### BOARD OF PENSION TRUSTEES FOR THE

### CITY OF JACKSONVILLE RETIREMENT SYSTEM Thursday, August 4, 2022, at 12:30 PM City Hall Conference Room 3C

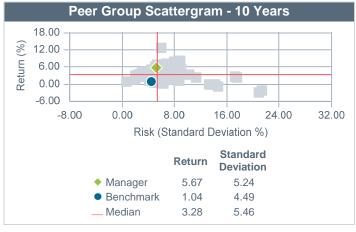
### **AGENDA**

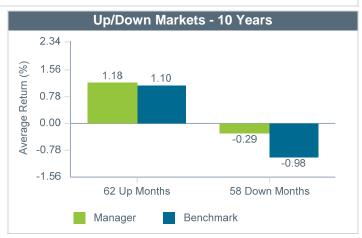
- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PUBLIC COMMENT
- 3. INVESTMENT AND FINANCIAL MATTERS
- a. Loomis Sayles Fixed Income
- 4. **INFORMATION**
- a. Next regular BOT meeting scheduled for Thursday, August 25, 2022, at 2 PM
- b. Manager Review Meeting with Baird Core Fixed Income scheduled for Thursday, September 1, 2022, at 12:30 PM
- 5. PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR
- 6. ADJOURNMENT

Manager: Loomis Sayles Multisector Full Discretion (CF)

**Benchmark:** Bloomberg Gbl Agg Bond Index **Peer Group:** IM Global Fixed Income (SA+CF)

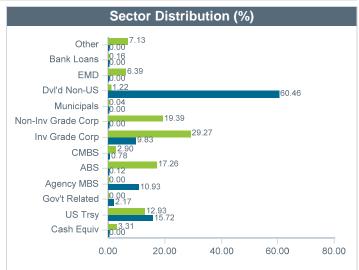
Performance											
	QTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	7 Years	10 Years	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017
Manager	-5.39	-2.61	4.97	4.87	4.47	5.67	0.55	15.08	9.80	0.09	8.74
Benchmark	-6.16	-6.40	0.69	1.70	1.58	1.04	-4.71	9.20	6.84	-1.19	7.39
Difference	0.77	3.79	4.28	3.17	2.89	4.63	5.26	5.88	2.96	1.28	1.35
Peer Group Median	-4.62	-3.27	3.45	3.57	3.42	3.28	0.13	8.61	9.48	-1.81	7.67
Rank	63	45	22	22	34	17	44	8	47	23	31
Population	179	179	177	171	166	135	194	224	239	255	263





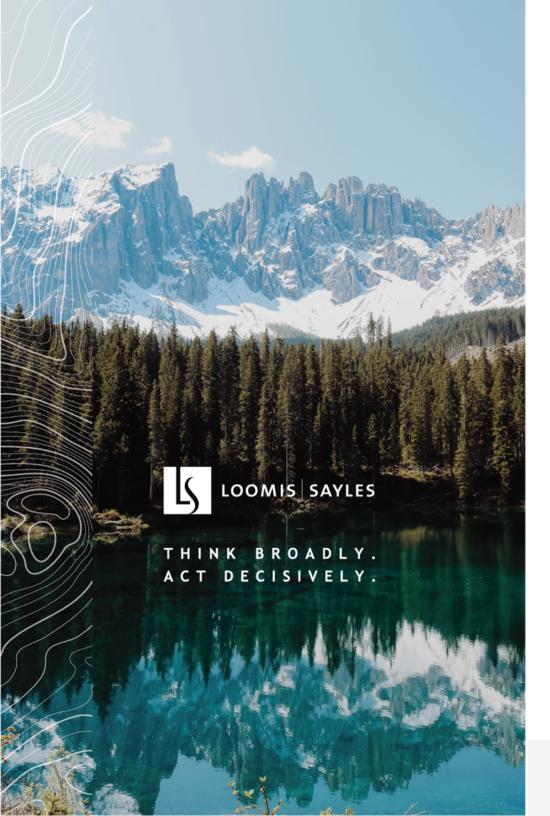


Portfol	io Characteristic	s
	Portfolio	Benchmark
Effective Duration	4.54	7.28
Spread Duration	4.32	N/A
Avg. Maturity	6.62	9.05
Avg. Quality	Baa2	N/A
Yield To Maturity (%)	4.32	2.15
Coupon Rate (%)	3.35	2.18
Current Yield (%)	3.54	N/A
Holdings Count	930	28,086



Performance shown is gross of fees and product specific. Calculation is based on monthly periodicity. Parentheses contain percentile ranks. Allocation to "Other" consists of preferred equity, hedges, and convertibles.





# City of Jacksonville

**AUGUST 4, 2022** 

### **Presented By**

Brian Kennedy Vice President, Portfolio Manager

Kenneth Johnson Director of US Relationship Management

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# loomis sayles at a glance

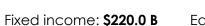


## ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT BY CLIENT BASE

- US institutional
- Non-US institutional
- US retail
- Non-US retail



## INVESTMENT EXPERTISE ACROSS ASSET CLASSES



- Investment Grade Corporates
- Equities
- Developed Country Treasurys
- Mortgage & Structured Finance
- High Yield Corporates
- Emerging Market Debt

### Equity: **\$70.9 B**

- Municipals
  - Other
- Bank Loans
- Convertible Bonds
  - Government Related

## SERVING CLIENTS WITH INTEGRITY & A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE SINCE

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As of 6/30/2022. The Utrecht office opened on November 1, 2020.

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Total AUM includes the assets of both Loomis, Sayles & Co., LP, and Loomis Sayles Trust Company, LLC. (\$34.8 billion for the Loomis Sayles Trust Company).

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# foundation for alpha

#### **CREDIT RESEARCH**

Alpha generation through differentiated insights

Providing insight and differentiated perspectives across the credit classes, risk spectrum, and capital structure

#### **EQUITY**

Driving alpha through independent thinking

Active long-term strategies built on differentiated non-consensus insight

### MACRO STRATEGIES

Focused insights for investment team impact

Tailor-made research and data driven assessments of global macro investment conditions, opportunities and risks

## MORTGAGE & STRUCTURED FINANCE

Opportunities outside traditional asset classes

Deploying fundamental research to uncover hidden alpha potential in complex structured markets

## QUANTITATIVE RESEARCH & RISK ANALYSIS

Bringing together the art and science of investing

Translating market data and investor intuition into actionable signals

#### **TRADING**

Beyond trade execution

+50 trading professionals integrated within all investment processes every step of the way

#### **ESG**

Integrate and engage

Education and tools for investment teams to incorporate material ESG factors

### INVESTMENT RISK OVERSIGHT

Ensuring investment teams meet client objectives

A common foundation underlying all strategies:

- · Sound philosophy
- Rigorous, repeatable process
- Proprietary research
- Disciplined portfolio construction
- · Integrated risk management

### **TECHNOLOGY**

Translating data into insight

Tapping the power of our proprietary In2! technology platform, integrating more than 5 billion data points each day

## BUSINESS INFRASTRUCTURE

Specialized expertise for critical services

Integrated legal, compliance, distribution. marketing, relationship management & client service teams



# alpha engines

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ALPHA STRATEGIES	BANK LOANS	DISCIPLINED ALPHA	EMERGING MARKET DEBT	FULL DISCRETION	GLOBAL	MORTGAGE & STRUCTURED FINANCE	MUNICIPAL	PRIVATE CREDIT <sup>‡</sup>	RELATIVE RETURN
Credit Asset  Emerging Market Debt Blended  World Credit Asset  Multi-Asset Income  Inflation Protected (TIPS)  Systematic Investing Strategies	Senior Loans Senior Floating Rate and Fixed Income CLOs	Core Intermediate Corporate Long Corporate Long Gov't Corp Long Credit Global Disciplined Alpha**	Corporate Local Currency Short Duration Asia Credit	Multisector  Multisector Credit  Core Plus Full Discretion  High Yield Full Discretion  Global High Yield  US High Yield  High Yield  Conservative  Strategic Alpha	Global Bond Global Credit Global Debt Unconstrained Global Disciplined Alpha**	Agency MBS  Core Securitized  IG Securitized  Credit (ERISA)  Opportunistic  Securitized  Credit	Short Intermediate Medium Crossover†	Investment Grade Private Credit Opportunistic Private Credit	Short Duration Inter. Duration Core Core Plus IG Corporate IG Inter. Corp Long Corporate Long Credit Long Gov't/Credit
\$10.1 B*	\$3.9 B	\$16.7 B	\$2.9 B	\$62.1 B	\$27.3 B	\$13.3 B*	\$5.9 B	-	\$88.7 B

### **EQUITY**

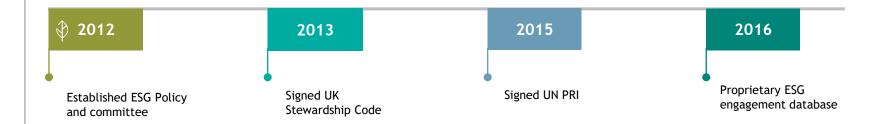
GROWTH EQUITY STRATEGIES	GLOBAL EMERGING MARKETS EQUITY	GLOBAL EQUITY OPPORTUNITIES	SPECIALTY GROWTH STRATEGIES	SMALL CAP VALUE
All Cap Growth Global Growth International Growth Large Cap Growth Long/Short Growth Equity	Global Emerging Markets Equity Global Emerging Markets Equity Long/Short	Global Allocation Global Equity Opportunities	Small Cap Growth Small/Mid Cap Growth Mid Cap Growth	Small Cap Value Small/Mid Cap Core
\$55.5 R	\$117 1 AA***	\$7.2 B	\$5.4.R	\$2.4 B

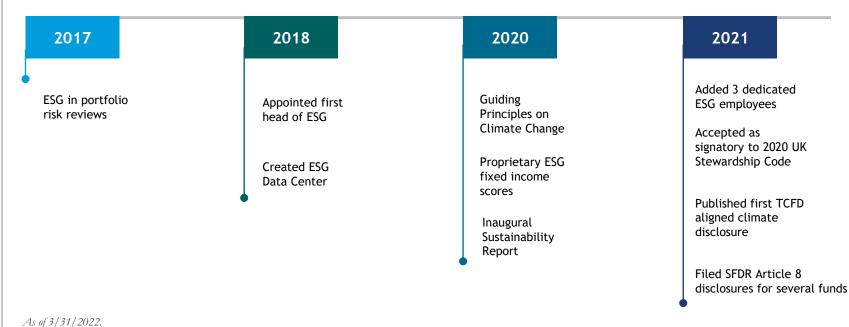
\*Includes accounts that may also be counted as part of other strategies \*\*Co-managed investment strategy \*\*\*Assets include seed money from our parent company. †Accounts may be co-managed along with other teams as appropriate. ‡ The Private Credit team joined the firm in January 2022.



# ESG advancement at loomis sayles

## OUR APPROACH HAS BEEN FORMALIZED AND ENHANCED BY A NUMBER OF ESG INITIATIVES







# full discretion investing

### **TEAM BELIEFS**



The market is inefficient at pricing specific risk.

Fundamental research paints a clearer picture of intrinsic value. We use this foundation to identify mispriced securities when markets are short-term focused, illiquid, or irrational due to factors including fear and greed.



A credit cycle view can help identify opportunities and risks.

We follow a disciplined topdown framework to analyze the factors driving the macroeconomic cycle, evaluate how they might affect asset valuations, and harvest credit risk premiums.



Risk management is integral, not an add-on.

We believe in a rigorous investment process that seeks to balances risk/reward tradeoffs effectively and integrates risk management at every step.

		MULTIS	SECTOR	
	STRATEGIC ALPHA	CORE PLUS FULL DISCRETION	MULTISECTOR CREDIT	MULTISECTOR FULL DISCRETION
BENCHMARK	ICE BofA 3Mo Treasury Bill	BBG US Agg	BBG US Credit	BBG US Gov/Credit
STYLE	Unconstrained	Opportunistic	Opportunistic	Opportunistic
INCEPTION	2010	1989	2010	1989

	HIGH YIELD	
US HIGH YIELD	GLOBAL HIGH YIELD	HIGH YIELD FULL DISCRETION
BBG US Corp HY 2% Cap	ICE BofA Global High Yield	BBG US Corp High Yield
Benchmark Aware	Benchmark Aware	Opportunistic
2009	2016	1989

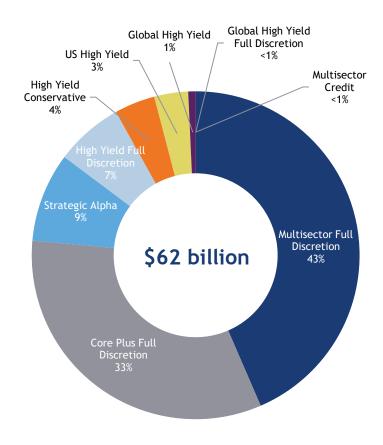


# full discretion product

### LOOMIS SAYLES FULL DISCRETION TEAM ASSETS UNDER MANAGEMENT

\$62 billion as of June 30, 2022

	ASSETS (\$ millions)
Multisector Full Discretion	26,720
Core Plus Full Discretion	20,219
Strategic Alpha	5,404
High Yield Full Discretion	4,112
High Yield Conservative	2,463
US High Yield	2,052
Global High Yield	448
Global High Yield Full Discretion	221
Multisector Credit	140





## investment team

### HIGHLY EXPERIENCED TEAM SUPPORTED BY DEEP FIRM RESOURCES

**PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT** (Years of Industry Experience/Years with the firm)

Matt Eagan, CFA

Portfolio Manager 32 / 25

**Brian Kennedy** 

Portfolio Manager 32 / 28

**Elaine Stokes** 

Portfolio Manager 35 / 34

Dan Fuss, CFA

**Senior Advisor** 64 / 46

#### **KEY SUPPORT**

**Strategists** 

Todd Vandam, CFA\* Bryan Hazelton, CFA Brian Hess

Vishal Patel, CFA Chris Romanelli, CFA Peter Sheehan Stephen Laplante, CFA Scott Darci, CFA

**Investment Directors** 

Fred Sweeney, CFA David Zielinski, CFA Kristen Doyle

**Investment Analysts** 

Shong Xiao, CFA Chidiebere Okpoebo Elizabeth Ditomasso\*\* **Portfolio Specialists** 

Rigas Gartaganis Boeurn Kan-Crawford

Matt Tierney Modestas Ilkys Amy Steede

#### SPECIALTY RESEARCH<sup>†</sup>

#### Convertibles

Rich Crable Mark Ravanesi Olga Tatar, CFA Greg Jones, CFA Kenneth Vallace

#### Distressed/Restructuring

Colin Wilson Murphy Matt Sabourin

#### Customized

Nicole Ranzinger Zachary South Rvan Yackel

#### **SECTOR TEAMS**

- **US Yield Curve**
- Global Asset Allocation
- **Developed Non-US Markets**
- Investment Grade / Global Credit •
- Mortgage & Structured Finance
- **US Government**
- High Yield/Bank Loans
- **Emerging Markets**
- Convertibles

#### **FIRM RESOURCES**

#### **Macro Strategies**

- 2 Directors
- Associate Director
- Chief US Economist
- 5 Senior Sovereign Analysts
- 2 Sovereign Analysts
- Senior Commodities Analyst
- · Senior Research Analyst
- · Research Analyst
- 2 Senior Research Associates

#### Credit Research

- Director
- 2 Associate Directors
- Head of Municipal Research
- · Head of Convertibles Research
- 39 Senior Analysts
- 14 Analysts
- · 6 Research Senior Associates
- 7 Research Associates

#### Mortgage & Structured Finance

- Head
- · 4 Portfolio Managers
- 3 Strategists
- 3 Senior Analysts
- 2 Research Analysts
- 2 Senior Research Associate
- · Director, MSF Trading
- 4 MSF Traders/Tas

### Fixed Income Trading

- 27 Traders/TAs
- · Director, Portfolio
- Implementation
- 18 Portfolio Specialists
- · Director, Operational Trading Risk Mgt.
- Risk Analyst

### Investment Risk and **Strategy Management**

- · Chief Inv. Risk Officer
- · Deputy Chief Inv. Risk Officer/Model Risk Officer
- · Risk Engineer
- · Investment Risk Manager
- · 3 Senior Inv. Risk Analysts
- · 2 Inv. Risk Analysts
- Inv. Risk Associate

### Ouant. Research & Risk Analysis

- Director
- 2 Associate Directors
- 8 Quantitative Analysts

- Head
- Senior Analyst
- · Marketing Manager
- Project Associate

As of 6/30/2022.

\*Portfolio manager on the High Yield strategies and Strategic Alpha \*\*Investment Associate †Specialty Research resides within the Credit Research group. ^Full Discretion Strategies managed by this team include: Multisector Full Discretion, Strategic Income, Core Plus Full Discretion, and Investment Grade Fixed Income.



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## investment process

OUR RIGOROUS INVESTMENT PROCESS COMBINES A TOP DOWN FRAMEWORK, BOTTOM UP RESEARCH AND RISK ASSESSMENT

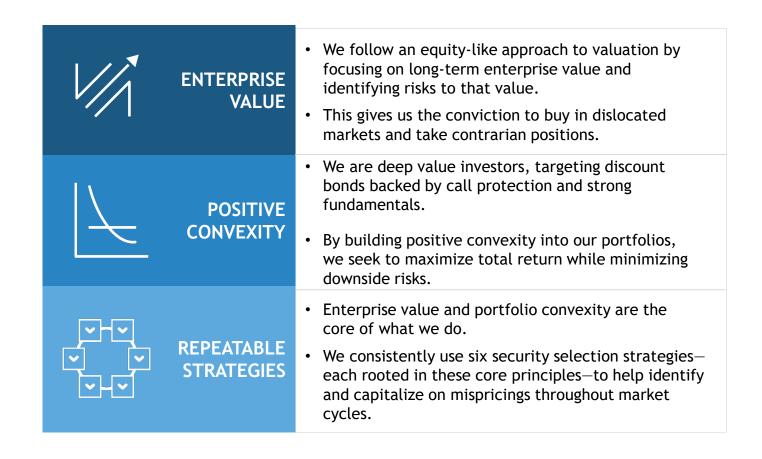


There is no guarantee that the investment objective will be realized or that the strategy will generate positive or excess return. Any investment that has the possibility for profits also has the possibility of losses.



## bottom up - core philosophy

### WHAT DISTINGUISHES LOOMIS SAYLES FULL DISCRETION INVESTING





# guideline summary

### **BENCHMARK**

Bloomberg Capital US Government/Credit Index

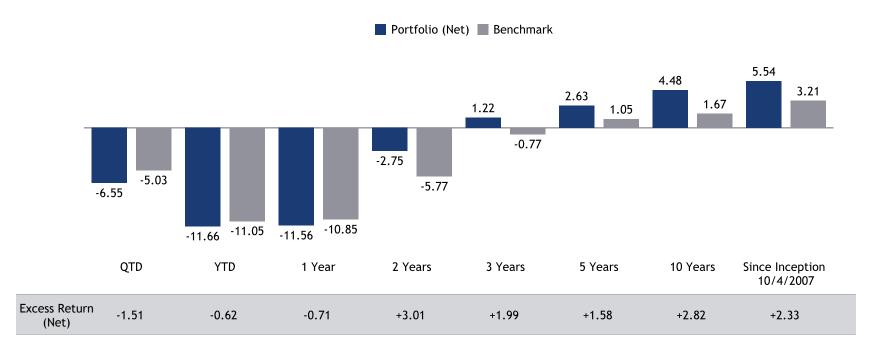
### **GUIDELINES & LIMITATIONS**

- Minimum Credit Quality: Account must hold at least 65% MV rated equal to or above Moody's, S&P or Fitch, Baa3/BBB-, at the time of purchase. Loomis rating applies if security is not rated by S&P, Moody's, or Fitch.
- Split Rated Securities: Higher rating will govern split-rated securities.
- Issue: May not hold more than 5% MV in any one issue, excluding US Treasuries & Government Agencies, the Senior Floating Rate Fund LLC and the LS Full Discretion Securitized Asset Fund at the time of purchase.
- Investment Classes: The portfolio may invest up to 15% in the LS Full Discretion Institutional Securitized Fund at the time of purchase.
- Investment Classes: Account may not purchase or hold mutual funds excluding the Senior Floating Rate Fund LLC and the Loomis Sayles Full Discretion Institutional Securitized Fund
- Convertibles & Residual Equity: 10% in Common stock, at the time of purchase.
- Industry Concentration: No industry, as defined by Bloomberg Barclays Capital, except securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. Government, its agencies, instrumentalities, or government sponsored entities will comprise more than 25% of the market value of the Fund, at the time of purchase.
- Currency: 60% minimum in US dollar denominated securities, including cash and cash equivalents, at the time of purchase.



## performance

## TRAILING RETURNS AS OF 6/30/2022 (%)



### PORTFOLIO VALUATION (USD)

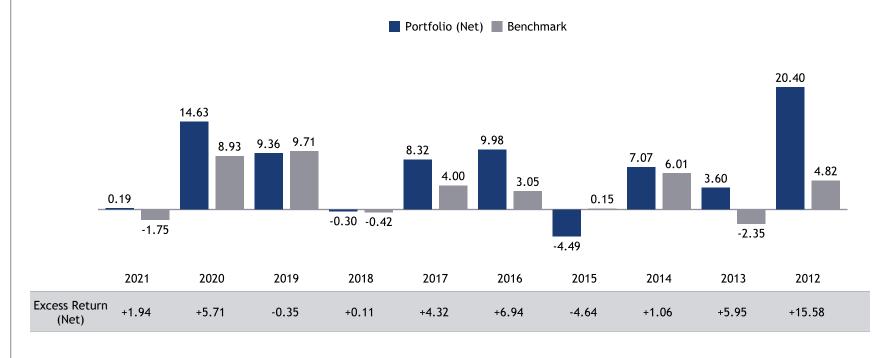
	Portfolio 12/31/2021	Portfolio 6/30/2022
Total	142,519,077	125,892,790

Benchmarks: BBG Govt Credit (10/4/2007 - 6/30/2022). The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



## performance

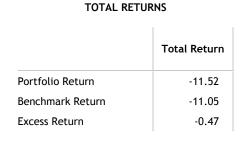
## CALENDAR YEAR RETURNS AS OF 6/30/2022 (%)

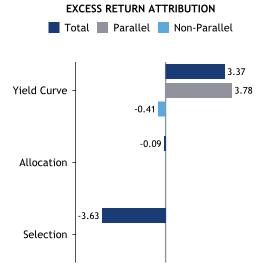


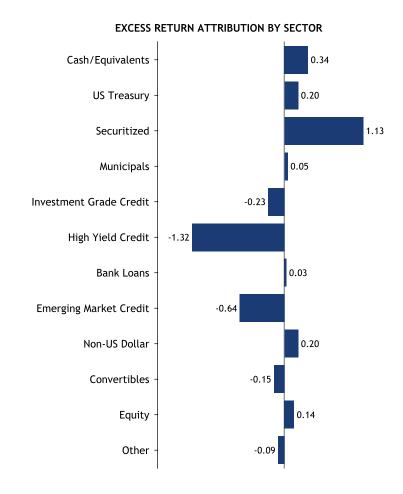
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## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022







Figures on the bar chart may not add up to total excess return as they exclude impact of trading and pricing differences. The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022

#### SECTOR DISTRIBUTION

	Portfolio Final Weight	Benchmark Final Weight	Portfolio Average Weight	Benchmark Average Weight	Portfolio Return	Benchmark Return	Total Effect
Securitized	20.53	0.00	20.38	0.00	-5.37	-1.65	1.13
Cash/Equivalents	4.85	0.00	3.55	0.00	1.97	-11.05	0.34
US Treasury	12.71	57.69	12.35	56.69	-0.59	-9.14	0.20
Non-US Dollar	0.85	0.00	1.14	0.00	8.23	-11.05	0.20
Equity	2.60	0.00	2.59	0.00	-5.92	-11.05	0.14
Municipals	0.00	0.95	0.00	0.96	0.00	-16.11	0.05
Bank Loans	0.11	0.00	0.27	0.00	-3.89	-11.05	0.03
Other	0.00	1.90	0.00	1.92	0.00	-6.00	-0.09
Convertibles	4.49	0.00	4.52	0.00	-14.62	-11.05	-0.15
Investment Grade Credit	29.31	37.47	29.09	38.40	-15.26	-13.66	-0.23
Emerging Market Credit	5.83	1.97	6.52	2.03	-21.67	-15.39	-0.64
High Yield Credit	18.72	0.02	19.60	0.00	-18.01	-2.93	-1.32

Total Effects are impacted by sector returns, allocation shifts and market timing. Total Effect includes yield curve impact. The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022

#### **TOP 10 INDUSTRIES BY TOTAL EFFECT**

#### **BOTTOM 10 INDUSTRIES BY TOTAL EFFECT**

	Portfolio Weight	Benchmark Weight	Total Effect		Portfolio Weight	Benchmark Weight	Total Effect
Car Loan	5.43	0.00	0.38	Consumer Cyclical	8.16	2.43	-0.65
Home Equity	5.50	0.00	0.27	Communications	10.93	3.16	-0.45
Non Agency CMBS	2.76	0.00	0.21	Financial Other	1.10	0.02	-0.37
ABS Other	3.43	0.00	0.13	Finance Companies	4.83	0.45	-0.26
Local Authorities	0.08	1.33	0.12	Treasuries	14.19	56.69	-0.21
Electric	1.21	2.61	0.09	Technology	4.46	3.54	-0.14
Transportation	1.16	0.86	0.06	Owned No Guarantee	1.10	1.47	-0.12
Student Loan	1.07	0.00	0.05	Banking	6.28	7.85	-0.10
Sovereign	0.32	1.44	0.05	Supranational	0.11	1.98	-0.10
Reits	1.00	1.05	0.04	Energy	4.55	2.68	-0.07

Out-of-benchmark allocations defaulted to security selection. The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.

## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022

#### TOP 10 ISSUERS BY TOTAL EFFECT

#### **BOTTOM 10 ISSUERS BY TOTAL EFFECT**

	Portfolio Weight	Benchmark Weight	Total Effect		Portfolio Weight	Benchmark Weight	Total Effect
T-Mobile US Inc	2.18	0.19	0.18	U S Treasury	12.82	56.69	-0.37
AT&T Inc	0.57	0.54	0.12	Charter Communications Inc	2.49	0.29	-0.32
Provincia DE Buenos Aire	0.04	0.00	0.09	Rocket Mortgage LLC	1.34	0.00	-0.15
GOVT of Mexico	1.12	0.32	0.08	CSC Holdings LLC	0.86	0.00	-0.14
2020 Cash Exch Trust	0.29	0.00	0.06	General Motors Co	0.64	0.26	-0.13
Argentine Peso	0.03	0.00	0.05	Kraft Heinz Co/The	0.60	0.05	-0.13
BioMarin Pharmaceutical Inc	0.68	0.00	0.04	DISH Network Corp	1.45	0.00	-0.12
Santander Drive Auto Rec Tr	0.46	0.00	0.04	Boeing Co/The	1.54	0.30	-0.12
Volt 2011-Nl3A A1	0.51	0.00	0.04	Altice USA Inc	0.28	0.00	-0.11
B&D Holding di Marco Drago e C Sapa	0.42	0.00	0.03	Sunac China Holdings Ltd	0.09	0.00	-0.10

## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022

#### **CURRENCY DISTRIBUTION**

	Portfolio Weight Pre-Hedge	Portfolio Weight Post-Hedge	Currency Contribution	Bond Contribution	Hedging Effect	Total Effect
Argentine Peso	0.08	0.08	0.13	0.03	0.00	0.16
Canadian Dollar	0.20	0.05	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02
Indian Rupee	0.28	0.28	-0.02	0.03	0.00	0.02
Mexican Peso	0.80	0.80	0.01	0.07	0.00	0.08
US Dollar	98.63	98.63	0.00	-0.62	0.00	-0.62
Unrealized FX Gain/Loss	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Weights reflect end of period holdings. Effects are as of the entire period. Bond Contribution is the sum of Country Allocation and Local Market effects. The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



# portfolio summary

## AS OF 6/30/2022

	Portfolio 6/30/2022	Benchmark 6/30/2022	Portfolio 12/31/2021	Benchmark 12/31/2021		Quality	Portfolio 6/30/2022	Benchmark 6/30/2022	Portfolio 12/31/2021	Benchmark 12/31/2021
Yield to Worst (%)	5.97	3.69	2.97	1.67	AAA		22.93	63.12	16.36	60.81
Effective Duration (years)	4.62	6.68	4.22	7.57	AA		1.85	6.37	2.82	6.61
Effective Maturity (years)	5.77	8.98	6.48	9.69	Α		7.35	15.22	7.26	16.14
OAS * (bps)	280	58	168	38	BAA		39.14	15.28	43.55	16.42
Coupon (%)	3.36	2.40	3.41	2.35	BA		15.05	0.00	16.56	0.01
Current Yield (%)	3.81	2.60	3.27	2.23	В		6.71	0.00	6.99	0.00
Average Quality	BAA2	AA3	BAA2	AA3	CAA		1.06	0.00	0.76	0.00
Number of Securities	926	8,755	970	8,529	CA		0.04	0.00	0.07	0.00
Number of Issuers	419	1,086	436	1,059	С		0.22	0.00	0.17	0.00
	,		,	'	NR		5.66	0.00	5.46	0.00

Client Guideline Quality Methodology presented.

The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



<sup>\*</sup> OAS is option adjusted spread.

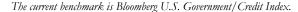
## sector allocation

## 12/31/2021 TO 6/30/2022 (%)

#### SECTOR DISTRIBUTION

	Portfolio 6/30/2022	Over/Under Weight
Cash/Equivalents	4.85	4.85
US Treasury	12.71	-44.98
Securitized	20.53	20.53
Municipals	0.00	-0.95
Investment Grade Credit	29.31	-8.17
High Yield Credit	18.72	18.70
Bank Loans	0.11	0.11
Emerging Market Credit	5.83	3.87
Non-US Dollar	0.70	0.70
Convertibles	4.49	4.49
Equity	2.60	2.60
Other	0.00	-1.90
Hedge	0.16	0.16

### SECTOR ALLOCATION CHANGE Cash/Equivalents **US Treasury** Securitized 0.55 Municipals 0.00 Investment Grade Credit 0.50 High Yield Credit -1.69 Bank Loans -0.66 **Emerging Market Credit** Non-US Dollar -0.70 -0.33 Convertibles Equity -0.01 Other 0.00 Hedge 0.02





## country of risk allocation

### AS OF 6/30/2022

Total Developed Countries Exposure	Portfolio Weight %	Benchmark Weight %	Total EM Countries Exposure (USD & Non USD)	Portfolio Weight %	Benchmark Weight %
Developed	93.26	98.04	Emerging Markets *	6.74	1.96
Americas	87.68	91.26	Africa	1.52	0.01
United States	85.01	89.54	Zambia	0.73	0.00
Cayman Islands	1.39	0.00	South Africa	0.67	0.01
Canada	0.82	1.71	Nigeria	0.12	0.00
Bermuda	0.45	0.02	Americas	3.11	0.99
Asia	0.14	0.93	Mexico	2.02	0.40
Japan	0.14	0.93	Brazil	0.77	0.08
Europe	4.59	3.70	Argentina	0.19	0.00
United Kingdom	1.76	1.45	Colombia	0.11	0.00
France	1.17	0.15	Peru	0.03	0.16
Norway	0.46	0.08	Other	0.00	0.35
Ireland	0.46	0.16	Asia	0.92	0.83
Germany	0.38	0.58	China	0.56	0.26
Spain	0.15	0.20	Malaysia	0.19	0.00
Finland	0.10	0.00	India	0.17	0.00
Italy	0.09	0.12	Other	0.00	0.57
Netherlands	0.02	0.32	Europe	0.00	0.05
Other	0.00	0.64	Other	0.00	0.05
Oceania	0.78	0.20	Middle East	1.19	0.07
Australia	0.78	0.20	Israel	1.19	0.07
Supranational **	0.08	1.96	Total	100.00	100.00
Supranational	0.08	1.96			

Non Dollar Exposure	Portfolio Weight %	Benchmark Weight %		
Total Non USD †	0.92	0.00		
Developed	0.03	0.00		
Canadian Dollar	0.03	0.00		
Emerging Markets	0.89	0.00		
Mexican Peso	0.82	0.00		
Argentine Peso	0.08	0.00		

Due to active management, country and currency allocation will evolve over time. Due to rounding, totals may not equal 100%.

The current benchmark is Bloomberg U.S. Government/Credit Index.



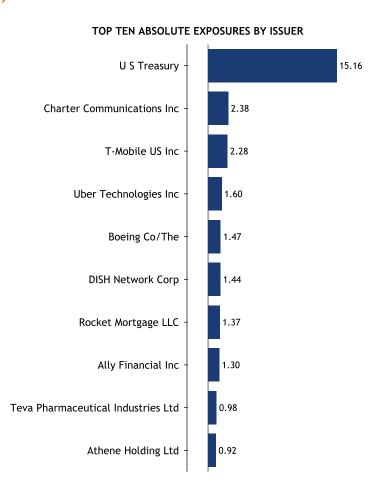
<sup>\*</sup> Emerging markets includes countries with middle or low income economies, as designed by the World Bank, also taking into consideration capital market liquidity and accessibility.

<sup>\*\*</sup> Supranational includes debt from an entity sponsored by a combination of multiple governments to promote economic development.

<sup>†</sup> Values shown include impact of hedging, if utilized.

# absolute exposures by issuer

AS OF 6/30/2022 (%)





## **FULL DISCRETION**



## macroeconomic environment and outlook

YEAR-END FORECAST	US DOMESTIC		GLOBAL		WESTERN EUROPE		ASIA PACIFIC		LATIN AMERICA	
	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023
Real GDP Growth	1.4%	1.2%	3.0%	2.9%	2.8%	1.5%	3.8%	4.6%	2.5%	1.7%
Headline CPI Inflation	8.3%	4.8%	7.1%	4.2%	7.0%	3.3%	3.0%	2.8%	16.8%	11.8%
Current Account Balance (% GDP)	-4.1%	-3.6%	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Interest Rates (10-year); End Of Year 2022	3.5%		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

### **OUR VIEW:**

### SLOWING GROWTH, STUBBORN INFLATION

- US growth forecasts continue to be revised downward with tightening financial
  conditions, elevated commodity prices, and ongoing supply pressure. We expect
  growth to continue losing momentum this year and note that risks have been rising,
  but we could avoid a sharp slowdown given healthy consumer and corporate balance
  sheets.
- Q1 and Q2 growth will likely be negative, but it is unlikely that the NBER would classify 1H22 as a recession given that a variety of indicators, particularly employment, remain solid and have not been pointing to a recession.
- CPI surprised to the upside yet again in June, with headline reaching 9.1% and core CPI only falling to 5.9% despite more moderations in goods prices. Inflationary pressure has been broad based. Supply issues have been persistent, shelter prices have been rising and we expect commodity prices to remain elevated.

#### CONSUMER AND CORPORATE FUNDAMENTALS STILL HEALTHY

- Consumer confidence has dropped with elevated food/energy prices, but consumer balance sheets remain strong overall.
- Margin outlooks have started to deteriorate, though leverage metrics continue to look supportive for credit.
- Default expectations have been rising, though remain low relative to history given the solid fundamental backdrop. We acknowledge risks if profits start to materially slow.
- We anticipate solid S&P 500 earnings growth in the 10% range to be delivered in 2022, but see flat to slightly negative earnings growth in 2023.

#### **BUMPY GROWTH EXPECTED GLOBALLY**

- Global manufacturing PMIs (purchasing manager's index) were relatively stable in June, but were inflated by a rebound in China.
   Developed market PMIs continue on a downtrend, and forward-looking demand indicators (orders/inventory) continue to slip. Supply/price indicators have improved from extremes, but remain stressed.
- We note significant risks to both European *and* global growth if Russia significantly cuts gas supplies to Europe.
- We expect China growth at around 3.5% this year given drags from "zero-Covid" policies and a weak property sector. Near-term growth is vulnerable given Covid policies, but we expect stronger growth towards end-of-year resulting from stimulus efforts.

#### MONETARY POLICY AND INTEREST RATES

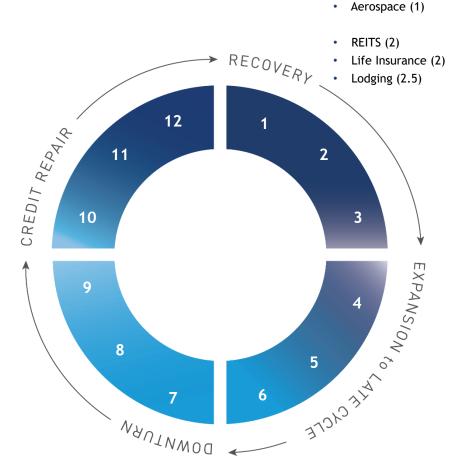
- The market has been pricing aggressive Fed tightening in 2022, but has priced in cuts for 2023. While longer term inflation expectations have creeped up, they remain anchored overall.
- We see scope for the Fed to hike the Fed Funds rate up towards 4% given our view of stubborn inflation, but the economy would have to remain resilient through 2022 in order for that to come to fruition.
- Quantitative tightening is beginning at a pace of \$47.5 bn per month, before transitioning to a pace of \$95 bn per month in September.

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# credit cycle

### **INDUSTRIES**



- Media/Entertainment (6)
- Electric (6)

• Finance Companies (3)

Oil Field Services (1)

Refiners (1)

US Banks (1)

- Global Banks (3)
- Cable/Satellite (3)
- Telecom Wireline (3)
- Telecom Wireless (3)
- Defense (3.5)
- Construction Machinery (3.5)
- Independents (3.5)
- Midstream (4)
- Restaurants (4)
- Supermarkets (4)
- Integrated (4)
- Diversified Manufacturing (4.5)
- Metals & Mining (4.5)
- Packaging (4.5)
- Environmental (4.5)
- · Railroads (5)
- Automotive (5)
- Retailers, incl Specialty (5)
- Home Construction (5)
- US Building Materials (5)
- Technology (5)
- Chemicals (5)
- P&C (5)
- Paper (5)
- · Healthcare (5)
- Consumer Products (5)
- Food & Beverage (5)
- Health Insurers (5)
- Pharmaceuticals (5)
- Tobacco (5.5)

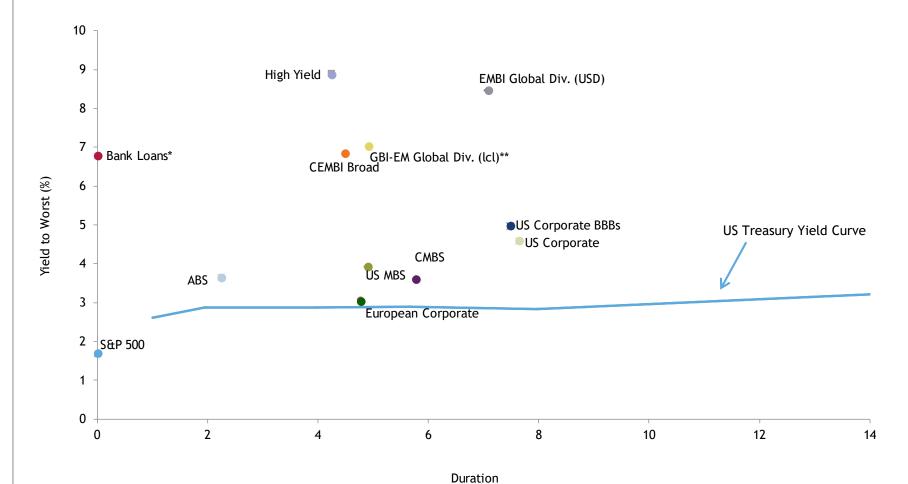
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# multisector flexibility is key

### SECTOR YIELDS VS. LIKE DURATION TREASURYS YTD



Sources: JPMorgan, Bloomberg. As of 6/30/2022.

\*Bank loan effective yield and S&P dividend yield replace YTW. Bank Loan effective yield is as of 7/1/2022.

\*\*GBI-EMYTM replaces YTW.

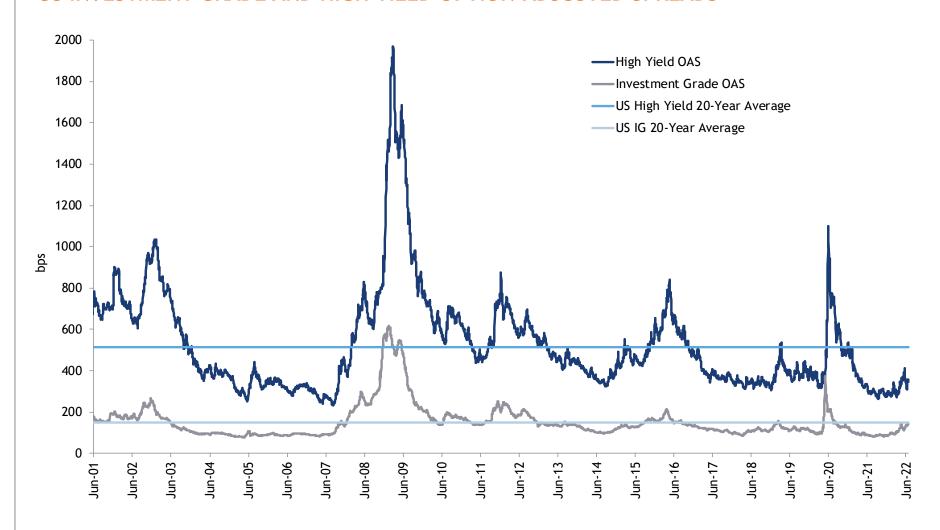
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### US INVESTMENT GRADE AND HIGH YIELD OPTION-ADJUSTED SPREADS



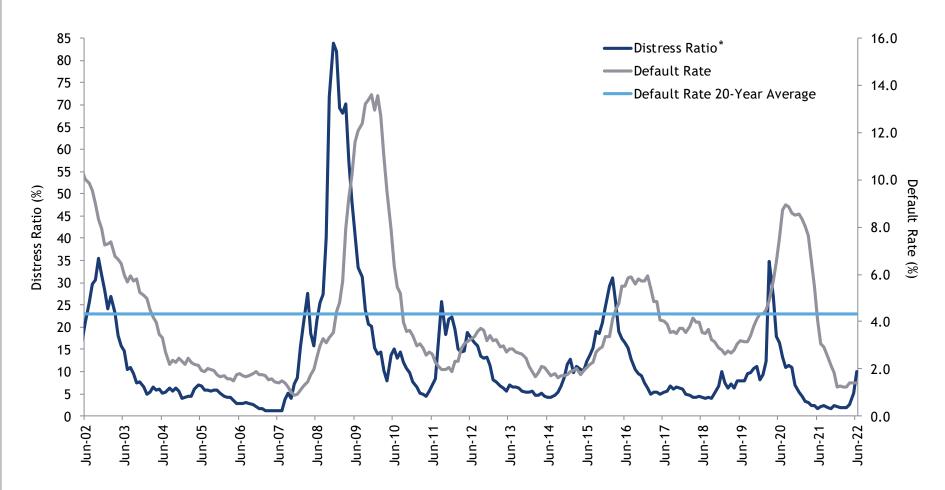
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### "DISTRESSED" SECURITIES AND DEFAULT RATES HAVE DECREASED SINCE EARLY 2010



'Distressed' securities reached pre-Lehman levels in December 2009.

Source: Bloomberg, Merrill Lynch, Moody's. As of 6/30/2022.

\*Percent of bonds in Merrill Lynch High Yield Master Index with Spreads 1000 bps over Treasurys.

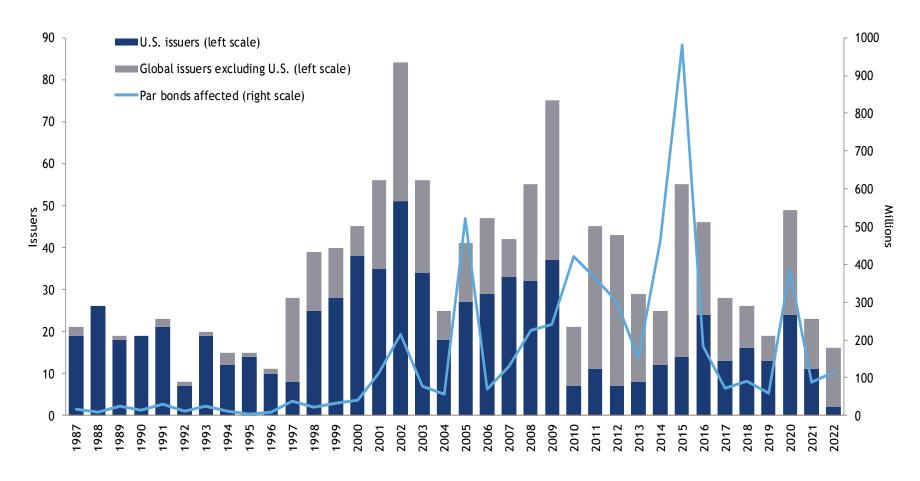
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### **GLOBAL AND US "FALLEN ANGELS"**

### As of 5/31/2022

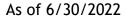


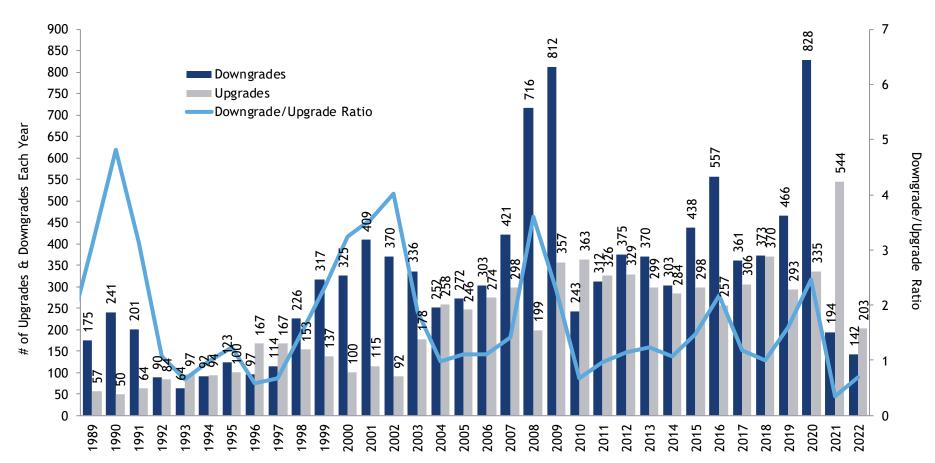
Source: S&P as of 5/31/2022.

Number of issuers in a given year whose rating has fallen from investment grade to speculative grade.



## **US HIGH YIELD CREDIT QUALITY TRENDS**



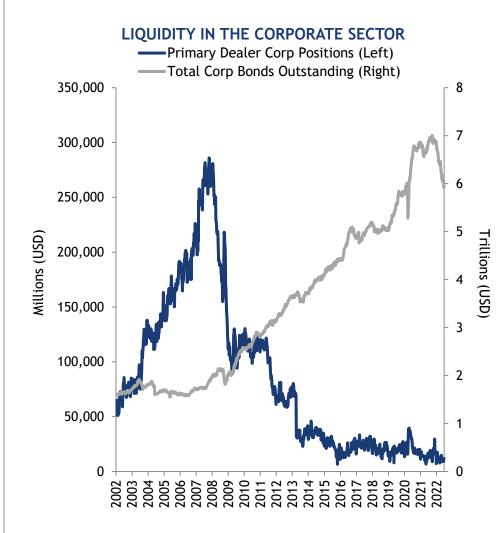


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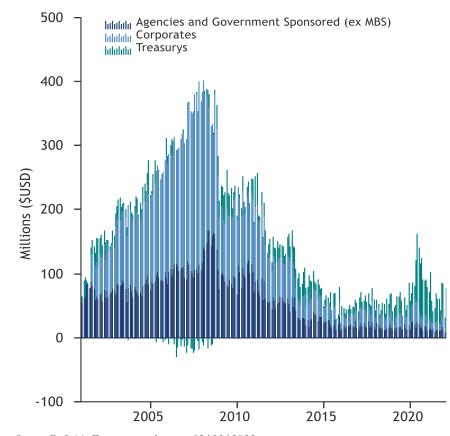
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# market illiquidity remains a concern



### US PRIMARY DEALER HOLDINGS



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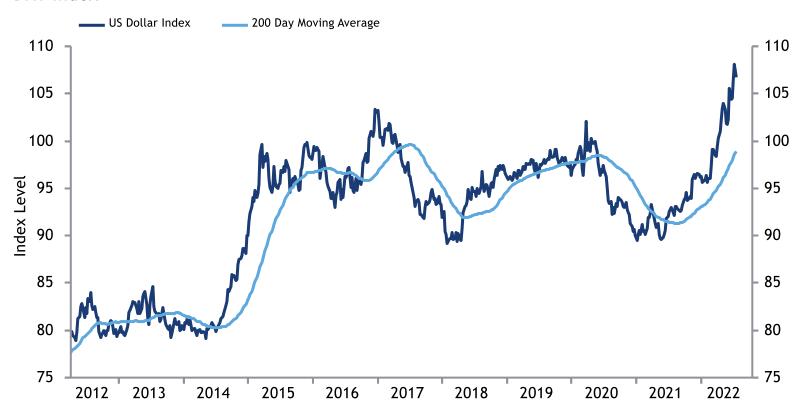
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## dollar strength continues

A HAWKISH FED AND POTENTIAL BUMPS IN THE GLOBAL GROWTH OUTLOOK MAKE IT DIFFICULT TO ARGUE FOR SIGNIFICANT DOLLAR WEAKNESS IN THE NEAR-TERM

### **DXY Index**



Source: Refinitiv Datastream, data as of 7/19/2022

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