

Investor Presentation

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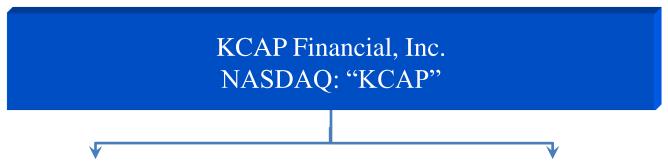
INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Innovative Strategy and Platform	 Internally managed structure 100% ownership of CLO fund Asset Manager Affiliates (Katonah Debt Advisors and Trimaran Advisors)
Highly Experienced Management Team	 Seasoned management team with average industry tenure of 25+ years Managed loan portfolios through numerous cycles
Dynamic Business Model	 Compelling middle market opportunities; multi-channel origination capabilities Enhanced portfolio yield through high returns on investments in CLO funds Disciplined investment process with seasoned credit professionals
Strong Portfolio	 First lien / second lien / mezz and equity CLO Fund investments Asset Manager Affiliates: synergies + stable cash flow and dividend
Low Leverage	 \$88 million in borrowings as of September 30, 2012 \$60 million is unsecured, convertible notes at 8.75% with a 2016 maturity \$28 million of borrowings through a secured facility at L+ 300 Asset coverage is 335%, well above the minimum 200% (1:1) required for a BDC
Alignment of Interests	 No external management fees Board members and management own in excess of 17% of shares





Internally managed BDC with a diversified portfolio of corporate credit investments and an attractive asset management business



Principal Investing

Corporate Loan Investments

- \$135 million in debt securities
- Average unlevered yield $\approx 8\%$
- Focus on secured investments (76%)

CLO Fund Investments

- \$68 million investments in CLO Funds
- Average yield of $\approx 51\%$ on fair value

Managed Funds

Asset Managers Affiliates (AMA)

- Asset management business
- ◆ \$3.3 billion in AUM
- ◆ \$74 million fair value
- ◆ Current net annual cash flow run rate:≈ \$6-8M
- ◆ Distributions contribute to KCAP's net investment income

QUARTERLY DIVIDENDS



2012	Dividend	Yield
Fourth quarter	\$ 0.28	12%
Third quarter	\$ 0.24	10%
Second quarter	\$ 0.24	13%
First quarter	\$ 0.18	10%
_	\$ 0.94	

2011		Dividend	Yield
Fourth quarter	\$	0.18	11%
Third quarter	\$	0.18	12%
Second quarter	\$	0.17	9%
First quarter	\$	0.17	8%
	\$	0.70	

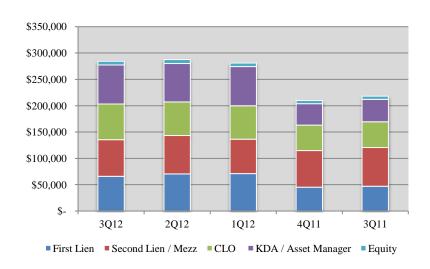
2010		
Fourth quarter	\$ 0.17	10%
Third quarter	\$ 0.17	10%
Second quarter	\$ 0.17	14%
First quarter	\$ 0.17	12%
-	\$ 0.68	

PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS



ASSET MIX

Investments at Fair Value (in thousands)



	3Q12	2Q12	1Q12	4Q11	3Q11
First Lien	22%	23%	24%	18%	18%
Second Lien / Mezz	23%	24%	22%	28%	28%
CLO	22%	21%	21%	20%	19%
Asset Manager Affiliates	24%	24%	25%	16%	16%
Equity	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%

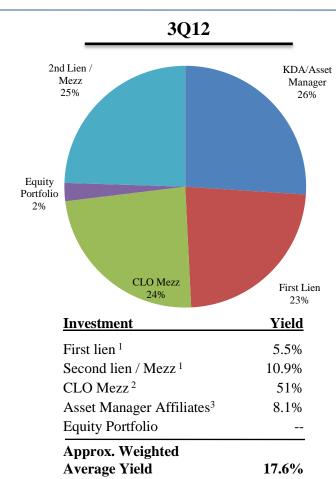
^{*}As a percent of Total Assets

	3Q12	2Q12	1Q12	4Q11	3Q11
First Lien	65,869	70,445	71,085	45,259	47,019
Second Lien / Mezz	69,609	72,819	65,272	69,414	73,588
CLO	67,784	63,884	63,404	48,438	48,761
Asset Manager Affiliates	73,989	72,896	74,594	40,814	42,629
Equity	6,912	7,719	6,722	6,041	6,010

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO



A balanced investment risk / return profile



¹ Yield based on par

Portfolio Statistics

Total	1 Por	tfolio:
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Fair value \$284 million

Book value \$338 million

Portfolio (excluding AMA & CLO Securities):

Fair value \$142 million

Book value \$175 million

Number of issuers 53

Average deal/issuer size \$2.6 million

In default <1%

Fixed rate 30%

Floating rate 65%

Equity (neither fixed/floating) 5%

Note: Percentages to total fair value excluding KDA & CLO Securities

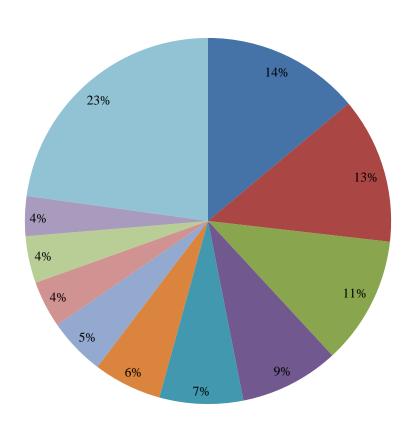
² Yield based on fv

³ Asset Manager Affiliates estimated yield on cost; excludes incentive fees

PORTFOLIO HIGHLIGHTS



PORTFOLIO LOAN SECURITIES - INDUSTRY DIVERSIFICATION



- Home and Office Furnishings, Housewares, and Durable Consumer Products
- Beverage, Food and Tobacco
- Aerospace and Defense
- Machinery (Non-Agriculture, Non-Construction, Non-Electronic)
- Healthcare, Education and Childcare
- Electronics
- Diversified/Conglomerate Manufacturing
- Insurance
- Retail Stores
- Automobile
- Other





Experienced management team has led to strong credit performance in a challenging environment

- Only five portfolio companies on non-accrual status as of September 30, 2012
- Hard Watch List represents less than 1% of total assets (four issuers)
 - Three of the five watch list assets are senior secured loans
- Despite mark-to-market unrealized losses, portfolio assets continue to amortize or pay-off at par
- 76% of corporate loan portfolio is secured

CLO FUND PORTFOLIO



Understanding risks and return

CLO Fund Structure

Remaining financing term 8 years

Current portfolio yield L + 368 bps

W/A cost of debt capital L + 55 bps

Net interest spread 313 bps

Fees and expenses 55 bps

Net spread to equity <u>258bps</u>

Current Actual CLO Portfolio Performance:

-on current carrying value 51%

Data as of most recent trustee report for 3Q12 quarter-end

CLO Fund Statistics

Fair value	\$64 million
Par	\$95 million
Cost	\$80 million
Diversity:	
Number of CLOs	13
Average number of issuers	140
Average number of industries	27
Average position size	\$2.1 million

LEVERAGE



Low Leverage and Room for Growth Relative to Peers

- \$60 million in convertible notes and \$28 million through a secured credit facility
- Debt-to-equity of 0.43x based on net asset value of \$207 million for the quarter ended September 30, 2012
- Asset coverage at 335% at September 30, 2012; BDC structure requires minimum asset coverage of 200%
- Convertible notes are fixed rate, five year (2016) maturity
- Initial conversion price of \$8.44 (10% premium over pricing date market close and above \$8.21 reported NAV prior to issuance)
- Secured credit facility is at a spread to LIBOR

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



	3Q12	2Q12	1Q12	4Q11	3Q11	2Q11
Earnings per share	\$ 0.39	\$ 0.36	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.31	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.26
Net investment income per share	\$ 0.27	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.14	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.12
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) per share	\$ 0.04	\$ (0.16)	\$ (0.12)	\$ (0.24)	\$ (0.24)	\$ (0.08)
Net asset value per share	\$ 7.82	\$ 7.66	\$ 7.78	\$ 7.85	\$ 8.29	\$ 8.52
Dividend distribution per share	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.24	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.18	\$ 0.17
Share Price						
High	\$ 9.36	\$ 7.47	\$ 7.46	\$ 6.88	\$ 8.34	\$ 8.32
Low	\$ 7.27	\$ 5.51	\$ 6.25	\$ 5.50	\$ 3.42	\$ 7.04
Close	\$ 9.26	\$ 7.26	\$ 6.91	\$ 6.31	\$ 5.85	\$ 7.95

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS



NET ASSET VALUE

September 30, 2012	Fa	air Value	NAV	per Share
Investments at fair value:				•
Debt securities	\$	135,477,765	\$	5.12
CLO Fund securities		67,784,447		2.56
Equity securities		6,911,736		0.26
KDA / asset manager		73,989,000		2.80
Total Investments		284,162,948		10.74
Cash		2,413,104		0.09
Other assets		16,365,200		0.62
Total Assets	\$	302,941,252	\$	11.45
Borrowings	\$	88,000,000	\$	3.33
Other Liabilities		8,043,003		0.30
Total Liabilities	\$	96,043,003	\$	3.63
NET ASSET VALUE	\$	206,898,249	\$	<u>7.82</u>

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

Cost			air Value
\$	73,626,420	\$	65,868,784
	53,570,960		37,237,835
	8,518,913		9,401,536
	21,846,118		22,577,830
	400,000		391,760
	85,506,168		67,784,447
	17,012,236		6,911,735
	83,203,884		73,989,000
\$	<u>343,684,697</u>	\$	284,162,927
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SUBSEQUENT EVENTS



- ✓ In October 2012, the Company sold \$41.4 million in aggregate principal amount of 7.375% senior unsecured notes, a portion of the proceeds were uses to pay down our credit facility.
- ✓ On December 20, 2012, Trimaran Advisors, L.L.C. closed a \$415 million CLO fund of leveraged loans and high yield bonds. Trimaran Advisors is the collateral manager for this fund and we invested approximately \$12.7 million in tranches of junior notes (\$3.8 million in the single-B-rated tranche and \$8.9 million in the subordinated notes) issued by the CLO fund in connection with the transaction.



SUMMARY OF KCAP ATTRIBUTES

Dynamic business model generates sustainable dividends

- ✓ Sustainable, recurring revenues not dependent on capital gains
 - Recurring interest income from secured loan and CLO portfolios
 - Stable asset management fee income from Asset Manager Affiliates
- ✓ New investments in current market environment provide higher returns and enhance portfolio yield
- ✓ Not reliant on high leverage to generate returns
- ✓ Floating rate assets, many with minimum index rate floors, provide NAV protection and increased earnings in a rising rate environment
- ✓ Experienced credit managers with long track records
- ✓ Interest aligned with shareholders significant insider ownership and internally managed



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