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**CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED
MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES**

Investment Company Act file number 811-22334

Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc.
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

10018
(Zip code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (888) 777-0102

Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: April 30, 2012

ITEM 1. REPORT TO STOCKHOLDERS.

The **Semi-Annual** Report to Stockholders is filed herewith.

April 30, 2012

Semi-Annual Report

**Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc.
(GDO)**

INVESTMENT PRODUCTS: NOT FDIC INSURED • NO BANK GUARANTEE • MAY LOSE VALUE

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Fund objectives

The Fund's primary investment objective is to provide current income and then to liquidate and distribute substantially all of the Fund's net assets to stockholders on or about December 2, 2024. As a secondary investment objective, the Fund will seek capital appreciation. There can be no assurance the Fund will achieve its investment objectives.

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Letter from the chairman

Dear Shareholder,

We are pleased to provide the semi-annual report of Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc. for the six-month reporting period ended April 30, 2012. Please read on for Fund performance information and a detailed look at prevailing economic and market conditions during the Fund's reporting period.

As always, we remain committed to providing you with excellent service and a full spectrum of investment choices. We also remain committed to supplementing the support you receive from your financial advisor. One way we accomplish this is through our website, www.lmcef.com. Here you can gain immediate access to market and investment information, including:

- Fund prices and performance,
- Market insights and commentaries from our portfolio managers, and
- A host of educational resources.

We look forward to helping you meet your financial goals.

Sincerely,

R. Jay Gerken, CFA

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

May 31, 2012

Investment commentary**Economic review**

The U.S. economy continued to grow over the six months ended April 30, 2012, albeit at an uneven pace. Looking back, U.S. gross domestic product (GDP) growth, as reported by the U.S. Department of Commerce, was 1.8% in the third quarter of 2011. The economy then gathered further momentum late in 2011, as the Commerce Department reported that fourth quarter GDP growth was 3.0% – the fastest pace since the second quarter of 2010. However, economic growth in the U.S. then moderated somewhat, as the Commerce Department's second estimate for first quarter 2012 GDP growth was 1.9%.

Two factors constraining economic growth were the weak job market and continued troubles in the housing market. While there was some improvement during the reporting period, unemployment remained elevated. When the reporting period began, unemployment, as reported by the U.S. Department of Labor, was 8.9%. Unemployment then generally declined over the next six months and was 8.1% in April 2012, the lowest rate since January 2009. The housing market showed some positive signs, although it still appears to be searching for a bottom. According to the National Association of Realtors (NAR), existing-home sales fluctuated throughout the period. However, existing-home sales rose 3.4% on a seasonally adjusted basis in April 2012 versus the previous month. In addition, the NAR reported that the median existing-home price for all housing types was \$177,400 in April 2012, up 10.1% from April 2011. Despite these positives, the inventory of unsold homes rose 9.5% in April versus the previous month.

After experiencing a soft patch in the summer of 2011, the manufacturing sector expanded at a stronger pace during much of the reporting period. Based on the Institute for Supply Management's PMI (PMI)ii, in August 2011, it had a reading of 50.6, its lowest reading in two years (a reading below 50 indicates a contraction, whereas a reading above 50 indicates an expansion). The manufacturing sector gathered momentum and ended January 2012 at 54.1, its highest reading since June 2011. After falling to 52.4 in February, the PMI rose to 53.4 in March and 54.8 in April. In addition, sixteen of the eighteen industries tracked by the Institute for Supply Management expanded in April. By comparison, fifteen and eleven industries expanded in March and February, respectively.

While the U.S. economy continued to expand during the reporting period, growth generally moderated overseas. In April 2012, the International Monetary Fund (IMF) stated that global growth is projected to drop from about 4.0% in 2011 to about 3.5% in 2012 because of weak activity during the second half of 2011 and the first half of 2012. The IMF now anticipates 2012 growth will be -0.3% in the Eurozone and 2.0% in Japan. While growth in emerging market countries is expected to remain higher than in their developed country counterparts, the IMF projects that growth will fall from approximately 5.8% in 2011 to 5.7% in 2012.

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Market review

Q. Did Treasury yields trend higher or lower during the six months ended April 30, 2012?

A. Both short- and long-term Treasury yields fluctuated during the reporting period. When the period began, two- and ten-year Treasury yields were 0.25% and 2.17%, respectively. Two-year Treasuries hit their low for the reporting period of 0.21% in mid-January 2012, and ten-year Treasuries reached their reporting period trough of 1.83% in late January 2012. With the economy gathering some momentum, Treasury yields moved higher toward the end of the period. Two-year Treasury yields rose as high as 0.41% on March 20, 2012 and ten-year Treasuries peaked at 2.39% around the same time. Yields then fell in late March and April given renewed fears over the European sovereign debt crisis. When the reporting period ended on April 30, 2012, two-year Treasury yields were 0.27% and ten-year Treasury yields were 1.95%.

Q. How did the Federal Reserve Board (Fed) respond to the economic environment?

A. The Fed took a number of actions as it sought to meet its dual mandate of fostering maximum employment and price stability. As has been the case since December 2008, the Fed kept the federal funds rate at a historically low range between zero and 0.25%. Looking back, in August 2011, the Fed declared its intention to keep the federal funds rate steady until mid-2013. Then, in September 2011, the Fed announced its intention to purchase \$400 billion of longer-term Treasury securities and to sell an equal amount of shorter-term Treasury securities by June 2012 (often referred to as Operation Twist). In January 2012, the Fed extended the period it expects to keep rates on hold, saying economic conditions including low rates of resource utilization and a subdued outlook for inflation over the medium run are likely to warrant exceptionally low levels for the federal funds rate at least through late 2014. The Fed repeated this point at its meeting in April, saying To support a stronger economic recovery and to help ensure that inflation, over time, is at the rate most consistent with its dual mandate, the Committee expects to maintain a highly accommodative stance for monetary policy.

Q. What actions did international central banks take during the reporting period?

A. Given the economic challenges in the Eurozone, the European Central Bank (ECB) lowered interest rates from 1.50% to 1.25% in November 2011. In December, the ECB lowered interest rates to 1.00%, equaling its all-time low. In other developed countries, the Bank of England kept rates on hold at 0.50% during the reporting period, as did Japan at a range of zero to 0.10%, the lowest level since 2006. With growth rates declining, both China and India lowered their cash reserve ratio for banks during the reporting period. This could be a precursor to lowering interest rates if global growth stalls further.

Q. What factors impacted the spread sectors (non-Treasuries) during the reporting period?

A. The spread sectors experienced periods of volatility during the period. A flight to quality occurred in November given fears regarding the European sovereign debt crisis. Risk appetite returned over the next three months of the period, due to some better-than-expected economic data in

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the U.S. and signs of progress in the European situation. However, concerns related to Europe triggered another bout of risk aversion in March and for much of April. For the six months ended April 30, 2012, the Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Index^v returned 2.44%.

Q. How did the high-yield market perform over the six months ended April 30, 2012?

A. The U.S. high-yield bond market generated a solid gain during the reporting period. The asset class declined during the first month of the period due to the escalating European sovereign debt crisis. Against this backdrop, the Barclays Capital U.S. High Yield 2% Issuer Cap Index^{vi} fell 2.16% in November. However, it rallied during four of the last five months of the period as risk appetite returned at times and investors looked to generate incremental yield in the low interest rate environment. All told, the high-yield market gained 6.91% for the six months ended April 30, 2012.

Q. How did the emerging market debt asset class perform over the reporting period?

A. Despite periods of volatility, the asset class generated strong results for the six-month reporting period. In general, emerging market debt was supported by solid growth in developing countries and overall solid demand. These factors more than offset periods of weakness triggered by fears that China's economy would experience a hard landing, geopolitical issues and decelerating growth in many developed countries. Overall, the JPMorgan Emerging Markets Bond Index Global (EMBI Global)^{vii} returned 7.33% over the six months ended April 30, 2012.

Performance review

For the six months ended April 30, 2012, Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc. returned 7.14% based on its net asset value (NAV)^{viii} and 11.31% based on its New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) market price per share. The Fund's unmanaged benchmark, the Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Corporate Index^{ix}, returned 2.41% for the same period. The Lipper Global Income Closed-End Funds Category Average^x returned 5.45% over the same time frame. Please note that Lipper performance returns are based on each fund's NAV.

During this six-month period, the Fund made distributions to shareholders totaling \$0.76 per share, which may have included a return of capital. The performance table shows the Fund's six-month total return based on its NAV and market price as of April 30, 2012. **Past performance is no guarantee of future results.**

Performance Snapshot as of April 30, 2012 (unaudited)

Price Per Share	6-Month Total Return*
\$19.70 (NAV)	7.14%
\$19.28 (Market Price)	11.31%

All figures represent past performance and are not a guarantee of future results. Performance figures for periods shorter than one year represent cumulative figures and are not annualized.

* Total returns are based on changes in NAV or market price, respectively.

Total return assumes the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, at NAV. Prior to January 1, 2012, total return assumed the reinvestment of all distributions in additional shares in

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accordance with the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

Total return assumes the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, in additional shares in accordance with the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

Looking for additional information?

The Fund is traded under the symbol GDO and its closing market price is available in most newspapers under the NYSE listings. The daily NAV is available on-line under the symbol XGDOX on most financial websites. *Barron's* and the *Wall Street Journal's* Monday edition both carry closed-end fund tables that provide additional information. In addition, the Fund issues a quarterly press release that can be found on most major financial websites as well as www.lmcef.com.

In a continuing effort to provide information concerning the Fund, shareholders may call 1-888-777-0102 (toll free), Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Eastern Time, for the Fund's current NAV, market price and other information.

As always, thank you for your confidence in our stewardship of your assets.

Sincerely,

R. Jay Gerken, CFA

Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

May 31, 2012

RISKS: *Fixed-income securities are subject to credit risk, inflation risk, call risk and interest rate risk. As interest rates rise, bond prices fall, reducing the value of the Fund's holdings. The Fund may invest in lower-rated high-yield bonds which are subject to greater credit risk (risk of default) than higher-rated obligations. Investments in foreign securities involve risks, including the possibility of losses due to changes in currency exchange rates and negative developments in the political, economic or regulatory structure of specific countries or regions. These risks are magnified in emerging markets. The Fund may make significant investments in derivative instruments. Derivative instruments can be illiquid, may disproportionately increase losses, and have a potentially large impact on Fund performance. Leverage may result in greater volatility of NAV and the market price of common shares and increases a shareholder's risk of loss.*

All investments are subject to risk including the possible loss of principal. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. All index performance reflects no deduction for fees, expenses or taxes. Please note that an investor cannot invest directly in an index.

The information provided is not intended to be a forecast of future events, a guarantee of future results or investment advice. Views expressed may differ from those of the firm as a whole. Forecasts and predictions are inherently limited and should not be relied upon as an indication of actual or future performance.

- i Gross domestic product (GDP) is the market value of all final goods and services produced within a country in a given period of time.
- ii The Institute for Supply Management's PMI is based on a survey of purchasing executives who buy the raw materials for manufacturing at more than 350 companies. It offers an early reading on the health of the manufacturing sector.
- iii The Federal Reserve Board (Fed) is responsible for the formulation of policies designed to promote economic growth, full employment, stable prices and a sustainable pattern of international trade and payments.
- iv The federal funds rate is the rate charged by one depository institution on an overnight sale of immediately available funds (balances at the Federal Reserve) to another depository institution; the rate may vary from depository institution to depository institution and from day to day.
- v The Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Index is a broad-based bond index comprised of government, corporate, mortgage- and asset-backed issues, rated investment grade or higher, and having at least one year to maturity.
- vi The Barclays Capital U.S. High Yield 2% Issuer Cap Index is an index of the 2% Issuer Cap component of the Barclays Capital U.S. Corporate High Yield Index, which covers the U.S. dollar-denominated, non-investment grade, fixed-rate, taxable corporate bond market. The Barclays Capital U.S. Corporate High Yield Index covers the universe of fixed-rate, non-investment grade debt, including corporate and non-corporate sectors. Pay-in-kind (PIK) bonds, Eurobonds and debt issues from countries designated as emerging markets are excluded, but Canadian and global bonds (SEC registered) of issuers in non-emerging market countries are included. Original issue zero coupon bonds, step-up coupon structures and 144-As are also included.
- vii The JPMorgan Emerging Markets Bond Index Global (EMBI Global) tracks total returns for U.S. dollar-denominated debt instruments issued by emerging market sovereign and quasi-sovereign entities: Brady bonds, loans, Eurobonds and local market instruments.
- viii Net asset value (NAV) is calculated by subtracting total liabilities and outstanding preferred stock (if any) from the closing value of all securities held by the Fund (plus all other assets) and dividing the result (total net assets) by the total number of the common shares outstanding. The NAV fluctuates with changes in the market prices of securities in which the Fund has invested. However, the price at which an investor may buy or sell shares of the Fund is the Fund's market price as determined by supply of and demand for the Fund's shares.
- ix The Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Corporate Index is the corporate component of the Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Index, which is comprised of several other Barclays Capital indices that measure fixed-income performance of regions around the world.
- x Lipper, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of Reuters, provides independent insight on global collective investments. Returns are based on the six-month period ended April 30, 2012, including the reinvestment of all distributions, including returns of capital, if any, calculated among the 13 funds in the Fund's Lipper category.

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Fund at a glance (unaudited)

Investment breakdown (%) as a percent of total investments

The bar graph above represents the composition of the Fund's investments as of April 30, 2012 and October 31, 2011 and does not include derivatives, such as futures contracts and forward foreign currency contracts. The Fund is actively managed. As a result, the composition of the Fund's investments is subject to change at any time.

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Spread duration (unaudited)

Economic Exposure April 30, 2012

Spread duration measures the sensitivity to changes in spreads. The spread over Treasuries is the annual risk-premium demanded by investors to hold non-Treasury securities. Spread duration is quantified as the % change in price resulting from a 100 basis points change in spreads. For a security with positive spread duration, an increase in spreads would result in a price decline and a decline in spreads would result in a price increase. This chart highlights the market sector exposure of the Fund's sectors relative to the selected benchmark sectors as of the end of the reporting period.

ABS	Asset-Backed Securities
BC Global Aggregate	Barclays Capital Global Aggregate Corporate Bond Index
EM	Emerging Markets
GDO	Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc.
HY	High Yield
IG Credit	Investment Grade Credit

MBS

Mortgage Backed Securities

Effective duration (unaudited)**Interest Rate Exposure April 30, 2012**

Effective duration measures the sensitivity to changes in relevant interest rates. Effective duration is quantified as the % change in price resulting from a 100 basis points change in interest rates. For a security with positive effective duration, an increase in interest rates would result in a price decline and a decline in interest rates would result in a price increase. This chart highlights the interest rate exposure of the Fund's sectors relative to the selected benchmark as of the end of the reporting period.

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Security	Rate	Maturity Date	Face Amount	Value
Corporate Bonds & Notes 102.9%				
Consumer Discretionary 15.4%				
Auto Components 1.0%				
Europcar Groupe SA, Senior Notes	9.375%	4/15/18	785,000EUR	\$ 862,457(a)
Hertz Holdings Netherlands BV, Senior Secured Bonds	8.500%	7/31/15	1,420,000EUR	2,048,823(a)
Total Auto Components				2,911,280
Automobiles 0.8%				
Ford Motor Credit Co., LLC, Senior Notes	12.000%	5/15/15	2,000,000	2,535,000
Diversified Consumer Services 0.3%				
Dignity Finance PLC, Secured Bonds	6.310%	12/31/23	520,813GBP	1,004,915(a)
Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 1.8%				
Caesars Entertainment Operating Co. Inc., Senior Secured Notes	11.250%	6/1/17	1,000,000	1,110,000
MGM Resorts International, Senior Notes	11.375%	3/1/18	1,000,000	1,196,250
Mitchells & Butlers Finance PLC, Secured Notes	5.965%	12/15/25	558,025GBP	970,529
Mohegan Tribal Gaming Authority, Secured Notes	11.500%	11/1/17	1,000,000	1,040,000(a)
NCL Corp. Ltd., Senior Secured Notes	11.750%	11/15/16	1,000,000	1,167,500
Total Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure				5,484,279
Household Durables 0.8%				
Norcraft Cos. LP/Norcraft Finance Corp., Senior Secured Notes	10.500%	12/15/15	2,500,000	2,350,000(b)
Media 9.3%				
CCO Holdings LLC/CCO Holdings Capital Corp., Senior Notes	7.875%	4/30/18	2,030,000	2,207,625(b)
CCO Holdings LLC/CCO Holdings Capital Corp., Senior Notes	8.125%	4/30/20	1,570,000	1,766,250(b)
Comcast Corp., Senior Notes	5.700%	7/1/19	1,800,000	2,146,819(b)
Daily Mail & General Trust PLC, Senior Bonds	5.750%	12/7/18	1,280,000GBP	2,108,866
Grupo Televisa SA, Senior Bonds	6.625%	1/15/40	1,730,000	2,089,793(b)
ITV PLC, Senior Notes	10.000%	6/30/14	600,000EUR	906,205
Musketeer GmbH, Senior Secured Notes	9.500%	3/15/21	300,000EUR	426,893(a)
Nara Cable Funding Ltd., Senior Secured Notes	8.875%	12/1/18	1,000,000EUR	1,197,949(a)
NET Servicos de Comunicacao SA, Bonds	7.500%	1/27/20	920,000	1,060,300
Ono Finance II PLC, Senior Bonds	10.875%	7/15/19	684,000	584,820(a)
Pearson PLC, Senior Bonds	7.000%	10/27/14	1,200,000GBP	2,176,583
Reed Elsevier Capital Inc., Notes	8.625%	1/15/19	870,000	1,119,741(b)
Time Warner Cable Inc., Senior Notes	8.750%	2/14/19	1,500,000	1,983,269(b)
United Business Media Ltd., Notes	5.750%	11/3/20	1,500,000	1,516,064(a)
UPC Holding BV, Senior Secured Notes	9.750%	4/15/18	310,000EUR	434,968(a)
UPCB Finance II Ltd., Senior Notes	6.375%	7/1/20	1,000,000EUR	1,297,226(a)

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Security	Rate	Maturity Date	Face Amount	Value
Media continued				
Videotron Ltee, Senior Notes	7.125%	1/15/20	2,000,000CAD	\$ 2,181,505(a)
Vivendi SA, Senior Notes	4.750%	7/13/21	1,300,000EUR	1,774,469
Ziggo Bond Co. BV, Senior Notes	8.000%	5/15/18	750,000EUR	1,074,679(a)
Total Media				28,054,024
Multiline Retail 0.1%				
Neiman Marcus Group Inc., Senior Secured Notes	7.125%	6/1/28	180,000	173,700
Specialty Retail 1.3%				
Edcon Proprietary Ltd., Senior Notes	4.126%	6/15/14	960,000EUR	1,127,793(a)(c)
Edcon Proprietary Ltd., Senior Secured Notes	9.500%	3/1/18	300,000EUR	361,370(a)
Gap Inc., Senior Notes	5.950%	4/12/21	2,250,000	2,330,311
Total Specialty Retail				3,819,474
Total Consumer Discretionary				
Consumer Staples 6.9%				
Food & Staples Retailing 1.2%				
CVS Caremark Corp., Senior Notes	6.125%	9/15/39	1,000,000	1,208,599(b)
Tesco PLC, Senior Notes	6.125%	2/24/22	1,200,000GBP	2,252,903
Total Food & Staples Retailing				3,461,502
Food Products 1.1%				
Boparan Holdings Ltd., Senior Notes	9.875%	4/30/18	700,000GBP	1,175,791(a)
Campofrio Food Group SA, Senior Notes	8.250%	10/31/16	530,000EUR	708,577(a)
Foodcorp Ltd., Senior Secured Notes	8.750%	3/1/18	360,000EUR	480,106(a)
Smithfield Foods Inc., Senior Secured Notes	10.000%	7/15/14	801,000	941,175
Total Food Products				3,305,649
Personal Products 0.2%				
Hypermarcas SA, Notes	6.500%	4/20/21	760,000	733,400(a)
Tobacco 4.4%				
Altria Group Inc., Senior Notes	9.700%	11/10/18	2,600,000	3,534,913(b)
BAT International Finance PLC, Senior Notes	4.875%	2/24/21	1,450,000EUR	2,218,097
Imperial Tobacco Finance PLC, Senior Notes	8.375%	2/17/16	1,150,000EUR	1,858,624
Lorillard Tobacco Co., Senior Notes	8.125%	6/23/19	2,305,000	2,875,617(b)
Reynolds American Inc., Senior Notes	6.750%	6/15/17	2,340,000	2,810,302(b)
Total Tobacco				13,297,553
Total Consumer Staples				
Energy 12.0%				
Energy Equipment & Services 0.1%				
Parker Drilling Co., Senior Notes	9.125%	4/1/18	300,000	319,500
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels 11.9%				
Anadarko Petroleum Corp., Senior Notes	6.450%	9/15/36	1,370,000	1,629,678(b)
Dolphin Energy Ltd., Senior Secured Bonds	5.888%	6/15/19	1,812,235	1,977,602(a)

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Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels continued				
Ecopetrol SA, Senior Notes	7.625%	7/23/19	1,650,000	\$ 2,079,825(b)
Energy Transfer Partners LP, Senior Notes	9.700%	3/15/19	1,000,000	1,289,767(b)
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Senior Notes	6.500%	1/31/19	1,290,000	1,566,287(b)
Indo Energy Finance BV, Senior Notes	7.000%	5/7/18	470,000	486,450(a)
KazMunayGaz Finance Sub BV, Senior Notes	8.375%	7/2/13	980,000	1,040,015(a)
KazMunayGaz Finance Sub BV, Senior Notes	11.750%	1/23/15	675,000	823,696(a)
Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP, Medium-Term Notes	6.950%	1/15/38	1,180,000	1,396,616(b)
LUKOIL International Finance BV, Bonds	6.356%	6/7/17	310,000	338,849(a)
LUKOIL International Finance BV, Bonds	6.656%	6/7/22	1,860,000	2,069,882(a)
Novatek Finance Ltd., Notes	6.604%	2/3/21	750,000	824,265(a)
Pemex Project Funding Master Trust, Senior Bonds	6.625%	6/15/35	910,000	1,076,075
Petrobras International Finance Co., Senior Notes	6.750%	1/27/41	760,000	916,546
Petroleum Co. of Trinidad & Tobago Ltd., Senior Notes	9.750%	8/14/19	2,590,000	3,228,435(a)
Petronas Capital Ltd.	5.250%	8/12/19	700,000	799,106(a)
Petronas Capital Ltd., Senior Notes	5.250%	8/12/19	1,780,000	2,032,012(a)
Plains Exploration & Production Co., Senior Notes	8.625%	10/15/19	1,500,000	1,695,000
Ras Laffan Liquefied Natural Gas Co., Ltd. III, Senior Secured Bonds	6.750%	9/30/19	2,280,000	2,701,800(a)
Ras Laffan Liquefied Natural Gas Co., Ltd. III, Senior Secured Notes	5.500%	9/30/14	1,050,000	1,136,678(a)
SandRidge Energy Inc., Senior Notes	9.875%	5/15/16	1,000,000	1,115,000
TNK-BP Finance SA, Senior Notes	7.875%	3/13/18	4,150,000	4,845,125(a)
Williams Partners LP, Senior Notes	5.250%	3/15/20	610,000	686,400(b)
Total Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels				35,755,109
Total Energy				36,074,609
Financials 33.3%				
Capital Markets 4.2%				
Credit Suisse London, Subordinated Notes	6.750%	1/16/23	2,500,000GBP	4,360,111(c)
Goldman Sachs Capital II, Junior Subordinated Bonds	5.793%	6/1/12	1,300,000	900,250(b)(c)
Goldman Sachs Group Inc.	5.500%	10/12/21	600,000GBP	898,561
Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Subordinated Notes	4.750%	10/12/21	2,700,000EUR	3,247,807
Merrill Lynch & Co. Inc., Senior Notes	7.750%	4/30/18	800,000GBP	1,414,686
UBS AG London, Senior Notes	6.375%	7/20/16	1,050,000GBP	1,878,181
Total Capital Markets				12,699,596
Commercial Banks 16.6%				
Australia & New Zealand Banking Group Ltd., Subordinated Bonds	6.540%	6/15/12	450,000GBP	737,407(c)(d)

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Security	Rate	Maturity Date	Face Amount	Value
<i>Commercial Banks continued</i>				
Australia & New Zealand Banking Group Ltd., Subordinated Notes	5.125%	9/10/19	1,250,000EUR	\$ 1,756,989
BankAmerica Capital II, Junior Subordinated Bonds	8.000%	12/15/26	800,000	810,000(b)
BankAmerica Institutional Capital A, Junior Subordinated Bonds	8.070%	12/31/26	1,240,000	1,255,500(a)(b)
BankAmerica Institutional Capital B, Junior Subordinated Bonds	7.700%	12/31/26	850,000	860,625(a)
BB&T Capital Trust II, Junior Subordinated Notes	6.750%	6/7/36	660,000	675,327(b)
BB&T Capital Trust IV, Junior Subordinated Debentures	6.820%	6/12/57	2,700,000	2,737,125(b)(c)
BBVA International Preferred SA Unipersonal	9.100%	10/21/14	400,000GBP	551,786(c)(d)
Commonwealth Bank of Australia, Subordinated Notes	5.500%	8/6/19	1,200,000EUR	1,715,609
Credit Agricole SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	7.875%	10/26/19	400,000EUR	444,753(c)(d)
Credit Agricole SA, Subordinated Notes	8.375%	10/13/19	2,530,000	2,239,050(a)(c)(d)
Fortis Bank SA/NV, Junior Subordinated Notes	4.625%	10/27/14	1,900,000EUR	1,847,290(a)(c)(d)
Fortis Bank SA/NV, Senior Subordinated Notes	5.757%	10/4/17	1,200,000EUR	1,646,177
HSBC Capital Funding LP, Junior Subordinated Bonds	5.369%	3/24/14	1,900,000EUR	2,323,888(c)(d)
ING Bank NV, Subordinated Notes	6.875%	5/29/23	2,850,000GBP	4,583,174(c)
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, Senior Notes	3.625%	8/12/15	1,000,000	925,838(a)
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, Subordinated Notes	8.375%	10/14/19	450,000EUR	509,592(c)(d)
Lloyds TSB Bank PLC, Notes	5.800%	1/13/20	520,000	539,867(a)
Matalan Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	9.625%	3/31/17	66,000GBP	78,191(a)
National Australia Bank Ltd., Subordinated Notes	6.750%	6/26/23	2,750,000EUR	3,961,472(c)
National Capital Trust I	5.620%	12/17/18	266,000GBP	362,707(a)(c)(d)
Rabobank Nederland NV, Junior Subordinated Notes	11.000%	6/30/19	1,997,000	2,549,183(a)(c)(d)
Resona Preferred Global Securities Cayman Ltd., Junior Subordinated Bonds	7.191%	7/30/15	90,000	93,637(a)(b)(c)(d)
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, Subordinated Notes	5.000%	10/1/14	4,000,000	3,947,512(b)
Royal Bank of Scotland PLC, Senior Notes	5.375%	9/30/19	1,300,000EUR	1,764,781
Santander Finance Preferred SA Unipersonal, Subordinated Bonds	11.300%	7/27/14	350,000GBP	556,655(c)(d)
Santander Issuances SAU, Notes	5.911%	6/20/16	2,000,000	1,956,820(a)
Skandinaviska Enskilda Banken AB, Subordinated Notes	9.250%	3/31/15	450,000EUR	637,362(c)(d)
Societe Generale, Subordinated Notes	9.375%	9/4/19	1,550,000EUR	1,910,781(c)(d)
Standard Chartered Bank, Subordinated Notes	5.875%	9/26/17	1,250,000EUR	1,795,624(a)

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Commercial Banks continued				
Standard Chartered Bank, Subordinated Notes	7.750%	4/3/18	1,000,000GBP	\$ 1,857,169
USB Capital XIII Trust, Junior Subordinated Notes	6.625%	12/15/39	1,500,000	1,534,479(b)
Wachovia Capital Trust III, Junior Subordinated Bonds	5.570%	6/8/12	760,000	707,750(c)(d)
Total Commercial Banks				49,874,120
Consumer Finance 2.2%				
American Express Co., Subordinated Debentures	6.800%	9/1/66	1,820,000	1,865,955(b)(c)
Fiat Finance & Trade Ltd. SA, Senior Notes	6.125%	7/8/14	146,000EUR	196,644
SLM Corp., Medium-Term Notes	8.000%	3/25/20	1,880,000	2,006,900(b)
SLM Corp., Medium-Term Notes, Senior Notes	5.050%	11/14/14	2,400,000	2,460,288(b)
Total Consumer Finance				6,529,787
Diversified Financial Services 6.5%				
AES El Salvador Trust, Senior Notes	6.750%	2/1/16	1,000,000	1,012,500(a)
Bank of America Corp., Senior Notes	6.500%	8/1/16	110,000	120,377
Citigroup Inc., Senior Notes	7.375%	9/4/19	1,300,000EUR	2,028,717
Countrywide Capital III, Junior Subordinated Notes	8.050%	6/15/27	3,000,000	3,030,000
FCE Bank PLC, Senior Notes	5.125%	11/16/15	900,000GBP	1,511,731
General Electric Capital Corp., Subordinated Bonds	5.500%	9/15/67	940,000EUR	1,076,301(a)(c)
General Electric Capital Corp., Subordinated Debentures	6.375%	11/15/67	1,200,000	1,237,500(b)(c)
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Notes	8.750%	3/15/17	3,000,000	3,375,000(b)
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Notes	6.250%	5/15/19	1,130,000	1,141,432(b)
ISS Financing PLC, Senior Secured Bonds	11.000%	6/15/14	560,000EUR	787,980(a)
JPMorgan Chase Capital XVIII, Bonds	6.950%	8/17/36	1,440,000	1,450,800(b)
JPMorgan Chase Capital XXVII, Junior Subordinated Notes	7.000%	11/1/39	1,000,000	1,012,500(b)
MUFG Capital Finance 4 Ltd., Junior Subordinated Bonds	5.271%	1/25/17	550,000EUR	734,405(c)(d)
Telenet Finance III Luxembourg S.C.A., Senior Secured Notes	6.625%	2/15/21	800,000EUR	1,056,313(a)
Total Diversified Financial Services				19,575,556
Insurance 3.8%				
American International Group Inc., Senior Notes	8.250%	8/15/18	1,200,000	1,457,634(b)
Aviva PLC, Subordinated Notes	5.250%	10/2/23	1,300,000EUR	1,674,521(c)
AXA SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	5.777%	7/6/16	500,000EUR	512,934(c)(d)
AXA SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	6.463%	12/14/18	2,000,000	1,645,000(a)(c)(d)
ELM BV	5.252%	5/25/16	550,000EUR	629,386(c)(d)
Farmers Insurance Exchange, Subordinated Notes	8.625%	5/1/24	1,295,000	1,669,581(a)
Generali Finance BV, Junior Subordinated Bonds	5.317%	6/16/16	500,000EUR	482,417(c)(d)

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Insurance continued				
MetLife Capital Trust IV, Junior Subordinated Notes	7.875%	12/15/37	300,000	\$ 335,250(a)
Muenchener Rueckversicherungs-Gesellschaft AG (MunichRe), Subordinated Bonds	5.767%	6/12/17	500,000EUR	612,211(c)(d)
QBE Insurance Group Ltd., Senior Notes	6.125%	9/28/15	550,000GBP	958,349(a)
Travelers Cos. Inc., Senior Notes	5.350%	11/1/40	1,150,000	1,350,636(b)
Total Insurance				11,327,919
Total Financials				100,006,978
Health Care 2.8%				
Health Care Equipment & Supplies 0.1%				
Ontex IV, Senior Notes	9.000%	4/15/19	430,000EUR	441,123(a)
Health Care Providers & Services 2.2%				
Crown Newco 3 PLC, Senior Subordinated Notes	8.875%	2/15/19	450,000GBP	642,668(a)
Humana Inc., Senior Notes	7.200%	6/15/18	2,700,000	3,264,497(b)
Tenet Healthcare Corp., Senior Secured Notes	10.000%	5/1/18	1,000,000	1,160,000
UnitedHealth Group Inc., Senior Notes	6.000%	2/15/18	1,350,000	1,648,766(b)
Total Health Care Providers & Services				6,715,931
Pharmaceuticals 0.5%				
ConvaTec Healthcare E SA, Senior Notes	10.875%	12/15/18	1,070,000EUR	1,451,769(a)
Total Health Care				8,608,823
Industrials 6.6%				
Airlines 3.8%				
BAA SH PLC, Senior Secured Notes	7.125%	3/1/17	950,000GBP	1,552,280
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates	9.250%	5/10/17	3,352,902	3,637,898
Continental Airlines Inc., Senior Secured Notes	6.750%	9/15/15	4,430,000	4,557,363(a)
DAE Aviation Holdings Inc., Senior Notes	11.250%	8/1/15	1,500,000	1,556,250(a)
United Airlines, Pass-Through Trust, Senior Secured Notes	10.400%	11/1/16	84,464	96,399(b)
Total Airlines				11,400,190
Building Products 0.2%				
Spie BondCo 3 SCA, Secured Notes	11.000%	8/15/19	454,000EUR	591,946(a)
Commercial Services & Supplies 0.6%				
Republic Services Inc., Senior Notes	5.250%	11/15/21	1,450,000	1,691,263(b)
Construction & Engineering 0.5%				
Odebrecht Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	7.000%	4/21/20	1,450,000	1,624,000(a)
Marine 0.1%				
Horizon Lines LLC, Secured Notes	13.000%	10/15/16	259,000	242,812(e)(f)
Horizon Lines LLC, Senior Secured Notes	11.000%	10/15/16	180,000	175,050(a)
Total Marine				417,862

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Road & Rail 0.9%				
FirstGroup PLC, Senior Bonds	8.125%	9/19/18	1,150,000GBP	\$ 2,197,932
Gategroup Finance Luxembourg SA, Senior Notes	6.750%	3/1/19	150,000EUR	198,059(a)
RailAmerica Inc., Senior Secured Notes	9.250%	7/1/17	155,000	163,137
Total Road & Rail				2,559,128
Transportation 0.5%				
CMA CGM, Senior Notes	8.500%	4/15/17	1,000,000	635,000(a)
CMA CGM, Senior Notes	8.875%	4/15/19	1,100,000EUR	917,324(a)
Total Transportation				1,552,324
Total Industrials				
Information Technology 1.0%				
Communications Equipment 0.7%				
Brocade Communications Systems Inc., Senior Secured Notes	6.625%	1/15/18	2,000,000	2,110,000(b)
Software 0.3%				
Lawson Software Inc., Senior Notes	10.000%	4/1/19	620,000EUR	828,901(a)
Total Information Technology				2,938,901
Materials 8.3%				
Chemicals 1.3%				
Kerling PLC, Senior Secured Notes	10.625%	1/28/17	606,000EUR	784,114(a)
Solutia Inc., Senior Notes	8.750%	11/1/17	1,500,000	1,702,500(b)
Styrolution GmbH, Senior Secured Notes	7.625%	5/15/16	1,100,000EUR	1,325,024(a)
Total Chemicals				3,811,638
Construction Materials 0.3%				
HeidelbergCement AG, Senior Notes	8.500%	10/31/19	610,000EUR	902,495
Containers & Packaging 0.4%				
Reynolds Group Issuer Inc., Senior Notes	9.500%	6/15/17	200,000EUR	242,899(a)
Suzano Trading Ltd., Senior Notes	5.875%	1/23/21	970,000	931,200(a)
Total Containers & Packaging				1,174,099
Metals & Mining 5.2%				
CSN Resources SA, Senior Bonds	6.500%	7/21/20	1,100,000	1,223,750(a)
Evrax Group SA, Notes	8.875%	4/24/13	460,000	484,265(a)
Evrax Group SA, Notes	9.500%	4/24/18	450,000	492,345(a)
Evrax Group SA, Notes	6.750%	4/27/18	930,000	899,217(a)
Gerdau Holdings Inc., Senior Notes	7.000%	1/20/20	1,380,000	1,576,650(a)
Metals USA Inc., Senior Secured Notes	11.125%	12/1/15	1,000,000	1,046,875
New World Resources NV, Senior Bonds	7.375%	5/15/15	530,000EUR	705,069(a)
Southern Copper Corp., Senior Notes	6.750%	4/16/40	1,680,000	1,871,629(b)
Vale Overseas Ltd., Notes	6.250%	1/23/17	670,000	775,185(b)
Vale Overseas Ltd., Notes	8.250%	1/17/34	2,146,000	2,873,483
Vale Overseas Ltd., Notes	6.875%	11/21/36	340,000	406,371(b)

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Metals & Mining continued				
Vedanta Resources PLC, Senior Notes	8.750%	1/15/14	1,570,000	\$ 1,640,650(a)
Vedanta Resources PLC, Senior Notes	9.500%	7/18/18	260,000	269,750(a)
Xstrata Finance Canada Ltd., Senior Notes	5.250%	6/13/17	950,000EUR	1,406,913
Total Metals & Mining				15,672,152
Paper & Forest Products 1.1%				
Celulosa Arauco y Constitucion SA, Senior Notes	7.250%	7/29/19	1,220,000	1,448,252(b)
NewPage Corp., Senior Secured Notes	11.375%	12/31/14	1,500,000	1,027,500(g)
PE Paper Escrow GmbH, Senior Secured Notes	11.750%	8/1/14	640,000EUR	914,942(a)
Total Paper & Forest Products				3,390,694
Total Materials 24,951,078				
Telecommunication Services 10.3%				
Diversified Telecommunication Services 7.7%				
Axtel SAB de CV, Senior Notes	7.625%	2/1/17	260,000	201,500(a)
Axtel SAB de CV, Senior Notes	9.000%	9/22/19	373,000	294,670(a)
British Telecommunications PLC, Senior Bonds	8.500%	12/7/16	1,200,000GBP	2,378,689
CC Holdings GS V LLC, Senior Secured Notes	7.750%	5/1/17	2,000,000	2,190,000(a)(b)
Intelsat Luxembourg SA, Senior Notes	11.250%	2/4/17	1,800,000	1,872,000
Qtel International Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	4.750%	2/16/21	650,000	679,250(a)
Qwest Corp., Senior Notes	6.750%	12/1/21	2,500,000	2,822,582(b)
Sunrise Communications Holdings SA, Senior Secured Notes	8.500%	12/31/18	266,000EUR	373,231(a)
Sunrise Communications International SA, Senior Secured Notes	7.000%	12/31/17	224,000EUR	315,782(a)
Telecom Italia SpA, Senior Notes	5.375%	1/29/19	1,400,000EUR	1,851,900
Telefonica Emisiones SAU, Senior Notes	5.134%	4/27/20	2,000,000	1,856,596
Telefonica Emisiones SAU, Senior Notes	7.045%	6/20/36	2,000,000	1,850,118(b)
UBS Luxembourg SA for OJSC Vimpel Communications, Loan Participation Notes	8.250%	5/23/16	1,150,000	1,251,775(a)
Unitymedia GmbH, Senior Subordinated Notes	9.625%	12/1/19	640,000EUR	910,706(a)
Vimpel Communications, Notes	6.493%	2/2/16	200,000	207,500(a)
Wind Acquisition Finance SA, Senior Secured Notes	7.250%	2/15/18	2,010,000	1,914,525(a)
Wind Acquisition Holdings Finance SpA, Senior Notes	12.250%	7/15/17	1,920,964EUR	2,244,004(a)(e)
Total Diversified Telecommunication Services				23,214,828
Wireless Telecommunication Services 2.6%				
America Movil SAB de CV, Senior Notes	5.625%	11/15/17	2,050,000	2,426,109(b)
America Movil SAB de CV, Senior Notes	6.125%	3/30/40	650,000	787,118(b)
MetroPCS Wireless Inc., Senior Notes	6.625%	11/15/20	1,500,000	1,447,500
Phones4u Finance PLC, Senior Secured Notes	9.500%	4/1/18	500,000GBP	736,391(a)

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Wireless Telecommunication Services				
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Sprint Capital Corp., Senior Notes	6.875%	11/15/28	750,000	\$ 564,375(b)
Sprint Capital Corp., Senior Notes	8.750%	3/15/32	2,000,000	1,705,000(b)
Total Wireless Telecommunication Services				7,666,493
Total Telecommunication Services				30,881,321
Utilities 6.3%				
Electric Utilities 2.3%				
AES Ironwood LLC, Secured Notes	8.857%	11/30/25	124,542	139,954
Centrais Eletricas Brasileiras SA, Senior Notes	6.875%	7/30/19	1,680,000	1,986,600(a)
ENW Capital Finance PLC, Notes	6.750%	6/20/15	600,000GBP	1,075,720
Scottish & Southern Energy PLC, Senior Notes	5.750%	2/5/14	1,200,000GBP	2,080,243
Texas Competitive Electric Holdings Co. LLC/ TCEH Finance Inc., Senior Secured Notes	11.500%	10/1/20	2,500,000	1,562,500(a)
Total Electric Utilities				6,845,017
Gas Utilities 0.4%				
Wales & West Utilities Finance PLC, Senior Secured Bonds	5.125%	12/2/16	650,000GBP	1,160,933
Independent Power Producers & Energy Traders 1.7%				
Calpine Corp., Senior Secured Notes	7.500%	2/15/21	1,000,000	1,075,000(a)
Colbun SA, Senior Notes	6.000%	1/21/20	1,370,000	1,473,960(a)
Energy Future Intermediate Holding Co. LLC/ EFIH Finance Inc., Senior Secured Notes	10.000%	12/1/20	512,000	567,680(b)
Mirant Mid Atlantic LLC, Pass-Through Certificates	10.060%	12/30/28	1,948,589	1,987,560
Total Independent Power Producers & Energy Traders				5,104,200
Multi-Utilities 1.9%				
Centrica PLC, Senior Notes	6.375%	3/10/22	1,200,000GBP	2,337,634
Empresas Publicas de Medellin ESP, Senior Notes	7.625%	7/29/19	1,210,000	1,461,075(a)
Veolia Environnement, Senior Notes	6.750%	4/24/19	1,200,000EUR	1,943,544
Total Multi-Utilities				5,742,253
Total Utilities				18,852,403
Total Corporate Bonds & Notes (Cost				
\$301,757,849)				309,281,602
Asset-Backed Securities 3.1%				
Argent Securities Inc., 2004-W10 A2	0.629%	10/25/34	816,891	722,626(c)
Asset Backed Funding Certificates, 2003-WMC1 M1	1.214%	6/25/33	2,122,474	1,750,063(c)
Countrywide Home Equity Loan Trust, 2006-HW 2A1B	0.390%	11/15/36	812,447	597,788(c)

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Home Equity Asset Trust, 2004-8 M1	1.109%	3/25/35	641,516	546,747(c)
National Collegiate Student Loan Trust, IO, 2004-2 AIO	9.750%	10/27/14	2,377,500	145,622(f)

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Asset-Backed Securities continued				
National Collegiate Student Loan Trust, IO, 2007-2 AIO	6.700%	7/25/12	5,129,813	\$ 166,719(f)
Park Place Securities Inc., 2004-WCW1 M2 Residential Asset Mortgage Products Inc., 2003-RZ5 A7	0.919%	9/25/34	1,900,000	1,725,515(c)
Residential Asset Securities Corp., 2003-KS10 AI6	4.970%	9/25/33	1,925,054	1,964,701
Soundview Home Equity Loan Trust, 2005-3 M2	4.540%	12/25/33	379,502	385,835(c)
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 2002-HF1 A	1.019%	6/25/35	321,776	305,297(c)
	0.819%	1/25/33	1,344,708	1,129,280(c)
Total Asset-Backed Securities (Cost \$9,143,179)				9,440,193
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations 2.4%				
ARM Trust, 2004-5 4A1	5.180%	4/25/35	938,862	909,883(c)
Bayview Commercial Asset Trust, IO, 2005-2A	2.870%	8/25/35	22,783,219	96,869(a)
Bear Stearns ARM Trust, 2005-12 24A1	5.487%	2/25/36	97,509	69,125(c)
Credit Suisse Mortgage Capital Certificates, 2009-3R 25A1	2.849%	7/27/36	497,109	493,324(a)(c)
GSMPS Mortgage Loan Trust, 2006-RP1 1A2	7.500%	1/25/36	339,446	341,146(a)
Harborview Mortgage Loan Trust, 2004-10 4A	2.809%	1/19/35	426,296	415,207(c)
JPMorgan Mortgage Trust, 2005-A5 1A2	4.935%	8/25/35	1,900,000	1,645,332(c)
Residential Asset Mortgage Products Inc., 2003-SL1 M1	7.337%	4/25/31	2,025,406	1,577,428(c)
Sequoia Mortgage Trust, 2003-3 A1	0.900%	7/20/33	807,397	779,018(c)
Washington Mutual Inc. Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2007-0A5 1A	0.909%	6/25/47	1,027,782	687,721(c)
Washington Mutual Inc. Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2007-HY4 4A1	2.395%	9/25/36	112,409	81,560(c)
Total Collateralized Mortgage Obligations (Cost \$6,912,746)				7,096,613
Convertible Bonds & Notes 0.1%				
Industrials 0.1%				
Marine 0.1%				
Horizon Lines Inc., Senior Secured Notes	6.000%	4/15/17	303,272	227,454(e)(f)
Horizon Lines Inc., Senior Secured Notes	6.000%	4/15/17	84,242	25,273(e)(f)
Total Convertible Bonds & Notes (Cost \$436,277)				252,727
Sovereign Bonds 7.9%				
Brazil 1.4%				
Brazil Nota do Tesouro Nacional, Notes	10.000%	1/1/14	556,000BRL	296,833
Brazil Nota do Tesouro Nacional, Notes	10.000%	1/1/17	7,779,000BRL	4,074,553
Total Brazil				4,371,386
Chile 0.5%				
Banco del Estado de Chile, Senior Notes	4.125%	10/7/20	1,540,000	1,595,825(a)

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India 0.6%				
ICICI Bank Ltd., Junior Subordinated Bonds	6.375%	4/30/22	1,900,000	\$ 1,771,750 ^{(a)(c)}
Malaysia 0.2%				
Government of Malaysia, Senior Bonds	3.835%	8/12/15	2,270,000MYR	764,718
Peru 0.2%				
Republic of Peru, Bonds	7.840%	8/12/20	1,209,000PEN	541,559
Russia 1.1%				
RSHB Capital, Loan Participation Notes, Senior Secured Bonds	6.299%	5/15/17	3,070,000	3,269,550 ^(a)
United Arab Emirates 0.7%				
MDC-GMTN B.V., Senior Notes	5.750%	5/6/14	430,000	462,435 ^(a)
MDC-GMTN B.V., Senior Notes	7.625%	5/6/19	1,250,000	1,538,083 ^(a)
Total United Arab Emirates				2,000,518
United Kingdom 0.7%				
United Kingdom Treasury Gilt, Bonds	4.500%	3/7/19	1,019,000GBP	1,978,654
Venezuela 2.5%				
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela	5.750%	2/26/16	5,293,000	4,816,630 ^(a)
Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Senior Bonds	9.250%	9/15/27	3,000,000	2,670,000
Total Venezuela				7,486,630
Total Sovereign Bonds (Cost \$21,670,711)				23,780,590
			Shares	
Common Stocks 0.0%				
Industrials 0.0%				
Marine 0.0%				
Horizon Lines Inc., Class A Shares (Cost \$83,790)			7,978	21,221*
Convertible Preferred Stocks 0.6%				
Financials 0.6%				
Diversified Financial Services 0.6%				
Citigroup Inc. (Cost \$2,073,750)	7.500%		17,500	1,705,725
Preferred Stocks 0.0%				
Financials 0.0%				
Diversified Financial Services 0.0%				
Citigroup Capital XIII (Cost \$80,711)	7.875%		3,050	81,221 ^(c)
Total Investments Before Short-Term Investments (Cost \$342,159,013)				351,659,892

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc.

Security	Rate	Maturity Date	Face Amount	Value
Short-Term Investments 4.0%				
Repurchase Agreements 4.0%				
Deutsche Bank Securities Inc. repurchase agreement dated 4/30/12; Proceeds at maturity \$12,000,063; (Fully collateralized by U.S. government agency obligations, 1.120% due 12/15/14; Market value \$12,240,005) (Cost \$12,000,000)	0.190%	5/1/12	12,000,000	\$ 12,000,000
Total Investments 121.0% (Cost \$354,159,013#)				363,659,892
Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets (21.0)%				(63,099,666)
Total Net Assets 100.0%				\$300,560,226

Face amount denominated in U.S. dollars, unless otherwise noted.

* Non-income producing security.

- (a) Security is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. This security may be resold in transactions that are exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. This security has been deemed liquid pursuant to guidelines approved by the Board of Directors, unless otherwise noted.
- (b) All or a portion of this security is held by the counterparty as collateral for open reverse repurchase agreements.
- (c) Variable rate security. Interest rate disclosed is as of the most recent information available.
- (d) Security has no maturity date. The date shown represents the next call date.
- (e) Payment-in-kind security for which part of the income earned may be paid as additional principal.
- (f) Security is valued in good faith in accordance with procedures approved by the Board of Directors (See Note 1).
- (g) The coupon payment on these securities is currently in default as of April 30, 2012.
- # Aggregate cost for federal income tax purposes is substantially the same.

Abbreviations used in this schedule:

ARM	Adjustable Rate Mortgage
BRL	Brazilian Real
CAD	Canadian Dollar
EUR	Euro
GBP	British Pound
IO	Interest Only
MYR	Malaysian Ringgit
OJSC	Open Joint Stock Company
PEN	Peruvian Nuevo Sol

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Schedule of investments (unaudited) (cont d)

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Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc.**Summary of Investments by Country**

United States	38.8%
United Kingdom	12.5
Brazil	5.1
Russia	4.0
Netherlands	3.6
France	3.1
Australia	2.5
Mexico	2.4
Luxembourg	2.3
Venezuela	2.1
Spain	2.1
Switzerland	1.7
Italy	1.5
Chile	1.2
Qatar	1.2
Germany	1.1
United Arab Emirates	1.1
Belgium	1.1
Jersey	1.1
India	1.0
Malaysia	1.0
Canada	1.0
Colombia	1.0
Trinidad and Tobago	0.9
Cayman Islands	0.6
South Africa	0.5
Kazakhstan	0.5
Ireland	0.5
Bermuda	0.3
Panama	0.3
Austria	0.3
Sweden	0.2
Peru	0.1
Short-Term Investments	3.3
	100.0%

As a percentage of total investments. Please note that Fund holdings are as of April 30, 2012 and are subject to change.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Statement of assets and liabilities (unaudited)

April 30, 2012

Assets:

Investments, at value (Cost \$354,159,013)	\$363,659,892
Foreign currency, at value (Cost \$1,017,871)	1,027,474
Cash	86,233
Interest receivable	7,692,361
Unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency contracts	166,857
Deposits with brokers for open futures contracts	85,000
Receivable for securities sold	48,583
Principal paydown receivable	981
Prepaid expenses	22,058
Other assets	54,700
Total Assets	372,844,139

Liabilities:

Payable for open reverse repurchase agreements (Note 3)	70,000,000
Unrealized depreciation on forward foreign currency contracts	1,838,409
Investment management fee payable	242,054
Interest payable (Note 3)	61,997
Payable for securities purchased	48,583
Payable to broker variation margin on open futures contracts	2,719
Directors fees payable	551
Accrued expenses	89,600
Total Liabilities	72,283,913
Total Net Assets	\$300,560,226

Net Assets:

Par value (\$0.001 par value, 15,257,628 shares issued and outstanding; 100,000,000 shares authorized)	\$ 15,258
Paid-in capital in excess of par value	290,646,077
Overdistributed net investment income	(2,008,187)
Accumulated net realized gain on investments, futures contracts and foreign currency transactions	4,080,160
Net unrealized appreciation on investments, futures contracts and foreign currencies	7,826,918
Total Net Assets	\$300,560,226

Shares Outstanding	15,257,628
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Net Asset Value	\$19.70
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Statement of operations (unaudited)

For the Six Months Ended April 30, 2012

Investment Income:

Interest	\$ 12,375,499
Dividends	68,627
Total Investment Income	12,444,126

Expenses:

Investment management fee (Note 2)	1,461,493
Interest expense (Note 3)	377,995
Audit and tax	28,231
Directors' fees	26,107
Legal fees	25,034
Transfer agent fees	24,503
Shareholder reports	18,730
Custody fees	15,968
Fund accounting fees	13,885
Stock exchange listing fees	7,891
Insurance	3,782
Miscellaneous expenses	3,858
Total Expenses	2,007,477
Net Investment Income	10,436,649

Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments, Futures Contracts and Foreign Currency Transactions (Notes 1, 3 and 4):

Net Realized Gain (Loss) From:	
Investment transactions	(535,842)
Futures contracts	(106,458)
Foreign currency transactions	6,796,118
Net Realized Gain	6,153,818
Change in Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation) From:	
Investments	6,967,531
Futures contracts	12,703
Foreign currencies	(3,550,173)
Change in Net Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)	3,430,061
Net Gain on Investments, Futures Contracts and Foreign Currency Transactions	9,583,879
Increase in Net Assets from Operations	\$ 20,020,528

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Statements of changes in net assets**For the Six Months Ended April 30, 2012 (unaudited)
and the Year Ended October 31, 2011**

	2012	2011
Operations:		
Net investment income	\$ 10,436,649	\$ 21,144,970
Net realized gain (loss)	6,153,818	(4,406,070)
Change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	3,430,061	(12,227,630)
<i>Increase in Net Assets From Operations</i>	<i>20,020,528</i>	<i>4,511,270</i>
Distributions to Shareholders From (Note 1):		
Net investment income	(11,295,052)	(22,494,570)
Net realized gains	(356,163)	(1,173,511)
<i>Decrease in Net Assets From Distributions to Shareholders</i>	<i>(11,651,215)</i>	<i>(23,668,081)</i>
Fund Share Transactions:		
Reinvestment of distributions (36,997 and 0 shares reinvested, respectively)	696,120	
<i>Increase in Net Assets From Fund Share Transactions</i>	<i>696,120</i>	
<i>Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets</i>	<i>9,065,433</i>	<i>(19,156,811)</i>
Net Assets:		
Beginning of period	291,494,793	310,651,604
End of period*	\$300,560,226	\$291,494,793
* Includes overdistributed net investment income of:	\$(2,008,187)	\$(1,149,784)

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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Statement of cash flows (unaudited)

For the Six Months Ended April 30, 2012

Increase (Decrease) in Cash:**Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities:**

Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 20,020,528
Adjustments to reconcile net increase in net assets resulting from operations to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	
Purchases of portfolio securities	(17,228,345)
Proceeds from sales of portfolio securities	27,236,092
Net purchases, sales and maturities of short-term investments	(4,601,000)
Net amortization of premium (accretion of discount)	862,264
Increase in receivable for securities sold	(48,583)
Increase in interest receivable	(41,733)
Increase in receivable from principal paydown	(981)
Increase in prepaid expenses	(9,576)
Increase in cash collateral with brokers	(85,000)
Increase in payable for securities purchased	48,583
Decrease in investment management fee payable	(2,922)
Increase in Directors' fee payable	551
Decrease in interest payable	(12,957)
Decrease in accrued expenses	(18,411)
Change in payable to broker - variation margin on open futures contracts	(28,750)
Net realized loss on investments	535,842
Change in unrealized depreciation of investments and forward foreign currency contracts	(3,376,983)
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities*	23,248,619

Cash Flows from Financing Activities

Distribution paid on common stock	(12,895,725)
Net proceeds from reverse repurchase agreements	(10,030,489)
Net Cash Used in Financing Activities	(22,926,214)
Net Increase in Cash	322,405
Cash at Beginning of Period	791,302
Cash at End of Period	\$ 1,113,707

Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:

Proceeds from reinvestment of distributions	\$ 696,120
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* Included in operating expenses is cash of \$390,952 paid for interest on borrowings.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Financial highlights

For a share of capital stock outstanding throughout each year ended October 31, unless otherwise noted:

	2012 ^{1,2}	2011 ²	2010 ^{2,3}
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$19.15	\$20.41	\$19.06 ⁴
Income (loss) from operations:			
Net investment income	0.69	1.39	1.21
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	0.62	(1.09)	1.44
Total income from operations	1.31	0.30	2.65
Less distributions from:			
Net investment income	(0.74)	(1.48)	(1.30)
Net realized gains	(0.02)	(0.08)	
Total distributions	(0.76)	(1.56)	(1.30)
Net asset value, end of period	\$19.70	\$19.15	\$20.41
Market price, end of period	\$19.28	\$18.05	\$19.08
Total return, based on NAV^{5,6}	7.14%	2.13%	14.87%
Total return, based on Market Price⁷	11.31%	2.97%	2.33%
Net assets, end of period (000s)	\$300,560	\$291,495	\$310,652
Ratios to average net assets:			
Gross expenses	1.39% ⁸	1.40%	1.35% ⁸
Net expenses ⁹	1.398	1.40	1.348,10
Net investment income	7.218	7.05	6.768
Portfolio turnover rate	5%	16%	18%
Supplemental data:			
Loans Outstanding, End of Period (000s)			\$50,000
Asset Coverage for Loan Outstanding			721%
Weighted Average Loan (000s)		\$21,644	\$48,044
Weighted Average Interest Rate on Loans		1.16%	1.18%

1 For the six months ended April 30, 2012 (unaudited).

2 Per share amounts have been calculated using the average shares method.

3 For the period November 24, 2009 (commencement of operations) through October 31, 2010.

4 Initial public offering price of \$20.00 per share less offering costs and sales load totaling \$0.94 per share.

5 Performance figures may reflect compensating balance arrangements, fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements. In the absence of compensating balance arrangements, fee waivers and/or expense reimbursements, the total return would have been lower. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Total returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized.

6 The total return calculation assumes that distributions are invested at NAV. Prior to January 1, 2012, the total return calculation assumed the reinvestment of all distributions in accordance with the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

- 7 The total return calculation assumes that distributions are reinvested in accordance with the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Total returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized.
- 8 Annualized.
- 9 The impact of compensating balance arrangements, if any, was less than 0.01%.
- 10 The investment manager has agreed to reimburse all organization expenses.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

Notes to financial statements (unaudited)**1. Organization and significant accounting policies**

Western Asset Global Corporate Defined Opportunity Fund Inc. (the Fund) was incorporated in Maryland on September 17, 2009 and is registered as a non-diversified, limited-term, closed-end management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act). The Fund's primary investment objective is to provide current income and then to liquidate and distribute substantially all of the Fund's net assets to stockholders on or about December 2, 2024. As a secondary investment objective, the Fund will seek capital appreciation. The Fund seeks to achieve its investment objectives by investing 80% of its managed assets in a portfolio of U.S. and foreign corporate fixed-income securities of varying maturities.

The following are significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Funds and are in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Estimates and assumptions are required to be made regarding assets, liabilities and changes in net assets resulting from operations when financial statements are prepared. Changes in the economic environment, financial markets and any other parameters used in determining these estimates could cause actual results to differ. Subsequent events have been evaluated through the date the financial statements were issued.

(a) Investment valuation. The valuations for fixed income securities (which may include, but are not limited to, corporate, government, municipal, mortgage-backed, collateralized mortgage obligations and asset-backed securities) and certain derivative instruments are typically the prices supplied by independent third party pricing services, which may use market prices or broker/dealer quotations or a variety of valuation techniques and methodologies. The independent third party pricing services' internal models use inputs that are observable such as issuer details, interest rates, yield curves, prepayment speeds, credit risks/spreads, default rates and quoted prices for similar securities. Short-term fixed income securities that will mature in 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, unless it is determined that using this method would not reflect an investment's fair value. Futures contracts are valued daily at the settlement price established by the board of trade or exchange on which they are traded. Equity securities for which market quotations are available are valued at the last reported sales price or official closing price on the primary market or exchange on which they trade. When the Fund holds securities or other assets that are denominated in a foreign currency, the Fund will normally use the currency exchange rates as of 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). If independent third party pricing services are unable to supply prices for a portfolio investment, or if the prices supplied are deemed by the manager to be unreliable, the market price may be determined by the manager using quotations from one or more broker/dealers or at the transaction price if the security has recently been purchased and no value has yet been obtained from a pricing service or pricing broker. When reliable prices are not readily available, such as when the value of a security

has been significantly affected by events after the close of the exchange or market on which the security is principally traded, but before the Fund calculates its net asset value, the Fund values these securities as determined in accordance with procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors is responsible for the valuation process and has delegated the supervision of the daily valuation process to the Legg Mason North American Fund Valuation Committee (the Valuation Committee). The Valuation Committee, pursuant to the policies adopted by the Board of Directors, is responsible for making fair value determinations, evaluating the effectiveness of the Fund's pricing policies, and reporting to the Board of Directors. When determining the reliability of third party pricing information for investments owned by the Fund, the Valuation Committee, among other things, conducts due diligence reviews of pricing vendors, monitors the daily change in prices and reviews transactions among market participants.

The Valuation Committee will consider pricing methodologies it deems relevant and appropriate when making fair value determinations. Examples of possible methodologies include, but are not limited to, multiple of earnings; discount from market of a similar freely traded security; discounted cash-flow analysis; book value or a multiple thereof; risk premium/yield analysis; yield to maturity; and/or fundamental investment analysis. The Valuation Committee will also consider factors it deems relevant and appropriate in light of the facts and circumstances. Examples of possible factors include, but are not limited to, the type of security; the issuer's financial statements; the purchase price of the security; the discount from market value of unrestricted securities of the same class at the time of purchase; analysts' research and observations from financial institutions; information regarding any transactions or offers with respect to the security; the existence of merger proposals or tender offers affecting the security; the price and extent of public trading in similar securities of the issuer or comparable companies; and the existence of a shelf registration for restricted securities.

For each portfolio security that has been fair valued pursuant to the policies adopted by the Board of Directors, the fair value price is compared against the last available and next available market quotations. The Valuation Committee reviews the results of such back testing monthly and fair valuation occurrences are reported to the Board of Directors quarterly.

The Fund uses valuation techniques to measure fair value that are consistent with the market approach and/or income approach, depending on the type of security and the particular circumstance. The market approach uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable securities. The income approach uses valuation techniques to discount estimated future cash flows to present value.

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GAAP establishes a disclosure hierarchy that categorizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to value assets and liabilities at measurement date. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical investments
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

The inputs or methodologies used to value securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following is a summary of the inputs used in valuing the Fund's assets and liabilities carried at fair value:

ASSETS				
Description	Quoted Prices (Level 1)	Other Significant Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)	Total
Long-term investments :				
Corporate bonds & notes		\$309,281,602		\$309,281,602
Asset-backed securities		9,273,474	\$166,719	9,440,193
Collateralized mortgage obligations		7,096,613		7,096,613
Convertible bonds & notes		252,727		252,727
Sovereign bonds		23,780,590		23,780,590
Common stocks	\$ 21,221			21,221
Convertible preferred stocks	1,705,725			1,705,725
Preferred stocks	81,221			81,221
Total long-term investments	\$1,808,167	\$349,685,006	\$166,719	\$351,659,892
Short-term investments		12,000,000		12,000,000
Total investments	\$1,808,167	\$361,685,006	\$166,719	\$363,659,892
Other financial instruments:				

Forward foreign currency contracts		\$ 166,857		\$ 166,857
Total	\$1,808,167	\$361,851,863	\$166,719	\$363,826,749

LIABILITIES

Description	Quoted Prices (Level 1)	Other Significant Observable Inputs (Level 2)	Significant Unobservable Inputs (Level 3)	Total
Other financial instruments:				
Futures contracts	\$18,726			\$ 18,726
Forward foreign currency contracts		\$1,838,409		1,838,409
Total	\$18,726	\$1,838,409		\$1,857,135

See Schedule of Investments for additional detailed categorizations.

The following is a reconciliation of investments in which significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) were used in determining fair value:

	Corporate Bonds & Notes	Asset- Backed Securities	Total
Investments In Securities			
Balance as of October 31, 2011	\$ 229,800		\$ 229,800
Accrued premiums/discounts			
Realized gain (loss)			
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) ¹	10,200		10,200
Purchases			
Sales	(240,000)		(240,000)
Transfers into Level 3 ²		\$166,719	166,719
Transfers out of Level 3			
Balance as of April 30, 2012		\$166,719	\$ 166,719
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for investments in securities still held at April 30, 2012			

The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers between levels as of the end of the reporting period.

¹ This amount is included in the change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in the accompanying Statement of Operations. Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) includes net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) resulting from changes in investment values during the reporting period and the reversal of previously recorded unrealized appreciation (depreciation) when gains or losses are realized.

² Transferred into Level 3 as a result of the unavailability of a quoted price in an active market for an identical investment or the unavailability of other significant observable inputs.

(b) Repurchase agreements. The Fund may enter into repurchase agreements with institutions that its investment adviser has determined are creditworthy. Each repurchase agreement is recorded at cost. Under the terms of a typical repurchase agreement, the Fund acquires a debt security subject to an obligation of the seller to repurchase, and of the Fund to resell, the security at an agreed-upon price and time, thereby determining the yield during the Fund's holding period. When entering into repurchase agreements, it is the Fund's policy that its custodian or a third party custodian, acting on the Fund's behalf, take possession of the underlying collateral securities, the market value of which, at all times, at least equals the principal amount of the repurchase transaction, including accrued interest. To the extent that any repurchase transaction maturity exceeds one business day, the value of the collateral is marked-to-market and measured against the value of the agreement in an effort to ensure the adequacy of the collateral. If the counterparty defaults, the Fund generally has the right to use the collateral to satisfy the terms of the repurchase transaction. However, if the market value of the collateral declines during the period in which the Fund seeks to assert its rights or if bankruptcy proceedings are commenced with respect to the seller of the security, realization of the collateral by the Fund may be delayed or limited.

(c) Reverse repurchase agreements. The Fund may enter into reverse repurchase agreements. Under the terms of a typical reverse repurchase agreement, a fund sells a security subject to an obligation to repurchase the

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security from the buyer at an agreed-upon time and price. In the event the buyer of securities under a reverse repurchase agreement files for bankruptcy or becomes insolvent, the Fund's use of the proceeds of the agreement may be restricted pending a determination by the counterparty, or its trustee or receiver, whether to enforce the Fund's obligation to repurchase the securities. In entering into reverse repurchase agreements, the Fund will maintain cash, U.S. government securities or other liquid debt obligations at least equal in value to its obligations with respect to reverse repurchase agreements or will take other actions permitted by law to cover its obligations.

(d) Futures contracts. The Fund uses futures contracts generally to gain exposure to, or hedge against, changes in interest rates or gain exposure to, or hedge against, changes in certain asset classes. A futures contract represents a commitment for the future purchase or sale of an asset at a specified price on a specified date.

Upon entering into a futures contract, the Fund is required to deposit cash or cash equivalents with a broker in an amount equal to a certain percentage of the contract amount. This is known as the initial margin and subsequent payments (variation margin) are made or received by the Fund each day, depending on the daily fluctuation in the value of the contract. For certain futures, including foreign denominated futures, variation margin is not settled daily, but is recorded as a net variation margin payable or receivable. Futures contracts are valued daily at the settlement price established by the board of trade or exchange on which they are traded. The daily changes in contract value are recorded as unrealized gains or losses in the Statement of Operations and the Fund recognizes a realized gain or loss when the contract is closed.

Futures contracts involve, to varying degrees, risk of loss in excess of the amounts reflected in the financial statements. In addition, there is the risk that the Fund may not be able to enter into a closing transaction because of an illiquid secondary market.

(e) Forward foreign currency contracts. The Fund enters into a forward foreign currency contract to hedge against foreign currency exchange rate risk on its non-U.S. dollar denominated securities or to facilitate settlement of a foreign currency denominated portfolio transaction. A forward foreign currency contract is an agreement between two parties to buy and sell a currency at a set price with delivery and settlement at a future date. The contract is marked-to-market daily and the change in value is recorded by the Fund as an unrealized gain or loss. When a forward foreign currency contract is closed, through either delivery or offset by entering into another forward foreign currency contract, the Fund recognizes a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the value of the contract at the time it was opened and the value of the contract at the time it is closed.

Forward foreign currency contracts involve elements of market risk in excess of the amounts reflected on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities. The Fund bears the risk of an unfavorable change in the foreign exchange rate underlying the forward foreign currency contract. Risks may also arise upon entering into these contracts from the potential inability of the counterparties to meet the terms of their contracts.

(f) Foreign currency translation. Investment securities and other assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollar amounts based upon prevailing exchange rates on the date of valuation. Purchases and sales of investment securities and income and expense items denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. dollar amounts based upon prevailing exchange rates on the respective dates of such transactions.

The Fund does not isolate that portion of the results of operations resulting from fluctuations in foreign exchange rates on investments from the fluctuations arising from changes in market prices of securities held. Such fluctuations are included with the net realized and unrealized gain or loss on investments.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales of foreign currencies, including gains and losses on forward foreign currency contracts, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, and the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund's books and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the values of assets and liabilities, other than investments in securities, on the date of valuation, resulting from changes in exchange rates.

Foreign security and currency transactions may involve certain considerations and risks not typically associated with those of U.S. dollar denominated transactions as a result of, among other factors, the possibility of lower levels of governmental supervision and regulation of foreign securities markets and the possibility of political or economic instability.

(g) Stripped securities. The Fund may invest in Stripped Securities, a term used collectively for components, or strips, of fixed income securities. Stripped securities can be principal only securities (PO), which are debt obligations that have been stripped of unmatured interest coupons or, interest only securities (IO), which are unmatured interest coupons that have been stripped from debt obligations. The market value of Stripped Securities will fluctuate in response to changes in economic conditions, rates of pre-payment, interest rates and the market's perception of the securities. However, fluctuations in response to interest rates may be greater in Stripped Securities than for debt obligations of comparable maturities that pay interest currently. The amount of fluctuation may increase with a longer period of maturity.

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The yield to maturity on IOs is sensitive to the rate of principal repayments (including prepayments) on the related underlying debt obligation and principal payments may have a material effect on yield to maturity. If the underlying debt obligation experiences greater than anticipated prepayments of principal, the Fund may not fully recoup its initial investment in IOs.

(h) Loan participations. The Fund may invest in loans arranged through private negotiation between one or more financial institutions. The Fund's investment in any such loan may be in the form of a participation in or an assignment of the loan. In connection with purchasing participations, the Fund generally will have no right to enforce compliance by the borrower with the terms of the loan agreement related to the loan, or any rights of off-set against the borrower and the Fund may not benefit directly from any collateral supporting the loan in which it has purchased the participation.

The Fund assumes the credit risk of the borrower, the lender that is selling the participation and any other persons interpositioned between the Fund and the borrower. In the event of the insolvency of the lender selling the participation, the Fund may be treated as a general creditor of the lender and may not benefit from any off-set between the lender and the borrower.

(i) Cash flow information. The Fund invests in securities and distributes dividends from net investment income and net realized gains, which are paid in cash and may be reinvested at the discretion of shareholders. These activities are reported in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets and additional information on cash receipts and cash payments are presented in the Statement of Cash Flows.

(j) Foreign investment risks. The Fund's investments in foreign securities may involve risks not present in domestic investments. Since securities may be denominated in foreign currencies, may require settlement in foreign currencies or pay interest or dividends in foreign currencies, changes in the relationship of these foreign currencies to the U.S. dollar can significantly affect the value of the investments and earnings of the Fund. Foreign investments may also subject the Fund to foreign government exchange restrictions, expropriation, taxation or other political, social or economic developments, all of which affect the market and/or credit risk of the investments.

(k) Credit and market risk. The Fund invests in high-yield and emerging market instruments that are subject to certain credit and market risks. The yields of high-yield and emerging market debt obligations reflect, among other things, perceived credit and market risks. The Fund's investment in securities rated below investment grade typically involve risks not associated with higher rated securities including, among others, greater risk related to timely and ultimate payment of interest and principal, greater market price volatility and less liquid secondary market trading. The consequences of political, social, economic or diplomatic changes may have disruptive effects on the market prices of investments held by the Fund. The Fund's investment in

non-U.S. dollar denominated securities may also result in foreign currency losses caused by devaluations and exchange rate fluctuations.

(l) Counterparty risk and credit-risk-related contingent features of derivative instruments. The Fund may invest in certain securities or engage in other transactions, where the Fund is exposed to counterparty credit risk in addition to broader market risks. The Fund may invest in securities of issuers, which may also be considered counterparties as trading partners in other transactions. This may increase the risk of loss in the event of default or bankruptcy by the counterparty or if the counterparty otherwise fails to meet its contractual obligations. The Fund's investment manager attempts to mitigate counterparty risk by (i) periodically assessing the creditworthiness of its trading partners, (ii) monitoring and/or limiting the amount of its net exposure to each individual counterparty based on its assessment and (iii) requiring collateral from the counterparty for certain transactions. Market events and changes in overall economic conditions may impact the assessment of such counterparty risk by the investment manager. In addition, declines in the values of underlying collateral received may expose the Fund to increased risk of loss.

The Fund has entered into master agreements with certain of its derivative counterparties that provide for general obligations, representations, agreements, collateral, events of default or termination and credit related contingent features. The credit related contingent features include, but are not limited to, a percentage decrease in the Fund's net assets or NAV over a specified period of time. If these credit related contingent features were triggered, the derivatives counterparty could terminate the positions and demand payment or require additional collateral.

As of April 30, 2012, the Fund held forward foreign currency contracts with credit related contingent features which had a liability position of \$1,838,409. If a contingent feature in the master agreements would have been triggered, the Fund would have been required to pay this amount to its derivatives counterparties.

(m) Security transactions and investment income. Security transactions are accounted for on a trade date basis. Interest income, adjusted for amortization of premium and accretion of discount, is recorded on the accrual basis. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Foreign dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date or as soon as practicable after the Fund determines the existence of a dividend declaration after exercising reasonable due diligence. The cost of investments sold is determined by use of the specific identification method. To the extent any issuer defaults or a credit event occurs that impacts the issuer, the Fund may halt any additional interest income accruals and consider the realizability of interest accrued up to the date of default or credit event.

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(n) Distributions to shareholders. Distributions from net investment income of the Fund, if any, are declared quarterly and paid on a monthly basis. Distributions of net realized gains, if any, are declared at least annually. Distributions to shareholders of the Fund are recorded on the ex-dividend date and are determined in accordance with income tax regulations, which may differ from GAAP.

(o) Compensating balance arrangements. The Fund has an arrangement with its custodian bank whereby a portion of the custodian's fees is paid indirectly by credits earned on the Fund's cash on deposit with the bank.

(p) Federal and other taxes. It is the Fund's policy to comply with the federal income and excise tax requirements of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the Code), as amended, applicable to regulated investment companies. Accordingly, the Fund intends to distribute its taxable income and net realized gains, if any, to shareholders in accordance with timing requirements imposed by the Code. Therefore, no federal or state income tax provision is required in the Fund's financial statements.

However, due to the timing of when distributions are made by the Fund, the Fund may be subject to an excise tax of 4% of the amount by which 98% of the Fund's annual taxable income and net realized gains exceed the distributions from such taxable income and realized gains for the calendar year. The Fund paid \$30,911 of Federal excise tax attributable to calendar year 2011. Under the recently enacted Regulated Investment Company Modernization Act of 2010, the minimum distribution requirement for capital gains that must be met in order to avoid the imposition of excise tax has been raised from 98% to 98.2% for calendar years beginning after December 22, 2010.

Under the applicable foreign tax laws, a withholding tax may be imposed on interest, dividends and capital gains at various rates.

(q) Reclassification. GAAP requires that certain components of net assets be reclassified to reflect permanent differences between financial and tax reporting. These reclassifications have no effect on net assets or net asset value per share.

2. Investment management agreement and other transactions with affiliates

Legg Mason Partners Fund Advisor, LLC (LMPFA) is the Fund's investment manager. Western Asset Management Company (Western Asset), Western Asset Management Company Pte. Ltd. (Western Singapore), Western Asset Management Company Ltd. (Western Japan) and Western Asset Management Company Limited (Western Asset Limited) are the Fund's subadvisers. LMPFA, Western Asset, Western Singapore, Western Japan and Western Asset Limited are wholly-owned subsidiaries of Legg Mason, Inc. (Legg Mason).

LMPFA provides administrative and certain oversight services to the Fund. The Fund pays an investment management fee, calculated daily and paid monthly, at an annual rate of 0.80% of the Fund's average daily net assets plus the proceeds of any outstanding borrowings used for leverage.

LMPFA delegates to Western Asset the day-to-day portfolio management of the Fund. Western Singapore, Western Japan and Western Asset Limited provide certain advisory services to the Fund relating to currency transactions and investment in non-U.S. dollar denominated debt securities. For its services, LMPFA pays Western Asset 70% of the net management fee it receives from the Fund. In turn, Western Asset pays Western Singapore, Western Japan and Western Asset Limited a fee for its services at no additional expense to the Fund. Each of Western Singapore, Western Japan and Western Asset Limited receives a fee from Western Asset, payable monthly, in an amount equal to an annual rate of 0.56% of the Fund's daily managed assets related to the Fund's assets that Western Asset allocates to Western Singapore, Western Japan and Western Asset Limited, respectively, to manage.

All officers and one Director of the Fund are employees of Legg Mason or its affiliates and do not receive compensation from the Fund.

3. Investments

During the six months ended April 30, 2012, the aggregate cost of purchases and proceeds from sales of investments (excluding short-term investments) were as follows:

Purchases	\$17,228,345
Sales	27,236,092

At April 30, 2012, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments for federal income tax purposes were substantially as follows:

Gross unrealized appreciation	\$ 23,200,581
Gross unrealized depreciation	(13,699,702)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$ 9,500,879

At April 30, 2012, the Fund had the following open futures contracts:

	Number of Contracts	Expiration Date	Basis Value	Market Value	Unrealized Loss
Contracts to Sell:					

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U.S. Treasury 10-Year Notes	8	6/12	\$1,049,044	\$1,058,250	\$(9,206)
U.S. Treasury 30-Year Bonds	11	6/12	1,562,105	1,571,625	(9,520)
Net unrealized loss on open futures contracts					\$(18,726)

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Transactions in reverse repurchase agreements for the Fund during the six months ended April 30, 2012 were as follows:

Average Daily Balance*	Weighted Average Interest Rate*	Maximum Amount Outstanding
\$75,952,158	1.00%	\$80,030,489

* Averages based on the number of days that Fund had reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

Interest rates on reverse repurchase agreements ranged from 0.60% to 1.08% during the six months ended April 30, 2012. Interest expense incurred on reverse repurchase agreements totaled \$377,995.

At April 30, 2012, the Fund had the following open reverse repurchase agreements:

Counterparty	Rate	Effective Date	Maturity Date	Face Amount of Reverse Repurchase Agreements
Barclays Capital Inc.	0.97%*	2/1/2012	8/10/2012	\$70,000,000

* Interest rate on the reverse repurchase agreement resets daily. Interest rate disclosed is as of April 30, 2012.

On April 30, 2012, the total market value of underlying collateral (refer to the Schedule of Investments for positions held at the counterparty as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements) for open reverse repurchase agreements was \$87,911,451.

At April 30, 2012, the Fund had the following open forward foreign currency contracts:

Foreign Currency Contracts to Buy:	Counterparty	Local Currency	Market Value	Settlement Date	Unrealized Gain (Loss)
Brazilian Real	Citibank N.A.	1,069,000	\$ 558,947	5/15/12	\$ (6,362)
Brazilian Real	Citibank N.A.	1,070,810	559,893	5/15/12	(6,223)
British Pound	Morgan Stanley	800,000	1,298,170	5/16/12	40,626
Euro	Citibank N.A.	250,000	330,946	5/16/12	4,809
Euro	Morgan Stanley	600,000	794,271	5/16/12	(1,575)

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Euro	Morgan Stanley	800,000	1,059,029	5/16/12	8,216
Euro	Morgan Stanley	100,000	132,379	5/16/12	844
Euro	Morgan Stanley	200,000	264,757	5/16/12	1,600
Euro	UBS AG	300,000	397,136	5/16/12	4,769
					46,704

Foreign Currency	Counterparty	Local Currency	Market Value	Settlement Date	Unrealized Gain (Loss)
Contracts to Sell:					
Brazilian Real	Citibank N.A.	4,242,270	\$2,218,151	5/15/12	\$ 85,177
British Pound	Citibank N.A.	250,000	405,678	5/16/12	(12,483)
British Pound	Morgan Stanley	15,801,741	25,641,692	5/16/12	(724,795)
British Pound	Morgan Stanley	800,000	1,298,170	5/16/12	(34,658)
British Pound	UBS AG	500,000	811,357	5/16/12	(26,506)
British Pound	UBS AG	300,000	486,814	5/16/12	(15,559)
Canadian Dollar	Morgan Stanley	2,000,000	2,023,889	5/16/12	(23,969)
Euro	Citibank N.A.	200,000	264,757	5/16/12	2,169
Euro	Citibank N.A.	600,000	794,271	5/16/12	7,647
Euro	Morgan Stanley	51,733,123	68,483,565	5/16/12	(975,721)
Euro	UBS AG	1,071,247	1,418,101	5/16/12	(10,558)
Euro	UBS AG	4,500,000	5,957,035	5/16/12	11,000
Net unrealized loss on open forward foreign currency contracts					\$(1,718,256)

4. Derivative instruments and hedging activities

Financial Accounting Standards Board Codification Topic 815 requires enhanced disclosure about an entity's derivative and hedging activities.

Below is a table, grouped by derivative type, that provides information about the fair value and the location of derivatives within the Statement of Assets and Liabilities at April 30, 2012.

ASSET DERIVATIVES¹

	Foreign Exchange Risk
Forward foreign currency contracts	\$166,857

LIABILITY DERIVATIVES¹