NB GLOBAL CORPORATE INCOME TRUST (ASX: NBI)

Global • Income • Diversification



MONTHLY INVESTMENT REPORT – AS OF 31 JULY 2020

INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE & STRATEGY

- Aims to provide a consistent and stable monthly income stream
- · Invests in high yield bonds issued by large, liquid global companies
- Strong emphasis on capital preservation by focusing on credit quality

Market Review and Outlook

Despite a sustained upward trend in new COVID-19 cases, the recovery in markets and the economy remained intact as economic data continued to improve over July. The July employment report in the U.S. surprised to the upside for the third consecutive month, with non-farm payrolls, average hourly earnings and the jobless rate exceeded market expectations. Second-quarter U.S. GDP was down 32.9% QoQ, slightly better than the consensus. As widely expected, the Federal Reserve left policy unchanged following their late July meeting. Elsewhere, the ECB similarly left policy unchanged following their July meeting, with ECB President Christine Lagarde emphasizing the bank's willingness to remain supportive despite early signs of recovery within the Eurozone.

The global high yield market, represented by the ICE BofA Global High Yield Index posted a solid 3.63% total return during the month of July. The market rally was mainly driven by better-than-feared earnings results, discussions for an extension of fiscal support and positive news on the vaccine front.

Our primary goal in the near term remains one of avoiding default risk. While uncertainty around the pandemic and the mixed nature of the reopening of the economy as well as geopolitical tensions could result in pockets of short-term volatility, we believe our portfolio is well positioned given our deep, fundamental research focus. We will continue to look to tactically take advantage of any volatility to add to credits with more stable and improving fundamentals and compelling valuations.

NBI Review

NBI holds a diversified portfolio of corporate high yield bonds issued by large, liquid global companies. Over the month, the portfolio modestly reduced its position in Media. In terms of credit quality, the portfolio modestly reduced its position in BBB and Above rated bonds and modestly increased its position in BB and B rated bonds where we see value. NBI continued to experience no defaults in its portfolio.

As of end of July, NBI returned 4.27% and announced a monthly distribution of 0.696 cents per Unit, which represents an annualised distribution of 4.50% (net of fees and expenses).

PERFORMANCE (NET)²

31 July 2020	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	Since Inception ³
Total Return (%) 4	4.27	12.69	-3.05	0.58	3.86

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NTA PER UNIT / ASX UNIT PRICE PERFORMANCE



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- NTA per Unit ----- ASX Unit Price

RESEARCH









Listing Date26 September 2018Market Cap\$757.74 millionNet Tangible Assets (NTA)\$860.93 millionASX Unit Price\$1.70NTA per Unit\$1.93 (cum)

4.50% (net)

TRUST FACTS

Distributions Monthly

Target Distribution¹

Management costs 0.85% p.a.

Responsible Entity Equity Trustees Limited

Manager Neuberger Berman Australia Limited

ABOUT NEUBERGER BERMAN

- Founded in 1939; a private, independent, employee-owned investment manager
- US\$357 billion in AUM as of June 30, 2020
- Located in 35 cities with 19 portfolio management centers across 24 countries
- The firm has considered ESG in investment processes as far back as the 1940s. For more information, please visit www.nb.com/esg

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PLATFORMS

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SECTOR ALLOCATION

TOP 10 COUNTRY ALLOCATION

CREDIT QUALITY⁵



■ Healthcare, 7.5% ■ Services, 7.1%

■ Leisure, 8.1%

- Telecommunications, 6.6%
- Real Estate, 5.8% ■ Capital Goods, 5.7% ■ Gas-Distribution, 5.4%
- Automotive 5.2% ■ Media. 4.8%
- Banking, 4.4%
- Technology & Electronics, 4.1%
- Energy Exploration & Production, 4.1%
- Chemicals, 3.9% ■ Financial Services, 3.3%
- Energy Others, 3.3%
- Metals/Mining Excluding Steel, 3.1%
- Utility, 2.8%
- Retail, 2.5%
- Others, 7.0%
- Consumer Goods, 2.7% ■ Building Materials, 2.3%



TOTAL RETURNS (NET) (%) 2,4

	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total
FY2019	-	-	-	-1.14 ⁶	-0.87	-1.74	4.71	1.94	1.09	1.48	-1.20	3.07	7.38
FY2020	-0.70	0.04	0.85	0.33	0.69	1.94	-0.15	-2.05	-16.81	5.58	6.17	1.80	-4.22
FY2021	4.27												

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DISTRIBUTIONS(¢/unit)7

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	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Total	Annualised Distribution Rate ⁸
FY2019	-	-	-	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	0.875	2.469	9.47	6.24%
FY2020	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.899	0.971	10.86	5.28%
FY2021	0.696													4.50%

TOP 10 ISSUERS	SECTOR	%
Ford Motor Co	Automotive	2.48
Numericable Group	Telecommunications	2.45
Petrobras	Energy - Others	1.43
TransDigm Inc	Capital Goods	1.17
CIT Group Inc	Banking	1.14
Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd.	Healthcare	1.04
Targa Resources Partners	Gas-Distribution	0.99
Commscope Holding CO Inc	Technology & Electronics	0.92
AssuredPartners Inc.	Insurance	0.90
Merlin Entertainment PLC	Leisure	0.90

BOND PORTFOLIO SUMMARY

Number of Holdings	510
Number of Issuers	340
Yield to Maturity (%)9	6.35
Yield to Worst (%) ¹⁰	6.08
Weighted Average Duration (years)	3.92
Average Credit Quality	B+
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- For FY2021, NBI has set the target distribution amount per Unit, which is paid monthly by NBI, at 4.50% p.a. (net of fees and expenses) on the NTA per Unit as at 1 July 2020 ("Target Distribution"). The Target Distribution is only a target and may not be achieved. Actual distributions will be monitored against the Target Distribution. The Target Distribution will be formally reviewed at least annually (as at the end of each financial year) and any change in Target Distribution will be notified by way of ASX announcement as required. Investors should review the "Risk Factors" set out in Section 8 of NBI's product disclosure statement dated 21 January 2020 ("2020 PDS"). Section 3.3.1 of the 2020 PDS sets out the Manager's views in relation the interest rate environment and impact on target distributions.
- Performance is calculated net of management costs, which includes the Responsible Entity fee, the Management fee, the Administration fee, along with custodian, audit and legal fees and other transactional and operational costs. Investors should review the PDS for full details of NBI, including, in particular, the "Fees and Other Costs" section of the PDS.
- Annualised Performance since 26 September 2018 to latest month end.
- Total Return is calculated based on the pre-distribution month end NTA and assumes all distributions are reinvested.
- Credit quality ratings are based on the Bank of America ("BofA") Merrill Lynch Master High Yield Index composite ratings. The BofA Merrill Lynch composite ratings are updated once a month on the last calendar day of the month based on information available up to and including the third business day prior to the last business day of the month. The BotA Merrill Lynch composite rating algorithm is based on an average of the ratings of three agencies (to the extent rated). Generally the composite is based on an average of Moody's, S&P and Fitch. For holdings that are unrated by the BofA Merrill Lynch Index composite, credit quality ratings are based on S&P's rating. Holdings that are unrated by S&P may be assigned an equivalent rating by the investment manager. No NRSO has been involved with the calculation of credit quality and the ratings of underlying portfolio holdings should not be viewed as a rating of the portfolio itself. Portfolio holdings, underlying ratings of holdings and credit quality composition may change materially over time.
- Calculated from the listing date of 26 September 2018 to 31 October 2018.
- The most recent distribution amount has been announced, and will be paid in the following month.
- FY2019 based on the Initial Public Offer Subscription Price of \$2.00; FY2020 based on the NTA per Unit as at 1 July 2019; FY2021 based on the NTA per Unit as at 1 July 2020.
- Yield to Maturity The total annualised return anticipated on a bond if it is held until the end of its lifetime. Yield to maturity is considered a long-term bond yield, but is expressed as an annual rate.
- Yield to Worst The lowest potential annualised total return that can be received on a bond without the issuer defaulting. This can be different from the yield to maturity because it assumes that the issuer 10 will exercise any option it has to "call" the security at the earliest opportunity (to redeem and repay the principal value to an investor early).

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