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## **Q1 2016 Earnings Presentation**

May 5, 2016

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## **Steven B. Klinsky**

*Chairman of the Board of Directors*

## **Robert A. Hamwee**

*Chief Executive Officer, President and Director*

## **John R. Kline**

*Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer*

## **Shiraz Y. Kajee**

*Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer*



# Q1 2016 Highlights

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- Q1 2016 Adjusted Net Investment Income (“NII”) of \$0.34 per weighted average share, versus guidance of \$0.33 to \$0.35
  - Q1 2016 regular dividend of \$0.34 per share paid on March 31, 2016
- March 31, 2016 book value of \$12.87 per share, a decrease of \$0.21 per share from the December 31, 2015 book value of \$13.08 per share
- Q2 2016 regular dividend of \$0.34 per share announced
  - Payable on June 30, 2016 to holders of record as of June 16, 2016
- Approximately \$27.6 million of gross originations and \$24.4 million of repayments in Q1 2016; net originations of \$3.2 million
- Key updates:
  - Established our second Senior Loan Program (“SLP II”), an off balance sheet leveraged loan fund joint venture that generates attractive returns for the BDC
  - Upsized NMFC revolving credit facility to \$122.5 million
  - Entered into a Note Purchase Agreement for \$50 million of 5.313% senior unsecured notes on May 4, 2016; expected to close on May 6, 2016
- Fourth consecutive quarter with no new non-accruals



# Key Highlights

## Financial Highlights

	Quarter Ended				3/31/2016
	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2015	
Adjusted NII Per Share	\$0.34	\$0.35	\$0.35	\$0.35	\$0.34
NAV Per Share	\$13.89	\$13.90	\$13.73	\$13.08	\$12.87
Dividends Per Share	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34	\$0.34
Share Count - End of Period (mm)	58.1	58.2	64.0	64.0	63.9

## Portfolio Highlights

	Quarter Ended				3/31/2016
	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015	12/31/2015	
Fair Value of Investments (\$mm)	\$1,434.8	\$1,338.9	\$1,508.0	\$1,541.9	\$1,519.9
Number of Portfolio Companies	70	66	74	76	74
Middle Market Focus (EBITDA / Facility Size) <sup>(2)</sup>	65% / 72%	65% / 76%	69% / 79%	66% / 79%	67% / 79%
Current Yield at Cost <sup>(3)</sup>	9.8%	9.9%	9.8%	9.9%	10.1%
YTM at Cost <sup>(4)</sup>	10.6%	10.8%	10.4%	10.7%	10.4%

### Portfolio Activity (\$mm)<sup>(5)</sup>

Gross Originations	\$64.8	\$119.8	\$210.7	\$211.9	\$27.6
(-) Repayments	(50.2)	(212.8)	(8.8)	(129.3)	(24.4)
<b>Net Originations</b>	<b>\$14.6</b>	<b>(\$93.0)</b>	<b>\$201.9</b>	<b>\$82.6</b>	<b>\$3.2</b>
(-) Sales	(26.5)	(9.1)	(20.2)	(9.9)	(15.8)
<b>Net Originations Less Sales</b>	<b>(\$11.9)</b>	<b>(\$102.1)</b>	<b>\$181.7</b>	<b>\$72.7</b>	<b>(\$12.6)</b>

<sup>1</sup> Reflects pro forma adjusted NII; see corresponding earnings press release for adjustments

<sup>2</sup> Defined as the % of portfolio companies (by fair value) with LTM EBITDA at the time of investment less than \$100m and facility sizes as of each date less than \$300m

<sup>3</sup> Current Yield at Cost is calculated as annual stated interest rate plus annual amortization of original issue discount and market discount / premium earned on accruing debt and other income producing securities divided by total accruing debt and other income producing securities at amortized cost

<sup>4</sup> Yield to Maturity ("YTM") at Cost assumes that the accruing investments in our portfolio as of each date are purchased at adjusted cost on that date and held until their respective maturities with no prepayments or losses and are exited at par at maturity. This calculation excludes the impact of existing leverage. YTM at Cost uses the LIBOR curves at each quarter's respective end date. The actual yield to maturity may be higher or lower due to the future selection of LIBOR contracts by the individual companies in our portfolio or other factors. See "Important Notice and Safe Harbor Statement."

<sup>5</sup> Excludes PIK ("payment-in-kind" interest), revolvers, unfunded commitments, bridges, return of capital, and realized gains / losses



# Review of NMFC

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## Overview

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- Founded in October 2008 to apply New Mountain Capital, L.L.C.'s ("NMC" or "New Mountain") private equity strengths to attractive risk-reward opportunities in the U.S. debt markets
  - New Mountain is a leading alternative investment firm with more than \$15 billion of assets under management<sup>(1)</sup> and ~100 staff members
- Externally managed Business Development Company ("BDC")
  - Initial Public Offering ("IPO") completed in May 2011 (NYSE: NMFC)
  - Public float market capitalization has increased from \$147 million at IPO to \$807 million as of March 31, 2016
- Targets investments up to a \$50 million hold size in:
  - "Defensive growth" middle market companies, typically generating \$20 – \$200 million of EBITDA
  - Senior secured debt (1<sup>st</sup> lien, 2<sup>nd</sup> lien or uni-tranche), mezzanine and other subordinated securities

## Strategy

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- NMFC's mandate is to primarily target businesses in the middle market that, consistent with New Mountain's private equity platform, are **quality, defensive growth** companies, in industries that are **well-researched** by New Mountain
- Mandate achieved by **utilizing existing New Mountain investment team** as primary underwriting resource; team combines operating executives with financial executives
- Target loan to value ratios typically average less than 50% of both sponsor purchase price and NMC valuation

## Key Investment Highlights

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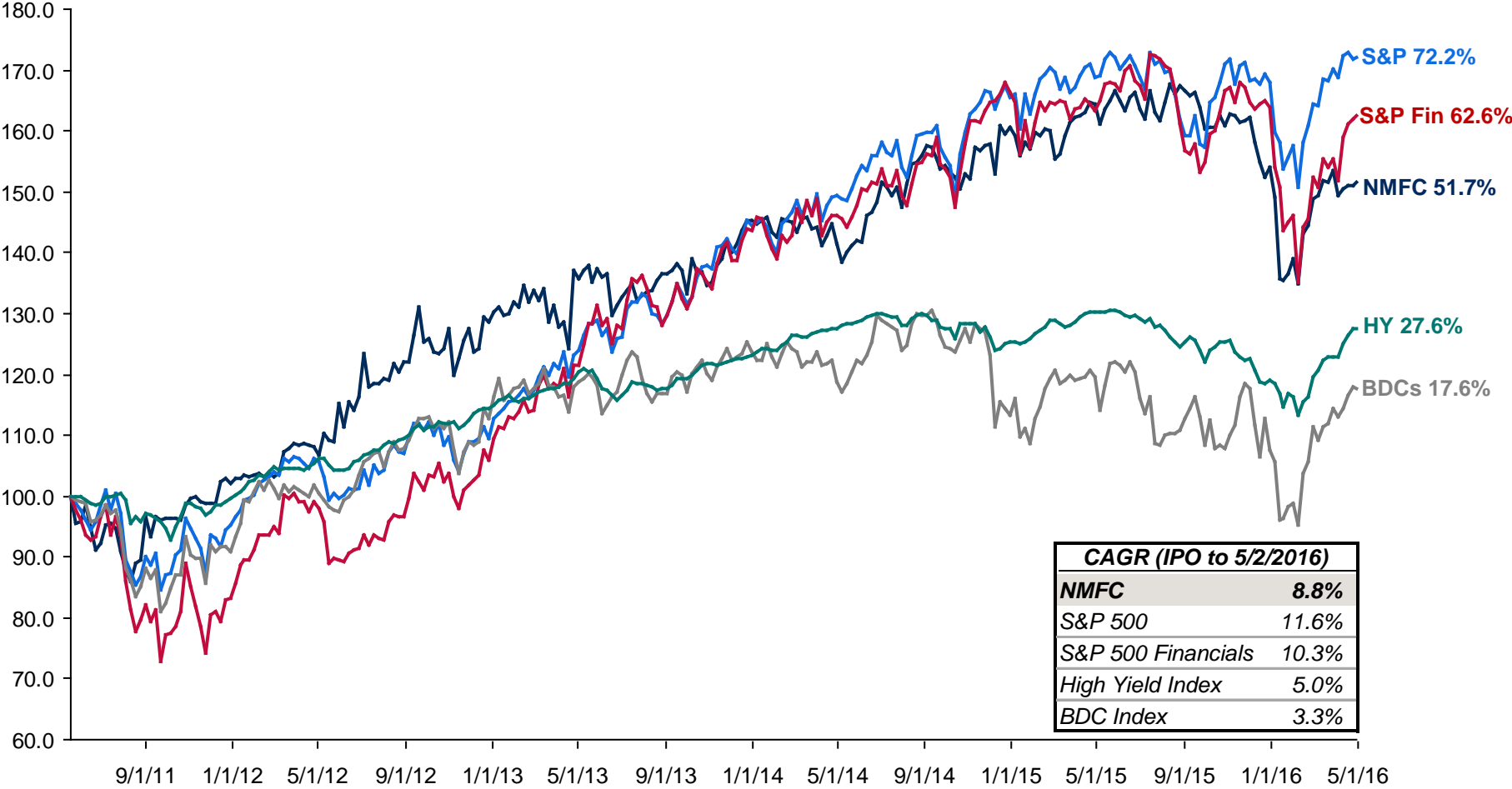
- Strong track record on credit and returns
- Well established New Mountain platform provides unique knowledge warehouse and sourcing capabilities
- Differentiated "defensive growth" investment strategy
- High quality and diverse portfolio
- Experienced management team who are also significant shareholders



# NMFC Relative Return Performance – Indexed Total Return

May 19, 2011 (IPO) – May 2, 2016

Indexed Total Return



CAGR (IPO to 5/2/2016)	
<b>NMFC</b>	<b>8.8%</b>
S&P 500	11.6%
S&P 500 Financials	10.3%
High Yield Index	5.0%
BDC Index	3.3%

— NMFC — S&P 500 — S&P 500 Financials — BDC Index<sup>(1)</sup> — High Yield Index

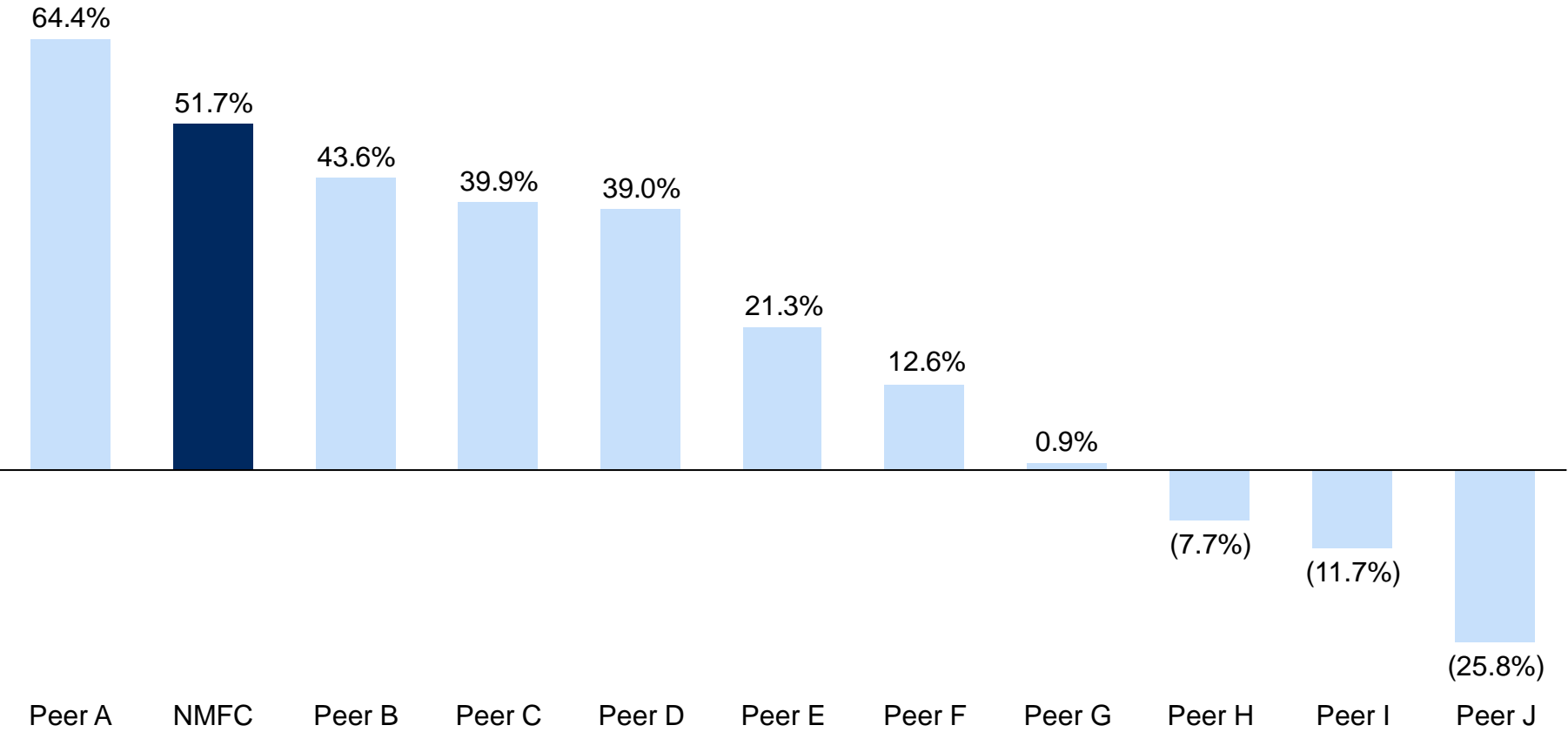
Source: Capital IQ, Credit Suisse Research & Analytics

<sup>1</sup> BDC Index includes median of Ares, Apollo, Prospect, Solar, Fifth Street, Blackrock Capital, Pennant Park, MVC, Golub, THL Credit, Gladstone, Medley, Solar Senior and Horizon Technology; equal-weighted



# NMFC Cumulative Total Return Performance Versus Peers<sup>(1)</sup>

May 19, 2011 (IPO) – May 2, 2016



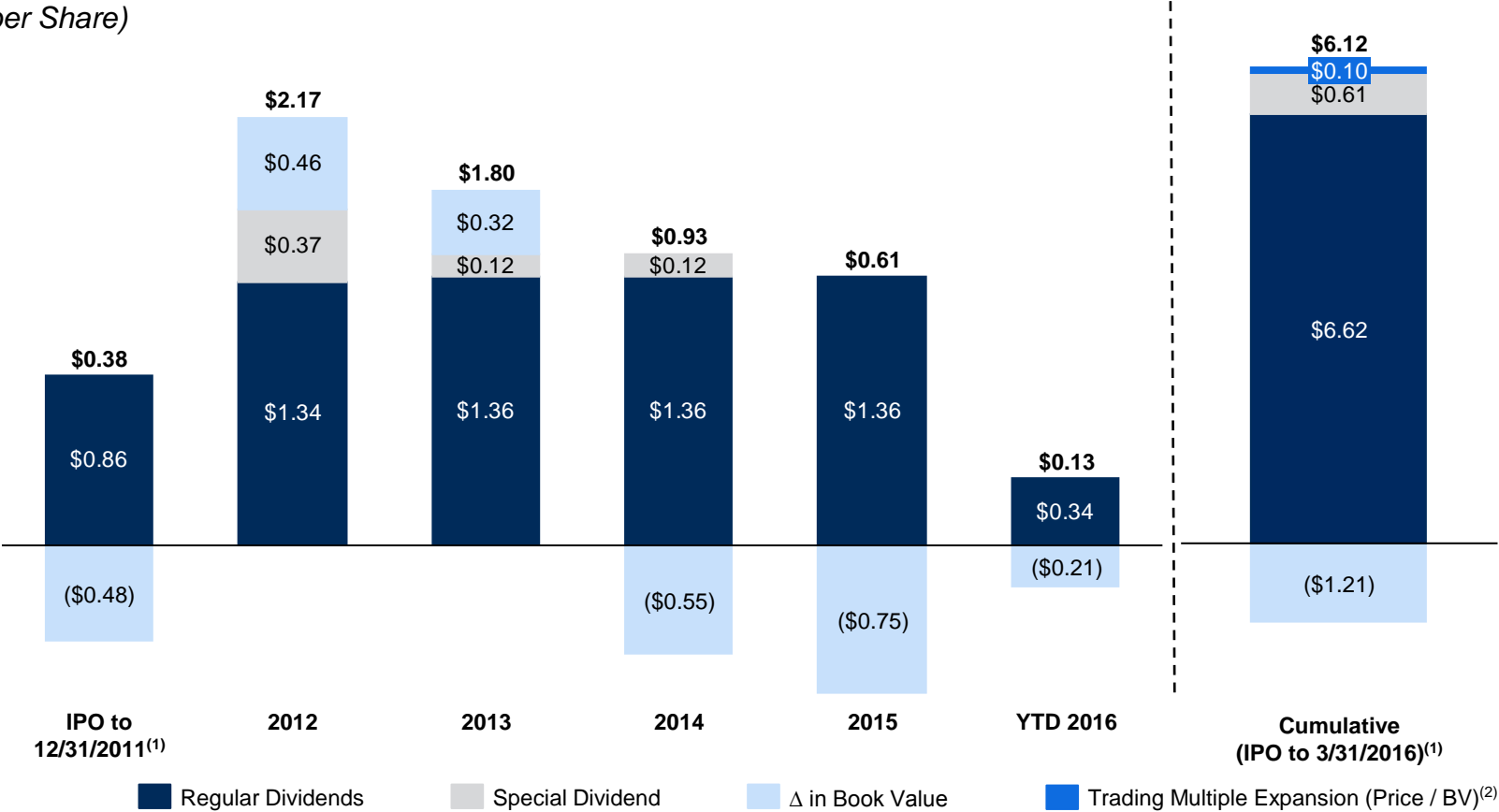
Source: Capital IQ

<sup>1</sup> Peers include publicly-traded, externally-managed BDCs with market capitalizations greater than \$300 million that have been publicly traded since NMFC's IPO (5/19/2011). Peers include Ares, Apollo, Prospect, Solar, Fifth Street, Blackrock Capital, Pennant Park, Golub, THL Credit, and Medley



# NMFC Return Attribution

(\$ per Share)



Since IPO, NMFC has distributed \$6.62 per share in regular dividends and \$0.61 per share in special dividends, and NMFC public shares have traded down from \$13.75 at IPO to \$12.64 at close on 3/31/2016

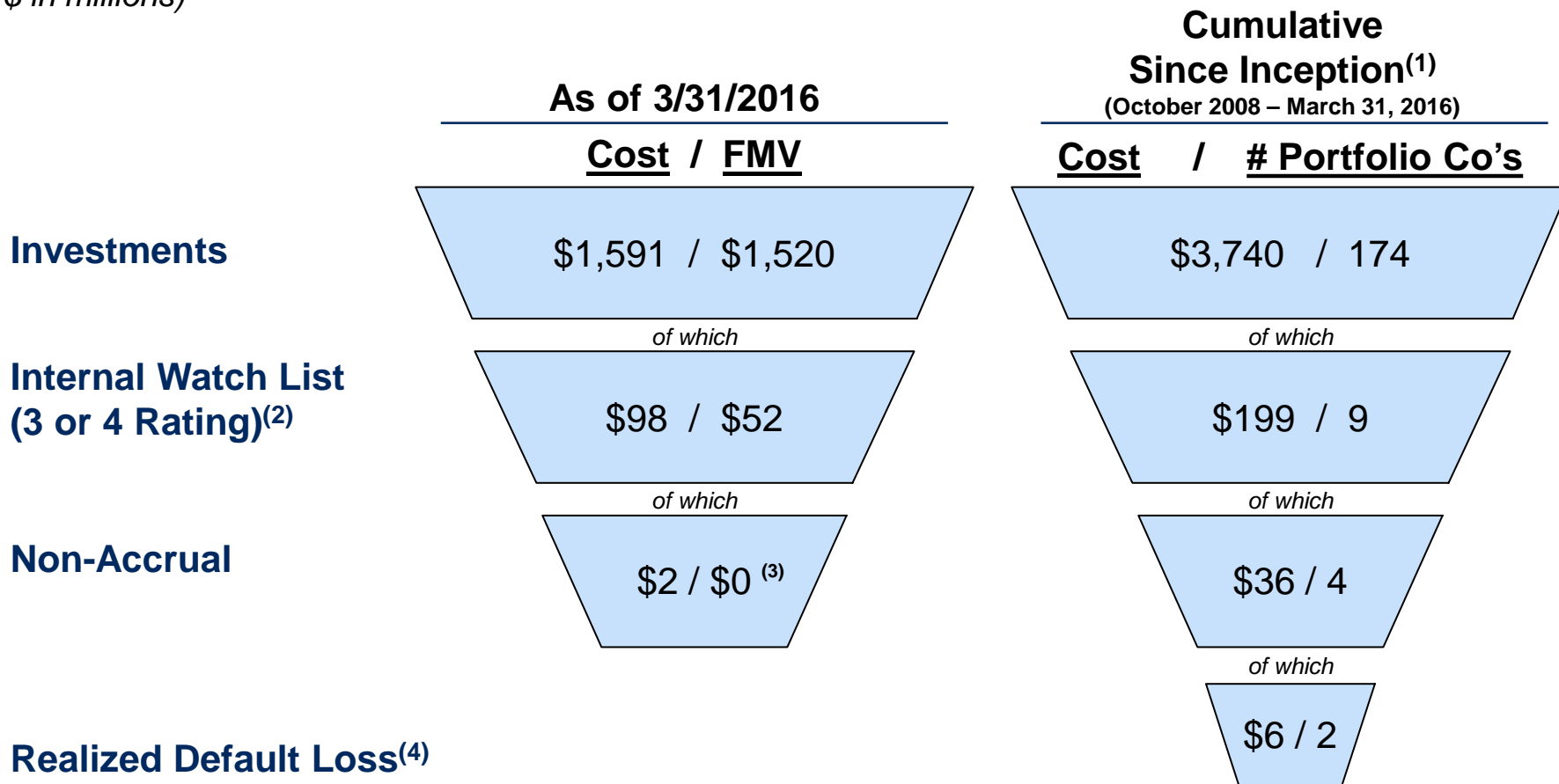


<sup>1</sup> NMFC priced its initial public offering on 5/19/2011 at \$13.75 per share; closing price on 3/31/2016 of \$12.64 per share

<sup>2</sup> Increase in value from trading multiple expansion shown only for cumulative period and is equal to change in share price over period less change in book value per share

# Credit Performance

(\$ in millions)



<sup>1</sup> Since inception of predecessor entity in 10/2008 through 3/31/2016

<sup>2</sup> Determined on a quarterly basis by Management. In addition to various risk management and monitoring tools, NMFC also uses a four-level numeric investment rating system to characterize and monitor the credit profile and expected level of returns on each portfolio investment. Ratings of 1 and 2 indicate the investment is performing materially above, or materially in-line, with expectations, respectively. All new loans are rated 2 when approved. A rating of 3 indicates the investment is performing materially below expectations and risk has increased materially since the original investment. A rating of 4 indicates the investment is performing substantially below expectations and risks have increased substantially since the original investment. Payments may be delinquent. There is a meaningful possibility that we will not recoup our original cost basis in the investment and may realize a substantial loss upon exit. Where it is determined that an investment is underperforming, or circumstances suggest that the risk associated with a particular investment has significantly increased, a more aggressive monitoring of the affected portfolio company will be undertaken

<sup>3</sup> Refers to the investments in ATI Acquisition Company

<sup>4</sup> Realized default loss represents positions that have crystallized losses and no recovery is expected



# Credit Performance

Portfolio Company <sup>(1)</sup>	NMFC Leverage Ratio <sup>(2)</sup>		
	At Purchase	Current	Variance + / (-)
Company A	3.7x	1.7x	2.0x
Company B	4.1x	2.8x	1.3x
Company C	1.2x	0.0x	1.2x
Company D	7.2x	6.1x	1.1x
Company E	6.9x	5.8x	1.1x
Company F	6.2x	5.1x	1.1x
Company G	3.1x	2.1x	1.0x
Company H	2.9x	2.1x	0.9x
Company I	5.5x	4.6x	0.9x
Company J	6.1x	5.3x	0.8x
Company K	5.6x	4.8x	0.8x
Company L	6.6x	5.8x	0.8x
Company M	4.9x	4.2x	0.7x
Company N	5.0x	4.3x	0.6x
Company O	3.4x	2.8x	0.6x
Company P	3.8x	3.3x	0.5x
Company Q	2.6x	2.0x	0.5x
Company R	3.6x	3.0x	0.5x
Company S	4.9x	4.3x	0.5x
Company T	2.4x	1.9x	0.5x
Company U	4.8x	4.3x	0.5x
Company V	6.2x	5.7x	0.5x
Company W	6.8x	6.3x	0.4x
Company X	5.8x	5.4x	0.4x
Company Y	5.7x	5.4x	0.3x
Company Z	3.7x	3.4x	0.3x
Company AA	5.9x	5.6x	0.3x
Company AB	6.8x	6.5x	0.3x
Company AC	6.6x	6.3x	0.3x
Company AD	5.0x	4.8x	0.2x
Company AE	5.4x	5.2x	0.2x

Portfolio Company <sup>(1)</sup>	NMFC Leverage Ratio <sup>(2)</sup>		
	At Purchase	Current	Variance + / (-)
Company AF	5.0x	4.8x	0.2x
Company AG	4.5x	4.4x	0.1x
Company AH	4.6x	4.5x	0.1x
Company AI	5.1x	5.1x	0.0x
Company AJ	3.7x	3.6x	0.0x
Company AK	2.3x	2.3x	0.0x
Company AL	3.3x	3.3x	0.0x
Company AM	4.5x	4.5x	-
Company AN	4.2x	4.2x	(0.0x)
Company AO	1.2x	1.3x	(0.0x)
Company AP	6.5x	6.7x	(0.1x)
Company AQ	5.4x	5.6x	(0.1x)
Company AR	0.9x	1.1x	(0.2x)
Company AS	4.6x	4.8x	(0.2x)
Company AT	7.7x	8.0x	(0.3x)
Company AU	4.9x	5.3x	(0.4x)
Company AV	6.6x	7.1x	(0.5x)
Company AW	5.6x	6.1x	(0.5x)
Company AX	5.9x	6.4x	(0.5x)
Company AY	6.0x	6.6x	(0.6x)
Company AZ	2.2x	2.9x	(0.7x)
Company BA	5.8x	6.5x	(0.7x)
Company BB	7.1x	7.8x	(0.8x)
Company BC	5.0x	6.1x	(1.1x)
Company BD	6.0x	7.4x	(1.4x)
Company BE	6.6x	8.0x	(1.4x)
Company BF	5.8x	7.9x	(2.1x)
Company BG <sup>(3)</sup>	5.7x	8.8x	(3.1x)
Company BH <sup>(3)</sup>	3.8x	7.4x	(3.6x)
Company BI <sup>(3)</sup>	3.4x	19.0x	(15.6x)
Company BJ <sup>(3)</sup>	2.9x	23.7x	(20.8x)



<sup>1</sup> Current positions with a cost greater than \$7.5mm as of 3/31/2016 (represents 90% of cost and 89% of fair value of the total portfolio)

<sup>2</sup> Defined as total debt (assuming par for debt senior to our security, purchase price for our security, and no value for debt subordinated to our security) less total cash for the period, divided by the trailing twelve month EBITDA; as of the fourth calendar quarter of 2015, if available, or otherwise, the most recently reported fiscal quarter

<sup>3</sup> Company on Internal Watch List

# Performance Since IPO

(\$ in millions)

	IPO - 12/31/2011 <sup>(1)</sup>	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016 3/31/2016
Regular Dividend	\$26.6	\$46.6	\$59.8	\$71.4	\$81.1	\$21.7
Cumulative Regular Dividend	26.6	73.2	133.0	204.3	285.4	307.1
Adj. NII	26.5	46.1	62.1 <sup>(2)</sup>	73.4 <sup>(2)</sup>	82.6 <sup>(2)</sup>	21.5
Cumulative Adj. NII	26.5	72.7	134.8	208.2	290.8	312.3
<b>Dividend Coverage (Cumulative Adj. NII / Dividend)</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>99%</b>	<b>101%</b>	<b>102%</b>	<b>102%</b>	<b>102%</b>
Adj. Realized Gains	\$1.6	\$13.9	\$13.8 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$12.4 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$17.6 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$0.2
Adj. Realized Credit & Other Losses	(0.8)	(2.0)	(6.1)	(3.6)	(3.1) <sup>(4)</sup>	(0.1)
Total Adj. Realized Gains / (Losses)	0.9	11.9	7.8	8.8	14.5	0.1
Cumulative Adj. Realized Gains / (Losses)	0.9	12.8	20.5	29.3	43.8	43.9
Adj. Change in Unrealized Appreciation	17.0	46.5	46.0	39.1	74.7	20.4
Adj. Change in Unrealized Depreciation <sup>(5)</sup>	(28.1)	(26.1)	(34.0)	(81.7)	(139.1) <sup>(4)</sup>	(33.9)
Total Adj. Change in Unrealized Appreciation / (Depreciation)	(11.1)	20.4	12.0	(42.6)	(64.4)	(13.5)
Cumulative Adj. Change in Unrealized Appreciation / (Depreciation)	(11.1)	9.3	21.3	(21.3)	(85.7)	(99.2)
<b>Cumulative Net Realized and Unrealized (Losses) / Gains</b>	<b>(\$10.2)</b>	<b>\$22.0</b>	<b>\$41.7</b>	<b>\$8.0</b>	<b>(\$41.9)</b>	<b>(\$55.3)</b>

<sup>1</sup> NMFC priced its initial public offering on 5/19/2011; IPO – 12/31/2011 Adj. NII reflects nine months ended 12/31/2011 for comparability to the dividend

<sup>2</sup> Reflects pro forma adjusted NII; **see corresponding earnings press release for adjustments**

<sup>3</sup> Includes net YP distribution (net of incentive fee) and subsequent change in tax estimates of \$4.9 million in 2013, \$0.2 million in 2014 and \$0.5 million in 2015

<sup>4</sup> Includes \$12.8m reclassification from realized to unrealized loss related to UniTek material modification and \$15.2m reclassification from realized to unrealized loss related to Edmentum material modification

<sup>5</sup> From 2014 onwards, includes provision for income tax



# Cumulative Unrealized Depreciation Breakdown

**Cumulative unrealized depreciation of \$99 million comprises \$64 million from specific credit deterioration and \$35 million of broad market movements**

<i>(Dollars in millions)</i>	<b>Cumulative Unrealized Depreciation</b>
1) Previously Restructured Investments in Edmentum & UniTek	(\$18)
2) Energy Exposure from Investments in Sierra Hamilton & Permian Tank	(26)
3) Investment in Transtar	(15)
4) Other Investments on the Internal Watch List	(4)
<b>Specific Credit Deterioration</b>	<b>(\$64)</b>
<b>Broad Market Movements</b>	<b>(35)</b>
<b>Total Cumulative Unrealized Depreciation</b>	<b>(\$99)</b>



# Credit Market Conditions

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- In Q1 2016, the credit markets have rebounded from February lows due to:
  - Improved commodity prices
  - Abating concerns about emerging market economic stability
  - Positive fund flows into leveraged credit
- Since 3/31/2016, credit markets have continued to rally and spreads have tightened further driven by market supply / demand dynamics
- NMFC works to be well positioned to capitalize on volatile markets:
  - NMC and NMFC have **always** proactively focused on defensive, acyclical business models
  - Wells Fargo leverage facility not subject to margin calls



# Transtar Situation Update

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- Transtar Holding Company (“Transtar” or the “Company”) is the largest, integrated distributor of automotive aftermarket driveline replacement parts, kits, torque converters and components sold to the transmission repair and remanufacturing market
  - Transtar is the dominant player operating in the stable and highly fragmented North American transmission repair and replacement market
  - As of 3/31/2016, NMFC owns ~\$38 million of the \$170 million 2<sup>nd</sup> lien term loan facility
- The Company has come under operational and financial pressure due to the difficult integration of a recent acquisition
- Transtar made its most recent interest payment on March 31<sup>st</sup> and is operating in a forbearance period granted by lenders
- NMFC is currently in active negotiations with the Company and the Sponsor regarding a longer term amendment



# Senior Loan Program II (“SLP II”)

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- In April 2016, NMFC closed a joint venture (“JV”) with SkyKnight Income, LLC (“SkyKnight”) to create SLP II, a \$375 million leveraged loan fund for the purpose of investing in senior secured loans
  - Stand-alone entity (not consolidated by the BDC); utilizing 50/50 JV structure
  - Capitalized with equity from NMFC (\$79.4 million) and SkyKnight (\$20.6 million) and leverage from Wells Fargo (\$275 million)
    - Leverage terms: five-year maturity; L + 1.75% rate (no floor); non mark-to-market
- We anticipate SLP II, once ramped, to generate an attractive return on equity for NMFC (mid-teens anticipated yield)
- SLP II will originate investments consistent with NMFC’s current strategy for the BDC and SLP I
  - Will invest in senior secured loans issued by companies within NMFC’s core industry verticals



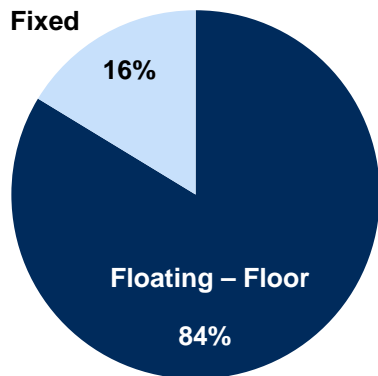


# Credit Market Conditions – Interest Rates

## Floating vs. Fixed

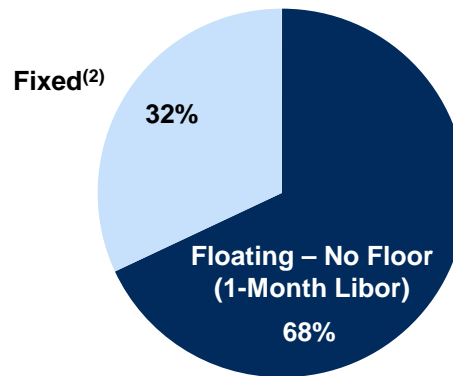
### Assets

(Aggregate par value of \$1,560.2 million as of 3/31/2016)<sup>(1)</sup>



### Liabilities

(\$726.8 million drawn as of 3/31/2016)



## Impact of Changing Rates<sup>(3)</sup>

Change in Base Interest Rates	Estimated % Change in Interest Income Net of Interest Expense	Illustrative Adj. NII / Share Impact Assuming \$1.36 Annual Adj. NII / Share
+50 bps	(1.2%)	(\$0.02)
+100 bps	1.1%	\$0.02
+200 bps	7.4%	\$0.10
+300 bps	14.0%	\$0.19



<sup>1</sup> Based on par values (excludes assets on non-accrual, unfunded commitments and non-interest bearing equity investments)

<sup>2</sup> Includes SBA debentures which become fixed rate debt upon semi-annual debenture pooling dates every March and September

<sup>3</sup> These hypothetical calculations are based on a model of the investments in our portfolio, held as of 3/31/2016, and are only adjusted for assumed changes in the underlying base interest rates. Assumes constant share count

# Q1 2016 Originations

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- Minimal investment activity in Q1 2016 driven by the fact that we were fully invested as of December 31, 2015
- Total Q1 2016 purchases of \$27.6 million (largest purchase is ~\$6 million in size):
  - \$15.3 million of add-on investments to existing portfolio names – National HME, PowerSchool, PetVet, and VetCor
  - \$4.8 million primary purchase of subordinated notes in Solera
  - \$7.5 million of opportunistic secondary purchases

## Portfolio Activity<sup>(1)</sup>

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(\$ in millions)



<b>Total Originations</b>	<b>\$27.6</b>
Repayments	(\$24.4)
<b>Net Originations</b>	<b>\$3.2</b>
Sales	(\$15.8)
<b>Net Originations Less Sales</b>	<b>(\$12.6)</b>



# Origination Activity Since Quarter End (Through 5/2/2016)

(\$ in millions)

## Portfolio Originations<sup>(1)</sup>

Date <sup>(2)</sup>	Name	Industry	Amount (\$'s Invested)	Tranche Size	Type of Investment	Advance Rate <sup>(3)</sup>	YTM at Purchase <sup>(4)</sup>	
							Unlevered	Levered
4/18/16	 Netsmart Technologies	Healthcare I.T.	\$14.6	\$167	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lien	25%	12.0%	14.4%
4/19/16	 MedAssets	Healthcare Services	\$24.6	\$190	2 <sup>nd</sup> Lien	25%	12.1%	14.9%

Other \$12.2

**Total Originations \$51.4**

Repayments (\$81.7)

**Net Originations (\$30.3)**

Sales (\$8.6)

**Net Originations less Sales (\$38.9)**

<sup>1</sup> Origination commitments over \$7.5m shown, originations less than \$7.5m included in "Other"; originations and repayments exclude PIK, revolvers, unfunded commitments, bridges, return of capital, and realized gains / losses

<sup>2</sup> Date of commitment; where multiple trade dates, the first trade date is listed

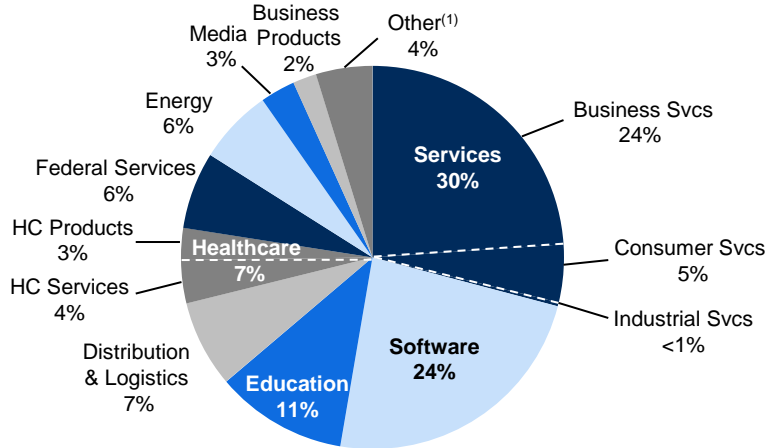
<sup>3</sup> For assets not in the SBIC or in the Wells Fargo borrowing base or not yet approved in the credit facility, illustrative advance rates shown based on Wells Fargo advance rates for comparable assets

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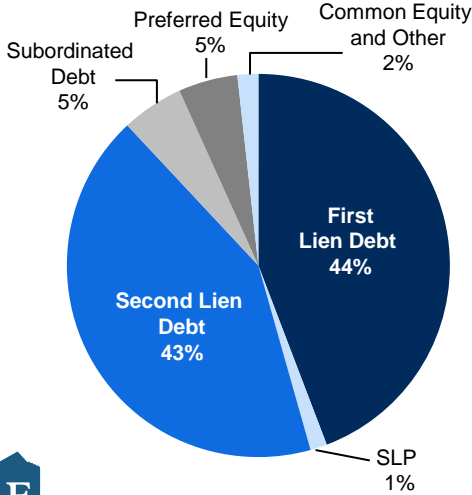


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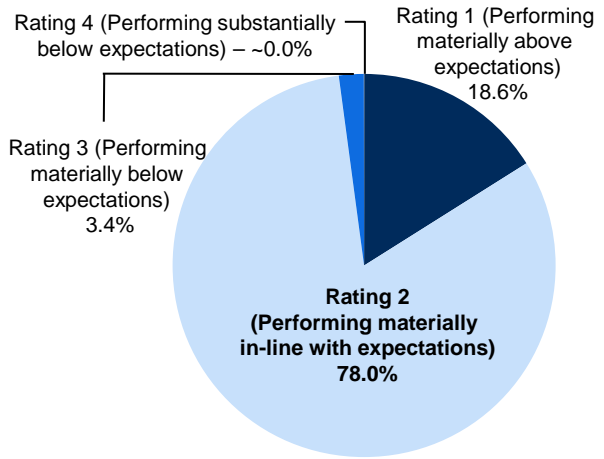
## By Industry



## By Type of Investment



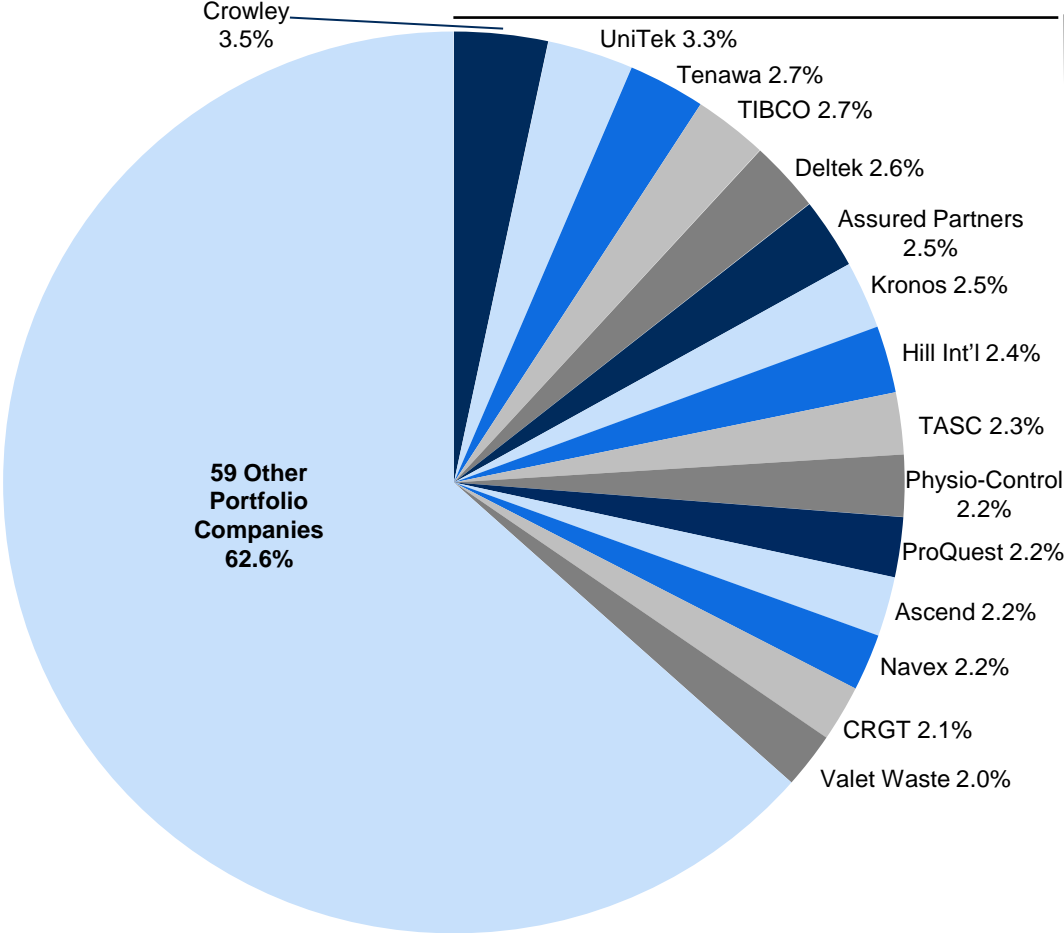
## By Rating



<sup>1</sup> Includes 2% Manufacturing, 1% SLP I, and 1% Retail

# Portfolio Concentration (By Fair Value as of 3/31/2016)

**Portfolio Names By Fair Value**



Top 15 portfolio companies represent \$568.0 million, or 37.4%, of consolidated investments

Memo: Top 15 Portfolio Companies

As of		
6/30/2015	9/30/2015	12/31/2015
\$550.5m	\$558.7m	\$563.8m
41.1%	37.1%	36.5%



# Balance Sheet Highlights

(\$ in millions, except per share data)	Quarter Ended				3/31/2016 <sup>(1)</sup>
	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015	12/31/2015	
<b>Assets</b>					
Portfolio	\$1,434.8	\$1,338.9	\$1,508.0	\$1,541.9	\$1,519.9
Cash & Equivalents	22.2	24.2	24.6	30.1	32.7
Other Assets <sup>(2)</sup>	30.6	29.0	37.4	30.1	19.6
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$1,487.6</b>	<b>\$1,392.1</b>	<b>\$1,570.0</b>	<b>\$1,602.1</b>	<b>\$1,572.2</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>					
Statutory Debt	\$626.4	\$512.9	\$568.0	\$624.3	\$609.0
SBA-Guaranteed Debentures	37.5	55.0	103.8	117.7	117.7
Other Liabilities <sup>(3)</sup>	17.2	15.9	19.5	23.2	23.7
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$681.1</b>	<b>\$583.8</b>	<b>\$691.3</b>	<b>\$765.2</b>	<b>\$750.4</b>
<b>NAV</b>	<b>\$806.5</b>	<b>\$808.3</b>	<b>\$878.7</b>	<b>\$836.9</b>	<b>\$821.8</b>
Shares Outstanding - Ending Balance (mm)	58.1	58.2	64.0	64.0	63.9
<b>NAV / Share</b>	<b>\$13.89</b>	<b>\$13.90</b>	<b>\$13.73</b>	<b>\$13.08</b>	<b>\$12.87</b>
<b>Statutory Debt / Equity<sup>(4)</sup></b>	<b>0.78x</b>	<b>0.63x</b>	<b>0.65x</b>	<b>0.75x</b>	<b>0.74x</b>

<sup>1</sup> Beginning in Q1 2016, deferred financing costs are reclassified from other assets to other liabilities due to a recent accounting standards update

<sup>2</sup> Includes interest and dividends receivable, receivable from affiliate, receivable from unsettled securities sold and other assets

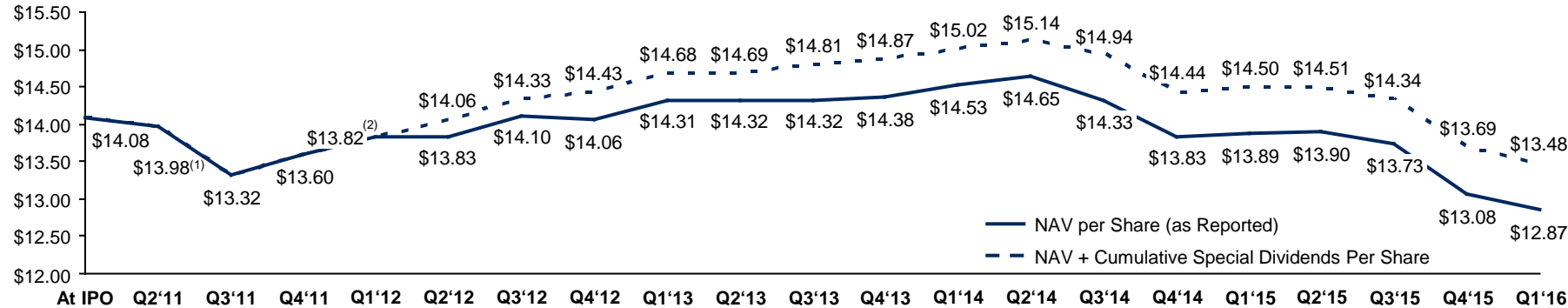
<sup>3</sup> Includes incentive fee payable, capital gains incentive fee payable, management fee payable, payable for unsettled securities purchased, interest payable, payable to affiliates, deferred tax liability and other liabilities

<sup>4</sup> Statutory debt / equity calculation excludes SBA-guaranteed debentures, which are fully funded, non-recourse, asset-backed securities that are excluded by SEC exemptive order from the definition of "senior securities" under the 200% asset coverage test

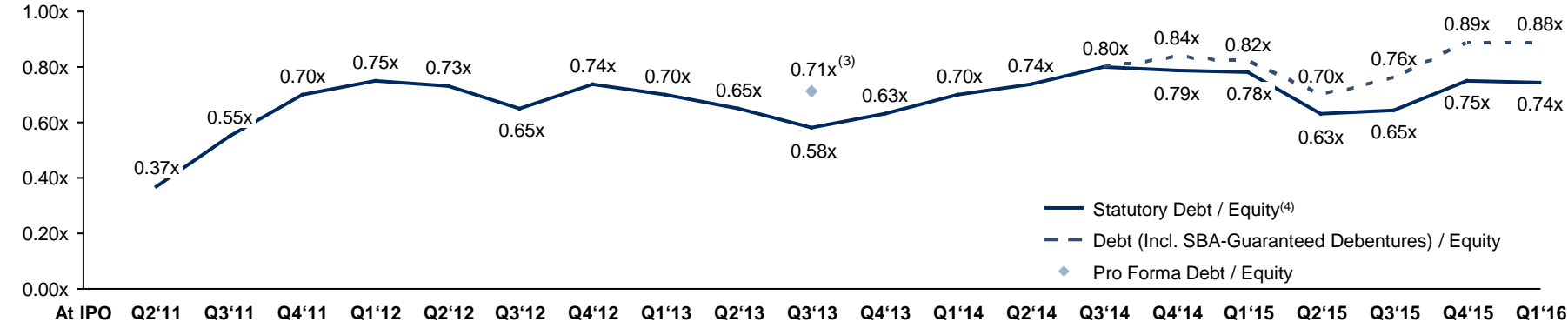


# Historical NAV / Share and Leverage Trends

NAV / Share



Debt / Equity



<sup>1</sup> Q2 2011 NAV / share adjusted for payment of Q2 dividend

<sup>2</sup> Q1 2012 NAV / share adjusted for payment of special dividend

<sup>3</sup> Pro-forma for \$78.4m of securities purchases and investment commitments that were unsettled as of 9/30/2013 and funded shortly after the third quarter end

<sup>4</sup> Statutory debt / equity calculation excludes SBA-guaranteed debentures, which are fully funded, non-recourse, asset-backed securities that are excluded by SEC exemptive order from the definition of "senior securities" under the 200% asset coverage test

# Income Statement Highlights

(\$ in millions, except per share data)

	Quarter Ended				3/31/2016
	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2015	
<b>Investment Income</b>					
Interest income	\$33.3	\$35.5	\$33.6	\$37.6	\$37.8
Dividend income	1.3	1.8	1.6	1.6	1.6
Other income	1.9	0.6	2.7	2.8	1.5
<b>Total investment income</b>	<b>\$36.5</b>	<b>\$37.9</b>	<b>\$37.9</b>	<b>\$42.0</b>	<b>\$40.9</b>
<b>Expenses</b>					
Management fee <sup>(2)</sup>	\$5.1	\$5.0	\$5.1	\$5.4	\$5.5
Incentive fee	4.9	5.0	5.1	5.7	5.4
Interest and other financing expenses	5.5	5.6	5.8	6.5	6.6
Net administrative, professional, other G&A expenses and income taxes <sup>(3)</sup>	1.5	2.1	1.5	1.9	1.9
<b>Total net expenses</b>	<b>\$17.0</b>	<b>\$17.7</b>	<b>\$17.5</b>	<b>\$19.5</b>	<b>\$19.4</b>
<b>Adjusted net investment income</b>	<b>\$19.5</b>	<b>\$20.2</b>	<b>\$20.4</b>	<b>\$22.5</b>	<b>\$21.5</b>
<b>Gain / Loss</b>					
Net realized (losses) gains on investments	(\$0.1)	(\$13.4)	(\$0.6)	\$0.7	\$0.1
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	4.5	13.6	(10.2)	(43.2)	(14.3)
(Provision) benefit for income tax	(0.5)	(0.1)	(0.6)	0.0	0.8
Capital gains incentive fee	(0.5)	(0.0)	0.6	–	–
<b>Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from operations</b>	<b>\$22.9</b>	<b>\$20.3</b>	<b>\$9.6</b>	<b>(\$20.0)</b>	<b>\$8.1</b>
Weighted average shares outstanding (mm)	58.0	58.1	58.7	64.0	63.9
<b>Adjusted NII per weighted average share</b>	<b>\$0.34</b>	<b>\$0.35</b>	<b>\$0.35</b>	<b>\$0.35</b>	<b>\$0.34</b>
Memo: Annualized Effective Management Fee	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%



<sup>1</sup> Reflects pro forma adjusted NII; see corresponding earnings press release for adjustments

<sup>2</sup> Reflects management fee net of waiver

<sup>3</sup> Net of expense waivers and reimbursements



# Investment Income Detail

(\$ in millions)	Quarter Ended				3/31/2016
	3/31/2015	6/30/2015	9/30/2015 <sup>(1)</sup>	12/31/2015	
<b>Investment Income Build</b>					
Cash Interest Income	\$31.2 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$31.1	\$32.2	\$35.5	\$35.9
SLP Income <sup>(2)</sup>	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.2
<b>Recurring Cash Investment Income</b>	<b>\$32.4</b>	<b>\$32.3</b>	<b>\$33.4</b>	<b>\$36.7</b>	<b>\$37.1</b>
Non-cash Interest Income <sup>(4)</sup>	\$1.6 <sup>(3)</sup>	\$1.8	\$1.5	\$1.7	\$1.7
Amortization of Purchase Discounts (Premiums)	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7
<b>Recurring Non-cash Investment Income</b>	<b>\$2.2</b>	<b>\$2.3</b>	<b>\$2.1</b>	<b>\$2.4</b>	<b>\$2.4</b>
<b>Total Recurring Investment Income</b>	<b>\$34.6</b>	<b>\$34.6</b>	<b>\$35.5</b>	<b>\$39.1</b>	<b>\$39.5</b>
Prepayment Fees (Cash)	\$0.4	\$2.8	\$ –	\$0.4	\$0.2
Other Cash Income	1.5	0.5	2.4	2.5	1.2
<b>Total Non-recurring (Cash) Investment Income</b>	<b>\$1.9</b>	<b>\$3.3</b>	<b>\$2.4</b>	<b>\$2.9</b>	<b>\$1.4</b>
<b>Total Investment Income</b>	<b>\$36.5</b>	<b>\$37.9</b>	<b>\$37.9</b>	<b>\$42.0</b>	<b>\$40.9</b>
<b>Total Cash Investment Income</b>	<b>\$34.3</b>	<b>\$35.6</b>	<b>\$35.8</b>	<b>\$39.6</b>	<b>\$38.5</b>
<b>Key Statistics</b>					
% of Total Investment Income that is Recurring	95%	91%	94%	93%	97%
% of Total Investment Income that is Cash	94%	94%	94%	94%	94%

**Our investment income continues to be predominantly paid in cash  
and generated by stable and predictable sources**



<sup>1</sup> Reflects pro forma adjusted NII; see corresponding earnings press release for adjustments

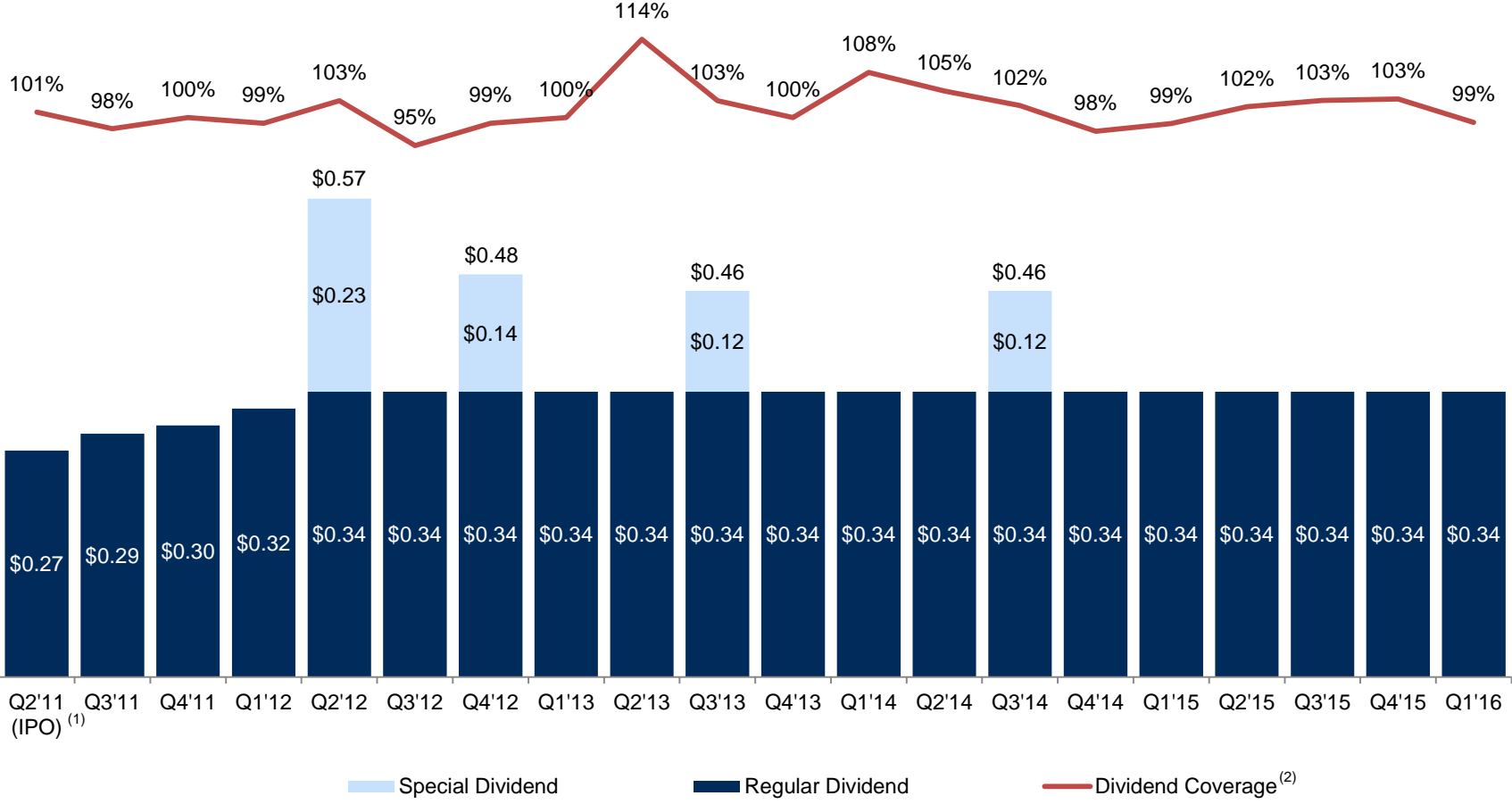
<sup>2</sup> Includes recurring management fee and recurring distributions associated with SLP I

<sup>3</sup> Includes \$0.4 million reclassification from cash to PIK interest income

<sup>4</sup> Includes contractual dividends

# Dividend Summary and Coverage

**We believe our Q2 2016 Adjusted NII will be in the \$0.33 to \$0.35 per share range. Our board of directors has declared a second quarter dividend of \$0.34 per share.**



<sup>1</sup> NMFC priced its initial public offering on 5/19/2011  
<sup>2</sup> Calculated as Adjusted Net Investment Income / regular dividend

# Diversified Leverage Profile

<i>(As of 3/31/2016, \$ in millions)</i>	<b>Amount Outstanding / Facility Size</b>	<b>Interest Rate</b>	<b>Maturity</b>
Wells Fargo Credit Facility	\$397 / \$495	Broadly syndicated 1 <sup>st</sup> lien loans <sup>(1)</sup> : L + 1.75% All other: L + 2.50% (No LIBOR floor)	December 2019
NMFC Credit Facility <i>(Goldman Sachs / Morgan Stanley / Stifel)</i>	\$97 / \$110	L + 2.50% (No LIBOR floor)	June 2019
Convertible Notes	\$115 / \$115	5.00%	June 2019
SBA-Guaranteed Debentures <sup>(2)</sup>	\$118 / \$150	~3.5% weighted average rate <sup>(3)</sup>	March 2025 or later
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$727 / \$870</b>		

- On May 4, 2016, NMFC entered into a Note Purchase Agreement for \$50 million of 5.313% senior unsecured notes; expected to close on May 6, 2016
- On March 23, 2016, the NMFC Credit Facility was upsized from \$95 million to \$110 million; on May 4, 2016, the facility was further upsized to \$122.5 million
- Wells Fargo Credit Facility's borrowing base and liquidity are not tied to trading prices and valuations of securities
  - Covenants tied to underlying portfolio company operating performance, not mark-to-market



<sup>1</sup> As defined in the credit agreement for the Wells Fargo Credit Facility

<sup>2</sup> SBA-guaranteed debentures are fully funded, non-recourse, asset-backed securities, excluded by SEC exemptive order from the definition of "senior securities" under the 200% asset coverage test

<sup>3</sup> All-in interest rate of debentures reflects pooled interest rates and additional fees and expenses. Debentures priced between SBA debenture pooling dates pay an interim rate of L+30bps until the next debenture pooling

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Robert A. Hamwee  
Adam B. Weinstein

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