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Barings BDC, Inc. Second Quarter 2019 Earnings Presentation

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2Q 2019 HIGHLIGHTS (Lloyd)

What were the summary points of the quarter?

BBDC INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO (Fowler)

Update on the portfolio ramp.

THE MIDDLE-MARKET LANDSCAPE (Fowler)

What are the current conditions in the middle market?

BBDC FINANCIALS (Bock)

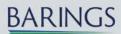
A walk through the balance sheet, income statement and NAV bridge.

3Q 2019 ORIGINATION PIPELINE (Bock)

What is the level of investment activity post-quarter end?

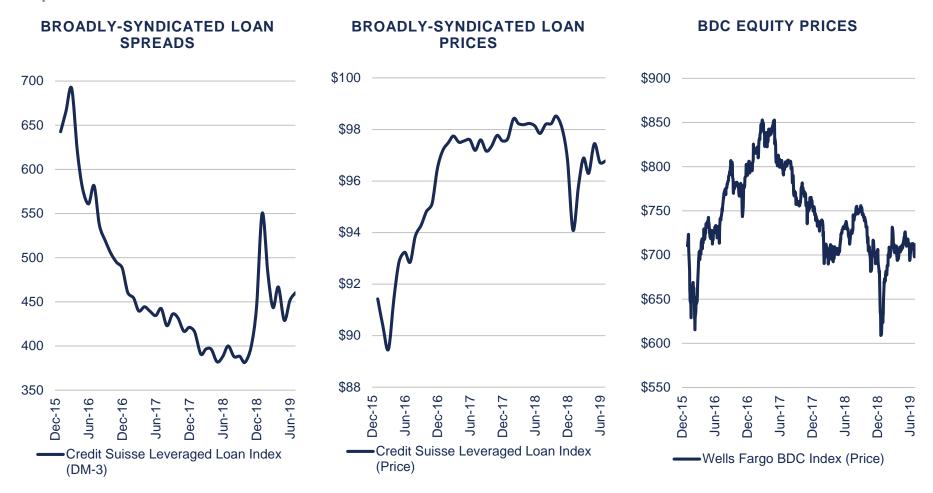


2Q 2019 Highlights



An Update on Credit Spreads and BDC Equity Prices

Loan spreads were little changed quarter-over-quarter as June widening offset the tightening that occurred in April



BDC EQUITY PRICES WERE ALSO LITTLE CHANGED QUARTER-OVER-QUARTER, MIRRORING THE MOVE IN LOAN SPREADS



Second Quarter 2019 Highlights

NET ASSET VALUE

Net asset value (NAV) as of June 30, 2019 was \$11.59 per share

ORIGINATIONS

Investments during the quarter were \$80 million (including \$5 million of addons), while sales and repayments totaled \$42 million

NET INVESTMENT INCOME

Net investment income for the quarter ended June 30, 2019 was \$0.15 per share

PORTFOLIO YIELD

The weighted average portfolio yield at fair value¹ as of June 30, 2019 was 5.8% for broadly-syndicated loans (BSL) and 7.5% for middle-market loans (MML)²

DIVIDEND

The Company announced a second quarter dividend of \$0.13 per share, paid on June 19, 2019 to shareholders of record as of June 12, 2019

CREDIT PERFORMANCE

There were no investments on nonaccrual status as of quarter-end. There were no MML priced below 90% of cost, and 2.2% of BSL were priced below 90% of cost

Data as of June 30, 2019. Refer to slide 19 for fully-reconciled income statement including number of shares used to calculate per-share data.



^{1.} Yield at fair value is calculated as current coupon divided by current price.

^{2.} Excludes short-term investments.

Selected Financial Highlights

Balance Sheet Highlights	2Q 2019	1Q 2019	4Q 2018	3Q 2018 ¹
Investment Portfolio, at Fair Value	\$1,200.6	\$1,189.4	\$1,121.9	\$1,081.2
Total Debt Outstanding (Principal)	\$633.8	\$620.0	\$570.0	\$210.0
Total Net Assets (Equity)	\$583.1	\$584.2	\$563.0	\$611.0
Debt-to-Equity Ratio	1.09x	1.06x	1.01x	0.34x
Net Debt-to-Equity Ratio ²	1.01x	0.94x	0.92x	0.69x
Income Statement Highlights				
Total Investment Income	\$19.6	\$18.3	\$16.6	\$4.4
Net Investment Income	\$7.4	\$8.0	\$8.2	\$3.3
Net Unrealized Appreciation / (Depreciation) on Portfolio ³	\$1.9	\$25.4	(\$52.3)	\$0.3
Net Income / (Loss)	\$9.2	\$33.2	(\$42.7)	\$3.9
Per-Share Data				
Net Asset Value per share	\$11.59	\$11.52	\$10.98	\$11.91
Net Investment Income per share (basic and diluted) ⁴	\$0.15	\$0.16	\$0.16	\$0.06
Net Income / (Loss) per share (basic and diluted) ⁴	\$0.18	\$0.65	(\$0.83)	\$0.07
Dividend per share	\$0.13	\$0.12	\$0.10	\$0.03

Amounts in millions, except per-share data and ratios.



^{1. 3}Q18 results are for post-externalization period from August 3, 2018 to September 30, 2018.

^{2.} Net of cash and short-term investments and adjusted for unsettled transactions. Refer to slide 27 for reconciliation of Debt to Net Debt.

^{3.} Adjusted to exclude three legacy TCAP restricted assets subject to participation agreements that were fully exited in 4Q18.

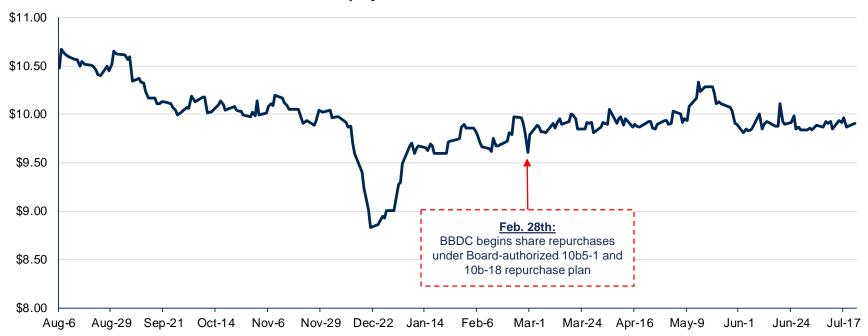
^{4.} Refer to slide 19 for weighted-average shares outstanding for each period.

BBDC Repurchase Plan Update

BBDC continued to execute on its announced share repurchase plan as we believe share repurchases remain an important part of any long-term capital allocation philosophy

- Under the 2019 repurchase plan, BBDC aims to repurchase (i) up to 2.5% of the outstanding shares when BBDC stock trades at prices below NAV but in excess of 0.90x NAV, and (ii) up to 5.0% of the outstanding shares in the event the stock trades at prices below 0.90x NAV, subject to liquidity and regulatory constraints
 - In 2Q19, BBDC repurchased a total of 376,384 shares at an average price of \$10.06/share compared to a 2Q19 NAV per share of \$11.59
 - BBDC has repurchased a total of 969,789 shares through June 30th, 1.9% of the total share count as of our February 27th announcement
- Additionally, Barings LLC continues to own 13,639,681 shares or 27.1% of shares outstanding

BBDC Equity Price since Externalization



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BBDC Investment Portfolio



Investment Activity

Summary of investment activity during the quarter ended June 30, 2019

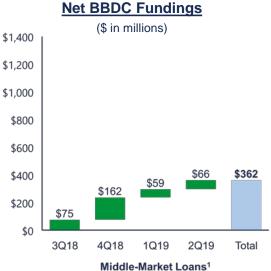
• Middle-Market Loans¹:

- Net increase in investments of \$66.1 million
 - New investment commitments² were \$135.7 million
 - Total MML fundings were \$77.5 million
 - Includes \$5.2 million from four previously-committed DDTLs and one add-on
 - Includes \$5.2 million investment in Joint Venture
 - Sales and repayments totaled \$11.4 million

Broadly-Syndicated Loans:

- Net decrease in investments of \$27.6 million
 - Purchases totaled \$2.9 million
 - Sales and repayments totaled \$30.5 million
- Net realized loss on sales of \$0.1 million







All amounts in millions. 3Q18 amounts are for post-externalization period from August 3, 2018 to September 30, 2018. Excludes short-term investments.



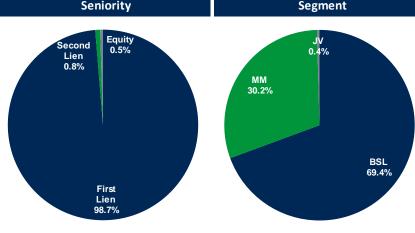
^{1.} Includes Joint Venture.

^{2.} Commitments include delayed-draw term loans (DDTLs) and capital commitment to Joint Venture.

Total Portfolio Composition

A diverse portfolio of 99% senior secured, first lien assets

Investment Portfolio		BSL	Middle Market	To	otal ¹
Total Investments and Commitments (\$mm)		\$809	\$388	\$1	,247
Unfunded Commitments (\$mm)		\$0	\$36	Ş	81
Total Investments at Fair Value (\$mm)		\$809	\$352	\$1	,166
Assets on Non-Accrual		\$0	\$0		\$0
Assets Valued Below 90% of Cost		2.2%	0.0%	1	.5%
Average Spread		L+327 bps	L+500 bps	L+3	79 bps
Yield at Fair Value of Investments (%) ²		5.8%	7.5%	6	.3%
Portfolio Statistics Number of Portfolio Companies		111	30	:	142
Weighted-Average Senior Leverage (Debt/Adjusted EBITDA)		5.0x	4.5x	4	l.8x
Weighted-Average Total Leverage (Debt/Adjusted EBITDA)		6.3x	5.1x	5	5.9x
Weighted-Average Interest Coverage		2.8x	2.9x	2	2.9x
Median Adjusted EBITDA - First Lien (\$mm)		\$292	\$32	\$	245
Median Adjusted EBITDA - Second Lien (\$mm)			\$71	Ş	571
Seniority	Segment	Moody's Industry Diversificat		cation	
		Top 10 Industries		#	% of AUN
Second Equity 0.5%	JV 0.4%	High Tech Industries		13	10%
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Moody's Industry Diversification							
Top 10 Industries	#	% of AUM					
High Tech Industries	13	10%					
Services: Business	12	10%					
Banking, Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	11	10%					
Healthcare and Pharmaceuticals	15	9%					
Capital Equipment	9	6%					
Transportation: Cargo	5	6%					
Services: Consumer	9	5%					
Containers, Packaging and Glass	5	5%					
Retail	6	3%					
Media: Diversified and Production	3	3%					
Other (18)	54	33%					
Total	142	100%					

Data as of June 30, 2019. Excludes short-term investments.



^{1.} Total includes Joint Venture.

^{2.} Yield at Fair Value is calculated as current coupon divided by current price.

Top 10 Investments

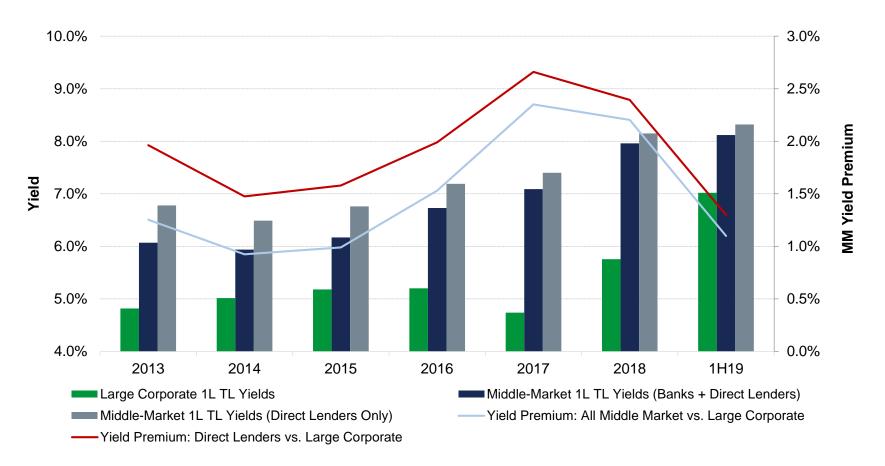
	Top 10 H	Holdings (as	of June 30, 2019)		
Issuer	Moody's Industry	Segment	Principal Amount	Cost	Fair Value	% of Portfolio
BDP Buyer, LLC	Transportation: Cargo	MM	\$24,937,500	\$24,474,847	\$24,373,790	2.1%
Accurus Aerospace Corporation	Aerospace and Defense	MM	24,875,000	24,538,750	24,367,058	2.1%
Professional Datasolutions, Inc. (PDI)	High Tech Industries	MM	23,333,006	23,292,100	23,484,433	2.0%
Campaign Monitor (UK) Limited	Media: Diversified and Production	MM	22,457,627	22,037,215	22,030,785	1.9%
Holley Performance Products (Holley Purchaser, Inc.)	Automotive	MM	22,422,325	22,112,028	21,749,655	1.9%
JS Held, LLC	Services: Business	MM	21,276,464	21,086,317	21,276,464	1.8%
Transportation Insight, LLC	Transportation: Cargo	MM	19,385,653	19,166,650	19,337,042	1.7%
Trystar, LLC	Energy: Electricity	MM	16,722,328	16,831,086	17,134,723	1.5%
Sophia Holding Finance, L.P.	High Tech Industries	BSL	15,412,934	15,455,479	15,362,842	1.3%
Reynolds Group Holdings Ltd.	Containers, Packaging and Glass	BSL	15,342,640	15,411,260	15,215,296	1.3%
Top 10			206,165,476	204,405,730	204,332,089	17.5%
Rest of Portfolio		_	985,080,776	986,597,459	961,857,383	82.5%
Total Portfolio			\$1,191,246,252	\$1,191,003,190	\$1,166,189,472	100.0%





The spread premium that non-regulated direct lenders have enjoyed over large corporate deals is the tightest since data tracking began in 2013. In 1H19, this premium was 130 bps compared to being 200 bps or greater between 2016 and 2018

COMPARISON OF 1L TERM LOAN YIELDS: LARGE CORPORATE (SYNDICATED) VS. MIDDLE-MARKET (SYNDICATED + DIRECT EXECUTIONS)



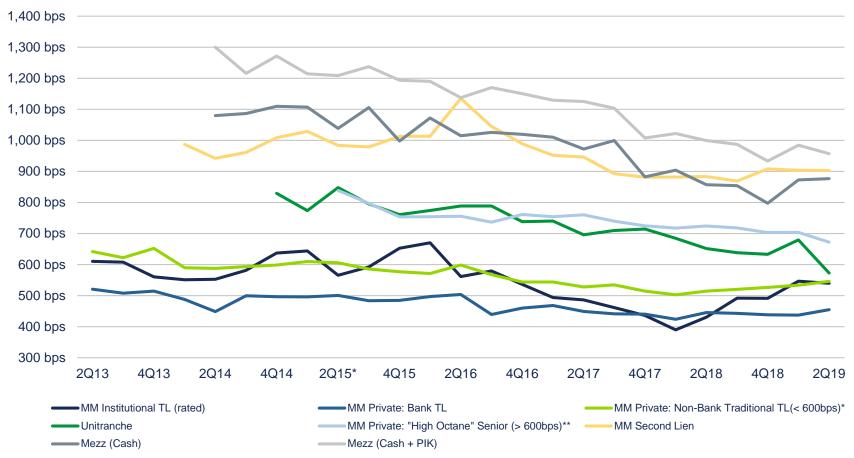
Source: Refinitiv LPC

Middle market 1st lien term loans yields includes both syndicated and direct execution deals and includes unitranche facilities. The blue bar includes both bank and non-bank led deals, grey bar includes just deals led by non-banks.



Lending spreads remained flat quarter-over-quarter with the exception of unitranche and stretch senior transactions

QUARTERLY MIDDLE-MARKET SPREADS ACROSS THE CAPITAL STRUCTURE



Source: Refinitiv LPC

Includes non-sponsored loans submitted by direct lenders beginning 4Q18.

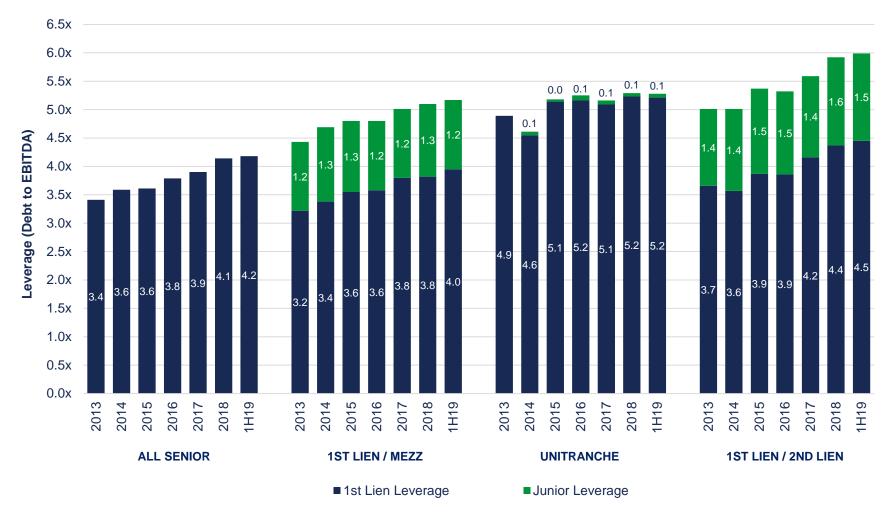
^{**}High octane senior is non-bank term loans that are not unitranche but rather lower levered first lien facilities for tougher/smaller credits priced 600bps and up.



^{*}Non-bank traditional TL is for "traditional" senior deals priced below 600bps, breakout/spread ceiling began in 2Q15,

Leverage continues to reach new highs cross all structures

LEVERAGE BY CAPITAL STRUCTURE



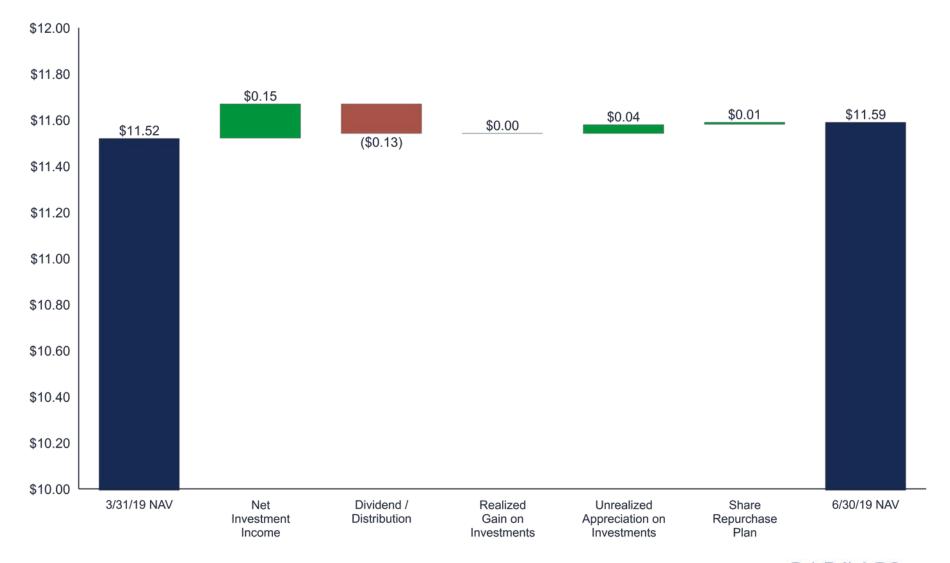


BBDC Financials



Net Asset Value (NAV) Bridge – 1Q19 to 2Q19

Since March 31, 2019, BBDC's NAV per share increased to \$11.59 from \$11.52 due to portfolio appreciation, earnings exceeding the dividend, and the share repurchase plan



BBDC Income Statement

	2Q19	1Q19	4Q18	3Q18
	Three Months Ended June 30, 2019	Three Months Ended March 31, 2019	Three Months Ended December 31, 2018	Period from August 3, 2018 ¹ through September 30, 2018
Investment income:				
Interest income	\$19,074,824	\$18,034,014	\$16,355,639	\$3,876,365
Dividend income	4,711	_	_	200,777
Fee and other income	519,970	301,057	233,606	8,663
Interest income from cash	2,183	4,687	12,406	321,928
Total investment income	19,601,688	18,339,758	16,601,651	4,407,733
Operating expenses:				
Interest and other financing fees	7,027,040	5,844,172	4,582,454	160,497
Base management fee	3,130,955	2,450,995	2,671,953	1,546,675
Compensation expenses	108,646	118,444	116,119	88,539
General and administrative expenses	1,922,165	1,968,860	1,517,878	326,479
Total operating expenses	12,188,806	10,382,471	8,888,404	2,122,190
Base management fee waived	_	_	(493,290)	(993,317)
Net operating expenses	12,188,806	10,382,471	8,395,114	1,128,873
Net investment income	7,412,882	7,957,287	8,206,537	3,278,860
Realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments:				
Net realized gains (losses)	50,024	(129,775)	3,320,776	575,155
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	1,852,007	25,397,188	(55,953,537)	257,362
Net realized and unrealized gains (losses)	1,902,031	25,267,413	(52,632,761)	832,517
Loss on extinguishment of debt	(85,356)	(44,395)	_	_
Income tax benefit (provision)	17,493	(17,992)	1,745,939	(200,777)
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$9,247,050	\$33,162,313	(\$42,680,285)	\$3,910,600
Net investment income per share—basic and diluted	\$0.15	\$0.16	\$0.16	\$0.06
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations per share—basic and diluted	\$0.18	\$0.65	(\$0.83)	\$0.07
Weighted average shares outstanding—basic and diluted	50,473,640	51,157,646	51,284,064	54,690,511

^{1.} Date of Externalization.



BBDC Balance Sheet

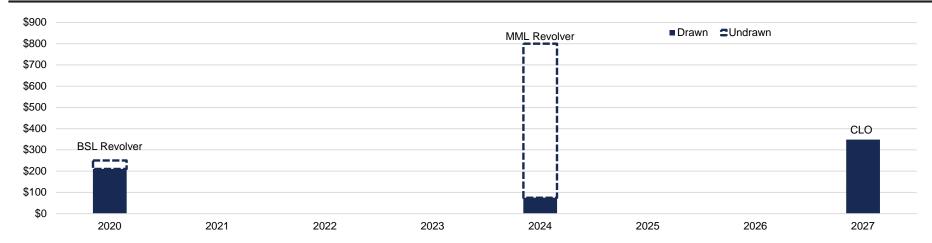
	June 30, 2019	March 31, December 31, 2019 2018		September 30, 2018
Assets:				
Investments at fair value:				
Non-Control / Non-Affiliate investments	\$1,161,189,262	\$1,126,969,755	\$1,076,631,804	\$1,036,189,705
Affiliate investments	5,000,210	_	_	_
Short-term investments	34,423,491	62,414,373	45,223,941	45,000,000
Total investments at fair value	1,200,612,963	1,189,384,128	1,121,855,745	1,081,189,705
Cash	12,926,602	3,056,609	12,426,982	116,678,976
Receivable from unsettled transactions	115,302	4,124,686	22,909,998	172,801,396
Other assets	12,527,888	14,605,725	10,384,350	6,764,133
Total assets	\$1,226,182,755	\$1,211,171,148	\$1,167,577,075	\$1,377,434,210
Liabilities:				
Borrowings under credit facilities	\$285,500,000	\$620,000,000	\$570,000,000	\$210,000,000
Debt securitization	346,441,453	_	_	_
Payable from unsettled transactions	2,970,000	636,179	28,533,014	544,174,355
Other liabilities	8,191,597	6,373,655	6,076,774	12,277,912
Total liabilities	643,103,050	627,009,834	604,609,788	766,452,267
Total net assets	583,079,705	584,161,314	562,967,287	610,981,943
Total liabilities and net assets	\$1,226,182,755	\$1,211,171,148	\$1,167,577,075	\$1,377,434,210
Net asset value per share	\$11.59	\$11.52	\$10.98	\$11.91



Debt Summary and Maturity Profile

On May 9, 2019, BBDC closed a Static CLO with \$348.3 million 8-year AAA/AA notes, and subsequently reduced total commitments under the BSF¹ credit facility to \$250.0 million

			As of 6/	/30/2019	As of 3	/31/2019	019 As of 12/31/2018		
				Principal	Principal	Principal	Principal	Principal	Principal
			Maturity	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount	Amount
	Borrower	Collateral	Date	Committed	Outstanding	Committed	Outstanding	Committed	Outstanding
Revolving Credit Facility - Class A	Barings BDC Senior Funding I, LLC	BSL	Aug-2019	_	_	\$100.0	\$96.7	\$250.0	\$190.0
Revolving Credit Facility - Class A-1	Barings BDC Senior Funding I, LLC	BSL	Aug-2020	250.0	210.5	500.0	483.3	500.0	380.0
Revolving Credit Facility	Barings BDC, Inc.	MML and BSL	Feb-2024	800.0	75.0	800.0	40.0	_	_
CLO Class A-1	Barings BDC Static CLO Ltd. 2019-I	BSL	Apr-2027	296.8	296.8	_	_	_	_
CLO Class A-2	Barings BDC Static CLO Ltd. 2019-I	BSL	Apr-2027	51.5	51.5	_	_	_	_
Total Debt				\$1,398.3	\$633.8	\$1,400.0	\$620.0	\$750.0	\$570.0



Note: Dollar amounts in millions. Excludes deferred financing fees.



^{1.} Barings BDC Senior Funding I, LLC.

Quarterly Dividends

BBDC has declared a third quarter dividend of \$0.14 per share

BBDC DIVIDENDS DECLARED PER SHARE





3Q 2019 Origination Pipeline



Investment Activity Since Quarter End

Below is a summary of BBDC's investment activity since June 30, 2019

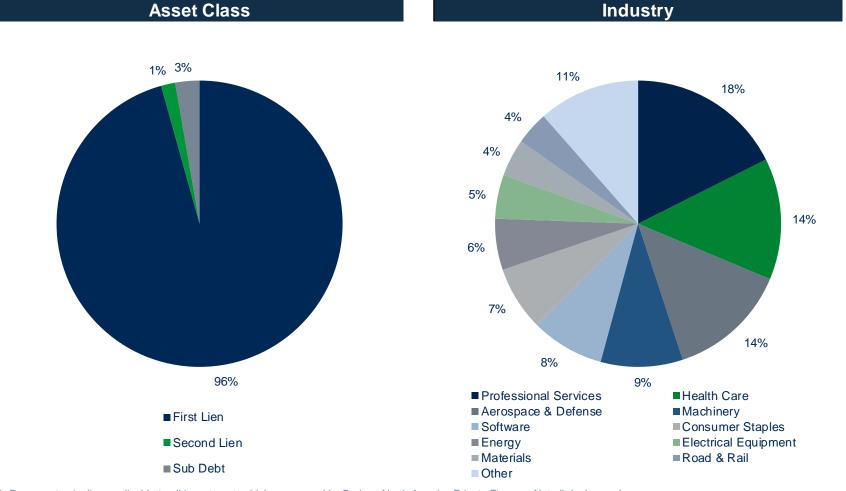
- From July 1, 2019 through July 29, 2019, BBDC made approximately \$70.1 million of new middle-market private debt commitments, of which approximately \$33.0 million have closed and funded. Of the commitments:
 - 100% were in first lien senior secured loans
 - 100% were floating rate
 - The weighted-average origination margin (DM-3) was 7.1%
- Subsequent to June 30, 2019, BBDC received middle-market repayments of \$34.1 million:
 - JS Held: \$21.3 million
 - Healthline Media: \$12.8 million



Investment Pipeline

Below is a summary of Barings North America Private Finance probability-weighted pipeline

- As of July 29, 2019, Barings North America Private Finance group had a probability-weighted pipeline of approximately \$420 million¹
- The following is a breakdown of the pipeline by seniority and by industry



^{1.} Represents pipeline applicable to all investment vehicles managed by Barings North America Private Finance. Not all deals may be suitable for Barings BDC. Barings BDC allocations to be determined in accordance with Barings Global Private Finance allocation policy.



Appendix



Appendix: Reconciliation of Debt to Net Debt and Calculation of Net Debt-to-Equity Ratio

	June 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	December 31, 2018	September 30, 2018
Total debt (principal)	\$633,750,000	\$620,000,000	\$570,000,000	\$210,000,000
minus: Cash	(12,926,602)	(3,056,609)	(12,426,982)	(116,678,976)
minus: Short-term investments	(34,423,491)	(62,414,373)	(45,223,941)	(45,000,000)
plus: Payable from unsettled transactions	2,970,000	636,179	28,533,014	544,174,355
minus: Receivable from unsettled transactions	(115,302)	(4,124,686)	(22,909,998)	(172,801,396)
Total net debt	589,254,605	551,040,511	517,972,093	419,693,983
Total net assets	583,079,705	584,161,314	562,967,287	610,981,943
Total net debt-to-equity ratio	1.01x	0.94x	0.92x	0.69x



Appendix: Barings BDC Corporate Data

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Chairman of BBDC Board, Head of Global Markets at Barings

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