

WhiteHorse Finance, Inc.

Earnings Presentation

Quarter Ended December 31, 2020



NASDAQ: WHF (Common Stock)
NASDAQ: WHFBZ (6.50% Notes due 2025)

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WhiteHorse Finance Snapshot

Company:

WhiteHorse Finance, Inc. (“WhiteHorse Finance” or the “Company”)

Equity Ticker:

NASDAQ: WHF

Market Cap:

\$301.6MM⁽¹⁾

NAV / Share:

\$15.23

Portfolio Fair Value:

\$690.7MM

Current Dividend Yield:

9.7%⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾; consistent quarterly dividends of \$0.355 per share since 2012 IPO

External Manager:

Affiliate of H.I.G. Capital, LLC (“H.I.G. Capital” or “H.I.G.”)

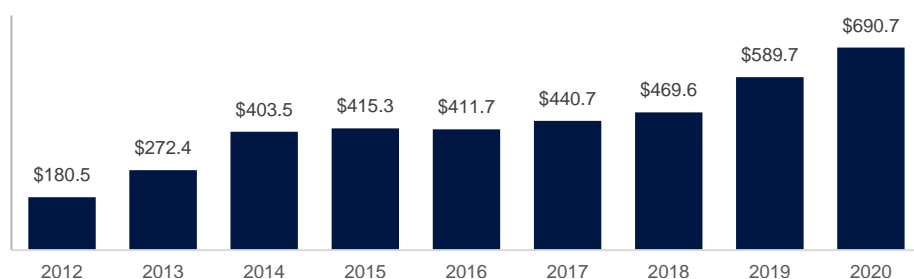
⁽¹⁾ Based on February 26, 2021 share price of \$14.68.

⁽²⁾ Based on LTM dividend rate, excluding special dividends, relative to closing share price.

Overview of WhiteHorse Finance, Inc.

- WhiteHorse Finance, Inc. is a publicly listed Business Development Company (“BDC”) that completed its IPO in December 2012
- WhiteHorse Finance’s investment activities are managed by H.I.G. WhiteHorse Advisers, LLC, an affiliate of H.I.G. Capital, a leading global alternative asset manager with more than \$43Bn of capital under management⁽¹⁾
- Primarily focused on originating senior secured loans to performing lower middle market companies with individual enterprise values generally between \$50MM and \$350MM
- Diversified investment portfolio totaling \$690.7MM as of December 31, 2020
- Investments across 67⁽²⁾ portfolio companies as of December 31, 2020
 - Average Investment Size⁽³⁾: \$6.6MM (Average Debt Investment Size⁽³⁾: \$7.3MM)
 - Largest Portfolio Company Investment⁽³⁾: \$23.5MM
- Invested \$1,890MM in 155 transactions since December 2012 IPO
- The Company and State Teachers Retirement System of Ohio (“STRS Ohio”), a public pension fund established under Ohio law, partnered to create WHF STRS Ohio Senior Loan Fund LLC (“STRS JV”), a joint venture formed to invest in directly originated, senior secured first and second lien term loans.

Portfolio at Fair Value (\$MM)



Note: As of December 31st of each respective year presented, unless otherwise noted.

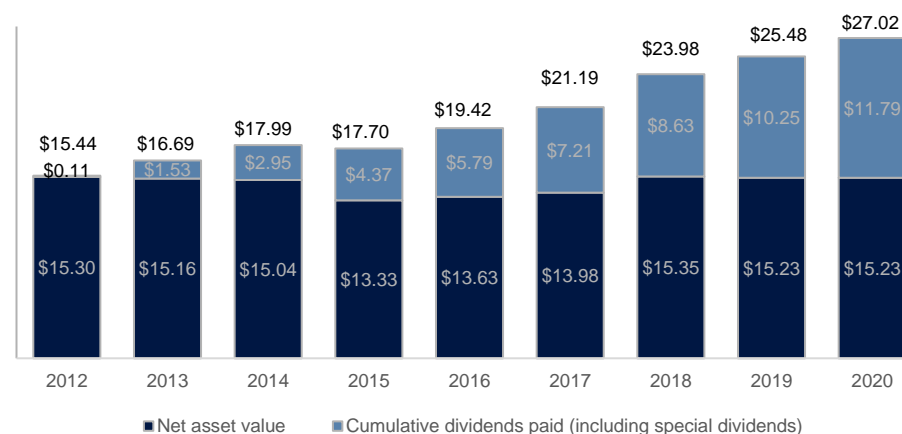
(1) Based on total capital commitments managed by H.I.G. Capital and affiliates.

(2) Represents number of companies not total number of investments.

(3) Based on fair value. Does not include investments in STRS JV.

Source: Company filings

NAV + Cumulative Dividends per share



Overview of WhiteHorse Finance, Inc. (continued)

Investment Strategy

- Generate attractive risk-adjusted return in all market conditions by originating and investing in senior secured loans to performing lower middle market companies and leveraging the knowledge of H.I.G. Capital
- Differentiated proprietary deal flow from over 45 dedicated deal professionals sourcing through direct coverage of financial sponsors and intermediaries
- Rigorous credit process focused on fundamental analysis with emphasis on downside protection and cash flow visibility
- 11-person investment committee with more than 250 years of industry experience
- Investment strategy focused on first lien and second lien senior secured investments in lower middle market companies with a target hold size of \$4MM to \$20MM

Summary Stats:

Invested Capital since IPO: \$1,890MM⁽¹⁾

Number of Investments Made: ~155⁽¹⁾

Average Investment Size: ~\$6.6MM⁽²⁾

All-in Yield: 9.9%⁽³⁾

Net Debt / EBITDA of Current Portfolio Companies: ~3.8x⁽⁴⁾

Secured Debt as a % of Total Debt: 100%⁽⁵⁾

Note: As of December 31, 2020 unless otherwise noted.

(1) Reflects life-to-date since IPO, and may exclude follow-on transactions and investments in STRS JV made via asset transfers in-kind.

(2) Across 97 investments. Does not include investments in STRS JV.

(3) Reflects weighted average effective yield of income-producing debt investments. Weighted average effective yield for entire portfolio, including equities and investments in STRS JV, as of December 31, 2020, is 9.4%. Weighted average effective yield is computed by dividing (a) annualized interest income (including interest income resulting from the amortization of fees and discounts) by (b) the weighted average cost of investments.

(4) Measured at origination based on WHF's underwriting leverage. Does not include investments in STRS JV.

(5) Does not include the Company's investments in STRS JV.

Summary of Quarterly Results

Fiscal Quarter Highlights

- Total investments at fair value increased to \$690.7 million in Q4 2020 as compared to \$595.3 million in Q3 2020.
 - The Company made investments in sixteen new portfolio companies for gross deployments of \$158.9 million as well as funded add-on investments totaling \$3.5 million.
 - The Company transferred five investments to the STRS JV totaling \$32.4 million and had additional sales and principal repayments of \$39.1 million.
 - The weighted average effective yield on income-producing investments at the end of Q4 2020 was approximately 9.9% as compared to approximately 9.9% at the end of the prior quarter.
- Q4 net investment income ("NII") was \$6.9 million, or \$0.335 per share, which compares to Q3 NII of \$5.9 million, or \$0.289 per share.
- Q4 Core NII⁽¹⁾ after adjusting for an approximate \$0.3 million capital gains incentive fee accrual, was \$7.1 million, or \$0.348 per share, compared with the quarterly distribution of \$0.355 per share. This compares with Q3 Core NII of \$7.8 million, or \$0.380 per share.
- Net unrealized losses on investments for Q4 2020 were \$1.5 million and were primarily driven by reversals of unrealized gains upon the Vessco Holdings, LLC realization and Vero Parent, Inc. partial sales as well as fair value decreases on our investments in AG Kings Holdings, Inc. and NMFC Senior Loan Program I LLC, partially offset by unrealized gains in STRS JV, LS GFG Holdings Inc. and Escalon Services Inc.
- NAV per share at the end of Q4 2020 was \$15.23 per share compared to \$15.31 per share reported at the end of Q3 2020. Excluding the 12.5 cent per share special dividend, NAV per share would have increased to \$15.35, an improvement of 4 cents compared with Q3 2020.
- Gross leverage levels increased during the quarter to 1.25x from 0.94x at the end of Q3 2020. Cash on-hand at the end of Q4 2020 was \$15.9 million resulting in net leverage of 1.20x as compared to 0.87x at the end of Q3 2020.
- As of December 31, 2020, STRS JV had total assets of \$181.4 million. At December 31, 2020, STRS JV had a weighted average unlevered effective yield on its portfolio of 7.9%.

(1) Core net investment income is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to next slide for components and discussion of core net investment income. Additional information on core net investment income and a reconciliation of core net investment income to its most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net investment income, can also be found by accessing the earnings releases posted to the Company's website at <http://www.whitehorsefinance.com>.

Quarterly Operating Highlights

Unaudited Quarterly Financials (USD in MM, except per share data)	Q3 19	Q4 19	Q1 20	Q2 20	Q3 20	Q4 20
Total Investment Income ⁽¹⁾	\$ 17.8	\$ 17.4	\$ 14.5	\$ 13.8	\$ 16.5	\$ 16.8
Expenses						
Interest Expenses	3.5	3.7	3.7	3.2	2.8	3.5
Base Management Fees ⁽²⁾	2.8	3.1	3.1	2.9	3.1	3.4
Performance-based Incentive Fees	1.7	2.2	0.4	1.3	3.8	2.0
Other Expenses	1.1	0.7	1.2	1.2	0.9	1.1
Total Expenses	9.1	9.7	8.4	8.6	10.6	10.0
Net Investment Income	\$ 8.7	\$ 7.7	\$ 6.1	\$ 5.2	\$ 5.9	\$ 6.8
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain / (Loss)	(1.8)	1.1	(27.1)	17.6	15.7	1.3
Net Increase in Net Assets from Operations	\$ 6.9	\$ 8.8	\$ (21.0)	\$ 22.8	\$ 21.6	\$ 8.1
Per Share						
Net Investment Income (NII)	\$ 0.42	\$ 0.37	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.34
Core NII ⁽³⁾	\$ 0.40	\$ 0.39	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.26	\$ 0.38	\$ 0.35
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain / (Loss)	\$ (0.08)	\$ 0.05	\$ (1.31)	\$ 0.85	\$ 0.77	\$ 0.06
Earnings	\$ 0.34	\$ 0.42	\$ (1.01)	\$ 1.11	\$ 1.06	\$ 0.40
Dividends Declared	\$ 0.355	\$ 0.355	\$ 0.355	\$ 0.355	\$ 0.355	\$ 0.355
Core NII Dividend Coverage	114%	108%	75%	72%	107%	98%

Note: Numbers may not foot due to rounding.

(1) Total investment income includes investment income (e.g., interest and dividends) from investments in STRS JV.

(2) Net of fee waivers, if any.

(3) Core net investment income is a non-GAAP financial measure. The Company believes that core net investment income provides useful information to investors and management because it reflects the Company's financial performance excluding (i) the net impact of costs associated with the refinancing of the Company's indebtedness, (ii) the accrual of the capital gains incentive fee attributable to realized and unrealized gains and losses, and (iii) certain excise or other income taxes (net of incentive fees). The presentation of this additional information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for financial results prepared in accordance with GAAP. Additional information on core net investment income and a reconciliation of core net investment income to its most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net investment income, can be found by accessing the earnings releases posted to the Company's website at <http://www.whitehorsefinance.com>.

Quarterly Balance Sheet Highlights

Unaudited Quarterly Financials (USD in MM, except per share data)	Q3 19	Q4 19	Q1 20	Q2 20	Q3 20	Q4 20
Assets						
Investments at Fair Value	\$ 527.5	\$ 589.7	\$ 557.1	\$ 547.4	\$ 595.3	\$ 690.7
Cash and Equivalents ⁽¹⁾	22.2	27.5	28.1	20.9	22.9	15.9
Other Assets	16.3	14.0	6.7	6.6	7.6	12.3
Total Assets	\$ 566.0	\$ 631.2	\$ 591.9	\$ 574.9	\$ 625.8	\$ 719.0
Liabilities						
Debt (net of issuance costs)	232.0	298.9	291.1	252.7	291.9	384.9
Other Liabilities	18.6	19.3	16.1	22.0	19.3	21.2
Total Liabilities	\$ 250.5	\$ 318.3	\$ 307.2	\$ 274.7	\$ 311.2	\$ 406.1
Total Net Assets	\$ 315.5	\$ 313.0	\$ 284.7	\$ 300.2	\$ 314.6	\$ 312.9
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 566.0	\$ 631.2	\$ 591.9	\$ 574.9	\$ 625.8	\$ 719.0
Net Asset Value per Share	\$ 15.36	\$ 15.23	\$ 13.86	\$ 14.61	\$ 15.31	\$ 15.23
Leverage Ratio ⁽²⁾	0.75x	0.97x	1.04x	0.86x	0.94x	1.25x
Net Leverage Ratio ⁽³⁾	0.68x	0.88x	0.94x	0.79x	0.87x	1.20x
Gross Fundings ⁽⁴⁾	81.6	155.4	27.6	39.3	59.3	176.5
Exits and Repayments ⁽⁴⁾	(89.1)	(95.8)	(33.6)	(67.7)	(28.1)	(84.4)
Net Fundings	\$ (7.5)	\$ 59.6	\$ (6.0)	\$ (28.4)	\$ 31.2	\$ 92.1

Note: Numbers may not foot due to rounding

(1) Includes Restricted Cash.

(2) Calculated as Total Gross Debt Outstanding divided by Total Net Assets.

(3) Net Leverage Ratio is defined as debt outstanding less cash, divided by total net assets.

(4) Fundings, exits and repayments may include cash flows on revolver investments as well as non-cash transactions (e.g., PIK, equity issuances).

Portfolio Highlights

(\$ in MM, except per share data)

Portfolio Investment	Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020	
Total Fair Value of Investments	\$	527.5	\$	589.7	\$	557.1	\$	547.4	\$	595.3	\$	690.7
Number of Portfolio Investments		65		66		65		68		73		99
Number of Portfolio Companies		48		51		52		53		54		67
Average Investment Size ⁽¹⁾	\$	8.0	\$	8.7	\$	8.2	\$	7.6	\$	7.7	\$	6.6
Average Borrower Size ⁽¹⁾		10.7		11.1		10.1		9.6		10.3		9.7
Average Debt Investment Size ⁽¹⁾	\$	9.2	\$	10.0	\$	9.3	\$	8.8	\$	8.8	\$	7.3
Fair Value as a Percentage of Principal ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾		96.7%		95.6%		92.2%		92.0%		93.5%		94.4%
Total Portfolio Effective Yield⁽³⁾		Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020
Weighted average effective yield on income-producing debt investments ⁽¹⁾		11.1%		10.4%		9.9%		9.6%		9.9%		9.9%
Weighted average effective yield on total portfolio		10.5%		9.9%		9.1%		8.6%		9.2%		9.4%
Portfolio Composition - Floating vs. Fixed Investments (Debt Investments at Fair Value)⁽¹⁾		Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020
Percentage of fixed rate investments		0.0%		0.0%		0.0%		0.4%		0.4%		0.2%
Percentage of floating rate investments		100.0%		100.0%		100.0%		99.6%		99.6%		99.8%
Portfolio Composition - Sponsor vs. Non-Sponsor (Fair Value)⁽¹⁾⁽⁴⁾		Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020
Sponsor		46.6%		53.1%		49.4%		50.7%		52.4%		58.1%
Non-Sponsor		53.4%		46.9%		50.6%		49.3%		47.6%		41.9%
Total Portfolio Composition by Instrument Type (Fair Value)		Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020
First lien secured loans		79.7%		81.0%		80.4%		82.9%		83.1%		85.2%
Second lien secured loans		12.4%		10.5%		9.7%		5.5%		5.0%		4.0%
Subordinated debt										0.1%		0.0%
STRS JV		4.6%		5.6%		7.6%		8.9%		8.5%		7.4%
Equity		3.2%		2.8%		2.4%		2.7%		3.3%		3.4%
Investments on Non-Accrual Status (Debt Investments)		Q3 2019		Q4 2019		Q1 2020		Q2 2020		Q3 2020		Q4 2020
Fair Value of Investments on Non-accrual Status	\$	8.5	\$	7.7	\$	20.7	\$	39.0	\$	18.7	\$	11.6
Cost of Investments on Non-accrual Status	\$	13.9	\$	13.9	\$	31.6	\$	38.8	\$	21.7	\$	14.7
% of Investments on Non-accrual Status (Based on Fair Value of Debt Investments) ⁽⁵⁾		1.7%		1.4%		3.9%		7.4%		3.3%		1.8%
% of Investments on Non-accrual Status (Based on Cost of Debt Investments) ⁽⁵⁾		2.7%		2.4%		5.5%		7.2%		3.8%		2.2%

Note: Not a guarantee of future performance or investment pace.

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(2) Calculated based on funded principal amounts of debt investments.

(3) Weighted average effective yield is computed by dividing (a) annualized interest income (including interest income resulting from the amortization of fees and discounts) by (b) the weighted average cost of investments.

(4) In Q1 2020, BW Gas & Convenience Holdings, LLC was changed from Sponsor to Non-Sponsor classification for all periods reported.

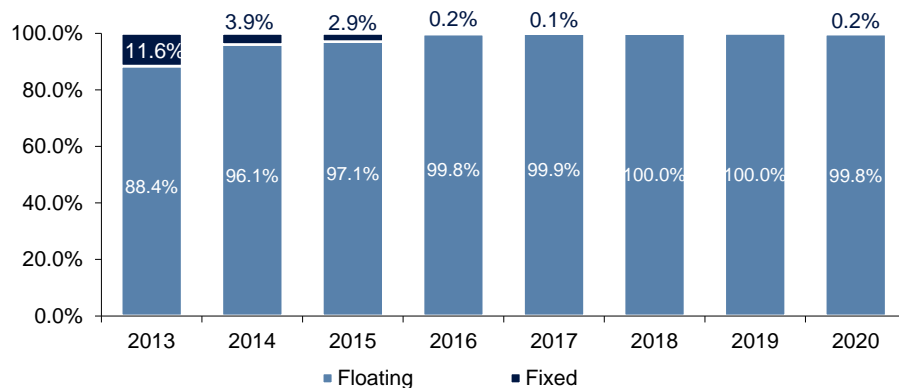
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Source: Company filings

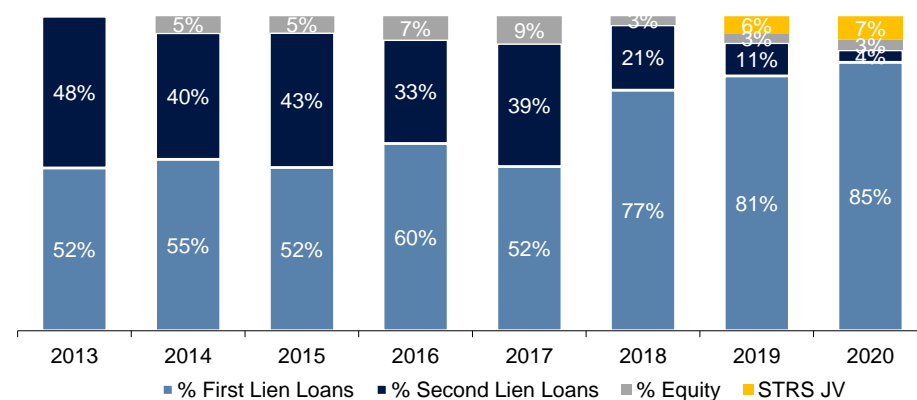
Portfolio Trends

Historical Portfolio Trends

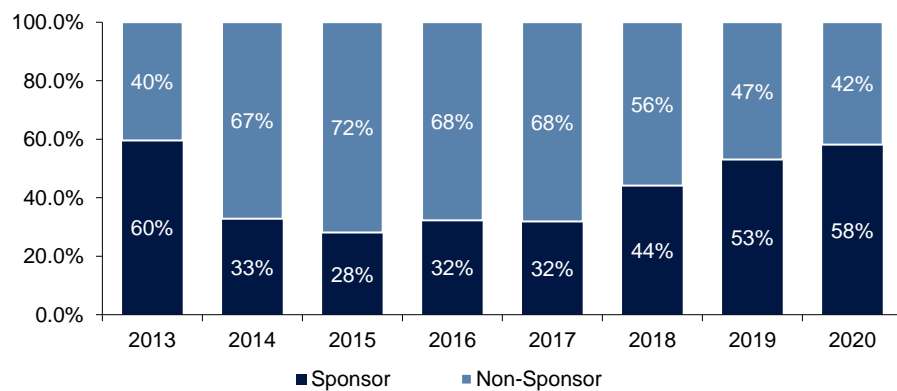
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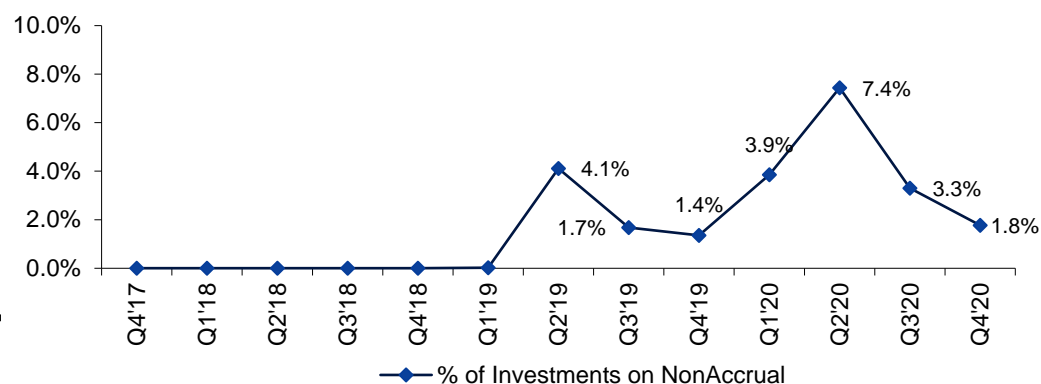
% Instrument Type (Based on Fair Value)



% Sponsored / Non-Sponsored (Based on Fair Value)



% Non Accruals (Based on Fair Value of Debt Investments)⁽¹⁾



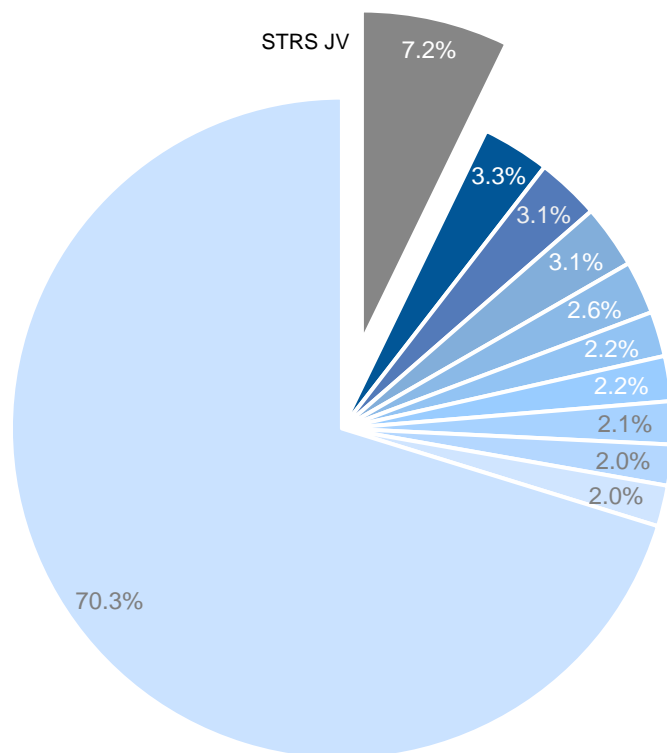
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(1) Except as otherwise indicated, non-zero values <0.05%. Based on fair value of debt investments, including STRS JV Subordinated Note.

Borrower and Industry Diversity

Composition by Borrower (Based on Fair Value)

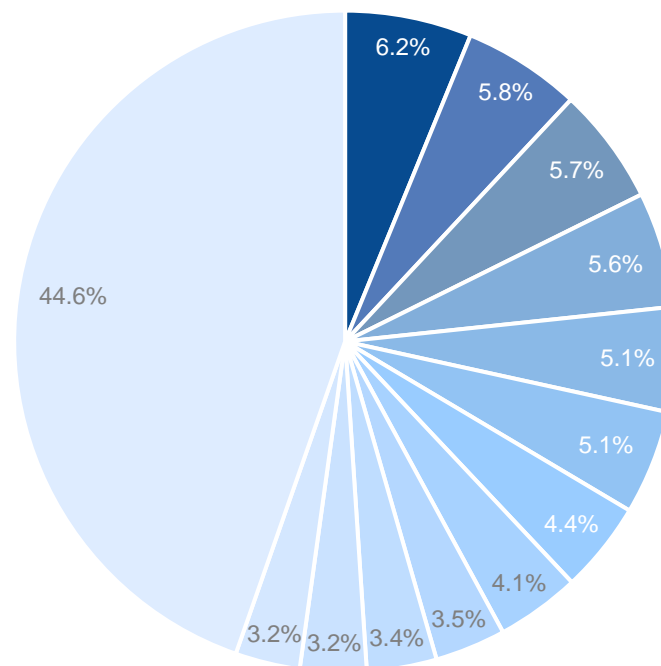
- STRS JV
- Source Code Midco, LLC
- Potpourri Group, Inc.
- PG Dental New Jersey Parent, LLC
- ALM Media, LLC
- Other
- Future Payment Technologies, L.P.
- AG Kings Holdings Inc.
- Team Car Care Holdings, LLC (Heartland Auto)
- Atlas Intermediate Holdings LLC
- Bulk Midco, LLC



100% of WHF loans are senior secured

Composition by Industry⁽¹⁾ (Based on Fair Value)

- Health Care Services
- Internet & Direct Marketing Retail
- Specialized Finance
- Application Software
- Automotive Retail
- Leisure Facilities
- Other
- Data Processing & Outsourced Services
- Technology Hardware, Storage & Peripherals
- Research & Consulting Services
- Construction & Engineering
- Food Retail
- Diversified Support Services

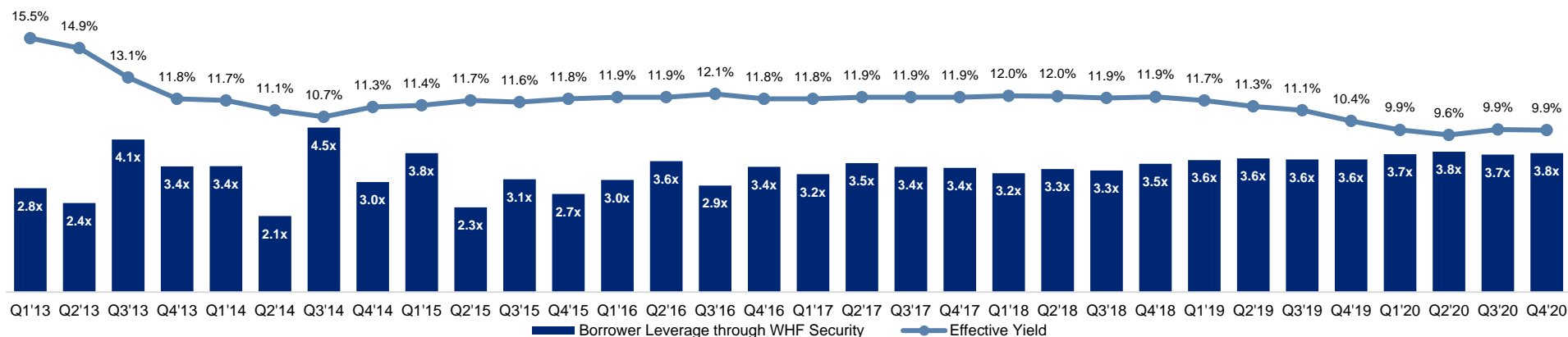


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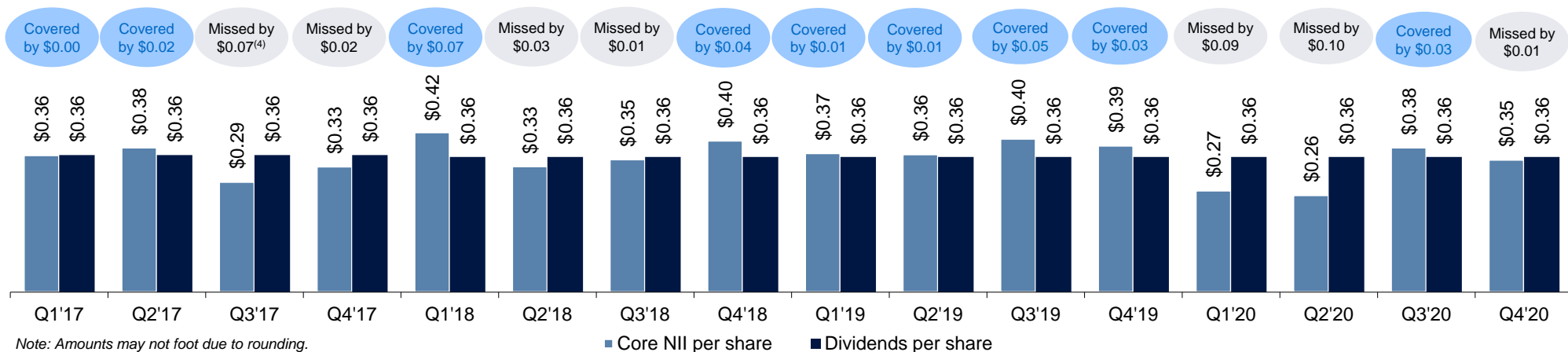
(1) Does not include investments in STRS JV. Industry classifications based on GICS.

Effective Yield & Dividend Coverage

Debt Portfolio Effective Yield and Borrower Leverage⁽¹⁾ From IPO to December 31, 2020



Core NII⁽²⁾ to Dividend Coverage⁽³⁾



Note: Amounts may not foot due to rounding.

(1) Portfolio leverage is based on investment leverage at inception.

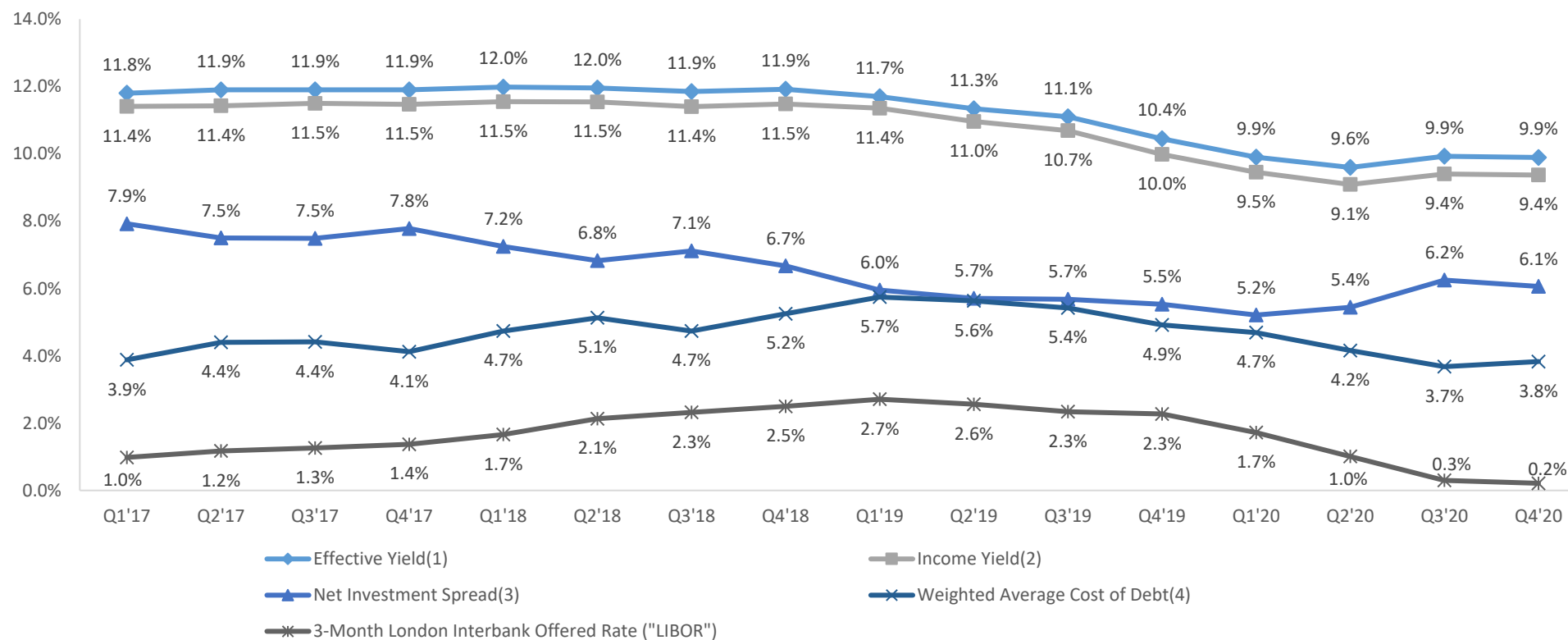
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(3) Does not include special dividends.

(4) WHF's dividend coverage was impacted in 3Q 2017 by the timing of deployment of the equity issuance of ~\$31mm in June 2017.

Source: Company filings

Yield & Interest Rate Economic Analysis



- (1) Weighted average effective yield is computed by dividing (a) annualized interest income (including interest income resulting from the amortization of fees and discounts) by (b) the weighted average cost of investments.
- (2) Income yield is calculated as (a) the actual amount earned on earning investments, including interest and fee income but excluding amortization of capitalized fees and discounts.
- (3) Calculated as (a) effective yield less (b) weighted average cost of debt.
- (4) The weighted average cost of debt is calculated as (a) the actual amount of expenses incurred on debt obligations divided by (b) the daily average of total debt obligations.

Investment Performance Ratings

Investment Performance Ratings

(% of Portfolio at Fair Value)

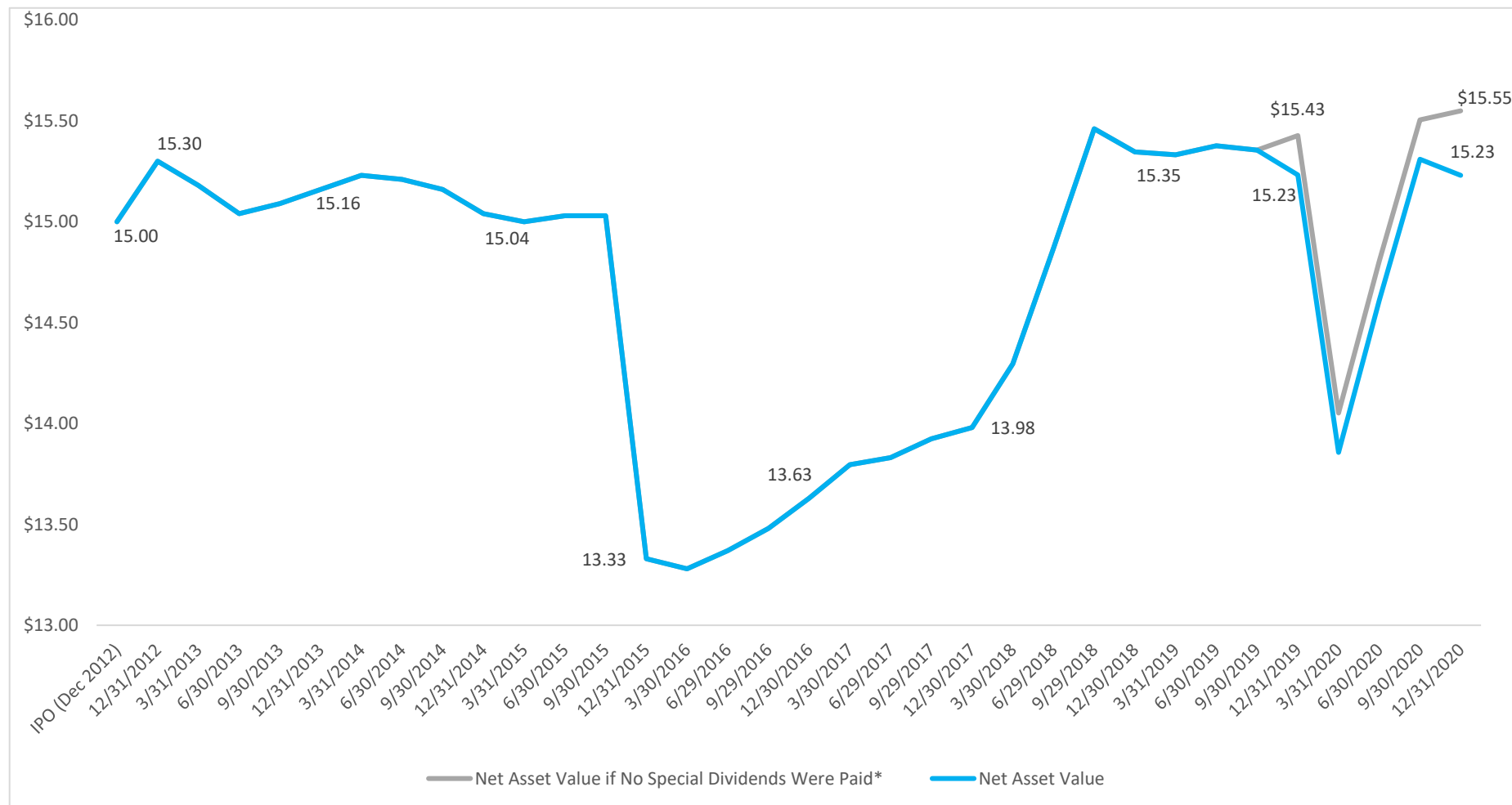
Rating	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	Q1 2020	Q2 2020	Q3 2020	Q4 2020
1							6.3%	2.3%	2.2%	2.3%	14.4%	22.2%
2	100.0%	92.4%	100.0%	90.3%	87.0%	83.9%	80.1%	83.3%	65.3%	61.9%	62.1%	61.1%
3		7.6%		7.9%	13.0%	16.1%	13.6%	13.1%	31.3%	29.3%	21.5%	15.0%
4				0.0%			0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.6%	0.6%	0.6%
5				1.8%			0.0%	1.3%	1.2%	3.9%	1.4%	1.1%
	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Investment Performance Rating Definitions

Rating	Definition
1	The portfolio company's risk of loss has been reduced relative to initial expectations.
2	The portfolio company is meeting initial expectations with regard to performance and outlook.
3	The investment's risk of loss has increased relative to initial expectation.
4	Investment principal is at a material risk of not being fully repaid.
5	Investment is in payment default and has significant risk of not receiving full repayment.

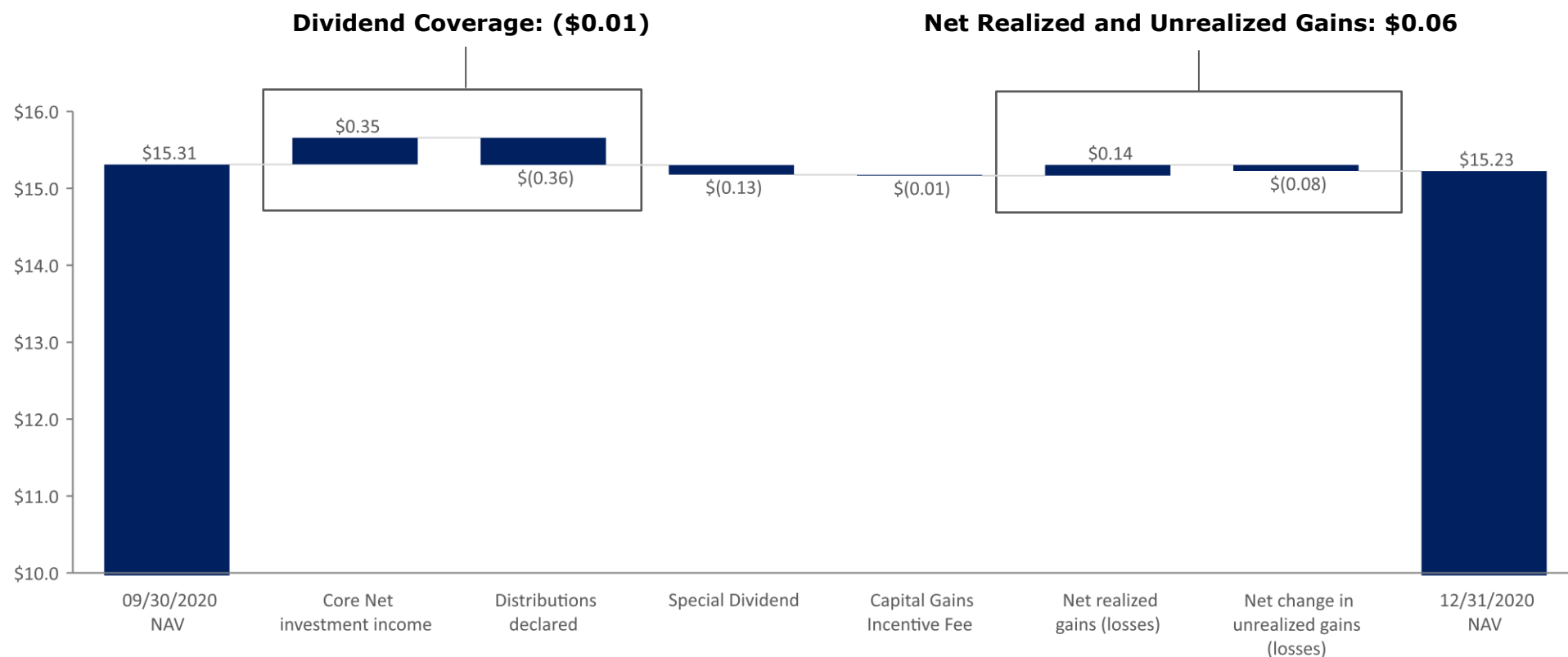
Net Asset Value Trends

Net Asset Value Per Share



*As a supplement to GAAP financial measures, the Company has provided this non-GAAP measure. The Company believes that this non-GAAP financial measure is useful as it highlights the changes in NAV per share of common stock for each quarter excluding the impact of special dividends that were paid and shows the pro forma to the Company's NAV per share after payment of regular distributions.

NAV Per Share Bridge



Note: Numbers may not foot due to rounding.

Core net investment income is a non-GAAP financial measure. The Company believes that core net investment income provides useful information to investors and management because it reflects the Company's financial performance excluding (i) the net impact of costs associated with the refinancing of the Company's indebtedness, (ii) the accrual of the capital gains incentive fee attributable to realized and unrealized gains and losses, and (iii) certain excise or other income taxes (net of incentive fees). The presentation of this additional information is not meant to be considered in isolation or as a substitute for financial results prepared in accordance with GAAP. Additional information on core net investment income and a reconciliation of core net investment income to its most directly comparable GAAP financial measure, net investment income, can be found by accessing the earnings releases posted to the Company's website at <http://www.whitehorsefinance.com>.

Source: Company filings

Leverage Migration

(\$ in MM)

9/30/2020

Outstanding Debt:

\$296.1

NAV:

\$314.6

Leverage Ratio:

0.94x

QtQ Change

+\$94.1

Net borrowings to fund purchases

(\$1.7)

Driven by special dividend

12/31/2020

Outstanding Debt:

\$390.2

NAV:

\$312.9

Leverage Ratio:

1.25x

Sources		Uses	
Borrowings	\$162.4	Acquisition of Investments	\$176.5
Sales & Principal Payments	84.4	Debt Paydown	68.5
Net Investment Income	6.9	Dividend Payment	9.9
Balance Sheet Cash	7.0	Other Balance Sheet Changes	5.8
Total	\$260.6	Total	\$260.6

Note: Numbers may not foot due to rounding.

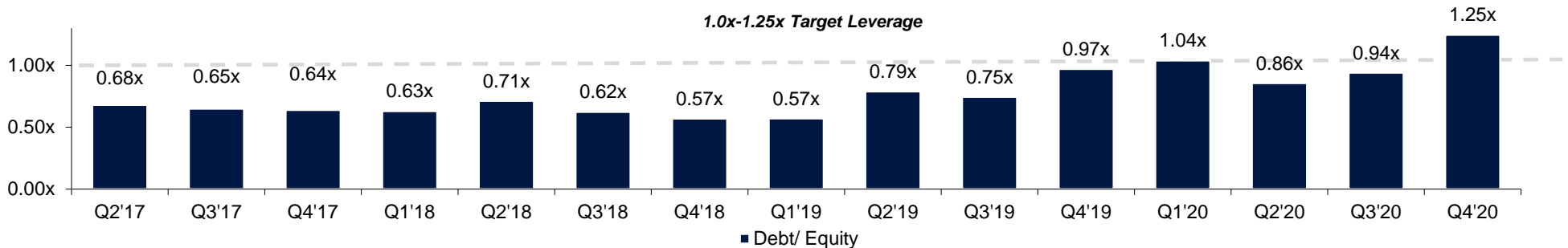
Funding Profile

(\$ in MM)

Current Debt Outstanding (as of December 31, 2020)

(\$ in MM)	Commitment	Outstanding ⁽¹⁾	Weighted Average Interest Rate	Maturity	Additional Information
Revolving Credit Facility	\$285.0 (\$65 Accordion Feature)	\$265.2	L+2.50% payable quarterly	2024	
2023 Private Notes	\$30.0	\$30.0	6.00% payable semi-annually; unsecured	2023	
2025 Private Notes	\$40.0	\$40.0	5.375% payable semi-annually; unsecured	2025	
2025 Public Notes	\$35.0	\$35.0	6.50% payable quarterly; unsecured	2025	NASDAQ: WHFBZ
2026 Private Notes	\$10.0	\$10.0	5.375% payable semi-annually; unsecured	2026	
2027 Private Notes	\$10.0	\$10.0	5.625% payable quarterly; unsecured	2027	
Total Debt	\$410.0	\$390.2	3.73% weighted average cost of debt		
Total Shareholders' Equity/Net Assets	\$312.9		NA		

Gross Debt to Equity⁽²⁾



Note: As of end of each quarter presented, unless otherwise noted. Not a guarantee of future performance or investment pace.

(1) As of December 31, 2020 WHF had \$5.4MM of deferred debt issuance costs.

(2) Gross leverage excluding cash.

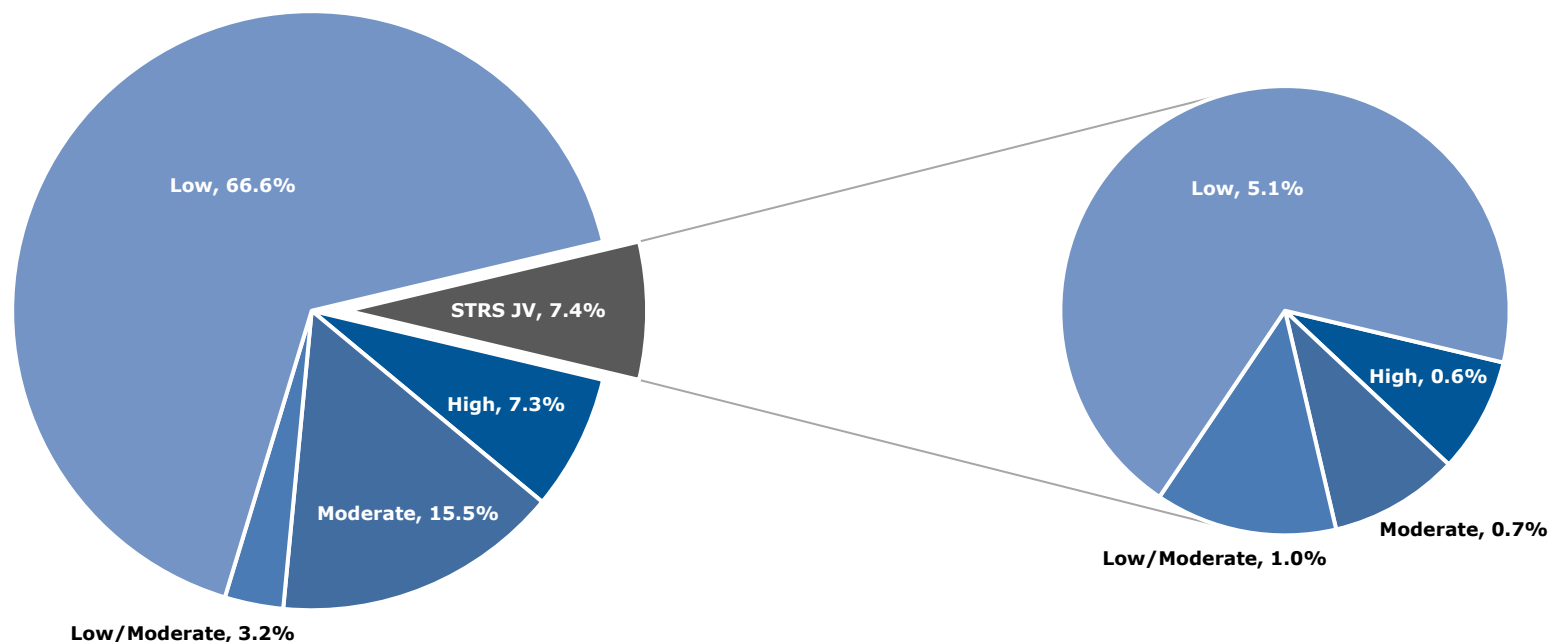
Appendix

COVID-19 Portfolio Exposure 4Q20

(\$ in MM)

WhiteHorse Finance, Inc.

STRS JV



WHF	Fair Value	% of FV
Very High	\$ -	0.0%
High	50.5	7.3%
Moderate	107.1	15.5%
Low/Moderate	21.9	3.2%
Low	460.1	66.6%
STRS JV	51.2	7.4%
Total	\$ 690.7	100.0%

STRS JV	Fair Value	% of FV
Very High	\$ -	0.0%
High	14.5	8.3%
Moderate	16.3	9.3%
Low/Moderate	22.9	13.1%
Low	120.9	69.3%
Total	\$ 174.6	100.0%

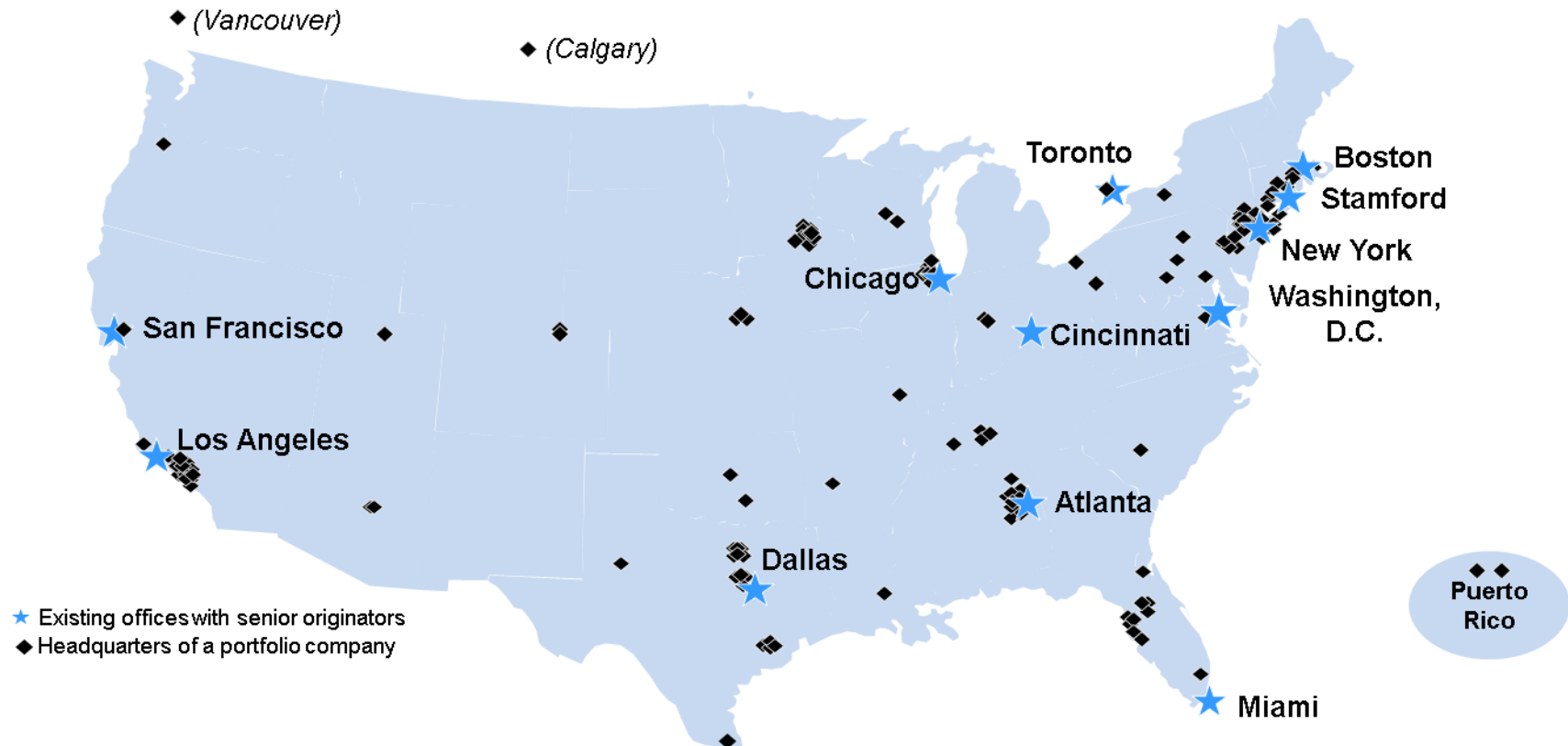
Note: Fair values are as of December 31, 2020 and may not foot due to rounding; percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

- (1) Categories of High, Moderate, Low/Moderate and Low can and will change over time as more data becomes available. These categorizations are based on estimates and current information available as March 2, 2021 and are subject to change without notice.
- (2) Within any given category, there is variation in the amount of exposure. For example, not all Lows or Moderates are the same.
- (3) Low/Moderate category is used for portfolio companies where impact so far has been low, but it is believed that this might rise to moderate over time.

Regional Direct Origination Footprint

Origination Footprint (December 31, 2020)

- Scope of H.I.G. WhiteHorse market coverage results in consistent investment activity levels regardless of market conditions
- Dedicated direct lending team of over 45 investment and origination professionals
- Regional footprint with 19 dedicated direct lending originators in 12 North American offices
- Global platform of approximately 435 investment professionals across 18 offices in 9 countries and 3 continents
- Additional 25 generalist business development professionals dedicated to sourcing proprietary opportunities in the lower to middle market



STRS JV Key Terms and Funding Profile

(\$ in MM)

Key Terms

- WHF and STRS Ohio have committed to provide up to \$125 million in subordinated notes and equity to STRS JV, with STRS Ohio providing \$50 million and WHF providing \$75 million.
- WHF and STRS Ohio share voting control 50%/50%.
- Equity ownership 60% WHF and 40% STRS
- An affiliate of H.I.G. provides day-to-day administrative oversight

Current Debt Outstanding (as of December 31, 2020)

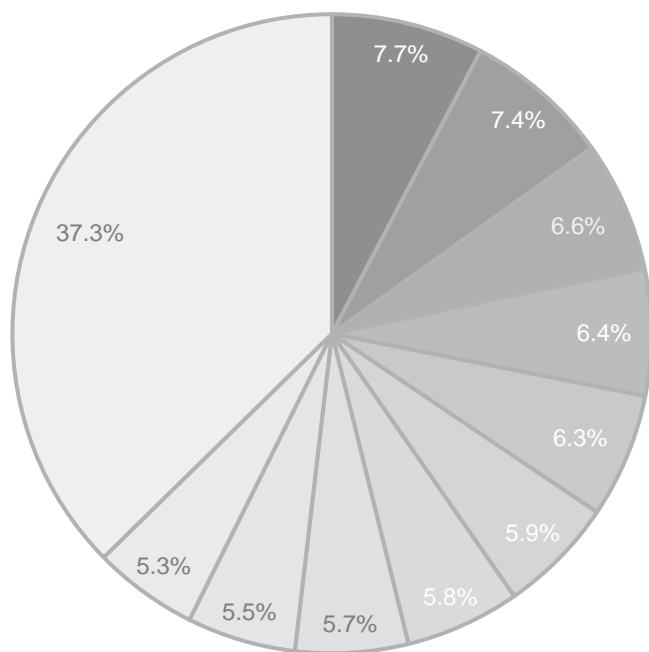
(\$ in MM)	Commitment	Outstanding ⁽¹⁾	Weighted Average Interest Rate	Maturity
Revolving Credit Facility	\$125.0 (\$125 Accordion Feature)	\$95.7	L+2.55% payable quarterly	2024
Subordinated Note	\$100.0	\$68.5	L+6.50% payable quarterly	N/A
Total Debt	\$225.0	\$164.1	4.42% weighted average cost of debt	
Equity	\$25.0	\$17.1	N/A	N/A

Note: As of end of each quarter presented, unless otherwise noted. Not a guarantee of future performance or investment pace. May not foot due to rounding.

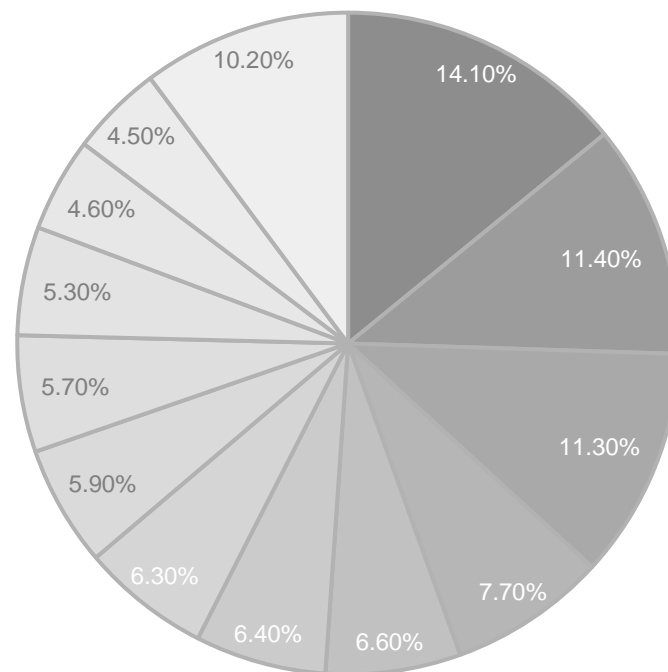
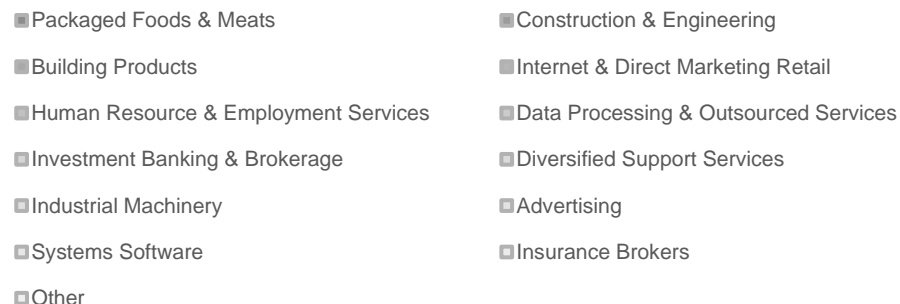
(1) As of December 31, 2020 STRS JV had \$1.5 of deferred debt issuance costs.

STRS JV Borrower and Industry Diversity

Composition by Borrower (Based on Fair Value)



Composition by Industry⁽¹⁾ (Based on Fair Value)



100% of STRS JV loans are senior secured

Note: As of December 31, 2020, unless otherwise noted; percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

(1) Industry classifications based on GICS.

Origination Pipeline Funnel⁽¹⁾

Three tier sourcing platform, generating meaningful investable opportunities for WhiteHorse Finance

Over 45 WhiteHorse deal professionals dedicated to sourcing and underwriting for WHF



25 person business development team seeks opportunities from H.I.G.'s proprietary database of over 21,000 contacts (telephonic salesforce)



Deals being sourced by more than 435 Investment Professionals across H.I.G.'s platform

**Typical Underwriting Process:
3-6 months**

Opportunities Reviewed

Initial Due Diligence

**Term Sheets
Delivered**

**Closed
Transactions**

Total

% of Sourced

6,446

100.0%

1,629

25.3%

418

6.5%

133

2.1%

- With access to H.I.G. Capital's extensive sourcing network, the Company is able to capitalize on attractive self-originated lower middle market transactions as compared to the broadly syndicated market
- Directly originated loans to lower middle market companies typically generate more attractive risk-adjusted returns relative to larger, broadly syndicated credits

Note: Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

(1) Origination Pipeline figures reflect 2014 through December 31, 2020.

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