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## **Investment Highlights**





## **Palmer Square Capital BDC Inc. Overview**

Focused on seeking the best relative value opportunities across corporate and structured credit with a bias for high quality, short duration, liquid credits and large private credit

### **Key Portfolio Statistics**

\$3.1B

Invested Capital
Since Inception

\$1.4B

Fair Value Investment Portfolio<sup>1</sup> \$422M

Weighted Average LTM EBITDA<sup>2</sup> 11.0%

Net Investment Income Yield<sup>3</sup>

207

Portfolio Companies

38

Portfolio Industries

99%

Floating Rate Debt Investments<sup>4</sup> 10.65%

W.A. Yield on Investments<sup>5</sup>

\$16.70

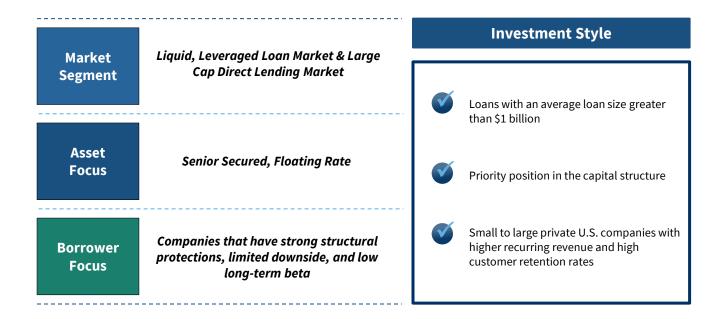
January 31, 2025 NAV Per Share

Note: Data as of 12/31/2024. Data presented as a percentage of fair value, where applicable. <sup>1</sup> Includes the fair value of short-term investments. <sup>2</sup> Attributes of First Lien Borrowers. <sup>3</sup>Q4 2024 annualized net investment income yield as a percentage of average NAV. <sup>4</sup>As a percentage of long-term investments. <sup>5</sup> Represents a weighted average yield to maturity at fair value for all debt and income producing securities.



### **Investment Strategy**

Attractive risk adjusted returns through a highly liquid strategy

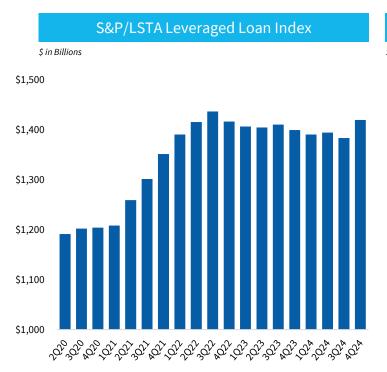


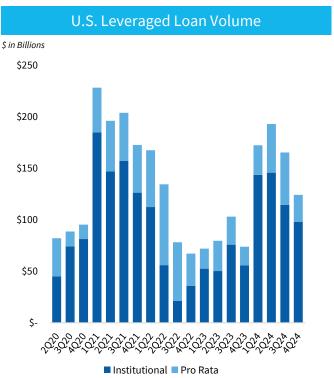
Consistent investment philosophy throughout multiple credit environments underpinned by core competencies: **locating relative value** and granular, **bottom-up** fundamental credit analysis



## **Large Addressable Market Opportunity**

Strong near-and medium-term supply as issuers continue to access the market for refinancings and long-term supply as private equity dry powder gets deployed





Note: Data as of 12/31/2024. Source: LCD, LSTA Leveraged Loan Index.



### **Fourth Quarter 2024 Highlights**

#### **Earnings**

- Total investment income of \$34.9 million for the fourth quarter of 2024 compared to \$29.8 million for the prior year period.
- Net investment income of \$14.8 million or \$0.45 per share<sup>1</sup> for the fourth quarter of 2024, as compared to \$15.4 million or \$0.57 per share for the comparable period last year.
- Net asset value of \$16.50 per share as of December 31, 2024, compared to \$16.61 per share as of September 30, 2024.
- Declared cash distributions to stockholders totaling \$0.48 per share for the fourth quarter of 2024.

### Portfolio Activity

- As of December 31, 2024, total portfolio of long-term investments was \$1.3 billion at fair value, with 262 investments in 207
  portfolio companies.
- As of December 31, 2024, 99% of the investments were at floating rates and there were two long-term investment loans on non-accrual status.
- As of December 31, 2024, weighted average total yield to maturity of debt and income producing securities at fair value and amortized cost was 10.65% and 9.06%, respectively.
- New investments funded of \$171.8 million across 28 new investments for the fourth quarter of 2024 with \$176.4 million aggregate principal amount in sales and repayments.

#### Balance Sheet

- As of December 31, 2024, total assets were \$1.4 billion, and total net assets were \$537.8 million.
- Debt-to-equity ratio<sup>2</sup> as of December 31, 2024, was 1.50x, compared to 1.52x at the end of Q3 2024.
- Available liquidity, consisting of cash and undrawn capacity on credit facilities, was approximately \$199.7 million as of December 31, 2024, compared to \$21.6 million of undrawn investment commitments.

#### Other Highlights

- PIK income as a percentage of total investment income for the fourth quarter of 2024 remains low at approximately 1.96%, significantly below industry averages.
- Investments on non-accrual as a percentage of total investments at fair value declined to 0.08%, compared to 0.26% at the end
  of Q3 2024.

# Recent Developments

On February 27, 2025, PSBD's Board of Directors declared a first quarter 2025 regular distribution of \$0.36 per share payable on April 10, 2025, to shareholders of record as of March 28, 2025. PSBD expects to announce an additional quarterly supplemental dividend distribution for the first quarter of 2025 in March.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated using weighted average outstanding shares over the period. <sup>2</sup> Net of deferred financing costs and accrued interest.



## **Financial and Portfolio Highlights**

(\$ in thousands, except per share data)	Q4 2023	Q1 2024	Q2 2024	Q3 2024	Q4 2024
Net Investment Income Per Share <sup>1</sup>	\$0.58	\$0.52	\$0.48	\$0.48	\$0.45
Net Investment Income	\$15,391	\$16,318	\$15,758	\$15,729	\$14,796
Dividends Per Share Earned <sup>2</sup>	\$0.54	\$0.49	\$0.47	\$0.47	\$0.48 <sup>3</sup>
Net Asset Value Per Share	\$17.04	\$17.16	\$16.85	\$16.61	\$16.50
Total Portfolio At Fair Value	\$1,108,811	\$1,393,192	\$1,431,577	\$1,389,801	\$1,407,131
Number Of Portfolio Companies	191	211	209	212	207
Portfolio Yield <sup>4</sup>	10.51%	10.11%	9.82%	10.48%	10.65%
Senior Secured Loan <sup>5</sup>	96%	96%	96%	96%	96%
Investments On Non-Accrual <sup>6</sup>	-	-	-	0.26%	0.08%
Total Return <sup>7</sup>	4.88%	3.70%	1.00%	1.43%	2.36%
Net Assets	\$461,955	\$558,537	\$548,790	\$541,937	\$537,845
Debt Outstanding, Net <sup>8</sup>	\$641,829	\$795,185	\$820,390	\$824,412	\$804,156
Debt To Equity, Period End <sup>8</sup>	1.39x	1.42x	1.49x	1.52x	1.50x

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated using weighted average common shares outstanding over the period. <sup>2</sup> Dividend amount reflects dividend earned in period. <sup>3</sup> Dividend Includes \$0.03 of spillover income for Q4 2024. <sup>4</sup> Weighted average total yield of debt and income producing securities at fair value. <sup>5</sup> As a percentage of long-term investments, at fair value. <sup>6</sup> As a percentage of total investments, at fair value. <sup>7</sup> Calculated as ending NAV per share plus dividends in the period, divided by the prior period NAV. Total return is not annualized. <sup>8</sup> Net of deferred financing costs and accrued interest.



## **New Portfolio and Investment Activity**

(\$ in thousands, except per share data)	Q4 2023	Q1 2024	Q2 2024	Q3 2024	Q4 2024
New Investments <sup>1</sup>					
Gross Investments	\$85,331	\$346,483	\$189,301	\$66,240	\$171,785
Less: Sold Investments	(\$52,648)	(\$69,556)	(\$140,027)	(\$82,822)	(\$176,357)
Total New Investments	\$32,683	\$276,926	\$49,274	(\$16,582)	(\$4,572)
Asset Mix - New Investments <sup>1</sup>					
First-Lien Senior Secured Debt Investments	96.95%	90.08%	80.58%	93.86%	93.45%
Second-Lien Senior Secured Debt Investments	-	3.12%	16.60%	6.14%	-
Corporate Bonds	3.05%	-	2.16%	-	-
Convertible Bonds	-	-	-	-	-
Collateralized Securities And Structured Products	-	6.80%	-	-	6.55%
CLO Equity	-	-	-	-	-
Common Stock	-	-	0.66%	-	-
New Investment Activity <sup>2</sup>					
Number Of New Investment Commitments	30	36	24	21	28
Average New Investment Commitment Amount	\$4,172.96	\$4,052.06	\$5,575.30	\$2,717.29	\$4,457.47
W.A. Maturity For New Investment Commitments	5.39 years	6.18 years	6.05 years	5.29 years	6.19 years
New Debt Commitments At Floating Rates	97.60%	100.00%	97.01%	100.00%	100.00%
New Debt Investment Commitments At Fixed Rates	2.40%	-	2.99%	-	-
W.A. Interest Rate Of New Investment Commitments	10.03%	10.19%	9.96%	9.07%	8.98%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> New investments and asset mix calculated at amortized cost. <sup>2</sup> New investment activity calculated at fair value.



### **Portfolio Overview – Asset Mix**



#### **Borrower Attributes<sup>2</sup>**

\$422M

Wtd Average LTM EBITDA **5.4**x

Wtd Average 1<sup>st</sup> Lien Leverage 2.0x

W.A. Interest Coverage

#### **PSBD Portfolio Attributes**

96%

Senior Secured Investments<sup>3</sup> ~\$5.4M

Average Hold<sup>4</sup>

99%

Floating Rate<sup>3</sup>

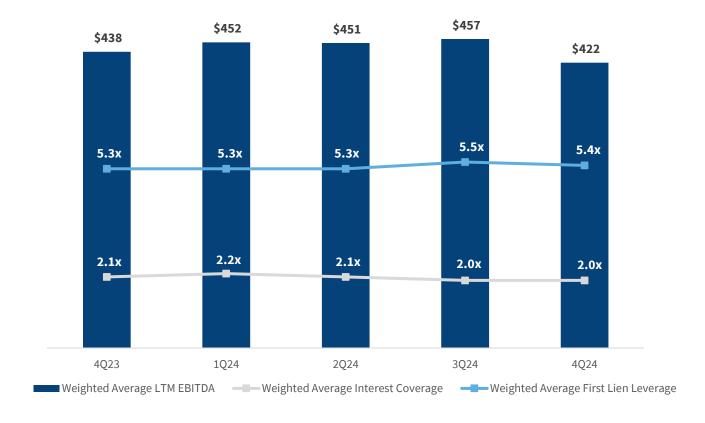
Focus on liquid loans and large private credit to high-quality companies with strong fundamentals in order to drive strong credit outcomes.

■ First Lien ■ Second Lien ■ Short-Term Investments ■ Other ¹

Note: Data as of 12/31/2024. Portfolio mix as a percentage of total income producing securities at fair value. ¹ Other includes Corporate Bonds, CLO Mezzanine and CLO Equity. ² Attributes of First Lien Borrowers. ³ As a percentage of long-term investments. ⁴ Average hold size of first and second lien investments at fair value.



## **Portfolio Company EBITDA & Credit Statistics**

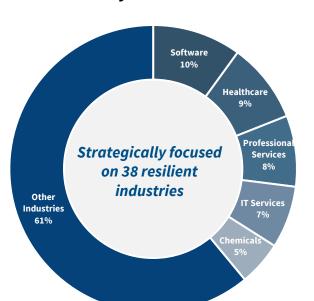


Note: As of 12/31/2024.



## **Portfolio Highlights – Diversification**

### **Industry Diversification**



#### **Borrower Concentration**



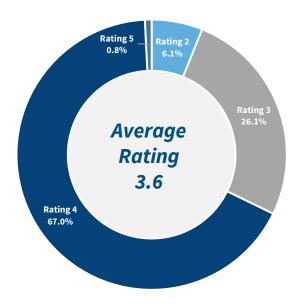
Highly diversified portfolio by industry and borrower, oriented towards first lien senior secured loans

Note: Data as of 12/31/2024. Portfolio industry diversification and borrower concentration as a percentage of total income producing securities at fair value.



### **PSBD Internal Rating System**

• As of December 31, 2024, two investments were on non-accrual status and the weighted average internal rating of the portfolio at fair value was 3.6.



### **Relative Value Scoring System Criteria**

- Positions assigned a score of 5 to 1, updated on an ongoing basis
- · Analysts incorporate both a fundamental and relative value view

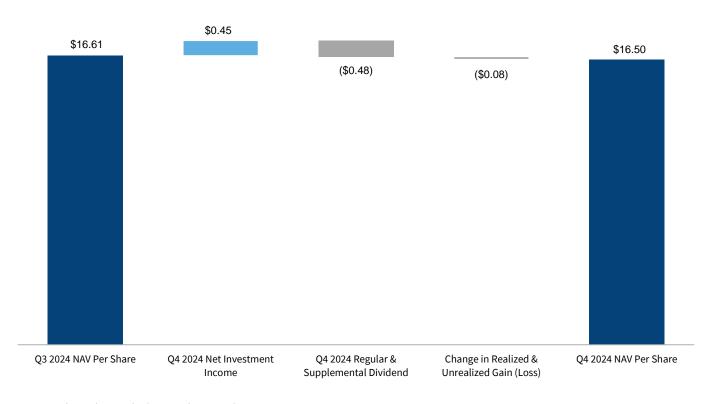
#### The scoring system is as follows:

- (5) Add Now Where Possible/Outperforming or Compelling Relative Value
- (4) Performing At or Above Plan/Add on Relative Where Applicable
- (3) Hold/Fair Value
- (2) Sell Opportunistically/Don't Add
- (1) Sell Now Where Possible/Potential for Impairment

Liquid nature of the portfolio allows for monthly NAV strikes and provides greater transparency into portfolio fair value



## **Net Asset Value Per Share Bridge**

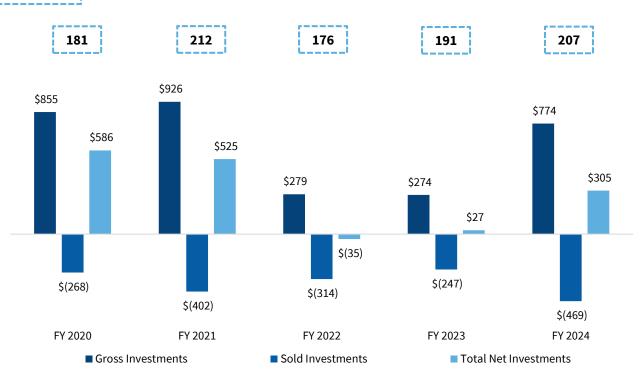


 ${\it Note: NAV per share \ utilizes \ weighted \ average \ shares \ over \ the \ quarter.}$ 



### **Investment Fundings Since Inception**





Liquid nature of the portfolio preserves optionality and allows for opportunistic investments

Note: Data as of 12/31/2024. Investment activity shown in \$ millions, calculated at amortized cost.



## **Debt Obligations and Maturity Ladder**

\$197

\$503

2028

Undrawn Credit Facility

Attractive non-mark to market financing terms with high-quality financing partners and substantial capacity to invest.

#### **Debt Schedule and Maturities** Committed **Principal** Interest Maturity **Amount** Outstanding Rate Date BofA \$525 \$352 S + 1402/18/2028 Credit Facility1 Wells Fargo \$175 \$151 S + 25012/18/2028 Credit Facility **Total Credit** $S + 173^2$ \$700 \$503 **Facilities** $S + 172^3$ 7/15/2037 **CLO Notes** \$300 \$300

2027



Note: As of 12/31/2024. <sup>1</sup> Committed amount and maturity date reflect the amended terms as of December 31, 2024. <sup>2</sup> Blended rate across the two facilities. <sup>3</sup> Weighted average spread of all tranches at time of pricing. <sup>4</sup> D/E (debt-to-equity) calculated net of deferred financing costs and accrued interest. <sup>5</sup> Includes cash & cash equivalents and short-term investments.

\$300

2037

CLO

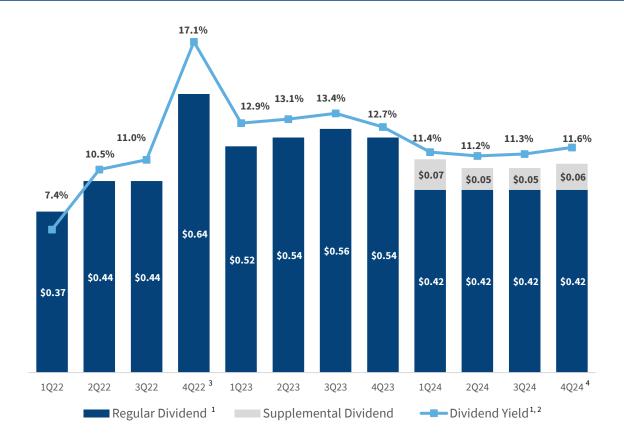
■ Drawn Credit Facility

2026

2025



## **Historical Quarterly Earned Dividends & Yield**



Note: As of 12/31/2024. <sup>1</sup>Dividend amount reflects dividend earned in period. <sup>2</sup>Dividend yield calculated by dividing the latest annualized quarterly dividend by the respective NAV per share at quarter end. <sup>3</sup>Dividend includes \$0.04 of capital gains and \$0.07 of spillover income for Q4 2022. <sup>4</sup>Dividend Includes \$0.03 of spillover income for Q4 2024.



## **Quarterly Statements of Financial Condition**

(\$ in thousands, except per share data)	Q4 2023	Q1 2024	Q2 2024	Q3 2024	Q4 2024
Assets		·			
Investments (At Fair Value)	\$1,108,811	\$1,393,192	\$1,431,577	\$1,389,801	\$1,407,131
Cash And Cash Equivalents	\$2,117	\$8,255	\$14,789	\$1,786	\$2,766
Receivables And Other	\$10,887	\$11,094	\$12,375	\$21,965	\$21,146
Total Assets	\$1,121,815	\$1,412,542	\$1,458,741	\$1,413,552	\$1,431,043
Liabilities					
Credit Facilities, Net	\$641,829	\$795,185	\$519,866	\$518,483	\$501,651
Notes	-	-	\$300,524	\$305,928	\$302,505
Payables	\$16,963	\$57,876	\$88,247	\$46,111	\$87,673
Accrued Other G&A Expenses	\$1,068	\$944	\$1,314	\$1,093	\$1,369
Total Liabilities	\$659,859	\$854,005	\$909,951	\$871,615	\$893,198
Net Assets					
Total Net Assets	\$461,955	\$558,537	\$548,790	\$541,937	\$537,845
Total Liabilities And Net Assets	\$1,121,815	\$1,412,542	\$1,458,741	\$1,413,552	\$1,431,043
Net Asset Value Per Share	\$17.04	\$17.16	\$16.85	\$16.61	\$16.50
Debt To Equity At Quarter End <sup>1</sup>	1.39x	1.42x	1.49x	1.52x	1.50x

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated net of deferred financing costs and accrued interest.



## **Quarterly Operating Results Detail**

(\$ in thousands, except per share data)	Q4 2023	Q1 2024	Q2 2024	Q3 2024	Q4 2024
Investment Income					
Interest Income	\$28,696	\$33,208	\$35,278	\$35,775	\$33,248
Dividend Income	\$951	\$1,255	\$805	\$600	\$656
Payment-In-Kind Interest Income	\$100	\$52	\$182	\$205	\$685
Other Income	\$76	\$270	\$284	\$726	\$284
Total Investment Income	\$29,823	\$34,785	\$36,549	\$37,306	\$34,873
Expense					
Incentive Fees	-	\$1,925	\$2,250	\$2,230	\$2,149
Interest Expense	\$11,786	\$13,179	\$14,997	\$15,671	\$14,159
Management Fees	\$2,252	\$2,416	\$2,450	\$2,424	\$2,414
Professional Fees	\$230	\$238	\$398	\$319	\$497
Directors Fees	\$19	\$37	\$37	\$38	\$38
Other General And Administrative Expenses	\$427	\$722	\$659	\$896	\$820
Total Expenses	\$14,713	\$18,517	\$20,791	\$21,577	\$20,077
Less: Management Fee Waiver	(\$282)	(\$51)	-	-	-
Net Investment Income	\$15,391	\$16,318	\$15,758	\$15,729	\$14,796
Total Net Realized Gains/(Losses)	(\$292)	(\$1,736)	(\$9,412)	(\$7,119)	\$489
Total Net Change In Unrealized Gains/(Losses)	\$6,855	\$8,298	(\$1,033)	(\$1,054)	(\$3,367)
Total Realized & Unrealized Gains /(Losses)	\$6,563	\$6,562	(\$10,445)	(\$8,174)	(\$2,878)
Net Increase/(Decrease) In Net Assets	\$21,954	\$22,880	\$5,313	\$7,555	\$11,918
Shares Outstanding (MM)	27	32	33	33	33
Net Investment Income Per Share <sup>1</sup>	\$0.58	\$0.52	\$0.48	\$0.48	\$0.45

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Calculated using weighted average shares outstanding over the period.



