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Full Year and Fourth Quarter 2024 Earnings

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4Q'24 Highlights

4Q'24 Earnings	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Net investment income per share: \$0.56 (vs. \$0.58 in 3Q'24)¹ • Net increase in net assets resulting from operations per share: \$0.54 (vs. \$0.67 in 3Q'24)¹ • Net asset value per share: \$18.18 (vs. \$18.15 at 9/30/2024) • Annualized ROE on net investment income: 12.4%²; annualized ROE on net income: 12.1%³ • Paid \$0.45 regular dividend per share for 4Q'24 on 01/28/2025 • Paid \$0.10 special dividend per share on 01/28/2025
Portfolio	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Focused on investing in core U.S. middle market companies backed by private equity sponsors • \$2.1B portfolio⁴ invested across 210 portfolio companies with a weighted average asset yield of 10.4%⁵ • Primarily comprised of first lien debt and is well diversified across 26 industries <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◦ 90.6% first lien debt, 7.7% subordinated debt, 1.8% equity • Average portfolio company size of 0.5% with the top 10 portfolio companies comprising only 13.2% of the portfolio • One portfolio company on non-accrual; weighted average internal risk rating of 4.1 (4.0 being the initial rating assigned to investments at origination)
Balance Sheet and Liquidity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$2.1B in total assets as of 12/31/2024 • \$250M liquidity comprised of cash, cash equivalents and debt capacity⁶ • 1.15x debt-to-equity ratio⁷ • \$99.3M Share Repurchase Plan: repurchased 3.4M shares / ~\$57.6M through February 25, 2025
Platform	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Churchill is the exclusive U.S. Middle Market Private Capital Manager of TIAA and Nuveen, a \$1.3T global investment manager serving 13,000+ institutions globally • Senior leadership team has worked together since 2006 and has a cycle-tested track record • Time-tested private equity relationships and fund investments as a marquee LP drive proprietary deal flow • Disciplined and rigorous investment approach with comprehensive and proactive portfolio monitoring

Nuveen Churchill Direct Lending Corp. Overview (NYSE: NCDL)

Scaled, publicly-traded business development company with well-diversified, defensively constructed private equity sponsor backed senior loan-focused portfolio

\$2.1B

*Investment
Portfolio (FV)⁴*

210

*Portfolio
Companies*

100%

*Private Equity
Sponsor Backed*

91%

First Lien Debt

81%

*Debt Investments
w. Financial
Covenant⁸*

4.9x

*Portfolio Company
Net Leverage⁹*

\$78M

*W.A. Portfolio
Company EBITDA¹⁰*

2.2x

*Interest Coverage
Ratio on 1st Lien
Loans¹¹*

10.4%

W.A. Asset Yield (FV)⁵

12.0%

4Q'24 Dividend Yield¹²

Financial Highlights

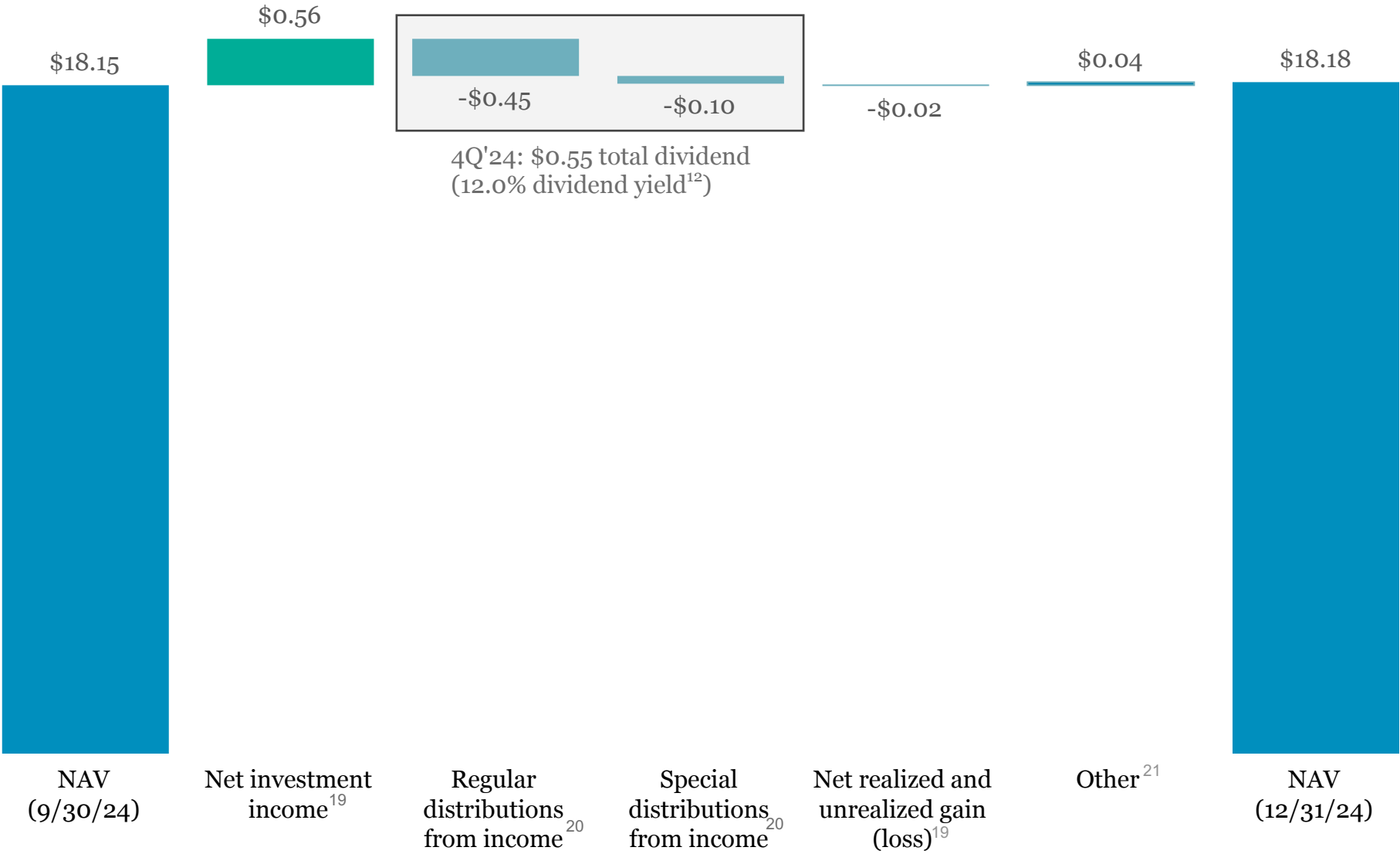
	As of Date and For the Three Months Ended				
<i>(Dollar amounts in thousands, except per share data)</i>	Dec 31, 2024	Sep 30, 2024	Jun 30, 2024	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023
Net Investment Income ¹	\$0.56	\$0.58	\$0.57	\$0.56	\$0.66
Net Realized and Unrealized Gains (Losses) ¹	(0.02)	0.09	(0.20)	0.01	0.07
Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets from Operations ¹	0.54	0.67	0.37	0.57	0.73
Net Asset Value	\$18.18	\$18.15	\$18.03	\$18.21	\$18.13
Regular Distributions	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.45	\$0.50
Supplemental Distributions	—	—	—	—	0.05
Special Distributions ¹⁵	0.10	0.10	0.10	—	—
Total Distributions	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.55	\$0.45	\$0.55
Regular Distribution Yield ¹³	9.8%	9.9%	10.0%	9.9%	10.9%
Supplemental Distribution Yield ¹⁴	—%	—%	—%	—%	1.1%
Special Distribution Yield ¹⁵	2.2%	2.2%	2.2%	—%	—%
Total Distribution Yield ¹⁶	12.0%	12.1%	12.3%	9.9%	12.0%
Total Debt ⁷	\$1,114,929	\$1,101,964	\$1,028,750	\$817,214	\$943,936
Net Assets	\$970,320	\$990,608	\$986,372	\$998,234	\$747,885
Debt-to-Equity at Quarter End	1.15x	1.11x	1.04x	0.82x	1.26x
Annualized ROE (on Net Investment Income) ²	12.4%	12.6%	12.6%	12.0%	13.7%
Annualized ROE (on Net Income) ³	12.1%	14.7%	8.2%	12.1%	15.3%

Quarterly Investment Activity

	For the Three Months Ended				
(Dollar amounts in thousands)	Dec 31, 2024	Sep 30, 2024	Jun 30, 2024	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023
Net Funded Investment Activity					
New Gross Commitments at Par	\$162,663	\$225,612	\$360,218	\$206,815	\$253,620
Net Investments Funded ¹⁷	\$151,106	\$203,159	\$304,976	\$204,330	\$236,118
Investments Sold or Repaid ¹⁷	\$(119,464)	\$(155,616)	\$(99,977)	\$(54,896)	\$(80,577)
Net Funded Investment Activity	\$31,642	\$47,543	\$204,998	\$149,434	\$155,541
Gross Commitments at Par (incl. unfunded commitments)					
First-Lien Debt	\$159,436	\$221,097	\$343,237	\$201,005	\$246,293
Subordinated Debt	\$3,127	\$3,145	\$14,501	\$5,314	\$6,048
Equity Investments	\$100	\$1,370	\$2,479	\$496	\$1,279
Gross Commitments	\$162,663	\$225,612	\$360,218	\$206,815	\$253,620
Gross Commitments at Par (incl. unfunded commitments)					
First-Lien Debt	98%	98%	95%	97%	97%
Subordinated Debt	2%	1%	4%	3%	2%
Equity Investments	—%	1%	1%	—%	1%
New Investment Activity - Selected Metrics					
Number of New Investments	29	29	36	34	22
Weighted Average Annual Interest Rate on new debt and income producing investments at par ¹⁸	9.0%	9.6%	10.5%	10.3%	11.2%

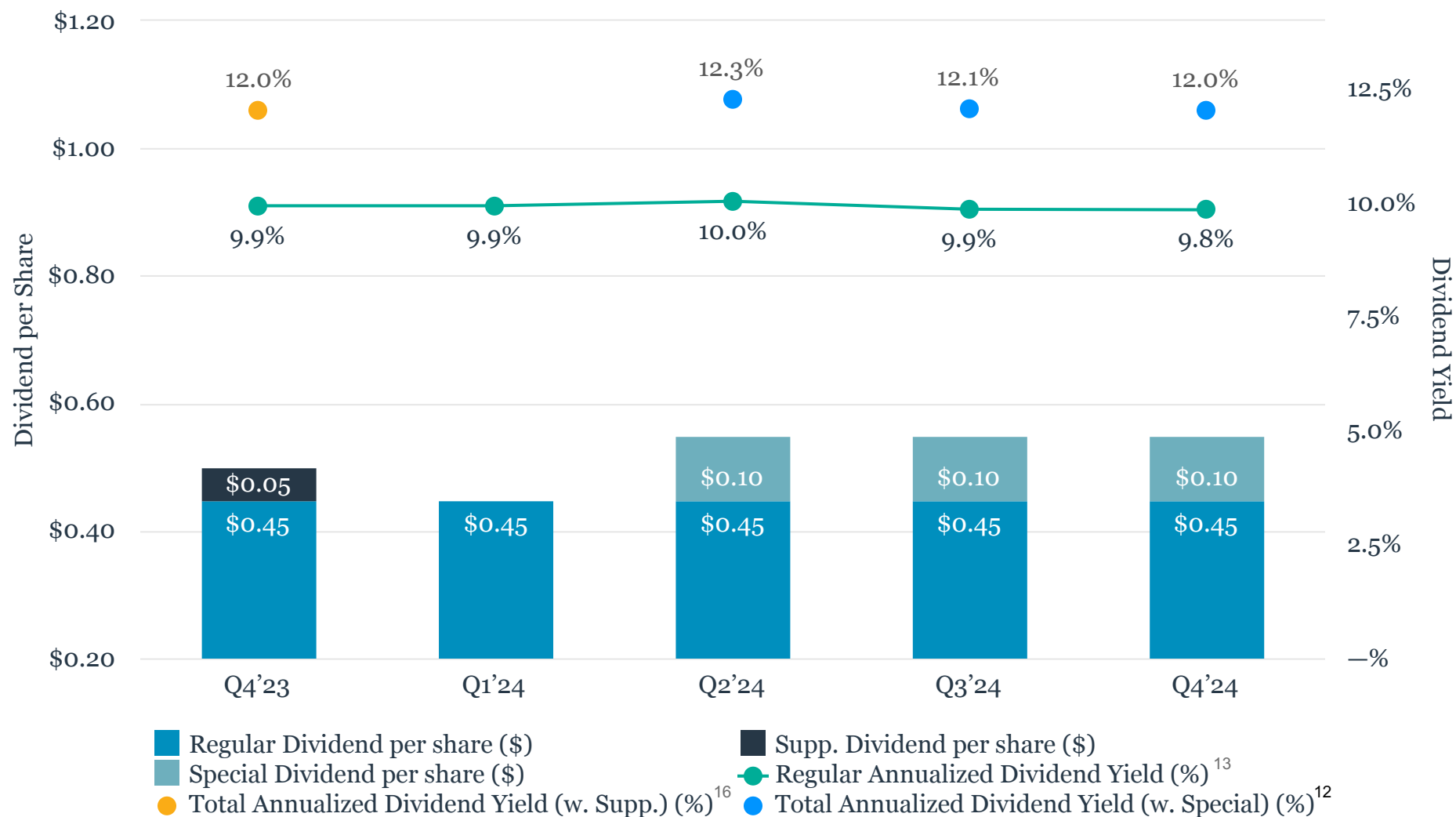
Net Asset Value

- \$0.03 quarter-over-quarter increase in NAV per share



Dividend History

- Declared Q1'25 regular dividend of \$0.45 per share payable on April 28, 2025 for shareholders of record as of March 31, 2025
- The final IPO special dividend of \$0.10 per share is payable on April 28, 2025 for shareholders of record as of February 12, 2025



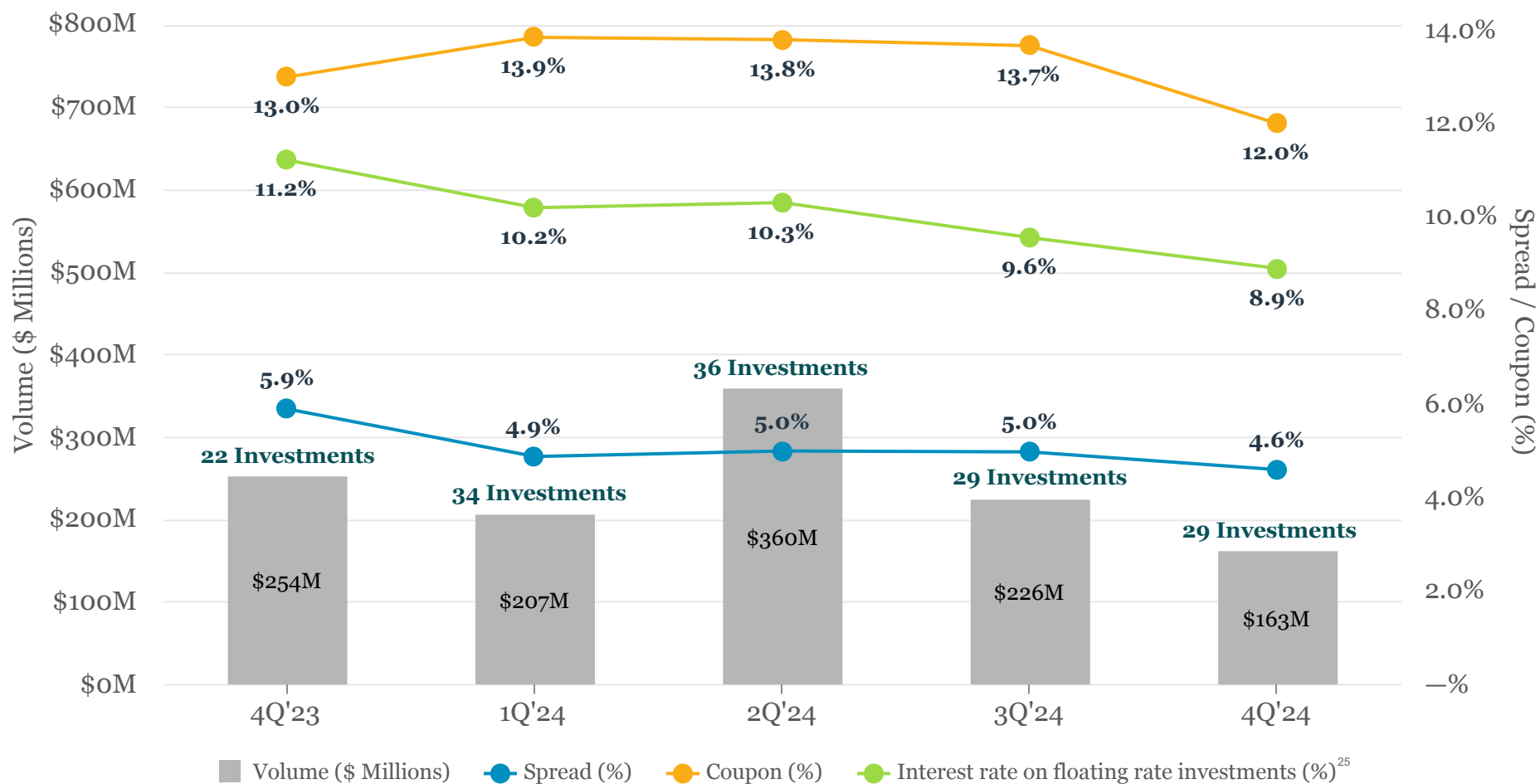
Portfolio Highlights

	As of Date				
(Dollar amounts in thousands, unless otherwise noted)	Dec 31, 2024	Sep 30, 2024	Jun 30, 2024	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023
Portfolio Highlights					
Investments, at Fair Value ⁴	\$2,081,379	\$2,046,887	\$1,990,856	\$1,794,559	\$1,641,686
Number of Portfolio Companies	210	202	198	195	179
Average Position Size, at Fair Value (\$)	\$9,911	\$10,133	\$10,055	\$9,203	\$9,171
Average Position Size, at Fair Value (%)	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%
Portfolio Composition, at Fair Value					
First-Lien Debt	90.6%	90.1%	90.6%	89.0%	87.0%
Subordinated Debt	7.7%	8.3%	7.8%	9.3%	11.2%
Equity Investments	1.8%	1.7%	1.6%	1.8%	1.9%
Loans by Interest Rate Type, at Fair Value					
% Floating Rate Debt Investments	94.7%	94.3%	94.8%	94.7%	94.6%
% Fixed Rate Debt Investments	5.3%	5.8%	5.2%	5.3%	5.4%
Asset Level Yields					
Weighted Average Yield on Debt and Income Producing Investments, at Cost ⁵	10.3%	10.9%	11.3%	11.6%	11.7%
Weighted Average Yield on Debt and Income Producing Investments, at Fair Value ⁵	10.4%	10.9%	11.4%	11.7%	11.9%

4Q'24 Investment Activity

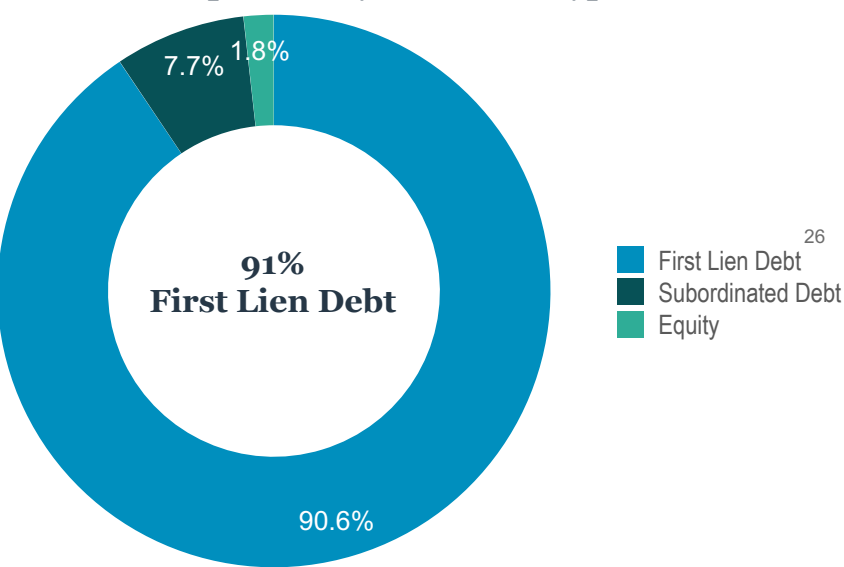
- Closed 16 new investments and 13 add-ons totaling \$163M²²
- 4.6%²³ average spread of new floating rate investments
- 12.0%²⁴ average coupon of new fixed rate investments

Investment Activity (QoQ)

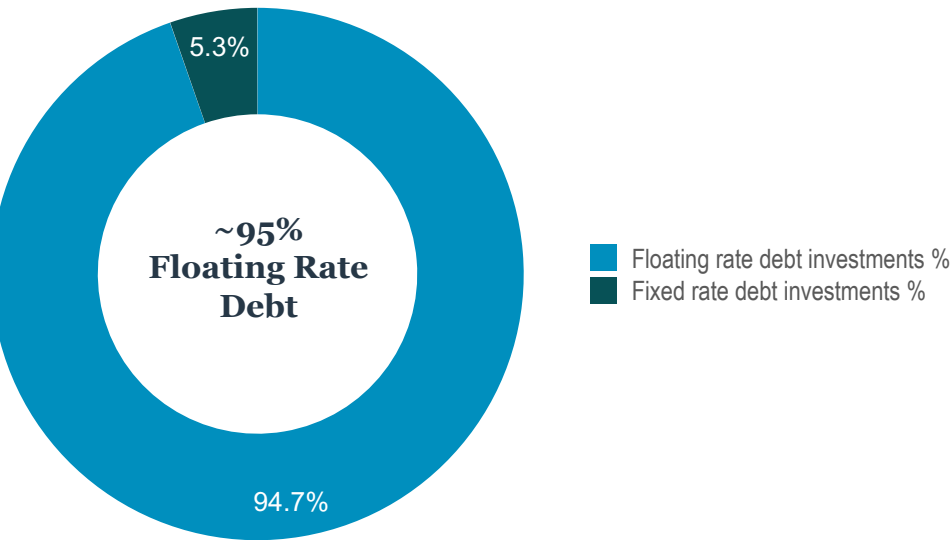


Portfolio Overview

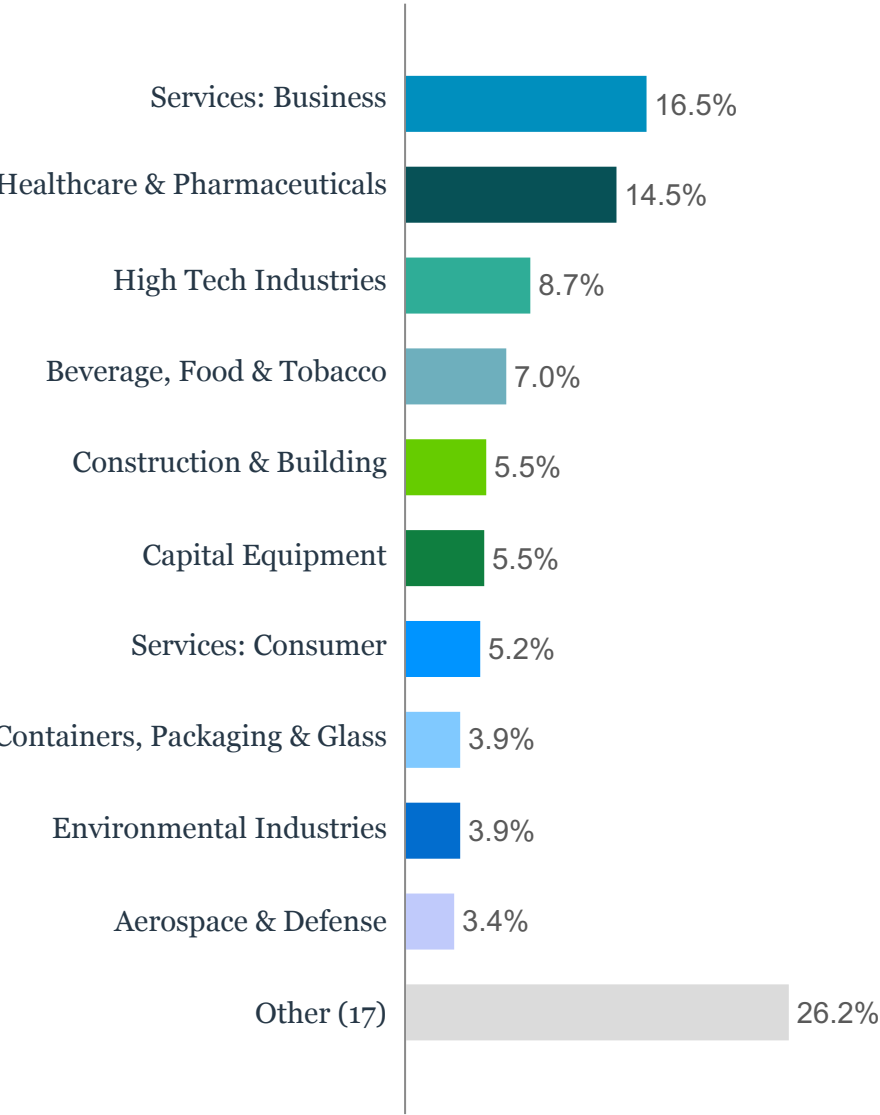
Portfolio composition by investment type



Portfolio composition by interest rate type

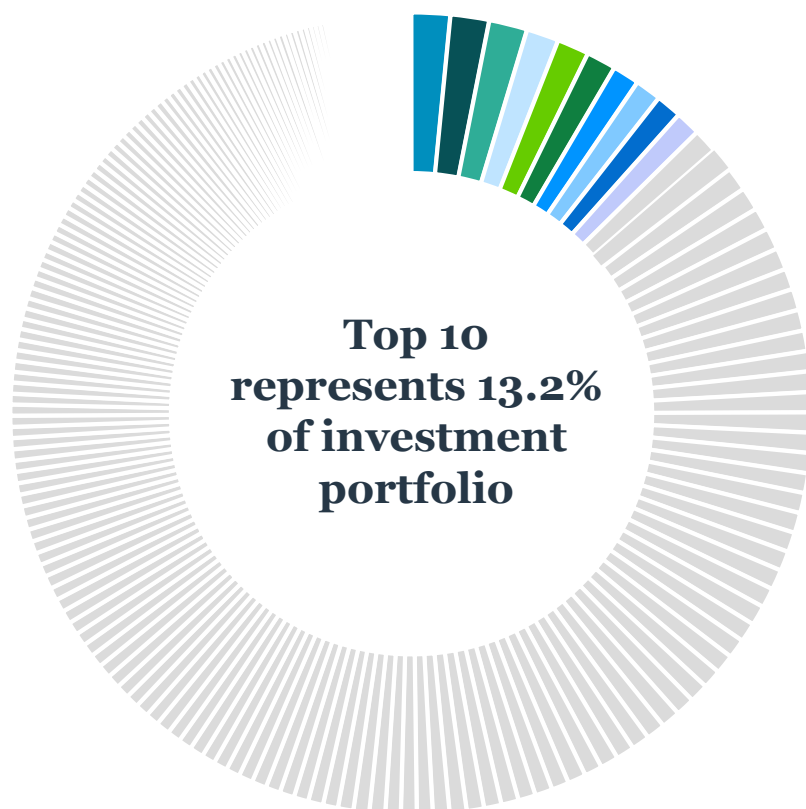


Portfolio composition by Moody's Industry



Portfolio Overview - Diversification

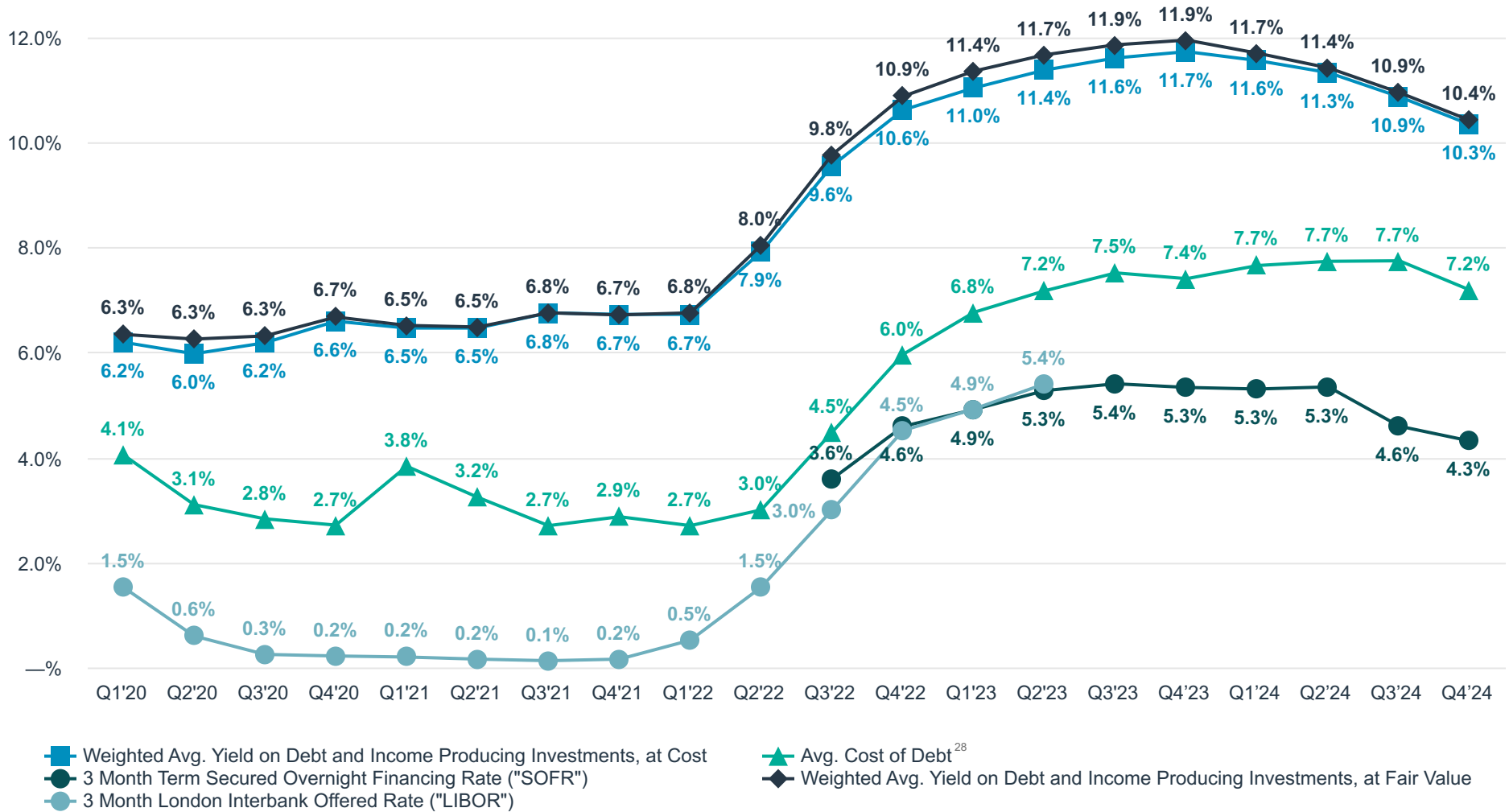
- Average portfolio company size of 0.5% with largest 10 portfolio companies comprising only 13.2% of the portfolio



Portfolio Company	Moody's Industry	% of Fair Value
S&S Truck Parts	Automotive	1.5%
US MetalCo Holdings LLC (MGM Transformer Company)	Energy: Electricity	1.4%
TILON Group, LLC	Services: Business	1.4%
Cedar Services Group, LLC (Evergreen Services Group II)	High Tech Industries	1.4%
North Haven CS Acquisition, Inc.	High Tech Industries	1.4%
good2grow LLC	Containers, Packaging & Glass	1.3%
Diligent Corporation (fka Diamond Merger Sub II, Corp.)	High Tech Industries	1.3%
Specialized Packaging Group (SPG)	Containers, Packaging & Glass	1.2%
WCHG Buyer, Inc. (Handgards, LLC)	Beverage, Food & Tobacco	1.2%
GHR Healthcare, LLC	Healthcare & Pharmaceuticals	1.2%
Others (200)		

Net Interest Margin

NCDL had a Net Interest Margin of 323 bps²⁷ as of the quarter ended December 31, 2024



Internal Risk Rating

- Weighted average rating remained stable at 4.1
- No new investments placed on non-accrual status during the quarter
- One portfolio company on non-accrual representing 0.09% (at fair value) and 0.35% (at amortized cost) as of December 31, 2024

Portfolio risk ratings (\$ thousands)

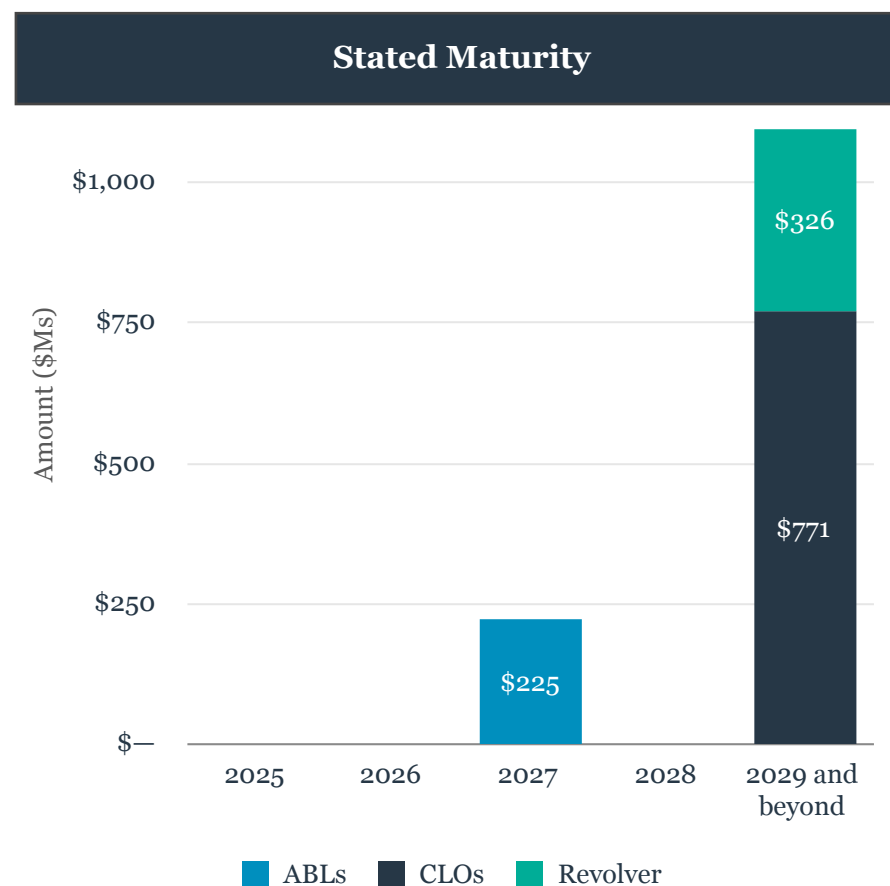
	December 31, 2024			September 30, 2024			June 30, 2024			March 31, 2024		
	Fair Value	% of Portfolio	# of Portfolio Companies	Fair Value	% of Portfolio	# of Portfolio Companies	Fair Value	% of Portfolio	# of Portfolio Companies	Fair Value	% of Portfolio	# of Portfolio Companies
1	—	— %	—	—	— %	—	—	— %	—	—	— %	—
2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
3	161,544	7.8	11	126,013	6.2	9	130,153	6.5	8	90,541	5.1	8
4	1,653,474	79.4	158	1,690,401	82.6	157	1,654,267	83.1	156	1,474,423	82.2	153
5	144,160	6.9	24	115,092	5.6	19	130,331	6.6	21	152,044	8.5	23
6	73,627	3.5	10	56,683	2.8	8	37,358	1.9	6	47,666	2.7	6
7	46,145	2.2	6	47,007	2.3	6	28,431	1.4	4	27,559	1.5	4
8	2,429	0.1	1	2,341	0.1	1	1,856	0.1	1	2,326	0.1	1
9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	—	—	—	9,350	0.5	2	8,460	0.4	2	—	—	—
Total	\$ 2,081,379	100.0 %	210	\$ 2,046,887	100.0 %	202	\$ 1,990,856	100.0 %	198	\$ 1,794,559	100.0 %	195
WA Risk Rating	4.1			4.2			4.1			4.1		

Rating	Definition	Rating	Definition
1	Performing – Superior	6	Watch List – Low Maintenance
2	Performing – High	7	Watch List – Medium Maintenance
3	Performing – Low Risk	8	Watch List – High Maintenance
4	Performing – Stable Risk (Initial Rating Assigned at Origination)	9	Watch List – Possible Loss
5	Performing – Management Notice	10	Watch List – Probable Loss

Financing Overview

- NCDL has a diversified funding profile including: one Asset Based Financing Facility (ABL), three Collateralized Loan Obligations (CLOs), and one Corporate Revolver
- NCDL has ample liquidity of \$250 million through cash and debt capacity
- Rated investment grade by Moody's (Baa3) and Fitch (BBB-) with stable outlook
- In January 2025, NCDL issued \$300 million of 6.65% unsecured notes due 2030
- NCDL has no near-term debt maturities

Financing Sources	Amount (\$Ms)	Drawn (\$Ms)	Pricing	Maturity
Churchill NCDLC CLO-I	\$342.0	\$342.0	S + 2.01% ²⁹	April 20, 2034
Churchill NCDLC CLO-II	\$214.4	\$214.4	S + 2.50% ²⁹	January 20, 2036
Churchill NCDLC CLO-III	\$214.8	\$214.8	S+ 2.11% ²⁹	April 20, 2036
Corporate Revolver ³⁰	\$325.0	\$237.8	S + 2.00%	October 4, 2029
Wells Fargo Financing Facility	\$225.0	\$106.0	S + 2.20%	March 31, 2027
Total / Weighted Average	\$1,321.2	\$1,114.9	S+2.14%³¹	



Dividend Activity

Date Declared	Record Date	Payment Date	Dividend Type	Dividend per Share
February 19, 2025	March 31, 2025	April 28, 2025	Q1'25 Regular Dividend	\$0.45
November 4, 2024	December 31, 2024	January 28, 2025	Q4'24 Regular Dividend	\$0.45
July 31, 2024	September 30, 2024	October 28, 2024	Q3'24 Regular Dividend	\$0.45
May 1, 2024	June 28, 2024	July 29, 2024	Q2'24 Regular Dividend	\$0.45
January 10, 2024	February 12, 2025	April 28, 2025	Q1'25 Special Dividend	\$0.10
January 10, 2024	November 11, 2024	January 28, 2025	Q4'24 Special Dividend	\$0.10
January 10, 2024	August 12, 2024	October 28, 2024	Q3'24 Special Dividend	\$0.10
January 10, 2024	May 13, 2024	July 29, 2024	Q2'24 Special Dividend	\$0.10
January 10, 2024	March 30, 2024	April 29, 2024	Q1'24 Regular Dividend	\$0.45
December 28, 2023	December 29, 2023	January 10, 2024	Q4'23 Regular Dividend	\$0.50
December 28, 2023	December 29, 2023	January 10, 2024	Q4'23 Supplemental Dividend	\$0.05
September 28, 2023	September 28, 2023	October 12, 2023	Q3'23 Regular Dividend	\$0.50
September 28, 2023	September 28, 2023	October 12, 2023	Q3'23 Supplemental Dividend	\$0.05
June 28, 2023	June 28, 2023	July 12, 2023	Q2'23 Regular Dividend	\$0.50
June 28, 2023	June 28, 2023	July 12, 2023	Q2'23 Supplemental Dividend	\$0.05
March 30, 2023	March 30, 2023	April 12, 2023	Q1'23 Regular Dividend	\$0.50
March 30, 2023	March 30, 2023	April 12, 2023	Q1'23 Supplemental/Special Dividend	\$0.26
December 29, 2022	December 29, 2022	January 17, 2023	Q4'22 Regular Dividend	\$0.50
September 28, 2022	September 28, 2022	October 11, 2022	Q3'22 Regular Dividend	\$0.47
June 30, 2022	June 30, 2022	July 12, 2022	Q2'22 Regular Dividend	\$0.43
March 30, 2022	March 31, 2022	April 12, 2022	Q1'22 Regular Dividend	\$0.41
December 29, 2021	December 29, 2021	January 18, 2022	Q4'21 Regular Dividend	\$0.40
September 29, 2021	September 29, 2021	October 11, 2021	Q3'21 Regular Dividend	\$0.38
June 29, 2021	June 29, 2021	July 12, 2021	Q2'21 Regular Dividend	\$0.31
March 29, 2021	March 29, 2021	April 19, 2021	Q1'21 Regular Dividend	\$0.30
December 29, 2020	December 29, 2020	January 18, 2021	Q4'20 Regular Dividend	\$0.28
November 4, 2020	November 4, 2020	November 11, 2020	Q3'20 Regular Dividend	\$0.23
August 4, 2020	August 4, 2020	August 11, 2020	Q2'20 Regular Dividend	\$0.28
April 16, 2020	April 16, 2020	April 21, 2020	Q1'20 Regular Dividend	\$0.17

Quarterly Balance Sheets

	As of Date				
(Dollar amounts in thousands, except per share data)	Dec 31, 2024	Sep 30, 2024	Jun 30, 2024	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023
Assets					
Investments, at fair value	\$2,081,379	\$2,046,887	\$1,990,856	\$1,794,559	\$1,641,686
Cash and cash equivalents	43,254	69,304	70,986	64,146	67,395
Restricted cash	50	50	50	50	50
Interest receivable	17,971	18,127	18,299	16,067	17,674
Receivable for investments sold	1,024	5,657	2,650	422	3,919
Prepaid expenses	47	85	93	118	13
Other assets	—	—	—	125	127
Total Assets	\$2,143,725	\$2,140,110	\$2,082,933	\$1,875,487	\$1,730,864
Liabilities					
Secured borrowings, net	\$1,108,261	\$1,094,461	\$1,020,721	\$817,214	\$943,936
Payable for investments purchased	14,973	2,545	17,790	16,877	—
Interest payable	12,967	15,462	21,292	11,022	9,837
Due to adviser for expense support	—	—	—	—	632
Management fees payable	3,956	3,873	3,589	3,264	3,006
Distributions payable	29,468	30,037	30,107	24,684	22,683
Directors' fees payable	128	128	128	128	96
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	3,652	2,996	2,934	4,064	2,789
Total Liabilities	\$1,173,405	\$1,149,501	\$1,096,561	\$877,254	\$982,979
Total Net Assets	\$970,320	\$990,608	\$986,372	\$998,234	\$747,885
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$2,143,725	\$2,140,110	\$2,082,933	\$1,875,487	\$1,730,864
Net Asset Value per Share	18.18	18.15	18.03	18.21	18.13
Debt to Equity	1.15x	1.11x	1.04x	0.82x	1.26x
Shares Outstanding, end of period	53,387,277	54,571,650	54,705,779	54,815,740	41,242,105

Quarterly Operating Results

	For the Three Months Ended				
(Dollar amounts in thousands, except per share data)	Dec 31, 2024	Sep 30, 2024	Jun 30, 2024	Mar 31, 2024	Dec 31, 2023
Investment income					
Non-controlled/non-affiliated company investments:					
Interest income	53,683	57,317	53,018	49,078	46,819
PIK income	2,275	2,503	1,529	1,992	1,821
Dividend income	257	17	33	308	45
Other income	861	444	508	217	264
Total investment income	\$57,076	\$60,281	\$55,089	\$51,595	\$48,948
Expenses					
Interest and debt financing expenses	\$21,019	\$23,199	\$18,721	\$16,941	\$18,116
Management fees	3,956	3,873	3,589	3,264	3,006
Incentive fees on net investment income	4,417	5,496	3,075	4,459	—
Professional fees	785	912	693	710	1,171
Directors' fees	127	128	128	128	96
Administrative fees	300	535	484	542	569
Other general and administrative expenses	180	145	469	275	98
Total expenses	\$30,784	\$34,287	\$27,158	\$26,319	\$23,056
Incentive fees waived	(4,417)	(5,496)	(3,075)	(4,459)	—
Net expenses	\$26,367	\$28,792	\$24,084	\$21,859	\$23,056
Net investment income	30,709	31,490	31,005	29,735	25,892
Excise taxes	551	—	—	—	6
Net investment income after excise taxes	30,158	31,490	31,005	29,735	25,886
Realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments:					
Net realized gain (loss) on non-controlled/non-affiliate company investments	(11,676)	1,086	1,017	(3,625)	(1,545)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on non-controlled/non-affiliate company investments	11,282	4,049	(12,101)	4,056	4,520
Income tax (provision) benefit	(313)	18	282	(141)	(96)
Total net change in unrealized gain (loss)	\$10,969	\$4,067	\$(11,819)	\$3,915	\$4,424
Total net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments	\$(707)	\$5,153	\$(10,802)	\$290	\$2,880
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations	\$29,451	\$36,643	\$20,203	\$30,025	\$28,766
Weighted average shares outstanding for the period	54,229,767	54,688,860	54,789,044	52,758,353	39,251,180

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- 1 Per share net investment income ("NII"), net realized and unrealized gains (losses) on investments, and net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations are derived from the weighted average shares outstanding during the period. Refer to the Quarterly Operating Results, page 18, for weighted average shares outstanding for the period. Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.
- 2 Annualized return on equity ("ROE") is calculated based on quarterly NII divided by quarter-end net asset value.
- 3 Annualized ROE on net income is calculated based on the quarterly net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations divided by quarter-end net asset value.
- 4 Represents total investment portfolio at fair value. Total par value of debt investment commitments is \$2,318M which includes approximately \$235M of unfunded debt investment commitments.
- 5 Weighted average asset yield on debt and income producing investments, at fair value and cost, where applicable. The weighted average asset yield of the Company's debt and income producing investments is not the same as a return on investment for our shareholders but, rather, relates to our investment portfolio and is calculated before the payment of fees and expenses. Actual yields over the life of each investment could differ materially from the yields presented. The weighted average asset yield was calculated using the effective interest rates as of quarter end, including accretion of original issue discount, but excluding investments on non-accrual (if any). There was one investment on non-accrual as of December 31, 2024. Weighted average asset yield inclusive of investments on non-accrual, at fair value and at cost, as of December 31, 2024 were 10.40%, and 10.30%, respectively.
- 6 Represents the sum of the amounts available under the financing facilities and the corporate revolver of \$206M and cash and cash equivalents of \$43M.
- 7 Total debt outstanding excludes netting of deferred financing costs.
- 8 Represents the percentage of debt investments with one or more financial maintenance covenants.
- 9 Net leverage is the ratio of total debt minus cash divided by EBITDA, taking into account only the debt issued through the tranche in which the Company is a lender. Leverage is derived from the most recently available portfolio company financial statements, and weighted by the fair value of each investment as of December 31, 2024. Net leverage presented excludes equity investments as well as debt instruments to which the Company's investment adviser has assigned an internal risk rating of 8 or higher, and any portfolio companies with net leverage of 15x or greater.
- 10 Weighted based on fair market value of private debt investments as of December 31, 2024 for which fair value is determined in good faith by the Company's investment adviser, as the valuation designee subject to the oversight of our board of directors, and excludes quoted assets. Amounts are weighted based on fair market value of each respective investment as of its most recent quarterly valuation, which are derived from the most recently available portfolio company financial statements. EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a particular portfolio company, EBITDA is generally defined as net income before net interest expense, income tax expense, depreciation and amortization. EBITDA amounts are estimated from the most recent portfolio company financial statements, have not been independently verified by the Company and may reflect a normalized or adjusted amount. Accordingly, the Company makes no representation or warranty in respect of this information.

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- 11 The interest coverage ratio calculation is derived from the most recently available portfolio company financial information received by the Company, and is a weighted average based on the fair market value of each respective first lien loan investment as of its most recent reporting to lenders. Such reporting may include assumptions regarding the impact of interest rate hedges established by borrowers to reduce their exposure to floating interest rates (resulting in a reduced hedging rate being used for the total interest expense in respect of such hedges, rather than any higher rates applicable under the documentation for such loans), even if such hedging instruments are not pledged as collateral to lenders in respect of such loans and do not secure the loans themselves. The interest rate coverage ratio excludes junior capital investments and equity co-investments, and applies solely to traditional middle market first lien loans held by NCDL, which also excludes any upper middle market or other first lien loans investments that do not have financial maintenance covenants, and first lien loans that the Company's investment adviser has assigned an internal risk rating of 8 or higher, as well as any portfolio companies with net senior leverage of 15x or greater. As a result of the foregoing exclusions, the interest coverage ratio shown herein applies to 72% of our total investments, and 80% of our total first lien loan investments, in each case based upon fair value as of December 31, 2024.
- 12 Total annualized distribution yield includes the regular distribution per share and the special distribution per share divided by the NAV per share as of the respective quarter end.
- 13 Regular Distribution yield is the regular distribution per share declared in respect of the quarter, divided by the NAV per share as of the respective quarter end, annualized.
- 14 Supplemental Distribution yield is the supplemental distribution per share declared in respect of the quarter, divided by the NAV per share as of the respective quarter end, annualized.
- 15 Special Distributions presented represent three of the four special distributions of \$0.10 per share announced at the time of IPO, which is derived from NII. Special Distribution yield is the Special Distribution per share, divided by the NAV per share as of the respective quarter end.
- 16 The Total Distribution yield presented is the sum of the Regular Distribution per share and Supplemental Distribution per share (if any), annualized on a quarterly basis, plus any Special Distributions (if any) per share. Special Distributions, other than those derived from NII, may be presented on a non-annualized basis.
- 17 Represents the total amount of cash activity for the purchase of investments and the proceeds from principal repayments and sales of investments.
- 18 The weighted average interest rate is calculated using the effective interest rate for floating rate and fixed rate debt investments. The effective interest rate for floating rate investments utilizes the applicable margin plus the greater of the 3-Month base rate (SOFR), or base rate floor. SOFR as of December 31, 2024 was 4.31%. The effective interest rate for fixed rate debt investments utilizes the investment coupon.
- 19 The per share data was derived by using the weighted average shares outstanding for the three months ended December 31, 2024.
- 20 The per share data for distributions reflects the actual amount of distributions declared for the three months ended December 31, 2024.
- 21 Includes the impact of different share amounts used in calculating per share data as a result of calculating certain per share data based on weighted average shares outstanding during the period and certain per share data based on shares outstanding as of a period end or transaction date. Refer to footnotes 19 and 20.
- 22 New investments reported at par excludes draws on existing unfunded investment commitments and partial paydowns.
- 23 Average Spread is calculated based off of par amount.
- 24 Average Coupon is calculated based off of par amount.

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- 25 Interest rate utilizes the average spread plus the greater of 3-Month base rate (i.e. SOFR), or base rate floor, if applicable for each respective transaction. SOFR as of 4Q'23, 1Q'24, 2Q'24, 3Q'24, and 4Q'24 was 5.33%; 5.33%, 5.32%, 4.59%, and 4.31%.
- 26 First lien debt is comprised of 66% traditional first lien positions and 34% unitranche positions.
- 27 Net Interest Margin is calculated based on the weighted average yield on debt and income producing investments at fair value minus average cost of debt.
- 28 Average cost of debt is calculated as actual amount of expenses incurred on debt obligations including interest, unused fees (if any) divided by daily average of total debt obligations.
- 29 Interest rates represent the weighted average spread over 3-month SOFR for the various floating rate tranches of issued notes within the CLO vehicles. The weighted average interest rate for the Churchill NCDLC CLO-I excludes tranches with a fixed interest rate.
- 30 Refer to “Secured Borrowings” in the Company's annual report filed on Form 10-K.
- 31 Financing facility pricing spread is based on total commitment amount. SOFR base rate tenors may differ between credit facilities.