

PARTNERS GROUP GLOBAL INCOME FUND (ASX:PGG) Monthly report as of 28.02.2023

Listing date

capitalization

Total NTA

ASX price

Leverage (%)

Distribution

frequency

Market

Target distribution	Current distribution	Yield to 3yr	# of loans
RBA+4.0%	RBA+6.5%	15.8%	369

Key facts
In AUD 28.02.2023

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39.00%

Monthly

The target distribution is only a target and may not be met.

Net performance based on NTA (%)									
	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years	Since inception		
Growth	0.83%	3.77%	0.29%	-6.21%	-2.96%	-	-3.02%		
Distribution	0.68%	2.10%	3.99%	6.80%	5.55%	-	5.19%		
Total return	1.51%	5.87%	4.29%	0.60%	2.59%	-	2.18%		

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Monthly distribution based on \$2.00 issue price (%)													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
2021	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.7%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	4.4%
2022	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.3%	0.4%	0.8%	0.4%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	0.6%	0.6%	5.7%
2023	0.6%	0.6%	_	-	-	_	-	-	-	-	-	_	1.2%

NTA per unit 1.80

Net performance since inception									
	2.50								
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Price (AUD)	1.50								
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	0.50								
	0.00	06/20	12/20	06/21	12/21	06/22	12/22	. 02/23	
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Responsible entity Equity Trustees
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Monthly update

Portfolio activity¹

New/increased exposures: 12

Exited/reduced exposures: 10

In February, the monthly net performance (change in NTA plus distribution made) per unit was +1.51%. PGG continues to distribute its distribution target of RBA +4% per annum.

During the month, the Fund outperformed the Global Loan Index² by 77bps, resulting in a significant year-to-date outperformance of 183bps. Credit selection was the main driver of monthly outperformance across ratings, sectors and countries. In terms of ratings, the underweight exposure towards high rated credits and overweight exposure in lower rated credits contributed positively towards relative performance. As a result, the weighted average price of the Fund increased from 93.1 to 93.8, and the current yield now stands at 11.3%.

During the month, the Underlying Fund invested in a US generic pharmaceutical pharmacy, which has made several strategic acquisitions that broadened distribution and bolstered key capabilities. The company benefits from greater stability and an improved leverage profile. The portfolio also invested in a high conviction credit through an amend-and-extend transaction of the largest European supplier of industrial maintenance services which extended the maturity of their debt from 2024 to 2026, which provided a margin uplift of 100bps. The company benefits from its market leadership across Europe resulting in scale advantage and robust synergy potential. The Fund has reduced or exited positions in some first lien loans with depreciating fundamentals: a company that provides infrastructure construction and support services, and a provider of integrated software application to the pharmaceutical industry. The Fund also reduced its exposure to a large paper manufacturer by selling fixed rate bonds which experienced significant capital appreciation and were traded at a very attractive price of 109. The portfolio benefited from one repayment in February: a leading funeral services provider in the Iberian market.

The Fund did not experience any defaults in February and all portfolio companies continued to pay their interest accordingly. The portfolio continues to be fully deployed.

Market activity

The strength in European and US loans have exceeded expectations this year, backed by solid technical support from the asset class. Following the strong start to the year for high yield credit markets in January, February painted a more challenging picture. A combination of strong jobs data as well as persistent inflation led to rates expectations ratcheting higher both in Europe and the US. Global Loans once again showed their relative resilience in the face of rising interest rates, recording positive returns over the month at +0.74% (AUD hedged). The performance was mainly driven by interest income and to a lesser extent capital appreciation. Similar to the theme that emerged in January, lower rated loans outperformed loans in higher rating categories.

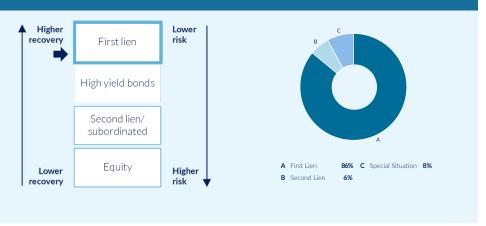
In the primary market, issuance has not stepped up to meet demand and remains largely dominated by refinancing and amend-and-extend activities. By their nature, refinancing and amend-and-extend do not provide much in terms of new money, but they do help to reprice portfolios and provide extra runway for sponsors as they manage their exit plans in an uncertain economic environment. Global issuance totalled USD36.8 billion in February, relatively in line with the same period last year and up by 68% compared to the previous month.

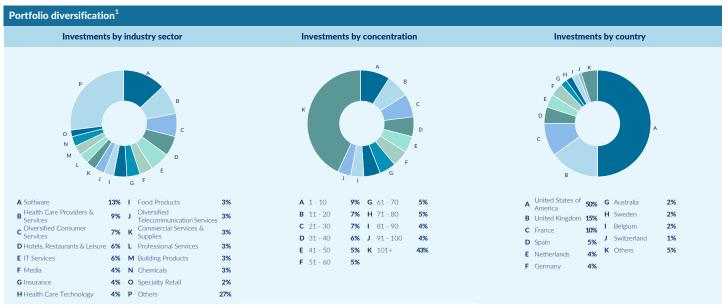
Portfolio strategy¹

The investment objective is to provide monthly income through exposure to a diversified pool of global private debt investments.

The investment strategy is to access a diversified portfolio of private debt investments through active origination, portfolio construction and risk management. The strategy will be implemented by dynamically allocating investments across the following three distinct private debt strategies:

- The First Lien loan strategy, representing 60-100%
- The Second Lien and Subordinated loan strategy, representing 0-20%
- The Special Situations strategy, representing 0-





Largest 10 companies			
Company name	Country	Industry sector	In %
Froneri	United Kingdom	Food Products	1.3%
RLDatix	United States of America	Health Care Technology	1.1%
Hotelbeds	Spain	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	1.1%
Motor Fuel Group	United Kingdom	Specialty Retail	1.0%
Parques Reunidos	Spain	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure	1.0%
HelpSystems	United States of America	Software	0.9%
Nestle Skin Health	Switzerland	Personal Products	0.9%
Sivantos	United States of America	Health Care Equipment & Supplies	0.9%
Nord Anglia Education	United Kingdom	Diversified Consumer Services	0.9%
Upstream Rehabilitation	United States of America	Health Care Providers & Services	0.8%
Total largest 10 companies			9.9%
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