ADVENT CLAYMORE CONVERTIBLE SECURITIES & INCOME FUND Form N-CSRS July 09, 2007

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-CSR

CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Investment Company Act file number 811-21309

Advent Claymore Convertible Securities and Income Fund

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

1065 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10018

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Robert White, Treasurer

1065 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10018

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: (212) 479-0675

Date of fiscal year end: October 31

Date of reporting period: April 30, 2007

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Item 1. Reports to Stockholders.

The registrant s semi-annual report transmitted to shareholders pursuant to Rule 30e-1 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 is as follows:

Fund Summary | As of April 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Fund Statistics

Share Price	\$ 27.88
Common Share Net Asset Value	\$ 27.89
Premium/(Discount) to NAV	-0.04%
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares (\$000)	\$ 656,290

Total Returns

(Inception 4/30/03)	Market	NAV
Six Months	9.17%	10.06%
One Year	24.53%	15.06%
Since Inception -average annual	13.09%	14.03%

Top Ten Sectors	% of Long- Term Investments
Financial Services	16.8%
Insurance	11.1%
Banking and Finance	7.5%
Electronic Equipment and Components	6.6%
Utilities - Gas and Electric	4.9%
Health Care Products and Services	4.9%
Pharmaceuticals	4.5%
Chemicals	3.7%
Oil and Gas	3.6%
Automotive	3.6%

% of Long-Term

Top Ten Issuers	Investments
Citigroup Funding, Inc.	3.5%
Lucent Technologies, Inc.	3.0%
E*Trade Financial Corp.	3.0%
XL Capital Ltd.	2.7%
Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	2.6%
Fortis Insurance NV	2.6%
Wells Fargo & Co.	2.5%
Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc.	2.5%
Entergy Corp.	2.5%
Peabody Energy Corp.	2.3%

Past performance does not guarantee future results. Portfolio information is subject to change daily.

Share Price & NAV Performance

Monthly Dividends Per Share

Portfolio Composition (% of Total Investments)

Portfolio of Investments | April 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Number of			** 1
Shares	Long Torm Investments 138 3%		Value
	Long-Term Investments 138.3% Convertible Preferred Stocks 69.9%		
	Aerospace and Defense 1.1%		
52,500	Northrop Grumman Corp., Ser. B, 7.00%, 2021	\$	7,285,425
32,300	Northrop Grunnian Corp., Sci. B, 7.00 %, 2021	Ψ	7,203,423
	Airlines 1.7%		
270,000	Continental Airlines Finance Trust II, 6.00%, 2030		10,833,750
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	Aluminum, Steel and Other Metals 3.5%		
10,000	Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc., Ser. B, 5.50%		15,371,250
70,000	Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc., 6.75%, 2010		7,597,800
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			22,969,050
			22,707,000
	Automotive 2.6%		
475,000	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 2032		17,005,000
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	Banking and Finance 9.7%		
145,594	BankUnited Financial Corp., 6.75%, 2010		7,112,267
300,000	Deutsche Bank AG, Ser. HZO, 8.00%, 2007 (United Kingdom)		6,504,000
103,000	Deutsche Bank AG, Ser. 144A, 8.00%, 2009 (United Kingdom) (a)		9,769,550
437,500	Marshall & Ilsley Corp., 6.50%, 2007		11,589,375
402,200	New York Community Capital Trust V, 6.00%, 2051		19,369,952
170,000	Washington Mutual, Inc., Equity Security Unit, 5.375%, 2041		9,358,500
			63,703,644
	Chemicals 2.6%		
400,000	Huntsman Corp., 5.00%, 2008		16,968,000
	Communications Equipment 3.3%		
20,900	Lucent Technologies Capital Trust I, 7.75%, 2017		21,775,187
	Financial Services 16.1%		
65,000	Affiliated Managers Group, Inc., 5.10%, 2036		3,656,250
250,000	Affiliated Managers Group, Inc., 5.10%, 2036 (a)		14,062,500
550,000	Citigroup Funding, Inc., Ser. GNW, 5.673%, 2008 (b)		18,562,500
150,000	Citigroup Funding, Inc., Ser. RIG, 6.50%, 2008		13,233,780
650,000	E*Trade Financial Corp., 6.125%, 2008		18,694,000
100 965	Fannie Mae, 5.375% Lehmen Prothers Heldings, Inc., Ser, UNIH, 2.00%, 2008		3,047,760
108,865 519,120	Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., Ser. UNH, 3.00%, 2008 Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., Ser. GIS, 6.25%, 2007		5,723,033 14,639,184
326,679	Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc., Ser. JNC, 6.75%, 2007 (c)		14,039,184
320,019	Month Lynch & Co., Inc., 301. 117C, 0.73 /0, 2007 (C)		17,575,670
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7,000	HealthSouth Corp., 6.50% (a)	7.036,750
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	Insurance 14.1%	
12,000	Alleghany Corp., 5.75%, 2009	4,072,500
50,000	Aspen Insurance Holdings, Ltd, Ser. AHL, 5.625% (Bermuda)	2,768,750
16,001	Fortis Insurance NV, 7.75%, 2008 (Netherlands)(a)	23,287,711
510,000	IPC Holdings, Ltd., 7.25%, 2008 (Bermuda)	14,407,500
437,003	MetLife, Inc., Ser. B, 6.375%, 2008	14,373,029
100,000	Platinum Underwriters Holdings, Ltd., 6.00%, 2009 (Bermuda)	3,243,000
70,000	Reinsurance Group of America, Equity Security Unit, 5.75%, 2051	5,460,000
900,000	XL Capital Ltd., 7.00%, 2009 (Cayman Islands)	24,660,000
		92,272,490
	Oil and Gas 1.6%	
38,035	Chesapeake Energy Corp., 6.25%, 2009	10,740,133
30,033	Chesapeare Energy Corp., 0.25 %, 2007	10,740,133
	Real Estate Investment Trusts 1.6%	
400,000	HRPT Properties Trust, Ser. D, 6.50%, 2049	10,348,000
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	Telecommunications 0.7%	
78,095	Crown Castle International Corp., 6.25%, 2012	4,490,463
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	Transportation 1.9%	
245,000	Bristow Group, Inc., 5.50%, 2009	12,556,250
	Utilities - Gas and Electric 6.8%	
83,082	AES Trust VII, 6.00%, 2008	4,206,026
325,000	Entergy Corp., 7.625%, 2009	22,522,500
20,000	NRG Energy, Inc., 5.75%, 2009	7,020,000
150,000	PNM Resources, Inc., 6.75%, 2008	8,172,000
50,000	Southern Union Co., Ser. 5.00%, 2008	2,798,000
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		44,718,526
	Waste Management 1.5%	
28,000	Allied Waste Industries, Inc., Ser. D, 6.25%, 2008	9,926,000
	Total Convertible Preferred Stocks - 69.9%	
	(Cost \$410,521,200)	458,621,551

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AVK | Advent Claymore Convertible Securities and Income Fund | Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) continued

Principal Amount	Consider Donale A2 A6	Value
	Convertible Bonds 43.4% Airlines 0.4%	
\$ 2,500,000	UAL Corp., NR	
Ψ 2,500,000	5.00%, 2/01/21, Convertible Debentures	\$ 2,639,375
	Aluminum, Steel and Other Metals 1.4%	
9,000,000	AngloGold Ashanti Holdings PLC, NR	
	2.375%, 2/27/09, Convertible Debentures (United Kingdom)	8,921,250
	Automotive 2.4%	
750,000	General Motors Corp., Ser. B, B-	
	5.25%, 3/06/32, Convertible Debentures	15,720,000
4.000.000	Banking and Finance 0.6%	
4,000,000	U.S. Bancorp Inc., AA	4.012.600
	3.60%, 9/20/36, Unsecured Subordinated Convertible Debentures (b)	4,013,600
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4.500.000	Commercial Services 1.8%	
4,500,000	Beazer Homes USA, Inc., BB 4.625%, 6/15/24, Senior Convertible Notes	4,387,500
3,000,000	Quanta Services, Inc., B	4,567,500
3,000,000	4.50%, 10/01/23, Subordinated Convertible Debentures	7,545,000
	1.50 %, 10/01/25, 5ubordinated Convertible Descritates	7,5 15,000
		11,932,500
		11,752,500
	Communications Equipment 0.8%	
5,000,000	Lucent Technologies, Inc., Ser. A, B+	
2,000,000	2.875%, 6/15/23, Senior Unsecured Convertible Debentures	5,250,000
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	Communications, Media and Entertainment 2.5%	
13,398,144	Liberty Media Corp., BB+	
	3.50%, 1/15/31, Convertible Notes	13,230,667
4,000,000	XM Satellite Radio Holdings, Inc., CCC-	
	1.75%, 12/1/09, Senior Convertible Note	3,470,000
		16,700,667
	Computer Services 1.4%	
9,000,000	Electronic Data Systems Corp., BBB-	
	3.875%, 7/15/23, Senior Convertible Notes	9,405,000
4 000 000	Computers - Software and Peripherals 1.9%	
4,000,000	Maxtor Corp., NR 6.80%, 4/30/10, Senior Unsubordinated Convertible Notes (c)	4 275 000
8,000,000	Novell, Inc., NR	4,375,000
0,000,000	0.50%, 7/15/24, Senior Convertible Debentures	7,930,000
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		12,305,000
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	Containers and Packaging 1.9%	
12,000,000	Sealed Air Corp., BBB	
, ,	3.00%, 6/30/33, Senior Convertible Notes (a)	12,645,000

	Diversified Metals and Mining 3.1%	
18,750,000	Peabody Energy Corporation, B	
10,750,000	4.75%, 12/15/66, Senior Unsecured Convertible Debenture	20,460,938
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	Electronic Equipment and Components 4.0%	
8,000,000	Fairchild Semiconductor International, Inc., B	
	5.00%, 11/01/08, Company Guarantee Notes	7,960,000
	Intel Corp., A-	
15,000,000	2.95%, 12/15/35, Subordinated Convertible Debentures (a)	13,725,000
5,000,000	2.95%, 12/15/35, Subordinated Convertible Debentures	4,575,000
		26,260,000
	Financial Services 5.9%	
16,000,000	CompuCredit Corp., NR	
	5.875%, 11/30/35, Senior Unsecured Convertible Notes	15,600,000
23,000,000	Wells Fargo & Co., AA+	
	5.11%, 5/01/33, Senior Convertible Notes (b)	23,061,410
		38,661,410
	Health Care Products and Services 3.4%	
13,000,000	Medtronic, Inc., AA-	42.040.000
	1.625%, 4/15/13, Senior Convertible Notes (a)	13,910,000
10,000,000	Omnicare, Inc., BB+	0.250.000
	3.25%, 12/15/35, Senior Convertible Notes	8,350,000
		22,260,000
0.000.000	Insurance 1.3%	
8,000,000	Prudential Financial, Inc., A+	9.505.440
	2.60%, 11/15/35, Senior Unsubordinated Convertible Notes (b)	8,525,440
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5 000 000	Leisure and Entertainment 0.5%	
5,000,000	Carnival Corp., A- 1.132%, 4/29/33, Senior Unsecured Convertible Debentures (Panama)(d)	3,512,500
	1.132%, 4/29/33, Selifor Offsecured Convertible Debendires (Fanania)(d)	3,312,300
	Oil and Gas 1.3%	
8,000,000	Chesapeake Energy Corp., BB	
8,000,000	2.75%, 11/15/35, Senior Convertible Notes	8,750,000
	2.75 %, 11/13/33, Scillor Conventible (votes	0,730,000
	Pharmaceuticals 6.3%	
5,000,000	Cubist Pharmaceuticals, Inc., NR	
3,000,000	2.25%, 6/15/13, Subordinated Convertible Notes	4,850,000
4,000,000	Invitrogen Corp., NR	1,020,000
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9,000,000	Teva Pharmaceutical Finance Co. BV, Ser. D, BBB	.,,
	1.75%, 2/01/26, Company Guarantee Notes (Israel)	8,786,250
25,000,000	Watson Pharmaceuticals, Inc., BB+	
	1.75%, 3/15/23, Senior Convertible Debentures	23,500,000
		41,086,250
	Telecommunications 1.2%	
	Level 3 Communications, Inc., CCC	
4,000,000	6.00%, 9/15/09, Subordinated Convertible Notes	3,975,000
4,000,000	6.00%, 3/15/10, Subordinated Convertible Notes	3,835,000

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	Waste Management 1.3%	
8,400,000	Allied Waste Industries, Inc., B+	
	4.25%, 4/15/34, Convertible Notes	8,179,500
	Total Convertible Bonds - 43.4%	
	(Cost \$269,157,343)	285,038,430

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AVK | Advent Claymore Convertible Securities and Income Fund | Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) continued

Principal Amount		Value
Amount	Corporate Bonds 21.7%	value
	Building Products 0.7%	
\$ 4,175,000	U.S. Concrete, Inc., B-	
	8.375%, 4/01/14, Senior Subordinated Notes	\$ 4,274,156
	Chemicals 2.5%	
10,000,000	Equistar Chemical/Funding, BB-	
	10.125%, 9/01/08, Senior Notes	10,600,000
5,600,000	Lyondell Chemical Co., B	
	10.875%, 5/01/09, Senior Subordinated Notes	5,670,000
		16,270,000
	Commercial Souriess 0.20	
2,000,000	Commercial Services 0.3% Beazer Homes USA, Inc., BB	
2,000,000	6.875%, 7/15/15, Senior Notes	1,850,000
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	Communications Equipment 0.8%	
5,166,000	Superior Essex Communications LLC/Essex Group, Inc., B+	
2,100,000	9.00%, 4/15/12, Senior Notes	5,398,470
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	Communications, Media and Entertainment 2.3%	
7,000,000	Cablevision Systems Corp., B+	
	8.00%, 4/15/12, Senior Notes	7,210,000
3,000,000	Rainbow National Services LLC, B+	
	8.75%, 9/01/12, Senior Notes (a)	3,217,500
3,174,750	Telenet Communications NV, B-	4 = 20 00 4
	9.00%, 12/15/13, Senior Notes (Belgium)(a)	4,738,934
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		15,166,434
	Computers - Software and Peripherals 1.0%	
\$ 6,000,000	SunGard Data Systems, Inc., B-	
,,.	10.25%, 8/15/15, Senior Subordinated Notes (c)	6,630,000
	Electronic Equipment and Components 4.7%	
7,144,000	Advanced Micro Devices, Inc., B+	
	7.75%, 11/01/12, Senior Notes	7,036,840
3,000,000	Clarke American Corp, B-	2 (20 200
10 (04 000	11.75%, 12/15/13, Senior Notes	3,639,300
10,684,000	Freescale Semiconductor, Inc., B 8.875%, 12/15/14, Senior Notes (a)(c)	10,750,775
9,000,000	Spansion, LLC, B	10,730,773
2,000,000	11.25%, 1/15/16, Senior Notes (a)(c)	9,360,000
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		30,786,915
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	Financial Services 1.2%	
7,727,000	E*Trade Financial Corp., BB-	
	8.00%, 6/15/11, Senior Notes	8,161,644
	Health Care Products and Services 1.7%	

6,500,000	DaVita, Inc., B	
0,500,000	7.25%, 3/15/15, Senior Subordinated Notes (c)	6,678,750
4,000,000	Hanger Orthopedic Group, Inc., CCC+	, ,
	10.25%, 6/01/14, Senior Notes	4,310,000
		10,988,750
	Leisure and Entertainment 0.7%	
4,500,000	Travelport, Inc., CCC+	4.025.500
	9.875%, 9/1/14, Senior Notes (a)	4,837,500
	0.00" Feet to the control of 50"	
3,500,000	Office Equipment 0.5% Xerox Capital Trust I, B+	
3,300,000	8.00%, 2/01/27, Company Guarantee Notes	3,587,500
	0.00%, 2/01/27, Company Guarantee Potes	3,507,500
	Oil and Gas 0.5%	
3,000,000	Williams Cos., Inc., BB	
	8.125%, 3/15/12, Senior Notes	3,285,000
	Publishing 0.5%	
2,940,000	Dex Media West, B	
	9.875%, 8/15/13, Senior Subordinated Notes	3,215,625
5 000 000	Retail - Apparel and Shoes 0.8%	
5,000,000	Levi Strauss & Co., B	5 497 500
	12.25%, 12/15/12, Senior Notes (c)	5,487,500
	Retail - Specialty Stores 0.8%	
5,000,000	Simmons Bedding Co., CCC+	
3,000,000	7.875%, 1/15/14, Senior Subordinated Notes	5,162,500
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	Telecommunications 2.7%	
	Alamosa Delaware, Inc., BBB	
3,298,000	11.00%, 7/31/10, Senior Notes	3,512,901
3,000,000	8.50%, 1/31/12, Senior Notes	3,166,476
7,673,000	Centennial Cellular Co., CCC	9 225 205
2,240,000	10.125%, 6/15/13, Company Guarantee Notes PanAmSat Corp., B	8,325,205
2,240,000	9.00%, 8/15/14, Company Guarantee Notes	2,430,400
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		17,434,982
	Total Corporate Bonds - 21.7%	
	(Cost \$134,609,354)	142,536,976
Number of		
Shares	Common Stock 1.6%	Value
	Oil and Gas 1.6%	
329,938	Crescent Point Energy Trust (Canada)	5,642,517
164,968	Harvest Energy Trust (Canada)	4,581,159
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	(Cost \$8,765,996)	10,223,676
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\$ 3,064,333	Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.		
	7.34%, 12/31/13, B+(b)	\$	3,072,690
3,990,000	HCA, Inc.		
	7.60%, 11/18/13, NR (b)		4,036,368
	WorldSpan, L.P. 1st Lien		
1,990,000	8.59%, 12/07/13, B (b)		2,000,199
2,000,000	8.61%, 12/07/13, B (b)		2,010,250
	(Cost \$11,144,254)		11,119,507
	Total Long-Term Investments - 138.3%		
	(Cost \$834,198,147)	(907,540,140
	(0000 400 1,170,117)		707,510,110
Number of			
Shares			Value
	Short-Term Investments 2.2%		
	Money Market Fund - 2.2%		
14,664,056	Goldman Sachs Financial Prime Obligations		
	(Cost \$14,664,056)	\$	14,664,056
	Total Investments 140.5%		
	(Cost \$848,862,203)	4	922,204,196
	Other assets in excess of liabilities 1.4%		9,085,404
	Preferred Stock, at redemption value (-41.9% of Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders or -29.8%		. ,,
	of Total Investments)	()	275,000,000)
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	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders 100.0%	\$ (656,289,600

LLC - Limited Liability Corp.

LP - Limited Partnership

Principal

Amount

Term Loans (Funded) - 1.7%

PLC -Public Limited Company

- (a) Securities are exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At April 30, 2007, these securities amounted to 19.4% of net assets.
- (b) Floating rate security. The rate shown is as of April 30, 2007.
- (c) Pursuant to a securities lending agreement, the Fund loaned all or a portion of these securities having an aggregate fair value of approximately \$33.0 million and received as collateral readily marketable securities with an aggregate fair value of approximately \$33.3 million.

Value

(d) Security is a step up bond where the coupon changes at a predetermined date. The rate shown is as of April 30, 2007. Ratings shown are per Standard & Poor s and are unaudited. Securities classified as NR are not rated by Standard & Poor s.

All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders unless otherwise noted.

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities | April 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Assets		
Investments in securities, at value (cost \$848,862,203)	\$ 923	2,204,196
Foreign currency, at value (cost \$96)	Ψ / 2-	100
Cash	1	1,183,225
Interest receivable		5,267,812
Dividends receivable		2,626,936
Net unrealized appreciation on interest rate swaps		17,963
Total assets	932	2,300,232
Liabilities		
Advisory fee payable		322,509
Dividends payable - preferred shares		308,396
Servicing fee payable		94,855
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		284,872
Total liabilities	1	1,010,632
Preferred Stock, at redemption value		
Auction Market Preferred Shares \$0.001 par value per share; 11,000 authorized, issued and outstanding at \$25,000 per share liquidation preference	275	5,000,000
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders	\$ 656	6,289,600
Composition of Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders		
Common Stock, \$0.001 par value per share; unlimited number of shares authorized, 23,531,322 shares issued and		
outstanding	\$	23,531
Additional paid-in capital	557	7,964,953
Net unrealized appreciation on investments, interest rate swaps and foreign currency translation		3,365,270
Accumulated net realized gain on investments, interest rate swaps and foreign currency transactions		1,462,074
Distributions in excess of net investment income	(6	5,526,228)
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders	\$ 656	5,289,600
Net Asset Value Applicable to Common Shareholders (based on 23,531,322 common shares outstanding)	\$	27.89

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Statement of Operations | For the six months ended April 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Investment Income		
Dividends	\$ 13,216,417	
Interest (net of foreign withholding taxes of \$37,404)	12,644,536	
Securities lending income	337,500	
Total income		\$ 26,198,453
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Expenses		
Advisory fee	2,448,046	
Servicing agent fee	952,018	
Preferred share maintenance	364,012	
Professional fees	109,153	
Printing	84,334	
Fund accounting	78,875	
Administration fee	72,608	
Trustees fees and expenses	68,080	
Custodian	55,617	
Transfer agent	54,012	
Insurance	35,956	
ICI dues	13,890	
Rating agency fee	7,421	
NYSE listing fee	6,128	
Miscellaneous	7,000	
Total expenses		4,357,150
Advisory and Servicing agent fees waived		(906,684)
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Net expenses		3,450,466
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Net investment income		22,747,987
Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments,		
Interest Rate Swaps and Foreign Currency Transactions:		
Net realized gain (loss) on:		
Investments		30,040,703
Interest rate swaps		(43,659)
Foreign currency transactions		(4,519)
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on:		
Investments		15,628,455
Interest rate swaps		213,412
Foreign currency translation		5,356
Net realized and unrealized gain on investments, interest rate swaps and foreign currency transactions		45,839,748
Distributions to Preferred Shareholders from Net investment income		(7,148,132)
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Net Increase in Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders Resulting from Operations		\$ 61,439,603
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Statement of Changes in Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders |

				For the
	Ende	the Six Months ed April 30, 2007 (unaudited)	Year Ended October 31, 2006	
Increase in Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders Resulting from Operations:				
Net investment income	\$	22,747,987	\$	46,535,741
Net realized gain on investments, interest rate swaps and foreign currency transactions		29,992,525		39,107,932
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments, interest rate swaps and				
foreign currency translation		15,847,223		13,824,426
Distributions to Preferred Shareholders from:				
Net investment income		(7,148,132)		(13,015,402)
Net increase in net assets applicable to Common Shareholders resulting from operations		61,439,603		86,452,697
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Dividends and Distributions to Common Shareholders from:				
Net investment income		(24,597,741)		(60,143,402)
Capital gains		(11,762,566)		(00,110,102)
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		(36,360,307)		(60,143,402)
Capital Share Transactions:				
Reinvestment of dividends		3,827,471		1,004,265
Adjustment to previously accrued offering costs				71,547
Net increase from capital share transactions		3,827,471		1,075,812
Total increase in net assets		28,906,767		27,385,107
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shareholders				
Beginning of period		627,382,833		599,997,726
End of period (including distributions in excess of net investment income and undistributed net				
investment income of (\$6,526,228) and \$2,471,658, respectively)	\$	656,289,600	\$	627,382,833
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Financial Highlights |

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Per share operating performance for a share of common stock outstanding throughout the period	Six Months Ended April 30, 2007 (unaudited)		For the Year Ended October 31, 2006		For the Year Ended October 31, 2005		For the Year Ended October 31, 2004		April 30, 2003 ^(a) through October 31, 2003	
Net asset value, beginning of period	\$	26.82	\$	25.69	\$	26.10	\$	26.14 _(b)	\$	23.88 _(b)
Income from investment operations										
Net investment income ^(c)		0.97		1.99		2.33		2.41		0.93
Net realized and unrealized gain on										
investments, interest rate swaps and foreign										
currency transactions		1.95		2.28		0.10		0.08		2.28
Dividends to preferred shareholders from										
net investment income (common share										
equivalent basis)		(0.30)		(0.56)		(0.35)		(0.15)		(0.03)
Total from investment operations		2.62		3.71		2.08		2.34		3.18
Common and preferred shares offering										
expenses charged to paid-in-capital in excess				*				(0.05)		(0.06)
of par value				ጥ				(0.05)		(0.06)
Dividends and distributions to Common Shareholders										
Net investment income		(1.05)		(2.58)		(2.49)		(2.15)		(0.86)
Net realized gain		(0.50)						(0.18)		
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Total dividends and distributions to Common Shareholders		(1.55)		(2.50)		(2.40)		(2.22)		(0.96)
Shareholders		(1.55)		(2.58)		(2.49)		(2.33)		(0.86)