR+330 basis points), 1/23/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 510,014 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-17A, Class ER, 10.825% (3-Month Term SOFR+650 basis points), 7/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 505,137 |
| | CIFC Funding Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-4A, Class D, 10.680% (3-Month Term SOFR+636 basis points), 10/24/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 501,096 |
| 500,000 | Series 2013-3RA, Class D, 10.480% (3-Month Term SOFR+616 basis points), 4/24/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 499,294 |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-2A, Class D1R, 7.375% (3-Month Term SOFR+305 basis points), 10/20/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 500,656 |
| | Dryden CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2018-55A, Class D, 7.429% (3-Month Term SOFR+311 basis points), 4/15/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 1,000,297 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2023-102A, Class D1R, 6.805% (3-Month Term SOFR+290 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 999,973 |
| | Dryden Senior Loan Fund | |
| 500,000 | Series 2013-30A, Class DR, 7.073% (3-Month Term SOFR+286 basis points), 11/15/2028 ^{2,6,7} | 502,865 |
| 750,000 | Series 2017-54A, Class D, 7.687% (3-Month Term SOFR+336 basis points), 10/19/2029 ^{2,6,7} | 753,011 |
| 500,000 | Series 2016-45A, Class DRR, 7.368% (3-Month Term SOFR+305 basis points), 10/15/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 503,000 |
| | Eaton Vance CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2015-1A, Class DR, 7.087% (3-Month Term SOFR+276 basis points), 1/20/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 502,006 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2013-1A, Class AR4, 5.623% (3-Month Term SOFR+134 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,004,622 |
| 500,000 | Series 2013-1A, Class D1R4, 7.283% (3-Month Term SOFR+300 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 505,713 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS (Continued) | | |
| | Elevation CLO Ltd. | |
| 234,592 | Series 2018-10A, Class AR, 5.245% (3-Month Term SOFR+92 basis points), 10/20/2031 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 234,864 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2022-6A, Class D1R2, 6.611% (3-Month Term SOFR+270 basis points), 10/17/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,000,000 |
| 500,000 | Series 2022-6A, Class ER2, 9.061% (3-Month Term SOFR+515 basis points), 10/17/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| | Elmwood CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2021-3A, Class AR2, 5.558% (3-Month Term SOFR+130 basis points), 7/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 502,598 |
| 500,000 | Series 2022-1A, Class ER, 9.779% (3-Month Term SOFR+550 basis points), 10/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 504,941 |
| | Empower CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2025-1A, Class D1, 7.277% (3-Month Term SOFR+295 basis points), 7/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,008,565 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class AR, 5.610% (3-Month Term SOFR+132 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,005,361 |
| | Fortress Credit Opportunities CLO, LLC | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2022-19A, Class ER, 12.318% (3-Month Term SOFR+800 basis points), 10/15/2036 ^{2,6,7} | 1,022,478 |
| | Galaxy CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-26A, Class E, 10.315% (3-Month Term SOFR+611 basis points), 11/22/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 502,502 |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-24A, Class AR, 5.858% (3-Month Term SOFR+154 basis points), 4/15/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 501,784 |
| | Invesco U.S. CLO Ltd. | |
| 250,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class ER, 12.205% (3-Month Term SOFR+788 basis points), 4/21/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 257,655 |
| 250,000 | Series 2025-1A, Class E, 10.281% (3-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 252,223 |
| | KKR CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 18, Class A1R2, 5.191% (3-Month Term SOFR+105 basis points), 10/18/2035 ^{2,6,7} | 500,343 |
| | Magnetite CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2020-26A, Class D1R2, 6.091% (3-Month Term SOFR+250 basis points), 1/25/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,001,990 |
| | Maranon Loan Funding Ltd. | |
| 1,250,000 | Series 2021-3A, Class ER, 12.138% (3-Month Term SOFR+782 basis points), 10/15/2036 ^{2,6,7} | 1,283,860 |
| | MCF CLO Ltd. | |
| 3,000,000 | Series 2018-1A, Class SUB, 14.533%, 4/18/2036 ^{6,7,10,13} | 1,868,708 |
| | Menlo CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2025-3A, Class D, 6.894% (3-Month Term SOFR+300 basis points), 10/16/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS (Continued) | | |
| | Morgan Stanley Eaton Vance CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2022-18A, Class D1R, 7.425% (3-Month Term SOFR+310 basis points), 10/20/2037 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 499,463 |
| 500,000 | Series 2021-1A, Class ER, 10.004% (3-Month Term SOFR+606 basis points), 10/23/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 505,600 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-19A, Class D1R, 7.318% (3-Month Term SOFR+300 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 505,860 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-19A, Class D2R, 8.818% (3-Month Term SOFR+450 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 500,830 |
| | Mount Logan Funding LP | |
| 1,926,983 | Series 2018-1A, Class SUBR, 19.856%, 1/22/2033 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,025,623 |
| | Neuberger Berman CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2016-22A, Class ER2, 11.152% (3-Month Term SOFR+683 basis points), 4/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 512,091 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2017-16SA, Class D1R2, 7.018% (3-Month Term SOFR+270 basis points), 4/15/2039 ^{2,6,7} | 1,008,187 |
| | Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-28A, Class D1R, 7.525% (3-Month Term SOFR+320 basis points), 10/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 501,845 |
| 7,200,000 | Series 2025-60X, Class SUB, 13.507%, 4/22/2039 ^{6,7,10,11,13} | 1,393,214 |
| 3,900,000 | Series 2025-61X, Class SUB, 14.465%, 7/17/2039 ^{6,7,10,13} | 3,432,525 |
| 3,933,000 | Series 2025-62A, Class SUB, 0.000%, 10/17/2039 ^{6,7,10,13} | 3,480,705 |
| | New Mountain CLO Ltd. | |
| 1,000,000 | Series CLO-6A, Class D1, 7.418% (3-Month Term SOFR+310 basis points), 10/15/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 1,003,692 |
| 500,000 | Series CLO-1A, Class DRR, 7.168% (3-Month Term SOFR+285 basis points), 1/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 504,172 |
| | Newark BSL CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-1A, Class CR, 7.730% (3-Month Term SOFR+341 basis points), 7/25/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 501,221 |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-1A, Class D, 10.880% (3-Month Term SOFR+656 basis points), 7/25/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 501,955 |
| | Oaktree CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2022-1A, Class ER, 10.345% (3-Month Term SOFR+600 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 498,037 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class D2R, 8.725% (3-Month Term SOFR+440 basis points), 7/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 504,788 |
| | Octagon Investment Partners Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2013-1A, Class DR2, 7.080% (3-Month Term SOFR+276 basis points), 1/25/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 502,023 |
| | OHA Credit Partners XII Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2015-12A, Class ER2, 10.569% (3-Month Term SOFR+625 basis points), 4/23/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 508,544 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS (Continued) | | |
| OZLM Ltd. | | |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-22A, Class C, 7.234% (3-Month Term SOFR+291 basis points), 1/17/2031 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 502,684 |
| 500,000 | Series 2018-20A, Class C, 7.537% (3-Month Term SOFR+321 basis points), 4/20/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 502,051 |
| Palmer Square European Loan Funding | | |
| 600,000 ¹ | Series 2023-1X, Class SUB, 0.000%, 11/15/2032 ^{3,6,7,10,12,13} | — |
| 900,000 ¹ | Series 2023-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2033 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 872,285 |
| 1,000,000 ¹ | Series 2023-3X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2033 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 943,475 |
| 2,500,000 ¹ | Series 2024-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 8/15/2033 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 2,209,627 |
| 4,000,000 ¹ | Series 2024-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2034 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 3,864,954 |
| 2,000,000 ¹ | Series 2024-3X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2034 ^{3,6,7,10,12,13} | 2,144,158 |
| 1,000,000 ¹ | Series 2025-1X, Class SUB, 11.652%, 10/15/2034 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 1,173,984 |
| 2,000,000 ¹ | Series 2025-2X, Class SUB, 6.693%, 2/15/2035 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 2,350,985 |
| 1,250,000 ¹ | Series 2025-3X, Class SUB, 0.000%, 7/15/2035 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 1,467,481 |
| 1,450,000 ¹ | Series 2023-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2036 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 1,076,956 |
| 2,000,000 ¹ | Series 2024-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2037 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 2,006,093 |
| 2,825,000 ¹ | Series 2024-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2037 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 3,069,304 |
| 500,000 ¹ | Series 2023-1X, Class FR, 10.296% (3-Month Euribor+827 basis points), 1/15/2038 ^{2,3,6,12} | 571,096 |
| 1,050,000 ¹ | Series 2023-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2038 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 874,672 |
| 475,000 ¹ | Series 2025-2X, Class F, 10.196% (3-Month Euribor+817 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{2,3,6,12} | 545,904 |
| 1,500,000 ¹ | Series 2025-2X, Class SUB, 12.136%, 7/15/2038 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 1,685,831 |
| 1,250,000 ¹ | Series 2025-1X, Class SUB, 16.500%, 10/15/2039 ^{3,6,10,12,13} | 1,298,317 |
| Palmer Square Loan Funding Ltd. | | |
| 825,000 | Series 2023-1A, Class SUB, 0.000%, 7/20/2031 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | — |
| 450,000 | Series 2022-4A, Class SUB, 12.500%, 7/24/2031 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 333,376 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/25/2032 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 401,217 |
| 3,000,000 | Series 2024-3A, Class SUB, 14.500%, 8/8/2032 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,382,005 |
| 250,000 | Series 2024-1A, Class E, 10.888% (3-Month Term SOFR+657 basis points), 10/15/2032 ^{2,6,7,12} | 241,237 |
| 2,510,000 | Series 2024-1A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2032 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,906,383 |
| 3,000,000 | Series 2024-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2033 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,532,710 |
| 4,150,000 | Series 2025-1A, Class SUB, 12.395%, 2/15/2033 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 3,672,532 |
| 2,625,000 | Series 2025-2A, Class SUB, 8.090%, 7/15/2033 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,634,452 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-3A, Class SUB, 10.916%, 1/20/2037 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 473,320 |
| 1,540,000 | Series 2024-1A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 4/15/2037 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,243,008 |
| 3,000,000 | Series 2024-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 7/20/2037 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,417,851 |
| 2,000,000 | Series 2024-3A, Class SUB, 16.500%, 7/20/2037 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,712,431 |
| 1,250,000 | Series 2023-4A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/20/2037 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,190,140 |
| 3,000,000 | Series 2024-4A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,719,994 |

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| 2,250,000 | Series 2025-1A, Class SUB, 14.500%, 4/20/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | \$2,244,882 |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 7/20/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 406,175 |
| 2,000,000 | Series 2025-2A, Class SUB, 11.665%, 7/20/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 2,029,523 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2025-3A, Class SUB, 13.089%, 7/20/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,011,050 |
| 1,500,000 | Series 2025-4A, Class SUB, 13.035%, 10/20/2038 ^{6,7,10,12,13} | 1,500,000 |
| Post CLO Ltd. | | |
| 500,000 | Series 2024-1A, Class E, 11.125% (3-Month Term SOFR+680 basis points), 4/20/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 506,867 |
| Rad CLO Ltd. | | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2021-15A, Class A1AR, 5.700% (3-Month Term SOFR+136 basis points), 7/20/2040 ^{2,6,7} | 1,005,201 |
| Regatta Funding Ltd. | | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2016-1A, Class A1R3, 5.050% (3-Month Term SOFR+107 basis points), 6/20/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 1,000,000 |
| 500,000 | Series 2016-1A, Class A1R2, 5.415% (3-Month Term SOFR+141 basis points), 6/20/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| 500,000 | Series 2021-3A, Class D1R, 7.418% (3-Month Term SOFR+310 basis points), 10/15/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 504,142 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2025-5A, Class D1, 7.085% (3-Month Term SOFR+280 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,000,000 |
| Riserva CLO Ltd. | | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2016-3A, Class DRR, 7.841% (3-Month Term SOFR+351 basis points), 1/18/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 998,250 |
| Rockford Tower CLO Ltd. | | |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-2A, Class ER, 10.829% (3-Month Term SOFR+651 basis points), 10/15/2029 ^{2,6,7} | 504,941 |
| Sculptor CLO Ltd. | | |
| 500,000 | Series 29A, Class D2R, 8.837% (3-Month Term SOFR+435 basis points), 7/22/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 502,326 |
| Shackleton CLO Ltd. | | |
| 600,000 | Series 2019-14A, Class ERR, 10.225% (3-Month Term SOFR+590 basis points), 7/20/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 602,122 |
| Signal Peak CLO Ltd. | | |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-4A, Class BR2, 5.808% (3-Month Term SOFR+165 basis points), 10/26/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| Silver Point CLO Ltd. | | |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2025-9A, Class A1, 5.808% (3-Month Term SOFR+152 basis points), 3/31/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,006,145 |
| 500,000 | Series 2025-12A, Class A1, 5.312% (3-Month Term SOFR+131 basis points), 10/15/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| Trestles CLO Ltd. | | |
| 750,000 | Series 2023-6A, Class A1R, 5.498% (3-Month Term SOFR+118 basis points), 4/25/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 752,060 |

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| COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS (Continued) | | |
| | Trinitas CLO Ltd. | |
| 250,000 | Series 2021-15A, Class E, 12.044% (3-Month Term SOFR+771 basis points), 4/24/2034 ^{2,6,7} | \$ 246,875 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2025-34A, Class D1, 8.327% (3-Month Term SOFR+400 basis points), 4/22/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 1,019,931 |
| 500,000 | Series 2025-34A, Class E, 11.487% (3-Month Term SOFR+716 basis points), 4/22/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 510,223 |
| | Venture CLO Ltd. | |
| 380,116 | Series 2019-38A, Class ARR, 5.310% (3-Month Term SOFR+100 basis points), 7/30/2032 ^{2,6,7} | 379,241 |
| | Verdelite Static CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2024-1A, Class D, 7.175% (3-Month Term SOFR+285 basis points), 7/20/2032 ^{2,6,7} | 501,374 |
| | Voya CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2017-1A, Class C, 7.914% (3-Month Term SOFR+359 basis points), 4/17/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 502,505 |
| 500,000 | Series 2013-1A, Class CR, 7.529% (3-Month Term SOFR+321 basis points), 10/15/2030 ^{2,6,7} | 501,387 |
| 250,000 | Series 2018-2A, Class D, 7.329% (3-Month Term SOFR+301 basis points), 7/15/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 250,948 |
| 500,000 | Series 2015-3A, Class CR4, 7.225% (3-Month Term SOFR+290 basis points), 10/20/2031 ^{2,6,7} | 500,000 |
| 500,000 | Series 2019-2A, Class D, 8.287% (3-Month Term SOFR+396 basis points), 7/20/2032 ^{2,6,7} | 501,535 |
| 1,000,000 | Series 2017-3A, Class CRR, 7.425% (3-Month Term SOFR+310 basis points), 4/20/2034 ^{2,6,7} | 1,002,562 |
| 500,000 | Series 2022-4A, Class ER, 11.025% (3-Month Term SOFR+670 basis points), 4/20/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 506,027 |
| 500,000 | Series 2019-1A, Class D1RR, 7.368% (3-Month Term SOFR+305 basis points), 10/15/2037 ^{2,6,7} | 503,096 |
| 500,000 | Series 2020-3A, Class ARR, 5.575% (3-Month Term SOFR+125 basis points), 1/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 501,724 |
| 500,000 | Series 2020-3A, Class D1RR, 7.025% (3-Month Term SOFR+270 basis points), 1/20/2038 ^{2,6,7} | 504,185 |
| | Whitebox CLO Ltd. | |
| 500,000 | Series 2023-4A, Class D1R, 8.225% (3-Month Term SOFR+390 basis points), 4/20/2036 ^{2,6,7} | 501,407 |
| TOTAL COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS | | |
| (Cost \$131,606,917) | | 129,078,340 |

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| PRIVATE INVESTMENT VEHICLES – 19.8% | | |
| INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIPS – 11.0% | | |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Acer Tree Credit Opportunities Partners LP ⁵ | \$ 8,147,720 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Arbour Lane Credit Opportunity Fund IV LP ¹⁵ | 1,696,335 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | BCP Special Opportunities Offshore Feeder III LP ¹⁵ | 869,095 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | DSC Meridian Credit Opportunities Onshore Fund LP ⁵ | 9,403,889 |
| 2,818,223 | IFRG Investor III LP ⁵ | 167,092 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Linden Investors LP ⁵ | 8,971,499 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Old Orchard Credit Fund LP ⁵ | 7,006,778 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Proterra Credit Fund 3 LP ¹⁵ | 2,004,363 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Seer Capital Regulatory Capital Relief Fund LP ¹⁵ | 4,147,859 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | TCW Rescue Financing II LP ¹⁵ | 3,295,223 |
| N/A ¹⁴ | Whitehawk IV-Plus Onshore Fund LP ¹⁵ | 2,673,064 |
| | | 48,382,917 |
| NON-LISTED BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT COMPANIES – 4.9% | | |
| 556,389 | Audax Private Credit Fund, LLC ¹⁵ | 13,989,288 |
| 12,000,000 | TCW Direct Lending VIII, LLC ¹⁵ | 7,519,364 |
| | | 21,508,652 |
| Principal Amount (\$) | | |
| PRIVATE COLLATERALIZED LOAN OBLIGATIONS – 3.9% | | |
| 500,000 | Antares Loan Funding I Ltd. 2/17/2032 ¹⁵ | 558,585 |
| 1,500,000 | Ares Capital Corp. Series 2023-1, 7/11/2033 ⁵ | 772,284 |
| 3,802,910 | Fortress Credit Opportunities CLO, LLC Series XXVII, 1/28/2035 ⁵ | 2,508,684 |
| 2,500,000 | GPG Loan Funding, LLC 4/29/2034 ¹⁵ | 1,403,413 |
| 1,500,000 | KCLF Note Issuer I SPV, LLC 12/28/2033 ¹⁵ | 1,558,417 |
| 4,358,982 | MCF CLO 12, LLC 2/24/2028 ⁵ | 4,858,085 |
| 7,000,000 | NXT Capital CLO, LLC Series 2026-1, 0.000%, 6/24/2028 ^{5,11,13} | 3,308,800 |
| 2,000,000 | Silver Point Loan Funding, LLC 10/20/2033 ¹⁵ | 1,896,074 |
| | | 16,864,342 |
| TOTAL PRIVATE INVESTMENT VEHICLES | | |
| | (Cost \$83,882,096) | 86,755,911 |

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| WARRANTS – 0.1% | | |
| 585,706 | Accuray, Inc., Expiration Date: December 31, 2028 ^{*,5} | \$ 624,357 |
| TOTAL WARRANTS | | |
| | (Cost \$567,928) | 624,357 |
| SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS – 11.4% | | |
| 1,420,000 | Morgan Stanley Institutional Liquidity Fund – Government Portfolio – Institutional Class, 3.98% ^{16,17} | 1,420,000 |
| 48,848,859 | UMB Bank, Money Market Special II Deposit Investment, 3.94% ¹⁷ | 48,848,859 |
| TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS | | |
| | (Cost \$50,268,859) | 50,268,859 |
| TOTAL INVESTMENTS – 107.0% | | |
| | (Cost \$466,028,874) | 469,962,564 |
| Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets – (7.0)% | | |
| | | (30,752,695) |
| TOTAL NET ASSETS – 100.0% | | |
| | | \$439,209,869 |

CIBOR – Copenhagen Interbank Offered Rate

Euribor – Euro Interbank Offered Rate

LLC – Limited Liability Company

LP – Limited Partnership

PLC – Public Limited Company

SOFR – Secured Overnight Financing Rate

SONIA – Sterling Overnight Index Average

STIBOR – Stockholm Interbank Offered Rate

* Non-income producing security.

¹ Principal Amount denoted in local currency.

² Floating rate security, upon which the interest rate adjusts periodically based on changes in current interest rates and prepayments on the underlying pool of assets. Rate shown is the rate in effect as of period end.

³ Foreign security denominated in U.S. Dollars.

⁴ All or a portion of this investment is a holding of FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd.

⁵ The value of these securities was determined using significant unobservable inputs. These are reported as Level 3 securities in the Fair Value Hierarchy.

⁶ Callable.

⁷ Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities are restricted and may be resold in transactions exempt from registration normally to qualified institutional buyers. The total value of these securities is \$106,243,182, which represents 24.19% of the total net assets of the Fund.

⁸ Represents an unfunded loan commitment. The rate disclosed is equal to the commitment fee. The negative cost and/or fair value, if applicable, is due to the discount received in excess of the principal amount of the unfunded commitment.

⁹ Payment-in-kind interest is generally paid by issuing additional par of the security rather than paying cash.

¹⁰ Variable rate security, upon which the interest rate adjusts periodically based on changes in current interest rates and prepayments on the underlying pool of assets. Rate shown is the rate in effect as of period end.

¹¹ A portion of this holding is subject to unfunded loan commitments. The stated interest rate reflects the reference rate and spread for the funded portion.

¹² Affiliated company.

¹³ CLO subordinated notes are considered CLO equity positions. CLO equity positions are 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 fund expenses. The Fund monitors the effective yield and residual value for each CLO equity position held within the Fund's portfolio on a quarterly basis. The residual value also known as the equity or residual tranche is the portion of the CLO's assets remaining after all debt obligations have been fully satisfied. The effective yield and investment cost may ultimately not be realized.

¹⁴ Investment does not issue shares.

¹⁵ Investment valued using net asset value per share as practical expedient.

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¹⁶ All or a portion of this security is segregated as collateral for securities sold short or written options contracts. The market value of the securities pledged as collateral is \$1,420,000, which represents 0.32% of the total net assets of the Fund.

¹⁷ The rate is the annualized seven-day yield at period end.

| Securities With Restrictions On Redemptions | Redemptions Permitted | Redemption Notice Period | Cost | Fair Value | Original Acquisition Date |
|--|------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|
| Acer Tree Credit Opportunities Partners LP ¹ | Quarterly ² | 45 Days | \$ 8,000,000 | \$ 8,147,720 | 1/31/2025 |
| Arbour Lane Credit Opportunity Fund IV (B), L.P. ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 1,720,937 | 1,696,335 | 2/27/2025 |
| Audax Private Credit Fund, LLC ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 13,712,685 | 13,989,288 | 10/30/2024 |
| BCP Special Opportunities Fund Offshore Feeder III LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 821,055 | 869,095 | 11/2/2023 |
| DSC Meridian Credit Opportunities Onshore LP ¹ | Quarterly ² | 65 Days | 7,600,000 | 9,403,889 | 5/1/2023 |
| IFRG Investor III LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 2,818,223 | 167,092 | 7/28/2023 |
| Linden Investors LP ¹ | Quarterly ² | 65 Days | 7,250,000 | 8,971,499 | 5/1/2023 |
| Old Orchard Credit Fund LP ¹ | Quarterly ² | 65 Days | 6,250,000 | 7,006,778 | 5/31/2023 |
| Proterra Credit Fund 3 LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 2,041,072 | 2,004,363 | 8/6/2025 |
| Seer Capital Regulatory Capital Relief Fund LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 4,000,000 | 4,147,859 | 3/7/2024 |
| TCW Direct Lending VIII, LLC ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 8,573,540 | 7,519,364 | 8/9/2023 |
| TCW Rescue Financing II LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 3,436,205 | 3,295,223 | 9/12/2024 |
| Whitehawk IV-Plus Onshore Fund LP ¹ | Not permitted | N/A | 2,413,828 | 2,673,064 | 6/29/2023 |
| Totals | | | \$68,637,545 | \$69,891,569 | |

¹ Securities generally offered in private placement transactions and as such are illiquid and generally restricted as to resale.

² The Private Investment Fund can institute a gate provision on redemptions at the investor level of 25% of the fair value of the investment in the Private Investment Fund.

FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE CONTRACTS

| Purchase Contracts | Counterparty | Currency Exchange | Settlement Date | Currency Amount Purchased/ (Sold) | Value At Settlement Date | Value At September 30, 2025 | Unrealized Appreciation/ (Depreciation) |
|---|--------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|---|
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 2/23/2026 | 1,425,000 | 1,692,615 | 1,686,110 | (6,505) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 6/18/2026 | 144,000 | 160,013 | 171,173 | 11,160 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/6/2026 | 368,000 | 412,344 | 439,189 | 26,845 |
| TOTAL PURCHASE CONTRACTS | | | | 2,264,972 | 2,296,472 | 31,500 | |

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS — Continued
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| Sale Contracts | Counterparty | Currency Exchange | Settlement Date | Currency Amount Purchased/ (Sold) | Value At Settlement Date | Value At September 30, 2025 | Unrealized Appreciation/ (Depreciation) |
|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/14/2025 | (14,425,000) | (16,927,738) | (16,950,514) | (22,776) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2025 | (688,000) | (769,402) | (808,885) | (39,484) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2025 | (270,000) | (299,664) | (317,440) | (17,776) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2025 | (20,000) | (22,380) | (23,514) | (1,134) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/30/2025 | (1,250,000) | (1,485,000) | (1,470,415) | 14,585 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/14/2025 | (14,425,500) | (16,960,060) | (16,980,916) | (20,855) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/21/2025 | (30,000) | (33,465) | (35,329) | (1,864) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/21/2025 | (540,000) | (601,101) | (635,925) | (34,824) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/24/2025 | (70,000) | (77,840) | (82,450) | (4,610) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 12/15/2025 | (8,389,000) | (9,893,315) | (9,892,886) | 430 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 1/22/2026 | (80,000) | (89,070) | (94,496) | (5,426) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 1/22/2026 | (330,000) | (373,324) | (389,794) | (16,470) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 2/20/2026 | (680,000) | (760,920) | (804,469) | (43,549) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 2/20/2026 | (550,000) | (616,367) | (650,674) | (34,307) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 2/23/2026 | (1,505,000) | (1,673,880) | (1,780,768) | (106,888) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 4/22/2026 | (50,000) | (55,855) | (59,273) | (3,418) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 4/22/2026 | (270,000) | (305,368) | (320,074) | (14,706) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 5/22/2026 | (2,134,000) | (2,393,489) | (2,533,407) | (139,918) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 6/18/2026 | (944,000) | (1,062,000) | (1,122,136) | (60,136) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 7/15/2026 | (475,000) | (566,438) | (565,367) | 1,070 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 7/22/2026 | (290,000) | (328,131) | (345,288) | (17,157) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 7/22/2026 | (50,000) | (55,800) | (59,532) | (3,732) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 8/21/2026 | (360,000) | (406,328) | (429,253) | (22,925) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 8/24/2026 | (70,000) | (78,645) | (83,478) | (4,833) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2026 | (50,000) | (55,975) | (59,636) | (3,661) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2026 | (270,000) | (307,528) | (322,032) | (14,504) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/6/2026 | (1,408,000) | (1,576,960) | (1,680,374) | (103,414) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/20/2026 | (2,710,000) | (3,055,445) | (3,236,111) | (180,666) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/23/2026 | (80,000) | (90,200) | (95,543) | (5,343) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 12/23/2026 | (485,000) | (518,708) | (579,946) | (61,239) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 1/22/2027 | (240,000) | (273,224) | (287,340) | (14,116) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 2/22/2027 | (1,486,000) | (1,641,442) | (1,781,397) | (139,955) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 4/22/2027 | (280,000) | (320,691) | (336,483) | (15,792) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 5/21/2027 | (60,000) | (71,550) | (72,190) | (640) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 5/24/2027 | (90,000) | (102,285) | (108,299) | (6,014) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 6/4/2027 | (1,976,000) | (2,242,760) | (2,378,854) | (136,094) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 7/22/2027 | (872,000) | (1,000,404) | (1,051,878) | (51,474) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 7/30/2027 | (2,584,000) | (2,917,853) | (3,118,073) | (200,220) |

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| Sale Contracts | Counterparty | Currency Exchange | Settlement Date | Currency Amount Purchased/ (Sold) | Value At Settlement Date | Value At September 30, 2025 | Unrealized Appreciation/ (Depreciation) |
|--|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 8/20/2027 | (1,480,000) | (1,771,264) | (1,787,459) | (16,195) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/22/2027 | (110,000) | (129,290) | (133,202) | (3,912) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 1/21/2028 | (40,000) | (48,512) | (48,622) | (110) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 1/24/2028 | (40,000) | (45,560) | (48,628) | (3,068) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 3/13/2028 | (2,336,000) | (2,762,700) | (2,845,752) | (83,052) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 4/21/2028 | (50,000) | (60,875) | (61,011) | (136) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/14/2025 | (3,708,000) | (5,012,474) | (4,987,115) | 25,359 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/14/2025 | (3,708,000) | (5,013,216) | (4,987,407) | 25,809 |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 10/14/2025 | (8,623,500) | (908,157) | (916,884) | (8,726) |
| Euro | BNP Paribas | EUR per USD | 11/14/2025 | (8,623,500) | (909,911) | (918,604) | (8,693) |
| TOTAL SALE CONTRACTS | | | | (86,672,564) | (88,279,123) | (1,606,559) | |
| TOTAL FORWARD FOREIGN CURRENCY EXCHANGE CONTRACTS | | | | \$ (84,407,592) | \$ (85,982,651) | \$ (1,575,059) | |

EUR – Euro

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED PORTFOLIO COMPOSITION
As of September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

| Country of Investment* | Value | Percent of Total Net Assets |
|---|----------------------|------------------------------------|
| Cayman Islands | \$ 2,270,269 | 0.5% |
| Denmark | 5,228,494 | 1.2% |
| European Union | 58,291,541 | 13.4% |
| Spain | 8,597,798 | 2.0% |
| Sweden | 1,601,484 | 0.4% |
| United Kingdom | 9,861,849 | 2.3% |
| United States | 384,111,129 | 87.2% |
| Total Investments | 469,962,564 | 107.0% |
| Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets | (30,752,695) | (7.0)% |
| Total Net Assets | \$439,209,869 | 100.0% |

* This table does not include forward foreign currency exchange contracts. Please refer to the Consolidated Schedule of Investments for information on forward foreign currency exchange contracts.

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED SUMMARY OF INVESTMENTS
As of September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

| Security Type/Sector | Percent of Total Net Assets |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Asset-Backed Securities | 16.0% |
| Bank Loans | 29.9% |
| Closed-End Funds | 0.4% |
| Collateralized Loan Obligations | 29.4% |
| Private Investment Vehicles | |
| Investment Partnerships | 11.0% |
| Non-Listed Business Development Companies | 4.9% |
| Private Collateralized Loan Obligations | 3.9% |
| Total Private Investment Vehicles | 19.8% |
| Warrants | 0.1% |
| Short-Term Investments | 11.4% |
| Total Investments | 107.0% |
| Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets | (7.0)% |
| Total Net Assets | 100.0% |

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES
As of September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

Assets:

| | |
|--|--------------------------|
| Investments in securities, at fair value | |
| Unaffiliated investments (cost \$401,959,817) | \$409,334,308 |
| Affiliated investments (cost \$64,069,057) | 60,628,256 |
| Cash | 1,041,832 |
| Foreign currency, at value (cost \$90,653) | 116,169 |
| Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency exchange contracts | 105,258 |
| Receivables: | |
| Interest and dividends | 3,588,858 |
| Investment securities sold | 1,762,075 |
| Fund shares sold | 769,050 |
| Due from Investment Adviser | 210,826 |
| Prepaid expenses | 64,766 |
| Total assets | <u>477,621,398</u> |

Liabilities:

| | |
|--|-----------------------------|
| Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency exchange contracts | 1,680,317 |
| Payables: | |
| Fund shares redeemed | 25,564,104 |
| Investment securities purchased | 10,483,608 |
| Investment Management Fee | 514,809 |
| Distribution fees – Class A (Note 3) | 290 |
| Distribution fees – Class I (Note 3) | 47,872 |
| Audit fees | 31,179 |
| Tax services fees | 27,553 |
| Unused line of credit fees (Note 14) | 17,719 |
| Custody fees | 11,396 |
| Legal fees | 7,379 |
| Fund services expense | 6,542 |
| Shareholder reporting fees | 4,547 |
| Trustees' fees and expenses | 2,097 |
| Accrued other expenses | 12,117 |
| Total liabilities | <u>38,411,529</u> |
| Commitments and contingencies (Note 3 & Note 13) | |
| Net Assets | <u>\$439,209,869</u> |

Components of Net Assets:

| | |
|---|-----------------------------|
| Paid-in Capital (par value of \$0.01 per share with an unlimited number of shares authorized) | \$443,605,402 |
| Total distributable earnings (accumulated deficit) | (4,395,533) |
| Net Assets | <u>\$439,209,869</u> |

Maximum Offering Price per Share:

| | |
|--|-----------------------|
| Class A Shares: | |
| Net assets applicable to shares outstanding | \$ 347,131 |
| Shares of beneficial interest issued and outstanding | 34,254 |
| Net asset value, offering and redemption price per share | <u>\$ 10.13</u> |
| Maximum sales charge (4.50% of offering price)* | \$ 0.48 |
| Maximum offer price to public | <u>\$ 10.61</u> |
| Class I Shares: | |
| Net assets applicable to shares outstanding | \$438,862,738 |
| Shares of beneficial interest issued and outstanding | 43,152,915 |
| Net asset value, offering and redemption price per share | <u>\$ 10.17</u> |

* Investors in Class A Shares may be charged a sales charge of up to 4.50% of the subscription amount. For Class A Shares, no sales charge applies on investments of \$250,000 or more, but a contingent deferred sales charge ("CDSC") of 1.25% will be imposed to the extent a finder's fee was paid on certain redemptions of such shares within 12 months of the date of purchase.

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

Investment Income:

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| Interest | \$13,229,197 |
| Interest from affiliated issuers | 4,424,894 |
| Dividends | 786,632 |
| Dividends from affiliated issuers | 121,928 |
| Payment-in-kind interest | 439,738 |
| Total investment income | <u>19,002,389</u> |

Expenses:

| | |
|--|-------------------|
| Investment Management Fee | 2,887,233 |
| Pricing and research expense | 234,147 |
| Distribution fees – Class I (Note 3) | 343,381 |
| Distribution fees – Class A (Note 3) | 188 |
| Fund services expense | 142,591 |
| Interest expense (Note 14) | 119,475 |
| Legal fees | 88,646 |
| Audit fees | 52,066 |
| Shareholder reporting fees | 44,453 |
| Registration fees | 37,525 |
| Unused line of credit fee (Note 13) | 34,111 |
| Trustees' fees and expenses | 33,774 |
| Chief Compliance Officer fees | 17,058 |
| Custody fees | 14,061 |
| Tax services fees | 7,392 |
| Insurance fees | 3,151 |
| Miscellaneous | 19,214 |
| Total expenses | <u>4,078,466</u> |
| Investment Management Fees waived | (461,756) |
| Net expenses | <u>3,615,063</u> |
| Net investment income | <u>15,387,326</u> |

Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss):

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| Net realized gain (loss) on: | |
| Investments | 1,231,644 |
| Investments in affiliated issuers | 93,993 |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts | (3,451,107) |
| Foreign currency transactions | (15,530) |
| Net realized gain (loss) | <u>(2,141,000)</u> |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on: | |
| Investments | 5,708,390 |
| Investments in affiliated issuers | 106,260 |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts | (606,224) |
| Foreign currency transactions | (1,931) |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation | <u>5,206,495</u> |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments, forward foreign currency exchange contracts and forward contracts | <u>3,065,495</u> |
| Net Increase in Net Assets from Operations | <u>\$18,452,821</u> |

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS

| | For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (Unaudited) | For the Year Ended March 31, 2025 |
|---|--|---|
| Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets From: | | |
| Operations: | | |
| Net investment income | \$ 15,387,326 | \$ 26,510,640 |
| Net realized gain (loss) on investments, investments in affiliated issuers, forward foreign currency exchange contracts and foreign currency transactions | (2,141,000) | 718,970 |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on investments, investments in affiliated issuers, forward foreign currency exchange contracts and foreign currency translations | 5,206,495 | (5,312,326) |
| Net increase in net assets resulting from operations | <u>18,452,821</u> | <u>21,917,284</u> |
| Distributions to Shareholders: | | |
| Distributions: | | |
| Class A | (16,123) | (15,557) |
| Class I | (20,660,777) | (27,155,828) |
| Total distributions to shareholders | <u>(20,676,900)</u> | <u>(27,171,385)</u> |
| Capital Transactions: | | |
| Net proceeds from shares sold: | | |
| Class A | 109,404 | 234,773 |
| Class I | 88,689,242 | 277,067,453 |
| Reinvestment of distributions: | | |
| Class A | 662 | 4,918 |
| Class I | 2,236,095 | 1,134,032 |
| Cost of shares redeemed: | | |
| Class I | (37,029,856) | (48,447,273) |
| Net increase in net assets from capital transactions | <u>54,005,547</u> | <u>229,993,903</u> |
| Total increase in net assets | <u>51,781,468</u> | <u>224,739,802</u> |
| Net Assets: | | |
| Beginning of period | 387,428,401 | 162,688,599 |
| End of period | <u>\$439,209,869</u> | <u>\$387,428,401</u> |
| Capital Share Transactions: | | |
| Shares sold: | | |
| Class A | 10,919 | 22,682 |
| Class I | 8,750,764 | 26,847,721 |
| Shares reinvested: | | |
| Class A | 65 | 482 |
| Class I | 221,343 | 110,389 |
| Shares redeemed: | | |
| Class I | (3,639,979) | (4,704,952) |
| Net increase in capital share transactions | <u>5,343,112</u> | <u>22,276,322</u> |

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (Unaudited)

Increase (Decrease) in Cash

| | |
|--|----------------------------|
| Cash flows provided by (used in) operating activities: | |
| Net increase in net assets resulting from operations | \$ 18,452,821 |
| Adjustments to reconcile net increase (decrease) in net assets from operations to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities: | |
| Purchases of long-term portfolio investments | (146,880,740) |
| Sales of long-term portfolio investments | 102,370,300 |
| Change in short-term investments, net | (6,809,833) |
| Payment-in-kind interest added to principal amount of investment | (439,738) |
| Net amortization on investments | (317,002) |
| Net realized (gain) loss | 2,141,000 |
| Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation | (5,206,495) |
| (Increase) Decrease in operating Assets: | |
| Interest and Dividends | (533,344) |
| Due from Investment Adviser | (210,826) |
| Prepaid expenses | (27,665) |
| Increase (Decrease) in operating Liabilities | |
| Investment Management Fee | 149,716 |
| Audit fees | (23,434) |
| Legal fees | (14,579) |
| Distribution fees – Class A (Note 3) | 131 |
| Distribution fees – Class I (Note 3) | 11,408 |
| Tax services fees | (720) |
| Shareholder reporting fees | 4,547 |
| Fund services expense | (61,455) |
| Chief Compliance Officer fees | (2,715) |
| Interest payable (Note 14) | (1,630) |
| Custody fees | 11,396 |
| Trustees' fees and expenses | 1,274 |
| Unused line of credit fees (Note 14) | 15,600 |
| Accrued other expenses | (22,443) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities | <u><u>(37,394,426)</u></u> |
| Cash flows provided by (used in) financing activities: | |
| Proceeds from shares sold | 88,744,337 |
| Dividends paid to shareholders, net of reinvestments | (18,440,143) |
| Cost of shares redeemed | (24,781,991) |
| Draw on Line of Credit | 27,500,000 |
| Paydown on line of credit | (35,500,000) |
| Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities | <u><u>37,522,203</u></u> |
| Net increase in cash and foreign currency | <u><u>127,777</u></u> |
| Effect of foreign exchange rate changes on cash | <u><u>2,459</u></u> |
| Cash and cash in foreign currency: | |
| Beginning of period balances: | |
| Cash | 274,745 |
| Cash denominated in foreign currency, at value | 753,020 |
| Total beginning of period balances | <u><u>1,027,765</u></u> |
| Cash and foreign currency at end of period | <u><u>\$ 1,158,001</u></u> |
| End of Period Balances | |
| Cash | \$ 1,041,832 |
| Cash denominated in foreign currency, at value | 116,169 |
| Total end of period balances | <u><u>\$ 1,158,001</u></u> |
| Supplemental disclosure of non-cash activities: | |
| Reinvested dividends | <u><u>\$ 2,236,757</u></u> |
| Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information: | |
| Interest paid | <u><u>\$ 128,649</u></u> |

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS
Class A

Per share operating performance.
For a capital share outstanding throughout the period.

| | For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (Unaudited) | For the Year Ended March 31, 2025 | For the Period June 6, 2023* Through March 31, 2024 |
|--|--|---|--|
| Net asset value, beginning of period | \$ 10.20 | \$ 10.45 | \$ 10.00 |
| Income (Loss) from Investment Operations: | | | |
| Net investment income ¹ | 0.36 | 0.99 | 0.85 |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) | 0.08 | (0.13) | 0.35 |
| Total from investment operations | <u>0.44</u> | <u>0.86</u> | <u>1.20</u> |
| Less Distributions: | | | |
| From net investment income | (0.51) | (1.09) | (0.72) |
| From net realized gain | — | (0.02) | (0.03) |
| Total distributions | <u>(0.51)</u> | <u>(1.11)</u> | <u>(0.75)</u> |
| Net asset value, end of period | \$ 10.13 | \$ 10.20 | \$ 10.45 |
| Total return² | 4.43%³ | 8.66% | 10.59%³ |
| Ratios and Supplemental Data: | | | |
| Net assets, end of period (in thousands) | 347 | 237 | 1 |
| Ratio of expenses to average net assets (excluding interest expense, and unused line of credit fees): | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.83% ⁵ | 1.92% | 2.30% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.83% ⁵ | 1.92% | 2.30% ⁵ |
| Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets (excluding interest expense and unused line of credit fees): | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.08% ⁵ | 9.58% | 10.06% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.08% ⁵ | 9.58% | 10.06% ⁵ |
| Ratio of expenses to average net assets (including interest expense and unused line of credit fees): | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.90% ⁵ | 1.99% | 2.30% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.90% ⁵ | 1.99% | 2.30% ⁵ |
| Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets (including interest expense and unused line of credit fees): | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.15% ⁵ | 9.65% | 10.06% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.15% ⁵ | 9.65% | 10.06% ⁵ |
| Portfolio turnover rate | 26% ³ | 27% | 25% ³ |
| Total amount outstanding (000's omitted) | | | |
| Secured credit facility | \$ — | \$ 8,000 | \$ — |
| Asset coverage per \$1,000 of borrowings ⁷ : | | | |
| Secured credit facility | \$ — | \$ 49,429 | \$ — |

* Commencement of public offering.

¹ Based on average shares outstanding for the period.

² Total return would have been higher/lower had fees not been recovered/waived by the Investment Adviser. These returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on the Fund distributions or redemption of Class A Shares.

³ Not annualized.

⁴ Ratios do not reflect the Fund's proportionate share of the expenses of the investment funds.

⁵ Annualized.

⁶ Ratios do not reflect the Fund's proportionate share of the income and expenses of the investment funds.

⁷ Calculated by subtracting the Fund's total liabilities (not including borrowings) from the Fund's total assets and dividing this by the total number of senior indebtedness units, where one unit equals \$1,000 of senior indebtedness.

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS
Class I

Per share operating performance.
For a capital share outstanding throughout each period.

| | For the Six Months Ended September 30, 2025 (Unaudited) | For the Year Ended March 31, 2025 | For the Year Ended March 31, 2024 | For the Period May 9, 2022* Through March 31, 2023 |
|--|--|--|--|---|
| Net asset value, beginning of period | \$ 10.24 | \$ 10.45 | \$ 10.08 | \$ 10.00 |
| Income (Loss) from Investment Operations: | | | | |
| Net investment income ¹ | 0.37 | 1.02 | 0.96 | 0.54 |
| Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) | 0.07 | (0.14) | 0.35 | (0.20) |
| Total from investment operations | <u>0.44</u> | <u>0.88</u> | <u>1.31</u> | <u>0.34</u> |
| Less Distributions: | | | | |
| From net investment income | (0.51) | (1.07) | (0.91) | (0.25) |
| From net realized gain | — | (0.02) | (0.03) | (0.01) |
| Total distributions | <u>(0.51)</u> | <u>(1.09)</u> | <u>(0.94)</u> | <u>(0.26)</u> |
| Net asset value, end of period | \$ 10.17 | \$ 10.24 | \$ 10.45 | \$ 10.08 |
| Total return² | 4.43%³ | 8.80% | 13.77% | 3.37%³ |
| Ratios and Supplemental Data: | | | | |
| Net assets, end of period (in thousands) | \$438,863 | \$387,191 | \$162,687 | \$31,010 |
| Ratio of expenses to average net assets (excluding interest expense, commitment fees and unused line of credit fees and tax service fees): | | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.87% ⁵ | 1.91% | 2.35% | 5.46% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.65% ⁵ | 1.65% | 1.65% | 1.65% ⁵ |
| Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets (excluding interest expense, commitment fees and unused line of credit fees and tax service fees): | | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.04% ⁵ | 9.59% | 8.61% | 2.22% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.26% ⁵ | 9.85% | 9.31% | 6.03% ⁵ |
| Ratio of expenses to average net assets (including interest expense, commitment fees and unused line of credit fees and tax service fees): | | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.94% ⁵ | 1.98% | 2.35% | 5.46% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁴ | 1.72% ⁵ | 1.72% | 1.65% | 1.65% ⁵ |
| Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets (including interest expense, commitment fees and unused line of credit fees and tax service fees): | | | | |
| Before fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.11% ⁵ | 9.66% | 8.61% | 2.22% ⁵ |
| After fees waived and expenses absorbed ⁶ | 7.33% ⁵ | 9.92% | 9.31% | 6.03% ⁵ |
| Portfolio turnover rate | 26% ³ | 27% | 25% | 46% ³ |
| Total amount outstanding (000's omitted) | | | | |
| Secured credit facility | \$ — | \$ 8,000 | \$ — | \$ — |
| Asset coverage per \$1,000 of borrowings ⁷ : | | | | |
| Secured credit facility | \$ — | \$ 49,429 | \$ — | \$ — |

* Commencement of operations.

¹ Based on average shares outstanding for the period.

² Total return would have been higher/lower had fees not been recovered/waived by the Investment Adviser. These returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on the Fund distributions or redemption of Class I Shares.

³ Not annualized.

⁴ Ratios do not reflect the Fund's proportionate share of the expenses of the investment funds.

⁵ Annualized.

⁶ Ratios do not reflect the Fund's proportionate share of the income and expenses of the investment funds.

⁷ Calculated by subtracting the Fund's total liabilities (not including borrowings) from the Fund's total assets and dividing this by the total number of senior indebtedness units, where one unit equals \$1,000 of senior indebtedness.

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

First Trust Private Credit Fund
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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Note 1 — Organization

First Trust Private Credit Fund (the “Fund”) is a Delaware statutory trust registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “Investment Company Act”) as a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company. The Fund operates as an interval fund. The Fund operates under an Amended and Restated Agreement and Declaration of Trust dated August 16, 2022 (the “Declaration of Trust”). First Trust Capital Management L.P. (the “Investment Adviser”) serves as the investment adviser to the Fund. The Investment Adviser is an investment adviser registered with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940, as amended. The Fund has elected to be treated as a regulated investment company (“RIC”) under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the “Code”). The Fund currently offers shares of beneficial interest (the “Shares”) in two separate share Classes: Class A Shares and Class I Shares.

The Fund’s investment objective is to produce current income. The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objective by allocating at least 80% of its net assets, plus the amount of any borrowings for investment purposes, to a diverse portfolio of private credit instruments. The Fund uses a “multi-manager” approach whereby the Fund’s assets are allocated among the Investment Adviser and one or more Sub-Adviser (as defined in Note 3 below), in percentages determined at the discretion of the Investment Adviser. The Investment Adviser and Sub-Advisers may invest directly in individual securities or through closed-end and open-end registered investment companies, private investment vehicles (“Private Investment Vehicles”) and other investment vehicles that invest or trade in a wide range of investments.

The Fund commenced the public offering of Class I Shares on September 6, 2022 and has publicly offered Class I Shares in a continuous offering since that time. Class A Shares have been publicly offered since June 6, 2023. The Shares are generally offered for purchase on any business day, which is any day the New York Stock Exchange is open for business, in each case subject to any applicable sales charges and other fees, as described herein. The Shares are issued at net asset value (“NAV”) per Share. No holder of Shares (each, a “Shareholder”) has the right to require the Fund to redeem its Shares.

The Shares of each class represent an interest in the same portfolio of investments of the Fund and have equal rights as to voting, redemptions, dividends and liquidation, subject to the approval of the Fund’s Board of Trustees (the “Board”, and the members thereof, the “Trustees”). Income, expenses (other than expenses attributable to a specific class) and realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments are allocated to each Class of Shares in proportion to their relative Shares outstanding. Shareholders of a Class that bears distribution and service expenses under the terms of a distribution plan have exclusive voting rights with respect to that distribution plan.

The Fund is an investment company and accordingly follows the investment company accounting and reporting guidance of the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”) 946, Financial Services — Investment Companies.

(a) Consolidation

FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd., is a wholly owned and controlled subsidiary formed under the laws of the Cayman Islands. The Consolidated Schedule of Investments, Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities, Consolidated Statement of Operations, Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets, Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows and Consolidated Financial Highlights of the Fund include the accounts of the FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd. All inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation. The FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd. is advised by the Investment Adviser and acts as an investment vehicle in order to effect certain investments consistent with the Fund’s investment objectives and policies specified in the Fund’s prospectus and statement of additional information. As of September 30, 2025, the net assets of FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd. were \$70,681,825, representing 16.09% of the Fund’s consolidated total net assets.

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FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd. is an exempted company incorporated in the Cayman Islands with limited liability. It has received an undertaking from the Government of the Cayman Islands exempting it from all local income, profits and capital gains taxes. No such taxes are levied in the Cayman Islands at the present time. FTPCF Cayman Sub1 Ltd. has elected to be disregarded as an entity separate from the Fund for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Note 2 — Significant Accounting Policies

The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund in the preparation of its Consolidated Financial Statements. The preparation of Consolidated Financial Statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America (“GAAP”) requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts and disclosures in the Consolidated Financial Statements. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

(a) Valuation of Investments

UMB Fund Services, Inc. (“UMBFS”), the Fund’s administrator, calculates the Fund’s NAV as of the close of business on each business day and at such other times as the Board may determine, including in connection with repurchases of Shares, in accordance with the procedures described below or as may be determined from time to time in accordance with policies established by the Board (each, a “Determination Date”).

For purposes of calculating NAV, portfolio securities and other assets for which market quotations are readily available are valued at market value. A market quotation is readily available only when that quotation is a quoted price (unadjusted) in active markets for identical investments that the Fund can access at the measurement date, provided that a quotation will not be readily available if it is not reliable.

Investments for which market quotations are not readily available are valued at fair value as determined in good faith pursuant to Rule 2a-5 under the Investment Company Act. As a general principle, the fair value of a security or other asset is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. Pursuant to Rule 2a-5, the Board has designated Investment Adviser as the valuation designee (in such capacity, the “Valuation Designee”) for the Fund to perform in good faith the fair value determination relating to all Fund investments, under the Board’s oversight. The Investment Adviser carries out its designated responsibilities as Valuation Designee through its Valuation Committee. The fair values of one or more assets may not be the prices at which those assets are ultimately sold and the differences may be significant.

The Valuation Designee may value Fund portfolio securities for which market quotations are not readily available and other Fund assets by utilizing inputs from pricing services, quotation reporting systems, valuation agents and other third-party sources.

Securities traded on one or more of the U.S. national securities exchanges, the Nasdaq Stock Market or any foreign stock exchange will be valued at the last sale price or the official closing price on the exchange or system where such securities are principally traded for the business day as of the relevant Determination Date. If no sale or official closing price of particular securities are reported on a particular day, the securities will be valued at the closing bid price for securities held long, or the closing ask price for securities held short, or if a closing bid or ask price, as applicable, is not available, at either the exchange or system-defined closing price on the exchange or system in which such securities are principally traded. Over-the-counter securities not quoted on the Nasdaq Stock Market will be valued at the last sale price on the relevant Determination Date or, if no sale occurs, at the last bid price, in the case of securities held long, or the last ask price, in the case of securities held short,

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at the time NAV is determined. Equity securities for which no prices are obtained under the foregoing procedures, including those for which a pricing service supplies no exchange quotation or a quotation that is believed by the Valuation Designee not to reflect the fair value, will be valued at the bid price, in the case of securities held long, or the ask price, in the case of securities held short, supplied by one or more dealers making a market in those securities or one or more brokers. Futures index options will be valued at the mid-point between the last bid price and the last ask price on the relevant Determination Date at the time NAV is determined.

Fixed-income securities, except for private debt investments discussed below, with a remaining maturity of sixty (60) days or more, will normally be valued according to dealer-supplied mean quotations or mean quotations from a recognized pricing service. Fixed-income securities for which market quotations are unavailable or are believed by the Valuation Designee not to reflect fair value will be valued based upon broker-supplied quotations provided that if such quotations are unavailable or are believed by the Valuation Designee not to reflect fair value, such fixed-income securities will be valued using valuation models that take into account spread and daily yield changes on government securities in the appropriate market (e.g., matrix pricing). High quality investment grade debt securities (e.g., treasuries, commercial paper, etc.) with a remaining maturity of sixty (60) days or less are valued at amortized cost.

The Valuation Designee will evaluate each private debt investment's fair value based on numerous factors, including but not limited to, changes in credit risk, construction risk, the financial strength of the borrower and the debt instrument's spread to U.S. Treasuries. The Fund will also engage qualified external valuation consultants to provide valuation information, typically on a quarterly basis, but at least semi-annually. The Fund will generally value any private debt investments at the lesser of their amortized cost or the mid-point of any valuation range as provided by a qualified external valuation consultant. In certain circumstances, the Valuation Designee may determine that this amount does not represent the fair value of the private debt investment based on current market conditions. In such an instance, the Valuation Designee will fair value the investment using another methodology. In its fair valuation assessment process, the Valuation Designee may consider any information it deems appropriate including from external valuation consultants.

The Fund values its investments in Private Investment Vehicles (generally private funds that are excluded from the definition of "investment company" pursuant to Sections 3(c)(1) or 3(c)(7) of the Investment Company Act) at the value determined by each Private Investment Vehicle in accordance with such Private Investment Vehicle's valuation policies and reported at the time of the Fund's valuation. The Fund will determine the fair value of such Private Investment Vehicle based on the most recent final or estimated value reported by the Private Investment Vehicle, as well as any other relevant information available at the time the Fund values its portfolio. A substantial amount of time may elapse between the pricing of Fund assets and the receipt of valuation information from the underlying manager of a Private Investment Vehicle. Where deemed appropriate by the Valuation Designee and consistent with the Investment Company Act, investments in Private Investment Vehicles may be valued at cost. Cost will be used only when cost is determined to best approximate the fair value of the particular Private Investment Vehicle under consideration.

The Fund will generally value shares of open-end and closed-end investment companies that do not trade on one or more of the U.S. national securities exchanges at their respective NAVs.

Warrants for which market quotations are not readily available will be fair valued based on the underlying investment. The Fund will engage qualified external valuation consultants to provide valuation information, typically on a quarterly basis, but at least semiannually. The Fund will generally value warrants at the mid-point of any valuation range as provided by a qualified external valuation consultant. In certain circumstances, the Valuation Designee may determine that this amount does not

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represent the fair value of the warrant based on current market conditions. In such an instance, the Valuation Designee will fair value the warrant using another methodology. In its fair valuation assessment process, the Valuation Designee may consider any information it deems appropriate including from external valuation consultants.

Assets and liabilities initially expressed in foreign currencies will be converted into U.S. dollars using foreign exchange rates provided by a pricing service. Trading in foreign securities generally is completed, and the values of such securities are determined, prior to the close of securities markets in the United States. Foreign exchange rates are also determined prior to such close. On occasion, the values of securities and exchange rates may be affected by events occurring between the time as of which determination of such values or exchange rates are made and the time as of which the NAV of the Fund is determined. When such events materially affect the values of securities held by the Fund or its liabilities, such securities and liabilities will be valued at fair value as determined in good faith by the Valuation Designee.

Investors should be aware that situations involving uncertainties as to the value of portfolio positions could have an adverse effect on the Fund's NAV if the judgments regarding appropriate valuations should prove incorrect.

(b) Foreign Currency Translation

The Fund's records are maintained in U.S. dollars. The value of securities, currencies and other assets and liabilities denominated in currencies other than U.S. dollars are translated into U.S. dollars based upon foreign exchange rates prevailing at the end of the reporting period. The currencies are translated into U.S. dollars by using the exchange rates quoted as of 4:00 PM Eastern Standard Time. Purchases and sales of investment securities, income and expenses are translated on the respective dates of such transactions.

The Fund does not isolate that portion of its net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments resulting from changes in foreign exchange rates from the impact arising from changes in market prices. Such fluctuations are included with net realized and unrealized gains or losses from investments and foreign currency.

Net realized foreign currency transaction gains and losses arise from sales of foreign currencies, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions and the differences between the amounts of dividends, interest and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund's books and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign currency translation gains and losses arise from changes in the value of assets and liabilities, other than investments in securities, resulting from changes in the exchange rates.

(c) Private Investment Vehicles

Private Investment Vehicles generally exempt under Section 3(c)(1) or 3(c)(7) of the Investment Company Act invest or trade in a wide range of securities. When the Fund invests in securities issued by Private Investment Vehicles, it will bear its pro rata portion of the Private Investment Vehicles' expenses. These expenses are in addition to the direct expenses of the Fund's own operations, thereby increasing indirect costs and potentially reducing returns to Shareholders. A Private Investment Vehicle in which the Fund invests has its own investment risks, and those risks can affect the value of such Private Investment Vehicle's shares and therefore the value of the Fund's investments. There can be no assurance that the investment objective of a Private Investment Vehicle will be achieved. A Private Investment Vehicle may change its investment objective or policies without the Fund's approval, which could force the Fund to withdraw its investment from such Private Investment Vehicle at a time that is unfavorable to the Fund. In addition, one Private Investment Vehicle may buy the same securities that another Private Investment Vehicle sells. Therefore, the Fund would indirectly bear the costs of these trades without accomplishing any investment purpose.

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(d) Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts

The Fund may utilize forward foreign currency exchange contracts (“forward contracts”) under which it is obligated to exchange currencies on specified future dates at specified rates, which are subject to the risk of foreign exchange rate fluctuations. All contracts are “marked-to-market” daily and any resulting unrealized gains or losses are recorded as unrealized appreciation or depreciation on forward foreign currency exchange contracts. The Fund records realized gains or losses at the time the forward contract is settled. Counterparties to these forward contracts are major U.S. financial institutions.

(e) Investment Transactions, Investment Income and Expenses

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date. Realized gains and losses on investments are determined on the identified cost basis. Dividend income and expense is recorded net of applicable withholding taxes on the ex-dividend date and interest income and expense, including where applicable, accretion of discount and amortization of premium on investments, is recorded on an accrual basis. Withholding taxes on foreign dividends, if applicable, are paid (a portion of which may be reclaimable) or provided for in accordance with the applicable country’s tax rules and rates are disclosed in the Consolidated Statement of Operations. Withholding tax reclaims are filed in certain countries to recover a portion of the amounts previously withheld. The Fund records a reclaim receivable based on a number of factors, including a jurisdiction’s legal obligation to pay reclaims as well as payment history and market convention. Discounts or premiums on debt securities are accreted or amortized to interest income over the lives of the respective securities using the effective interest method. Some or all of the interest payments of a loan or preferred equity may be structured in the form of paid-in-kind (“PIK”), which accrues to cost and principal on a current basis but is generally not paid in cash until maturity or some other determined payment date. Interest payments structured in the form of PIK are subject to the risk that a borrower could default when actual cash interest or principal payments are due.

Collateralized loan obligations (“CLO”) equity investments recognize investment income by utilizing an effective interest methodology based upon an effective yield to maturity utilizing projected cash flows, as required by ASC 325-40, Beneficial Interest in Securities Financial Assets. The Fund monitors the expected residual payments, and effective yield is determined and updated periodically, as needed. Accordingly, investment income recognized on CLO equity securities in the Consolidated Statement of Operations differs from both the tax-basis investment income and from the cash distributions actually received by the Fund during the period.

(f) Federal Income Taxes

The Fund intends to continue to comply with the requirements of Subchapter M of the Code applicable to RICs and to distribute an amount equal to at least the sum of 90% of its investment company taxable income (net investment income and the excess of net short-term capital gain over net long-term capital loss) and 90% of its tax-exempt income, if any, for six months. Therefore, no provision is made for federal income or excise taxes. Due to the timing of dividend distributions and the differences in accounting for income and realized gains and losses for Consolidated Financial Statement and federal income tax purposes, the fiscal year in which amounts are distributed may differ from six months in which the income and realized gains and losses are recorded by the Fund.

ASC 740, Income Taxes (“ASC 740”) requires an evaluation of tax positions taken (or expected to be taken) in the course of preparing a Fund’s tax returns to determine whether these positions meet a “more-likely-than-not” standard that, based on the technical merits, have a more than fifty percent likelihood of being sustained by a taxing authority upon examination. A tax position that meets the “more-likely-than-not” recognition threshold is measured to determine the amount of benefit to recognize in the Consolidated Financial Statements. The Fund recognizes interest and penalties, if any, related to unrecognized tax benefits as income tax expense in the Consolidated Statement of Operations.

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ASC 740 requires management of the Fund to analyze tax positions taken in the prior three open tax years, if any, and tax positions expected to be taken in the Fund's current tax year, based on the statute of limitations for all major jurisdictions, including federal tax authorities and certain state tax authorities. As of September 30, 2025, and during the prior three open tax years, the Fund did not have a liability for any unrecognized tax benefits. The Fund has no examination in progress and is not aware of any tax positions for which it is reasonably possible that the total amounts of unrecognized tax benefits will significantly change in the next twelve months.

(g) Distributions to Shareholders

The Fund makes monthly distributions to its shareholders equal to 10% annually of the Fund's NAV per Share (the "Distribution Policy"). This predetermined dividend rate may be modified by the Board from time to time and may be increased to the extent of the Fund's investment company taxable income that it is required to distribute in order to maintain its status as a RIC. The amount and timing of distributions are determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations, which may differ from GAAP. The character of distributions made during six months from net investment income or net realized gains may differ from the characterization for federal income tax purposes due to differences in the recognition of income expense and gain (loss) items for Consolidated Financial Statement and tax purposes.

For financial reporting purposes, dividends and distributions to Shareholders are recorded on the ex-date. If, for any distribution, available cash is less than the amount of this predetermined dividend rate, then assets of the Fund will be sold and such disposition may generate additional taxable income. The Fund's final distribution for each calendar year will include any remaining investment company taxable income and net tax-exempt income undistributed during six months, as well as the remaining net capital gain realized during six months. If the total distributions made in any calendar year exceed investment company taxable income, net tax-exempt income and net capital gains, such excess amount distributed would be treated as ordinary dividend income to the extent of the Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits. Payments in excess of the earnings and profits would first be a tax-free return of capital to the extent of the adjusted tax basis in the Shares. After such adjusted tax basis is reduced to zero, the payment would constitute capital gain (assuming the Shares are held as capital assets). The Distribution Policy may, under certain circumstances, have certain adverse consequences to the Fund and its Shareholders because it may result in a return of capital resulting in less of a Shareholder's assets being invested in the Fund and, over time, increase the Fund's expense ratio. The Distribution Policy also may cause the Fund to sell a security at a time it would not otherwise do so in order to manage the distribution of income and gain.

(h) Segments

The Fund has adopted Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2023-07, Segment Reporting (Topic 280) — Improvements to Reportable Segment Disclosures ("ASU 2023-07"). An operating segment is defined as a component of a public entity that engages in business activities from which it may recognize revenues and incur expenses, has operating results that are regularly reviewed by the public entity's chief operating decision maker ("CODM") to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance and has discrete financial information available. The Fund's President acts as the Fund's CODM. The Fund represents a single operating segment, as the CODM monitors the operating results of the Fund as a whole and the Fund's long-term strategic asset allocation is pre-determined in accordance with the terms of the Fund's single investment objective which is executed by the Fund's portfolio managers as a team. The financial information in the form of the Fund's portfolio composition, total returns, expense ratios and changes in net assets, which are used by the CODM to assess the segment's performance versus the Fund's comparative benchmarks and to make resource allocation decisions for the Fund's single segment, is consistent with that presented within the Fund's consolidated financial statements. The total return and

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performance is reflected within the accompanying Consolidated Financial Highlights. Segment assets are reflected on the accompanying Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities as “total assets” and significant segment expenses are listed on the accompanying Consolidated Statement of Operations.

Note 3 — Investment Advisory and Other Agreements and Activity with Affiliates

The Fund has entered into an investment management agreement (the “Agreement”) with the Investment Adviser. Pursuant to the Agreement, the Fund pays the Investment Adviser a monthly fee (the “Investment Management Fee”), in arrears, equal to 1.35% on an annualized basis of the Fund’s net assets determined as of month-end, subject to certain adjustments.

The Investment Adviser has entered into an expense limitation and reimbursement agreement (the “Expense Limitation and Reimbursement Agreement”) with the Fund, whereby the Investment Adviser has agreed to waive fees that it would otherwise have been paid, and/or to assume expenses of the Fund (a “Waiver”), if required to ensure that Total Annual Expenses (excluding any taxes, leverage interest, brokerage commissions, dividend and interest expenses on short sales, acquired fund fees and expenses (as determined in accordance with SEC Form N-2), expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses (such as litigation expenses)) do not exceed 2.40% and 1.65% of the net assets on an annualized basis of Class A Shares and Class I Shares, respectively (the “Expense Limit”). The Expense Limitation and Reimbursement Agreement may not be terminated by the Fund or the Investment Adviser until April 29, 2026. Thereafter, the Expense Limitation and Reimbursement Agreement will automatically renew for consecutive one-year terms unless terminated by the Fund or the Investment Adviser upon 30 days’ advanced written notice. Because taxes, leverage interest, brokerage commissions, dividend and interest expenses on short sales, acquired fund fees and expenses, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses are excluded from the Expense Limit, Total Annual Expenses (after fee waivers and expense reimbursements) are expected to exceed 2.40% and 1.65% for the Class A Shares and Class I Shares, respectively. For a period not to exceed three years from the date on which a Waiver is made, the Investment Adviser may recoup amounts waived or assumed, provided it is able to effect such recoupment and remain in compliance with the Expense Limit in effect at the time of the Waiver and the Expense Limit at the time of the recoupment.

For six months ended September 30, 2025, the Investment Adviser has waived \$461,756 in Investment Management fees for Class I Shares. At September 30, 2025, the amount of these potentially recoverable expenses was \$2,087,281. The Investment Adviser may recapture all or a portion of this amount no later than March 31st of year stated below:

| | |
|-------------|--------------------|
| 2026 | \$ 411,518 |
| 2027 | 530,751 |
| 2028 | 683,256 |
| 2029 | 461,756 |
| Total | <u>\$2,087,281</u> |

The Fund uses a “multi-manager” approach whereby the Fund’s assets are allocated amongst the Investment Adviser and one or more Sub-Advisers in percentages determined at the discretion of the Investment Adviser. During six months ended September 30, 2025, the Investment Adviser has engaged Mount Logan Management, LLC (“Mount Logan”) and Palmer Square Capital Management LLC (“Palmer Square”) (each, a “Sub-Adviser” and together, the “Sub-Advisers”) to manage certain assets of the Fund. Pursuant to a separate sub-advisory agreement among the Fund, the Investment Adviser and Mount Logan, Mount Logan receives a portfolio management fee equal to 1.00% on an annualized basis of their portion of the Fund’s average daily net assets, subject to certain adjustments.

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Pursuant to a separate sub-advisory agreement among the Fund, the Investment Adviser and Palmer Square, Palmer Square receives a portfolio management fee equal to 0.50% on an annualized basis of their portion of the Fund's average daily net assets, subject to certain adjustments. Effective July 1, 2025 Palmer Square's portfolio management fee was revised to 0.45% on an annualized basis of their portion of the Fund's average daily net assets, subject to certain adjustments. Each Sub-Adviser's fee is paid by the Investment Adviser out of the Investment Management Fee.

The Fund has adopted a Distribution and Service Plan with respect to Class A Shares and Class I Shares in compliance with Rule 12b-1 under the Investment Company Act. The Distribution and Service Plans allow the Fund to pay distribution and servicing fees for the sale and servicing of its Class A Shares and Class I Shares. Under the Distribution and Service Plan for Class A Shares, the Fund is permitted to pay as compensation up to 1.00% on an annualized basis of the aggregate net assets of the Fund attributable to Class A Shares and under the Distribution and Service Plan for Class I Shares, the Fund is permitted to pay as compensation up to 0.25% on an annualized basis of the aggregate net assets of the Fund attributable to Class I Shares (collectively, the "Distribution and Servicing Fee") to qualified recipients. The Fund or the Distributor may pay all or a portion of these fees to any registered securities dealer, financial institution or any other person who renders assistance in distributing or promoting the sale of the respective Class of Shares or who provides certain shareholder services, pursuant to a written agreement. The Distribution and Servicing Fee is paid out of the Fund's assets attributable to the applicable Share class and decreases the net profits or increases the net losses of such Share class.

First Trust Portfolios L.P. (the "Distributor"), an affiliate of the Investment Adviser, serves as the Fund's distributor. UMBFS serves as the Fund's fund accountant, transfer agent and administrator; and UMB Bank, n.a., an affiliate of UMBFS, serves as a custodian of the assets of the Fund.

A Trustee and certain officers of the Fund are employees of UMBFS. The Fund does not compensate trustees and officers affiliated with UMBFS or Investment Adviser. For six months ended September 30, 2025, the Fund's fees incurred for Trustees are reported on the Consolidated Statement of Operations.

Vigilant Compliance, LLC provides Chief Compliance Officer ("CCO") services to the Fund. The Fund's fees incurred for CCO services for six months ended September 30, 2025 are reported on the Consolidated Statement of Operations.

Note 4 — Federal Income Taxes

The Fund has elected to be treated and intends to continue to qualify as a RIC for federal income tax purposes. As a RIC, the Fund will generally not be subject to federal corporate income tax, provided that it distributes substantially all of its income and gains each year.

At September 30, 2025, gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments owned by the Fund, based on cost for federal income tax purposes, were as follows:

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| Cost of investments | \$466,378,167 |
| Gross unrealized appreciation | \$ 17,076,410 |
| Gross unrealized depreciation | \$ (13,492,013) |
| Net unrealized appreciation on investments | <u>\$ 3,584,397</u> |

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The difference between cost amounts for Consolidated Financial Statement and federal income tax purposes is due primarily to timing differences in recognizing certain gains and losses in securities transactions. As of March 31, 2025, the components of accumulated earnings (deficit) on a tax basis were as follows:

| | |
|--|------------------------------|
| Undistributed ordinary income | \$ 1,491,426 |
| Undistributed long-term capital gains | — |
| Accumulated capital and other losses | (681,440) |
| Net unrealized appreciation on investments | (2,976,934) |
| Other temporary differences | (4,506) |
| Total accumulated earnings (deficit) | <u><u>\$ (2,171,454)</u></u> |

The tax character of distributions paid during the years ended March 31, 2025 and March 31, 2024 were as follows:

| Distribution paid from: | 2025 | 2024 |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Ordinary income | \$26,942,238 | \$6,940,804 |
| Net long-term capital gains | 229,147 | 39,577 |
| Total taxable distributions | <u><u>\$27,171,385</u></u> | <u><u>\$6,980,381</u></u> |

Note 5 — Investment Transactions

For six months ended September 30, 2025, purchases and sales of investments, excluding short-term investments, were \$146,880,740 and \$102,370,300, respectively.

Note 6 — Redemption Fee

The Fund may impose a maximum deferred sales charge of 1.25% of the total redemption amount on Class A Shares redeemed within 12 months of the date of purchase. For six months ended September 30, 2025, the Fund received \$0 in deferred sales charges.

Note 7 — Indemnifications

In the normal course of business, the Fund enters into contracts that provide general indemnifications. The Fund's maximum exposure under these agreements cannot be known; however, the Fund expects any risk of loss from such claims to be remote.

Note 8 — Repurchase of Shares

The Fund intends to provide a limited degree of liquidity to the Shareholders by conducting quarterly repurchase offers. In each repurchase offer, the Fund may offer to repurchase its Shares at their NAV as determined as of approximately March 31, June 30, September 30 and December 31, of each year, as applicable (each such date, a "Valuation Date"). Each repurchase offer will be for no less than 5% of the Shares outstanding, but if the number of Shares tendered for repurchase exceeds the number the Fund intended to repurchase, the Fund may determine to repurchase less than the full number of Shares tendered. In such event, Shareholders will have their Shares repurchased on a pro rata basis, and tendering Shareholders will not have all of their tendered Shares repurchased by the Fund.

If Shareholders tender for repurchase more than the repurchase offer amount for a given repurchase offer, the Fund may, but is not required to, repurchase an additional amount of Shares not to exceed 2% of the outstanding Shares of the Fund on the repurchase request deadline. If the Fund determines not to repurchase more than the repurchase offer amount, or if Shareholders tender Shares in an amount exceeding the repurchase offer amount plus 2% of the outstanding Shares on the repurchase request deadline, the Fund will repurchase the Shares on a pro rata basis. However, the Fund may

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accept all shares tendered for repurchase by Shareholders who own less than \$1,000 worth of Shares and who tender all of their Shares, before prorating other amounts tendered. In addition, the Fund will accept the total number of Shares tendered in connection with required minimum distributions from an Individual Retirement Account (IRA) or other qualified retirement plan. It is the Shareholder's obligation to both notify and provide the Fund supporting documentation of a required minimum distribution from an IRA or other qualified retirement plan.

The results of the repurchase offers conducted during six months ended September 30, 2025 are as follows:

| | Repurchase offer | Repurchase offer |
|---|------------------|--------------------|
| Commencement Date | May 30, 2025 | August 29, 2025 |
| Repurchase Request Date | June 30, 2025 | September 30, 2025 |
| Repurchase Pricing Date | June 30, 2025 | September 30, 2025 |
| Net Asset Value as of Repurchase Pricing Date | | |
| Class A Shares | \$10.15 | \$10.13 |
| Class I Shares | \$10.18 | \$10.17 |
| Amount Repurchased | | |
| Class A Shares | \$— | \$— |
| Class I Shares | \$1,126,302 | \$2,513,678 |
| Percentage of Outstanding Shares Repurchased | | |
| Class A Shares | —% | —% |
| Class I Shares | 2.74% | 5.51% |

Note 9 — Fair Value Measurements and Disclosure

ASC 820, *Fair Value Measurement* ("ASC 820") defines fair value, establishes a framework for measuring fair value in accordance with GAAP and expands disclosure about fair value measurements. It also provides guidance on determining when there has been a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for an asset or a liability, when a transaction is not orderly and how that information must be incorporated into a fair value measurement.

Under ASC 820, various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments. These inputs are summarized into three broad levels as described below:

- Level 1 — Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund has the ability to access.
- Level 2 — Observable inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. These inputs may include quoted prices for the identical instrument on an inactive market, prices for similar instruments, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, yield curves, default rates and similar data.
- Level 3 — Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability, to the extent relevant observable inputs are not available, representing the Fund's own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in valuing the asset or liability, and would be based on the best information available.

The availability of observable inputs can vary from security to security and is affected by a wide variety of factors, including, for example, the type of security, whether the security is new and not yet established in the marketplace, the liquidity of markets and other characteristics particular to the

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security. To the extent that valuation is based on models or inputs that are less observable or unobservable in the market, the determination of fair value requires more judgment. Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest for instruments categorized in Level 3.

The inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, for disclosure purposes, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement falls in its entirety is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement.

In accordance with ASU 2015-07, Disclosures for Investments in Certain Entities That Calculate Net Asset Value per Share (or Its Equivalent), investments valued at the NAV as practical expedient are not included in the fair value hierarchy. As such, investments in Private Investment Vehicles with a fair value of \$41,611,080 are excluded from the fair value hierarchy as of September 30, 2025.

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following table summarizes the Fund's investments that are measured at fair value by level within the fair value hierarchy as of September 30, 2025:

| | <u>Level 1</u> | <u>Level 2</u> | <u>Level 3</u> | <u>Total</u> |
|--|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Assets: | | | | |
| Investments, at fair value | | | | |
| Asset-Backed Securities | \$ — | \$ — | \$ 70,283,003 | \$ 70,283,003 |
| Bank Loans | — | 30,211,537 | 101,214,427 | 131,425,964 |
| Closed-End Funds | 1,526,130 | — | — | 1,526,130 |
| Collateralized Loan Obligations | — | 129,078,340 | — | 129,078,340 |
| Private Investment Vehicles | | | | |
| Investment Partnerships | — | — | 33,696,978 | 33,696,978 |
| Private Collateralized Loan Obligations | — | — | 11,447,853 | 11,447,853 |
| Warrants | — | 624,357 | — | 624,357 |
| Short-Term Investments | 50,268,859 | — | — | 50,268,859 |
| Subtotal | <u>\$51,794,989</u> | <u>\$159,914,234</u> | <u>\$216,642,261</u> | <u>\$428,351,484</u> |
| Private Investment Vehicles | | | | |
| Investment Partnerships | | | | 14,685,939 |
| Non-Listed Business Development Companies | | | | 21,508,652 |
| Private Collateralized Loan Obligations | | | | 5,416,489 |
| Total investments | | | | <u>\$469,962,564</u> |
| Other Financial Instruments | | | | |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts* | \$ — | \$ 105,258 | \$ — | \$ 105,258 |
| Total Assets: | <u>\$51,794,989</u> | <u>\$160,019,492</u> | <u>\$216,642,261</u> | <u>\$470,067,822</u> |

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| | Level 1 | Level 2 | Level 3 | Total |
|--|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| Liabilities: | | | | |
| Other Financial Instruments | | | | |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts* | \$ — | \$ 1,680,317 | \$ — | \$ 1,680,317 |
| Total Liabilities: | <u>\$ —</u> | <u>\$ 1,680,317</u> | <u>\$ —</u> | <u>\$ 1,680,317</u> |

* Forward foreign currency exchange contracts are valued at the unrealized appreciation/(depreciation).

The following is a reconciliation of assets in which significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) were used in determining value:

| | Asset-Backed Securities | Bank Loans | Collateralized Loan Obligations | Private Investment Vehicles |
|---|--------------------------------|----------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| Balance as of March 31, 2025 | \$ — | \$ 97,555,111 | \$ 5,027,500 | \$29,213,266 |
| Transfers Into Level 3 | 59,639,388 | — | — | 3,496,124 |
| Transfers Out of Level 3 | — | — | — | — |
| Total gains (losses) for the period | 21,192 | 21,674 | (5,000) | 2,817,278 |
| Purchases | 18,785,630 | 41,812,160 | 2,800,000 | 10,074,288 |
| Sales | (8,163,207) | (38,174,518) | (7,822,500) | (456,125) |
| Balance as of September 30, 2025 | <u>\$70,283,003</u> | <u>\$101,214,427</u> | <u>\$ —</u> | <u>\$45,144,831</u> |
| Change in unrealized gains (losses) for the period for assets held at the end of the reporting period | <u>\$ 3,304,279</u> | <u>\$ (189,019)</u> | <u>\$ (60)</u> | <u>\$ 2,817,278</u> |

The following table presents additional quantitative information about valuation methodologies and inputs used for investments that are measured at fair value and categorized within Level 3 as of September 30, 2025:

| Investments | Fair Value | Valuation Technique | Unobservable Inputs | Range of Input | Weighted average | Impact on Valuation from an Increase in Input |
|------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------------------|---|--|-------------------------|--|
| Asset-Backed Securities | 38,179,319 | Discounted Cash Flow | Discount Margin, CDR | 6.30 – 8.90%, 0.10 – 0.85% | 7.40%, 0.55% | Decrease |
| | 32,103,684 | Discounted Cash Flow | WAVG CDR, Discount Margin, Correlation, WAVG Pool Credit Spread | 5.62 – 8.00%, 0.10 – 0.87%, 50%, 29 – 85 | 7.25%, 0.61%, 50%, 48 | Decrease |
| Bank Loans | 363,280 | Asset Approach | Expected Remaining Distributions | N/A | N/A | Increase |
| | 44,412,577 | Discounted Cash Flow | Discount Rates | 8.55 – 21.96% | 12.12% | Increase |
| | 43,758,791 | Income Approach | Market Yield | 6.77 – 12.57% | 8.37% | Increase |
| | 3,769,779 | Liquidation Approach | Expected Sale Proceeds | N/A | N/A | Increase |
| | 8,910,000 | Transaction Price | Transaction Price | N/A | N/A | Increase |
| Private Investment Vehicles | 34,302,171 | Adjusted Net Asset Value | Reported Net Asset/ Fair Value Adjustments | N/A | N/A | Increase |
| | 2,508,684 | Discounted Cash Flow | Discount Rates | 18.20% | 18.20% | Decrease |
| | 8,166,885 | Discounted Cash Flow | Discount Factor | 0.869 – 0.9896 | 0.9293 | Decrease |
| | 167,091 | Enterprise Valuation | EBITDA Multiple | 6.9x | 6.9x | Increase |

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Note 10 — Affiliated Issuers

An affiliated issuer is an entity in which the Fund has ownership of at least 5% of the voting securities or any investment which is advised or sponsored by a Sub-Adviser. The table below reflects transactions during the period with entities that are affiliates as of September 30, 2025.

| Security Description | Shares/ Principal Amount End of Period | Value Beginning of Period | Additions | Reductions | Amortization | Net Realized Gain (Loss) | Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) | Value End of Period | Dividend Income | Interest Income |
|---|--|---------------------------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| CLOSED-END FUNDS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Palmer Square Capital BDC, Inc. . . . | 124,379 | \$ 2,166,738 | \$ — | \$ (534,906) | \$ — | \$ (94,949) | \$ (10,753) | \$ 1,526,130 | \$ 120,560 | \$ — |
| COLLATERALIZED LOAN | | | | | | | | | | |
| OBLIGATIONS | | | | | | | | | | |
| Mount Logan Funding LP | | | | | | | | | | |
| Series 2018-1A, Class ER, 13.012% (3-Month Term SOFR+872 basis points), 1/22/2033 ^{1,2,4} | — | 599,112 | — | (579,000) | — | (11,700) | (8,412) | — | — | 20,475 |
| Series 2018-1A, Class SUBR, 19.856%, 1/22/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6} . . . | 1,926,983 | 988,911 | — | — | — | — | 36,712 | 1,025,623 | — | — |
| Palmer Square European Loan | | | | | | | | | | |
| Funding | | | | | | | | | | |
| Series 2023-1X, Class FR, 10.296% (3-Month Euribor+827 basis points), 1/15/2038 ^{1,4,5,8} | 500,000 | 538,671 | — | — | — | — | 32,425 | 571,096 | — | 33,596 |
| Series 2023-1X, Class SUB, 0.000%, 11/15/2032 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 600,000 | — | (146,113) | — | — | — | 146,113 | — | — | 148,578 |
| Series 2023-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,050,000 | 863,748 | — | — | — | — | 10,924 | 874,672 | — | 101,892 |
| Series 2023-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 900,000 | 905,655 | — | — | — | — | (33,370) | 872,285 | — | 105,552 |
| Series 2023-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2036 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,450,000 | 1,107,397 | — | — | — | — | (30,441) | 1,076,956 | — | 93,542 |
| Series 2023-3X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,000,000 | 965,230 | — | — | — | — | (21,755) | 943,475 | — | 134,686 |
| Series 2024-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 2,000,000 | 2,034,274 | — | — | — | — | (28,181) | 2,006,093 | — | 171,788 |
| Series 2024-1X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 8/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 2,500,000 | 2,135,816 | — | — | — | — | 73,811 | 2,209,627 | — | 323,815 |
| Series 2024-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 2,825,000 | 2,924,332 | — | (8,932) | 5,986 | — | 147,918 | 3,069,304 | — | 316,703 |
| Series 2024-2X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2034 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 4,000,000 | 3,750,527 | — | — | — | — | 114,427 | 3,864,954 | — | 642,083 |
| Series 2024-3X, Class SUB, 15.000%, 5/15/2034 ^{3,6,7,10,13,14} . . . | 2,000,000 | 2,076,798 | — | — | — | — | 67,360 | 2,144,158 | — | 325,900 |
| Series 2025-1X, Class SUB, 11.652%, 10/15/2034 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,000,000 | 1,081,315 | — | — | — | — | 92,669 | 1,173,984 | — | 31,489 |
| Series 2025-1X, Class SUB, 16.500%, 10/15/2039 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,250,000 | 1,216,479 | — | — | 4,482 | — | 77,356 | 1,298,317 | — | 28 |
| Series 2025-2X, Class F, 10.196% (3-Month Euribor+817 basis points), 7/15/2038 ^{1,4,5,8} | 475,000 | — | 528,557 | — | — | — | 17,347 | 545,904 | — | — |

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|--|--|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Series 2025-2X, Class SUB, 0.000%, 7/15/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | — | \$ 1,613,878 | \$ — | — \$(1,729,113) | \$ 1,041 | \$ 201,667 | \$ (87,473) | \$ — | \$ — | \$ 134,379 |
| Series 2025-2X, Class SUB, 12.136%, 7/15/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,500,000 | — | 1,651,718 | — | 1,885 | — | 32,228 | 1,685,831 | — | 28,294 |
| Series 2025-2X, Class SUB, 6.693%, 2/15/2035 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 2,000,000 | — | 2,233,389 | — | — | — | 117,596 | 2,350,985 | — | 83,985 |
| Series 2025-3X, Class SUB, 0.000%, 7/15/2035 ^{1,2,3,5,6,7,8} . . . | 1,250,000 | — | 1,482,448 | — | — | — | (14,967) | 1,467,481 | — | — |
| Palmer Square Loan Funding Ltd. | | | | | | | | | | |
| Series 2021-4A, Class E, 12.074% (3-Month Term SOFR+777 basis points), 10/15/2029 ^{1,2,4,5} | — | 1,005,014 | — | (1,007,000) | (210) | (1,025) | 3,221 | — | — | 30,184 |
| Series 2022-4A, Class SUB, 12.500%, 7/24/2031 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 450,000 | 393,854 | — | (102,463) | — | — | 41,985 | 333,376 | — | 18,641* |
| Series 2023-1A, Class SUB, 0.000%, 7/20/2031 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 825,000 | 20,170 | (270,145) | — | — | — | 249,975 | — | — | 235,076 |
| Series 2023-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/25/2032 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 500,000 | 449,307 | — | (86,429) | — | — | 38,339 | 401,217 | — | 25,412* |
| Series 2023-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 7/20/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 500,000 | 510,175 | — | (56,200) | — | — | (47,800) | 406,175 | — | 25,277* |
| Series 2023-3A, Class SUB, 10.916%, 1/20/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 500,000 | 472,204 | — | (18,800) | — | — | 19,916 | 473,320 | — | 17,318* |
| Series 2023-4A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/20/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 1,250,000 | 1,187,552 | — | (87,409) | — | — | 89,997 | 1,190,140 | — | 79,488* |
| Series 2024-1A, Class E, 10.888% (3-Month Term SOFR+657 basis points), 10/15/2032 ^{1,2,4,5} | 250,000 | 248,293 | — | — | 202 | — | (7,258) | 241,237 | — | 13,636 |
| Series 2024-1A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 10/15/2032 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 2,510,000 | 2,236,771 | — | (390,813) | — | — | 60,425 | 1,906,383 | — | 114,654* |
| Series 2024-1A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 4/15/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 1,540,000 | 1,463,089 | — | — | — | — | (220,081) | 1,243,008 | — | 96,057 |
| Series 2024-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 3,000,000 | 3,006,631 | — | (296,570) | — | — | (177,351) | 2,532,710 | — | 147,610* |
| Series 2024-2A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 7/20/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 3,000,000 | 2,633,826 | — | — | — | — | (215,975) | 2,417,851 | — | 189,228 |
| Series 2024-3A, Class SUB, 14.500%, 8/8/2032 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 3,000,000 | 2,752,268 | — | (423,657) | — | — | 53,394 | 2,382,005 | — | 130,101* |
| Series 2024-3A, Class SUB, 16.500%, 7/20/2037 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 2,000,000 | 1,903,530 | — | — | — | — | (191,099) | 1,712,431 | — | 149,257 |
| Series 2024-4A, Class SUB, 15.000%, 1/15/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 3,000,000 | 3,041,705 | — | — | — | — | (321,711) | 2,719,994 | — | 189,508 |
| Series 2025-1A, Class SUB, 12.395%, 2/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 4,150,000 | 4,150,000 | — | (413,039) | — | — | (64,429) | 3,672,532 | — | 137,156* |
| Series 2025-1A, Class SUB, 14.500%, 4/20/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 2,250,000 | 2,261,814 | — | — | — | — | (16,932) | 2,244,882 | — | — |
| Series 2025-2A, Class SUB, 11.665%, 7/20/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 2,000,000 | — | 2,000,000 | — | — | — | 29,523 | 2,029,523 | — | 23,253 |
| Series 2025-2A, Class SUB, 8.090%, 7/15/2033 ^{1,2,3,5,6} | 2,625,000 | — | 2,625,000 | — | — | — | 9,452 | 2,634,452 | — | 61,007 |

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| Security Description | Shares/ Principal Amount End of Period | Value Beginning of Period | Additions | Reductions | Amortization | Net Realized Gain (Loss) | Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) | Value End of Period | Dividend Income | Interest Income |
|--|--|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|-----------------|-----------------------------------|---|---------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Series 2025-3A, Class SUB, 13.089%, 7/20/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} . . . | 1,000,000 | \$ — | \$ 1,000,000 | \$ — | \$ — | \$ — | \$ 11,050 | \$ 1,011,050 | \$ — | \$ 17,395 |
| Series 2025-4A, Class SUB, 13.035%, 10/20/2038 ^{1,2,3,5,6} . . . | 1,500,000 | \$ — | 1,500,000 | \$ — | \$ — | \$ — | \$ — | 1,500,000 | \$ — | 27,851 |
| PRIVATE INVESTMENT VEHICLES | | | | | | | | | | |
| BCP Special Opportunities Offshore | | | | | | | | | | |
| Feeder III LP ^{5,9,10} | N/A | 308,973 | 619,784 | (89,746) | \$ — | \$ — | \$ 30,084 | \$ 869,095 | \$ 1,368 | \$ — |
| | <u>64,201,363</u> | <u>\$53,014,057</u> | <u>\$13,224,638</u> | <u>\$(5,824,077)</u> | <u>\$13,386</u> | <u>\$ 93,993</u> | <u>\$ 106,259</u> | <u>\$60,628,256</u> | <u>\$121,928</u> | <u>\$4,424,894</u> |

* This amount includes adjustments to reflect distributions as return of capital.

¹ Callable.

² Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933.

³ Variable rate security, upon which the interest rate adjusts periodically based on changes in current interest rates and prepayments on the underlying pool of assets. Rate shown is the rate in effect as of period end.

⁴ Floating rate security, upon which the interest rate adjusts periodically based on changes in current interest rates and prepayments on the underlying pool of assets. Rate shown is the rate in effect as of period end.

⁵ Affiliated company.

⁶ CLO subordinated notes are considered CLO equity positions. CLO equity positions are 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 fund expenses. The Fund monitors the effective yield and residual value for each CLO equity position held within the Fund's portfolio on a quarterly basis. The residual value also known as the equity or residual tranche is the portion of the CLO's assets remaining after all debt obligations have been fully satisfied. The effective yield and investment cost may ultimately not be realized.

⁷ Principal Amount denoted in local currency.

⁸ Foreign security denominated in U.S. Dollars.

⁹ Investment does not issue shares.

¹⁰ Investment valued using net asset value per share as practical expedient.

Note 11 — Derivatives and Hedging Disclosures

ASC 815, Derivatives and Hedging requires enhanced disclosures about the Fund's derivative and hedging activities, including how such activities are accounted for and their effects on the Fund's financial position, performance and cash flows.

The effects of these derivative instruments on the Fund's financial position and financial performance as reflected in the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities and Consolidated Statement of Operations are presented in the tables below. The fair values of derivative instruments as of September 30, 2025, by risk category are as follows:

| | Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments | | Total |
|----------------------------|---|------------------|------------------|
| | Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts | | |
| Assets: | | | |
| Foreign exchange | | \$105,258 | \$105,258 |
| | | <u>\$105,258</u> | <u>\$105,258</u> |

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| | Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts | Total |
|----------------------------|---|----------------------|
| Liabilities: | | |
| Foreign exchange | \$(1,680,317) | \$(1,680,317) |
| | <u>\$(1,680,317)</u> | <u>\$(1,680,317)</u> |

The effects of derivative instruments on the Consolidated Statement of Operations for six months ended September 30, 2025, by risk category are as follows:

| | Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments | |
|--|---|----------------------|
| | Forward Foreign Currency Exchange Contracts | Total |
| Net Realized Gain (Loss) on Derivatives | | |
| Foreign exchange | \$(3,451,107) | \$(3,451,107) |
| | <u>\$(3,451,107)</u> | <u>\$(3,451,107)</u> |
| Net Change in Unrealized Appreciation/Depreciation on Derivatives | | |
| Foreign exchange | \$(606,224) | \$(606,224) |
| | <u>\$(606,224)</u> | <u>\$(606,224)</u> |

Realized gains and losses related to derivative financial instruments are recognized as part of realized gain/loss on the statement of cash flows.

The notional amount and the number of contracts as of September 30, 2025 are included on the Consolidated Schedule of Investments. The quarterly average volumes of derivative instruments are as follows:

| Derivatives not designated as hedging instruments | | |
|---|-----------------|----------------|
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts | Notional amount | \$(76,727,870) |

Note 12 — Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities

ASU 2011-11, Disclosures about Offsetting Assets and Liabilities, requires an entity to disclose information about offsetting and related arrangements to enable users of its financial statements to understand the effect of those arrangements on its financial position.

The Fund mitigates credit risk with respect to over-the-counter (“OTC”) derivative counterparties through credit support annexes included with International Swaps and Derivatives Association (“ISDA”) Master Agreements or other Master Netting Agreements which are the standard contracts governing most derivative transactions between the Fund and each of its counterparties. These agreements allow the Fund and each counterparty to offset certain derivative financial instruments’ payables and/or

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receivables against each other and/or with collateral, which is generally held by the Fund's custodian. The amount of collateral moved to/from applicable counterparties is based upon minimum transfer amounts specified in the agreement. To the extent amounts due to the Fund from its counterparties are not fully collateralized contractually or otherwise, the Fund bears the risk of loss from counterparty non-performance.

The Fund's Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities presents financial instruments on a gross basis, therefore there are no net amounts and no offset amounts within the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities to present below. Gross amounts of the financial instruments, amounts related to financial instruments/cash collateral not offset in the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities and net amounts are presented below:

| Counterparty | Gross Amounts Recognized in Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities | Amounts Not Offset in Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities | | Net Amount |
|---|---|--|----------------------|---------------|
| | | Financial Instruments* | Cash Collateral** | |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts – assets | BNP Paribas \$ 105,258 | \$(105,258) | \$ — | \$ — |
| Forward foreign currency exchange contracts – liabilities | BNP Paribas \$(1,680,317) | \$ 105,258 | \$ — | \$(1,575,059) |

* Amounts relate to master netting agreements and collateral agreements (for example, ISDA) which have been determined by the Investment Adviser to be legally enforceable in the event of default and where certain other criteria are met in accordance with applicable offsetting accounting guidance.

** Amounts relate to master netting agreements and collateral agreements which have been determined by the Investment Adviser to be legally enforceable in the event of default but where certain other criteria are not met in accordance with applicable offsetting accounting guidance. The collateral amounts may exceed the related net amounts of financial assets and liabilities presented in the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities. Where this is the case, the total amount reported is limited to the net amounts of financial assets and liabilities with that counterparty.

Note 13 — Commitments

Bank Loans, Collateralized Loan Obligations and Private Investment Vehicles may be structured to be fully funded at the time of investment or include unfunded investment commitments, which are contractual obligations for future funding. The potential investment commitments are noted as "Commitments and contingencies" as reported on the Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The unfunded investment commitments outstanding as of September 30, 2025, are as follows:

| | Unfunded Commitment |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Bank Loans | |
| Accordian Partners, LLC | \$ 73,043 |
| Accury, Inc | 500,000 |
| Accuray, Inc. | 500,000 |
| CB Buyer, Inc. | 634,681 |
| CB Buyer, Inc. | 394,750 |
| Craftmark Bakery Holdings, LLC | 410,256 |
| Craftmark Bakery Holdings, LLC | 633,866 |
| Dentive, LLC | 1,369,500 |

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| | Unfunded Commitment |
|--|--------------------------------|
| Fenix Topco, LLC | \$ 7,901 |
| Fenix Topco, LLC | 332,043 |
| Fertility (ITC) Buyer, Inc. | 415,658 |
| IDC Infusion Services, Inc. | 64,935 |
| Medical Technology Solutions, LLC | 1,250,000 |
| Medical Technology Solutions, LLC | 375,000 |
| Minds + Assembly, LLC | 169,271 |
| NMA Holdings, LLC | 432,353 |
| NMA Holdings, LLC | 352,941 |
| PhyNet Dermatology, LLC | 1,015,124 |
| PhyNet Dermatology, LLC | 517,241 |
| Riccobene Associates | 415,426 |
| Riccobene Associates | 135,318 |
| Riskonnect Parent, LLC | 4,000,000 |
| Royal Palm Equity Partners I LP | 361,005 |
| Sepro Holdings, LLC | 432,836 |
| South Florida ENT Associates | 77,262 |
| Summit Spine & Joint Centers | 829,187 |
| Summit Spine & Joint Centers | 389,718 |
| Tank Holding Corp. | 15,409 |
| Taoglas Group Holdings Limited | 11,621 |
| Collateralized Loan Obligations | |
| Arini U.S. CLO Ltd. | 1,000,000 |
| Neuberger Berman Loan Advisers CLO Ltd. | 5,200,000 |
| Private Investment Vehicles | |
| Investment Partnerships | |
| Arbour Lane Credit Opportunity Fund IV LP | 3,276,555 |
| BCP Special Opportunities Offshore Feeder III LP | 2,199,729 |
| Blue Torch Offshore Credit Opportunitites Fund IV LP | 12,000,000 |
| Proterra Credit Fund 3 LP | 2,966,129 |
| TCW Rescue Financing II LP | 4,495,806 |
| Whitehawk IV-Plus Onshore Fund LP | 600,000 |
| Non-Listed Business Development Companies | |
| Audax Private Credit Fund, LLC | 5,287,316 |
| TCW Direct Lending VIII, LLC | 3,644,649 |
| Private Collateralized Loan Obligations | |
| Ares Capital Corp. | 786,254 |
| Fortress Credit Opportunities CLO, LLC | 1,678,320 |
| GPG Loan Funding, LLC | 1,251,750 |

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| | Unfunded Commitment |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| NXT Capital CLO, LLC | \$ 4,044,000 |
| Silver Point Loan Funding, LLC | 235,272 |
| | <u>\$64,782,125</u> |

Note 14 — Credit Agreement

The Fund, as the borrower, has entered into a credit agreement, as amended (the “Credit Agreement”), with TriState Capital Bank as the lender. The Credit Agreement provides for borrowings on a committed basis in an aggregate principal amount up to \$12,000,000, which amount may be increased from time to time upon mutual agreement by the parties. The expiration date of the Credit Agreement is March 30, 2026. Effective June 16, 2025 the Fund obtained a temporary increase in the maximum revolving commitment by \$20,000,000 (from 5,000,000 to \$25,000,000) through and including September 14, 2025, and thereafter set the maximum Revolving Commitment at \$12,000,000. In connection with the Credit Agreement, the Fund has made certain customary representations and warranties and is required to comply with various customary covenants, reporting requirements and other requirements including maintaining a loan to value ratio of 3 to 1 at any time. The Credit Agreement contains events of default customary for similar financing transactions, including: (i) the failure to make principal, interest or other payments when due after the applicable grace period; (ii) the insolvency or bankruptcy of the Fund; or (iii) a change of management of the Fund. Upon the occurrence and during the continuation of an event of default, the lender may declare the outstanding advances and all other obligations under the Credit Agreement immediately due and payable. The Fund's obligations to the lender under the Credit Agreement are secured by a first-priority security interest in substantially all of the assets of the Fund.

For six months ended September 30, 2025, the Fund incurred costs related to the quarterly average daily unused portion of the revolving commitment (“Unused line of credit fees”) as reported on the Consolidated Statement of Operations. The average interest rate, average daily loan balance, maximum outstanding and amount recorded as interest expense for the 50 days the Fund had outstanding borrowings were 7.220%, \$3,316,940, \$25,000,000, and \$128,649, respectively. As of September 30, 2025, the Fund had no outstanding principal balance.

Note 15 — Control Ownership

The beneficial ownership, either directly or indirectly, of more than 25% of the voting securities of the Fund creates presumption of control of the Fund, under Section 2(a) 9 of the Act. As of September 30, 2025, the Shareholders listed in the table immediately below held, for the benefit of their customers, the following percentages of the outstanding Shares of the Fund:

| Beneficial Owner | % of Outstanding Shares of the Fund |
|-------------------------|--|
| Charles Schwab & Co. | 74.0% |

The Fund has no knowledge as to whether all or any portion of the Shares owned of record are also owned beneficially.

Note 16 — Risk Factors

An investment in the Fund involves various risks. The Fund invests in and actively trades securities and other financial instruments using a variety of strategies and investment techniques with significant risk characteristics, including the risks arising from the volatility of the equity and fixed income securities.

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No guarantee or representation is made that the investment program will be successful.

Certain local, regional or global events such as war, acts of terrorism, the spread of infectious illnesses and/or other public health issues, financial institution instability, threatened or actual imposition of tariffs, recessions or other events may have a significant impact on a security or instrument. These types of events and others like them are collectively referred to as "Market Disruptions and Geopolitical Risks" and they may have adverse impacts on the worldwide economy, as well as the economies of individual countries, the financial health of individual companies and the market in general in significant and unforeseen ways. Some of the impacts noted in recent times include but are not limited to embargos, political actions, supply chain disruptions, bank failures, restrictions to investment and/or monetary movement including the forced selling of securities or the inability to participate in impacted markets. The duration of these events could adversely affect the Fund's performance, the performance of the securities in which the Fund invests and may lead to losses. The ultimate impact of "Market Disruptions and Geopolitical Risks" on the financial performance of the Fund's investments is not reasonably estimable at this time. Management is actively monitoring these events.

Note 17 — Events Subsequent to the Period End

In preparing these Consolidated Financial Statements, management has evaluated subsequent events through the date of issuance of the Consolidated Financial Statements included herein. There have been no subsequent events that occurred during such period that would require disclosure or would be required to be recognized in the Consolidated Financial Statements.

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Board Consideration of Sub-Advisory Agreements

At the meeting of the Board of Trustees (the “Board” and members thereof, the “Trustees”) held on June 4 – 5, 2025 (the “Meeting”), the Board, including a majority of Trustees who are not “interested persons” within the meaning of Section 2(a)(19) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the “Independent Trustees”), approved (i) the continuation of the investment sub-advisory agreement between First Trust Capital Management L.P. (the “Investment Manager”), Mount Logan Management, LLC (“Mount Logan”) and the Fund (the “Mt. Logan Agreement”) and (ii) an amended and restated investment sub-advisory agreement among the Investment Manager, Palmer Square Capital Management, LLC (“Palmer Square” and together with Mount Logan, the “Sub-Advisers”) and the Fund (the “Palmer Square Agreement” and together with the Mt. Logan Agreement, the “Sub-Advisory Agreements”).

In advance of the Meeting, the Independent Trustees requested and received materials from the Advisers to assist them in considering the approval of the Sub-Advisory Agreements. Among other things, the Board reviewed reports from third parties and management about the below factors. The Board did not consider any single factor as controlling in determining whether or not to approve either Sub-Advisory Agreement. Nor are the items described herein all-encompassing of the matters considered by the Board.

The Board engaged in a detailed discussion of the materials with management of the Investment Manager. The Independent Trustees then met separately with their independent counsel for a full review of the materials. Following these sessions, the full Board reconvened and after further discussion determined that the information presented provided a sufficient basis upon which to approve the Advisory Agreements.

NATURE, EXTENT AND QUALITY OF SERVICES

The Board reviewed and considered the nature and extent of the investment advisory services provided by the Sub-Advisers to the Fund under the Sub-Advisory Agreements, including the selection of Fund investments. The Board also reviewed and considered the nature and extent of the non-advisory, administrative services provided by the Sub-Advisers to the Fund, including, among other things, providing office facilities, equipment, and personnel. The Board reviewed and considered the qualifications of the portfolio managers and other key personnel of the Sub-Advisers who provide the investment advisory and administrative services to the Fund. The Board determined that the Sub-Advisers’ portfolio managers and key personnel are well-qualified by education and/or training and experience to perform the services for the Fund in an efficient and professional manner. The Board also took into account the Sub-Advisers’ compliance policies and procedures, including those used by the Investment Manager to determine the value of the Fund’s investments. The Board concluded that the overall quality of the advisory and administrative services provided to the Fund was satisfactory.

PERFORMANCE

The Board considered the investment performance of the Sub-Advisers with respect to the Fund, noting that the Sub-Advisers also act as investment adviser to certain funds with a similar investment objective and strategy. The Board further considered the Fund’s performance against a relevant index, and noted that the Fund outperformed the index for the one-year period ended March 31, 2025. The Board considered the overall performance of the Fund and concluded that the performance of the Fund was satisfactory.

FEES AND EXPENSES

The Board reviewed and considered the sub-advisory fee rate and total net expense ratio of the Fund, noting that the Investment Manager pays the Sub-Advisers from its fee. The Board compared the sub-advisory fees and total net expense ratio for the Fund with various comparative data, including the

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fees paid by comparable sub-advisory clients of the Sub-Advisers. The Board concluded that the sub-advisory fees payable to each Sub-Adviser and total net expense ratio were reasonable and satisfactory in light of the services provided by the Sub-Advisers.

BREAKPOINTS AND ECONOMIES OF SCALE

The Board reviewed the structure of the advisory fees under the investment management agreement and the fees paid by the Investment Manager to the Sub-Advisers under the Sub-Advisory Agreements, neither of which included breakpoints. It took into account the Investment Manager's and Sub-Advisers' assertions that that breakpoints were not necessary at current asset levels, but it would re-evaluate as assets grew. The Board considered the Fund's advisory fees and the fees paid by the Investment Manager to the Sub-Advisers and concluded that such fees were reasonable and satisfactory in light of the services provided.

PROFITABILITY OF SUB-ADVISERS

The Board considered and reviewed information concerning the costs incurred and profits realized by the Investment Manager and Sub-Advisers from their relationships with the Fund. The Board also reviewed the Investment Manager's and Sub-Advisers' financial condition and noted that each appeared stable. The Board determined that the advisory and sub-advisory fees and the compensation to the Investment Manager and Sub-Advisers were reasonable and the financial condition of each was adequate.

ANCILLARY BENEFITS AND OTHER FACTORS

The Board also discussed other benefits to be received by the Investment Manager and Sub-Advisers from its management of the Fund including, without limitation, reputational benefits and the ability to market advisory services for similar products or other funds managed by the Investment Manager and/or Sub-Advisers in the future. The Board noted that the Investment Manager is an affiliate of the Fund's distributor (the "Distributor") and that the Distributor receives certain fees for its role as distributor and for other services related to the Fund that are paid by the Investment Manager. The Board further noted that the Sub-Advisers were not affiliated with the Distributor and did not derive any benefit from the Distributor's relationship with the Fund. The Board also considered that a registered investment adviser affiliated with the Investment Manager receives additional management fees for assets held in the Fund by the affiliate registered investment adviser's clients, noting that the Investment Manager does not participate in the management fees earned by the affiliate registered investment adviser. The Board noted that the Sub-Advisers do not have affiliations with the Fund's transfer agent, fund accountant or custodian, and therefore, do not derive any benefits from the relationships these parties may have with the Fund. The Board concluded that the advisory fees were reasonable in light of the fall-out benefits.

GENERAL CONCLUSION

Based on its consideration of all factors that it deemed material, and assisted by the advice of its counsel, the Board concluded it would be in the best interest of the Fund and its shareholders to approve the Sub-Advisory Agreements.

| | TICKER | CUSIP |
|---|---------------|--------------|
| First Trust Private Credit Fund – Class I Shares | FTPCX | 33741K209 |
| First Trust Private Credit Fund – Class A Shares | FTCAX | 33741K200 |

Availability of Quarterly Portfolio Schedules

The Fund files its complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Part F of Form N-PORT. The Fund's Form N-PORT is available on the SEC website at www.sec.gov or without charge and upon request by calling the Fund at (877)-779-1999.

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Proxy Voting Record

Information regarding how the Fund voted proxies for portfolio securities, if applicable, during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30, is also available, without charge and upon request by calling the Fund at (877)-779-1999 or by accessing the Fund's Form N-PX on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures

A description of the Fund's proxy voting policies and procedures related to portfolio securities is available without charge, upon request, by calling the Fund at (877) 779-1999 or on the SEC website at www.sec.gov.

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First Trust Private Credit Fund
PRIVACY POLICY
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| FACTS | WHAT DOES THE FUND DO WITH YOUR PERSONAL INFORMATION? |
|-------|--|
| Why? | Financial companies choose how they share your personal information. Federal law gives consumers the right to limit some but not all sharing. Federal law also requires us to tell you how we collect, share, and protect your personal information. Please read this notice carefully to understand what we do. |
| What? | <p>The types of personal information we collect and share depend on the product or service you have with us. This information can include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Security number • Account balances • Account transactions • Transaction history • Wire transfer instructions • Checking account information <p>When you are <i>no longer</i> our customer, we continue to share your information as described in this notice.</p> |
| How? | All financial companies need to share customers' personal information to run their everyday business. In the section below, we list the reasons financial companies can share their customers' personal information; the reasons funds choose to share; and whether you can limit this sharing. |

| Reasons we can share your personal information | Does the Fund share? | Can you limit this sharing? |
|---|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| For our everyday business purposes – such as to process your transactions, maintain your account(s), respond to court orders and legal investigations, or report to credit bureaus | Yes | No |
| For our marketing purposes – to offer our products and services to you | No | We don't share |
| For joint marketing with other financial companies | No | We don't share |
| For our affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your transactions and experiences | Yes | No |
| For our affiliates' everyday business purposes – information about your creditworthiness | No | We don't share |
| For our affiliates to market to you | No | We don't share |
| For nonaffiliates to market to you | No | We don't share |
| Questions? | Call 1-844-440-4450 | |

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| What we do | |
|---|--|
| How does the Fund protect my personal information? | To protect your personal information from unauthorized access and use, we use security measures that comply with federal law. These measures include computer safeguards and secured files and buildings. |
| How does the Fund collect my personal information? | <p>We collect your personal information, for example, when you</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Open an account • Provide account information • Give us your contact information • Make a wire transfer • Tell us where to send the money <p>We also collect your information from others, such as credit bureaus, affiliates, or other companies.</p> |
| Why can't I limit all sharing? | <p>Federal law gives you the right to limit only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing for affiliates' everyday business purposes-information about your creditworthiness • Affiliates from using your information to market to you • Sharing for nonaffiliates to market to you <p>State laws and individual companies may give you additional rights to limit sharing.</p> |

| Definitions | |
|------------------------|---|
| Affiliates | <p>Companies related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.</p> <p><i>Our affiliates include companies such as First Trust Capital Management L.P.</i></p> |
| Nonaffiliates | <p>Companies not related by common ownership or control. They can be financial and nonfinancial companies.</p> <p><i>The Fund doesn't share with nonaffiliates so they can market to you.</i></p> |
| Joint marketing | <p>A formal agreement between nonaffiliated financial companies that together market financial products or services to you.</p> <p><i>The Fund doesn't jointly market.</i></p> |