BLACKROCK BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST INC

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CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

Investment Company Act file number: 811-07250 The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. ______ (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter) 100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington, DE (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code) Robert S. Kapito, President The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. 40 East 52nd Street, New York, NY 10022 (Name and address of agent for service) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (302) 797-2449 Date of fiscal year end: 10/31/03 Date of reporting period: 4/30/03 ITEM 1. REPORTS TO STOCKHOLDERS. The Trust's semi-annual report transmitted to shareholders pursuant to Rule 30e-1 under the Investment Company Act of 1940 is as follows: BlackRock Closed-End Funds Semi-Annual Report APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED) BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust (BCT) BlackRock Core Bond Trust (BHK) BlackRock High Yield Trust (BHY)

BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust (BNA)

BlackRock Income Trust (BKT)

BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust (BHD)

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PRIVACY PRINCIPLES OF THE TRUSTS

The Trusts are committed to maintaining the privacy of shareholders and to safeguarding their non-public personal information. The following information is provided to help you understand what personal information the Trusts collect, how we protect that information and why, in certain cases, we may share information with select other parties.

Generally, the Trusts do not receive any non-public personal information relating to their shareholders, although certain non-public personal information

of shareholders may become available to the Trusts. The Trusts do not disclose any non-public personal information about their shareholders or former shareholders to anyone, except as permitted by law or as is necessary in order to service shareholder accounts (for example, to a transfer agent or third party administrator).

The Trusts restrict access to non-public personal information about their shareholders to BlackRock employees with a legitimate business need for the information. The Trusts maintain physical, electronic and procedural safeguards designed to protect the non-public personal information of their shareholders.

LETTER TO SHAREHOLDERS

May 31, 2003

Dear Shareholder:

We are pleased to report that during the semi-annual period, the Trusts continued to provide monthly income, as well as the opportunity to invest in various portfolios of fixed income securities. This report contains the Trusts' unaudited financial statements and a listing of the portfolios' holdings.

The portfolio management team continuously monitors the fixed income markets and adjusts the portfolios in order to gain exposure to various issuers and security types. This strategy enables the Trusts to move among different sectors, credits and coupons to capitalize on changing market conditions.

The following table shows the Trusts' yields, closing market prices per share and net asset values ("NAV") per share as of April 30, 2003.

TRUST	YIELD(1)	MARKET PRICE	NAV
BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust (BCT)		\$16.40	\$16.98
BlackRock Core Bond Trust (BHK)		14.88	15.31
BlackRock High Yield Trust (BHY)	11.30	10.29	6.55
BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust (BNA)		11.17	12.27
BlackRock Income Trust (BKT)	7.59	8.07	7.55
BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust (BHD)	9.83		14.27

(1) Yield is based on market price.

BlackRock, Inc. ("BlackRock"), a world leader in asset management, has a proven commitment to fixed income. As of March 31, 2003, BlackRock managed \$187 billion in bonds, including 16 open-end and 44 closed-end bond funds. BlackRock is recognized for its emphasis on risk management and proprietary

analytics and for its reputation managing money for the world's largest institutional investors. BlackRock Advisors, Inc., which manages the Trusts, is a wholly owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc.

On behalf of BlackRock, we thank you for your continued trust and assure you that we remain committed to excellence in managing your assets.

Sincerely,

/s/ Laurence D. Fink

Laurence D. Fink Chief Executive Officer BlackRock Advisors, Inc. /s/ Ralph L. Schlosstein

Ralph L. Schlosstein President BlackRock Advisors, Inc.

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BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust

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Symbol on American Stock Exchange:	BCT
Initial Offering Date:	June 17, 1993
Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03:	\$16.40
Net Asset Value as of 4/30/03:	\$16.98
Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$16.40):(1)	5.49%
Current Monthly Distribution per Share: (2)	\$ 0.075
Current Annualized Distribution per Share: (2)	\$ 0.900

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price.
- (2) The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

	4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW
MARKET PRICE	\$16.40	\$16.18	1.36%	\$16.55	\$15.84

\$16.98 \$17.33 (2.02)% \$17.38 \$16.86

The following charts show the Trust's asset composition and credit quality allocations:

SECTOR BREAKDO	WN	
COMPOSITION	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002
U.S. Government and Agency Securities	49%	36%
Agency Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs	14	18
Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages	13	18
Corporate Bonds	9	10
Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	7	8
Taxable Municipal Bonds	5	5
Mortgage Pass-Throughs	2	2
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	1	1
Asset-Backed Securities		2
RATING % OF CORPOR.	ATES*	
CREDIT RATING	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002
AAA/Aaa	10%	8%
AA/Aa	22	19
A	40	42

BBB/Baa

NAV

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^{*} Using the higher of Standard & Poor's ("S&P"), Moody's Investors Service ("Moody's") or Fitch Ratings ("Fitch") rating. Corporate bonds represented approximately 11.4% and 13.3% of net assets on April 30, 2003 and October 31, 2002, respectively.

APRIL 30, 2003

BlackRock Core Bond Trust

TRUST INFORMATION

ВНК
November 27, 2001
\$14.88
\$15.31
8.06%
\$ 0.10
\$ 1.20

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price.
- (2) The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

	4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW
MARKET PRICE	\$14.88	\$13.82	7.67%	\$14 . 95	\$13.45
NAV	\$15.31	\$14.33	6.84%	\$15.31	\$14.36

The following charts show the Trust's asset composition and credit quality allocations:

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SECTOR BREAKDOWN				
COMPOSITION	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002		
Corporate Bonds	48%	44%		
Mortgage Pass-Throughs	26	28		
U.S. Government and Agency Securities	12	17		
Foreign Government Bonds	8	3		
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	3	6		
Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	2	2		
Taxable Municipal Bonds	1			

	RATING % OF CORPORATES*	
CREDIT RATING	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002
AAA/Aaa	11%	14%
AA/Aa	6	6
A	23	20
BBB/Baa	18	18
BB/Ba	12	10
В	27	29
CCC/Caa	3	1
Not Rated		2

^{*} Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating. Corporate bonds represented approximately 67.8% and 62.1% of net assets on April 30, 2003 and October 31, 2002, respectively.

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BlackRock High Yield Trust

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Symbol on New York Stock Exchange:	ВНҮ
Initial Offering Date:	December 23, 1998
Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03:	\$10.29
Net Asset Value as of 4/30/03:	\$ 6.55
Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$10.29):(1)	11.30%
Current Monthly Distribution per Share: (2)	\$ 0.096875
Current Annualized Distribution per Share: (2)	\$ 1.162500

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the annualized distribution per share as of April 30, 2003 by the closing market price.
- (2) Effective June 2, 2003, the monthly distribution per share has been changed to \$0.0905. The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

	4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW
MARKET PRICE	\$10.29	\$8.68	18.55%	\$10.50	\$7.91
NAV	\$ 6.55	\$6.13	6.85%	\$ 6.55	\$6.02

The following chart shows the Trust's credit quality allocations:

	RATING % OF CORPORATES*	
CREDIT RATING		OCTOBER 31, 2002
BBB/Baa	%	4%
BB/Ba	16	18
В	60	62
CCC/Caa	18	10
CC/Ca	1	3
С	1	
Not Rated	4	3

^{*} Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating. Corporate bonds represented approximately 140.9% and 144.5% of net assets on April 30, 2003 and October 31, 2002, respectively.

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BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust

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Symbol on New York Stock Exchange:	BNA
Initial Offering Date:	December 20, 1991
Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03:	\$11.17
Net Asset Value as of 4/30/03:	\$12.27
Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$11.17):(1)	7.52%
Current Monthly Distribution per Share: (2)	\$ 0.07
Current Annualized Distribution per Share:(2)	\$ 0.84

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price.
- (2) The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

	4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW
MARKET PRICE	\$11.17	\$10.50	6.38%	\$11.20	\$10.37
NAV	\$12 . 27	\$11.83	3.72%	\$12.27	\$11.65

The following charts show the Trust's asset composition and credit quality allocations:

SECTOR BREAKDOWN						
COMPOSITION	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002				
Corporate Bonds	52%	30%				
Mortgage Pass-Throughs	37	55				
U.S. Government and Agency Securities	5	7				
Federal Housing Administration	3	4				
Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	1	1				
Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages	1	1				
Principal Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	1	2				

	RATING % OF CORPORATES*	
CREDIT RATING	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002
AAA/Aaa	9%	14%

AA/Aa	12	8
A	21	21
BBB/Baa	21	13
BB/Ba	16	24
В	20	20
CCC/Caa	1	

* Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating. Corporate bonds represented approximately 73.4% and 40.9% of net assets on April 30, 2003 and October 31, 2002, respectively.

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BlackRock Income Trust

TRUST INFORMATION

Symbol on New York Stock Exchange:	BKT
Initial Offering Date:	July 22, 1988
Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03:	\$8.07
Net Asset Value as of 4/30/03:	\$7.55
Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$8.07):(1)	7.59%
Current Monthly Distribution per Share: (2)	\$0.051042
Current Annualized Distribution per Share:(2)	\$0.612504

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the current annualized distribution per share by the closing market price.
- (2) The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW

MARKET PRICE	\$8.07	\$8.07		\$8.17	\$7.80
NAV	\$7.55	\$8.13	(7.13)%	\$8.09	\$7.48

The following chart shows the Trust's asset composition:

SECTOR BREAKDOWN

COMPOSITION	APRIL 30, 2003	OCTOBER 31, 2002
Mortgage Pass-Throughs	43%	48%
U.S. Government and Agency Securities	20	16
Principal Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	11	8
Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages	8	9
Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities	8	8
FHA Project Loans	4	5
Agency Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs	2	2
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	2	2
Non-Agency Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Through	s 1	1
Adjustable Rate Mortgage Securities		1
Other	1	

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BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust

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Symbol on New York Stock Exchange: Initial Offering Date: Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03: Net Asset Value as of 4/30/03: Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$14.65):(1) Yield on Closing Market Price as of 4/30/03 (\$14.65):(1) Current Monthly Distribution per Share:(2) \$ 0.12

Current Annualized Distribution per Share: (2) \$ 1.44

- (1) Yield on closing market price is calculated by dividing the annualized distribution per share as of April 30, 2003 by the closing market price.
- (2) Effective June 2, 2003, the monthly distribution per share has been changed to \$0.13. The distribution is not constant and is subject to change.

The table below summarizes the changes in the Trust's market price and NAV:

	4/30/03	10/31/02	CHANGE	HIGH	LOW
MARKET PRICE	\$14.65	\$12.35	18.62%	\$14.70	\$12.41
NAV	\$14.27	\$12.63	12.98%	\$14.27	\$12.91

The following chart shows the Trust's credit quality allocations:

RATING % OF CORPORATES*		
CREDIT RATING	APRIL 30, 2003	·
AAA/Aaa	1%	1%
AA/Aa	4	6
А	11	10
BBB/Baa	10	12
BB/Ba	27	29
В	44	41
CCC/Caa	2	
Not Rated	1	1

^{*} Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating. Corporate bonds represented approximately 142.0% and 143.4% of net assets on April 30, 2003 and October 31, 2002, respectively.

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CONSOLIDATED PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust

	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	
RATING(1) 	(000)	DESCRIPTION
		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS130.8%
		MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS2.5%
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	\$1,085	5.50%, 1/01/17 - 2/01/17
	108	6.50%, 7/01/29
		Total Mortgage Pass-Throughs
		AGENCY MULTIPLE CLASS MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS17.6%
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	2,168	Ser. 1510, Class G, 5/15/13
	400	Ser. 1534, Class IG, 2/15/10
	253	Ser. 1601, Class SD, 10/15/08
	233	Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	405	Ser. 13, Class SJ, 2/25/09
	180	Ser. 43, Class E, 4/25/22
	1,000	Ser. 49, Class H, 4/25/13
	30	Ser. 69, Class Z, 1/25/22
	3 , 146	Ser. 87, Class J, 4/25/22
	629	Ser. 214, Class SK, 12/25/08
		Total Agency Multilple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs
		INVERSE FLOATING RATE MORTGAGES17.2%
AAA	462	Citicorp Mortgage Securities, Inc., Ser. 14, Class A-4, 11/25/23
AAA	550	Countrywide Funding Corp., Ser. 2, Class A-12S, 2/25/09
AAA	723	Countrywide Mortgage-Backed Securities, Inc., Ser. D, Class A-15, 1/25/0
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	336	Ser. 1425, Class SB, 12/15/07
	193	Ser. 1506, Class S, 5/15/08
	255	Ser. 1515, Class S, 5/15/08
	37	Ser. 1580, Class SD, 9/15/08
	232	Ser. 1618, Class SA, 11/15/08
	395	Ser. 1621, Class SH, 11/15/22
	445	Ser. 1626, Class SA, 12/15/08
	329	Ser. 1661, Class SB, 1/15/09
	481	Ser. 1688, Class S, 12/15/13
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	8	Ser. 156, Class SE, 10/25/19
	528	Ser. 187, Class SB, 10/25/07
	381	Ser. 190, Class S, 11/25/07
	433	Ser. 191, Class SD, 10/25/08
	354	Ser. 202, Class VB, 11/25/23
	453	Ser. 214, Class SH, 12/25/08
AAA	600	PaineWebber Mortgage Acceptance Corp., Ser. 6, Class A-9, 4/25/09
		Residential Funding Mortgage Securities I, Inc.,
AAA	323	Ser. S23, Class A-12, 6/25/08
AAA	334	Ser. S23, Class A-16, 6/25/08
		Total Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages

INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES--9.2%

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Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
  3
     Ser. 65, Class I, 8/15/20 .....
     Ser. 141, Class H, 5/15/21 .....
  1
  4
     Ser. 1114, Class J, 7/15/06 ......
  3
     Ser. 1285, Class M, 5/15/07 .....
1,321
     Ser. 1645, Class IB, 9/15/08 ......
1,465
     Ser. 2063, Class PU, 10/15/26 ......
3,177
     Ser. 2081, Class S, 5/15/25 ......
     Ser. 2306, Class PM, 5/15/26 .....
1,889
3,224
     Ser. 2370, Class EI, 2/15/21 .....
5,308
     Ser. 2376, Class MI, 7/15/11 .....
     Ser. 2417, Class EI, 3/15/12 ......
2,137
     Ser. 2462, Class NI, 8/15/21 ......
1,728
     Ser. 2513, Class BI, 12/15/15 .....
3,235
     Ser. 2542, Class IY, 5/15/16 ......
3,100
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See Notes to Financial Statements.

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- ' '	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
		INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES(CONT'D)
	\$ 2 , 688	Ser. 2543, Class IJ, 10/15/12
	4,000	Ser. 2543, Class IM, 9/15/12
	5 , 419	Ser. 2572, Class IT, 5/15/19
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	1	Ser. G-21, Class L, 7/25/21
	9	Ser. 8, Class HA, 1/25/08
	1,357	Ser. 9, Class IB, 5/25/27
	2,117	Ser. 14, Class PI, 4/25/12
	918	Ser. 20, Class SL, 9/25/08
	5,007	Ser. 22, Class SE, 11/25/23
	517	Ser. 29, Class BE, 5/25/28
	597	Ser. 30, Class QG, 12/18/25
	243	Ser. 39, Class PE, 1/25/23
	898	Ser. 42, Class SO, 3/25/23
	23	Ser. 49, Class L, 4/25/13
	23	Ser. 51, Class K, 4/25/07
	3	Ser. 72, Class H, 7/25/06
	4,272	Ser. 80, Class PI, 9/25/23
	2,000	Ser. 82, Class IR, 9/25/12
	1,463	Ser. 90, Class M, 1/25/28
	15	Ser. 174, Class S, 9/25/22
	458	Ser. 194, Class PV, 6/25/08
	3,334	Ser. 208, Class S, 2/25/23
	508	Ser. 223, Class PT, 10/25/23
	267	PNC Mortgage Securities Corp., Ser. 8, Class 4-X, 10/25/13
	446	Residential Funding Mortgage Securities I, Inc., Ser. S44, Class A-4, 11/

Structured Asset Securities Corp., Ser. ALS1, Class 3AX, 5/25/29

Vendee Mortgage Trust, Ser. 1, Class 1IO, 10/15/31

9,549

30,900

		Total Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities
		PRINCIPAL ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES0.1%
Aaa	66	Salomon Brothers Mortgage Securities Inc. VI, Ser. 3, Class A, 10/23/17 .
		COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES1.7%
AAA	750	New York City Mortgage Loan Trust, Multifamily, Ser. 1996, Class A-2, 6.7
		ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES0.1%
NR	239	Global Rated Eligible Asset Trust, Ser. A, Class 1, 7.33%, 3/15/06(2,4,5) Structured Mortgage Asset Residential Trust, (4,5,6)
NR	578	Ser. 2, 8.24%, 3/15/06
NR	640	Ser. 3, 8.724%, 4/15/06
		Total Asset-Backed Securities
		U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY SECURITIES64.0%
	240	Small Business Investment Companies, Ser. P10A-1, 6.12%, 2/01/08
	27,0003	U.S. Treasury Bond, Zero Coupon, 11/15/09
		U.S. Treasury Notes,
	1,450	3.50%, 11/15/06
	5,4253	4.375%, 8/15/12
	500	5.00%, 8/15/11
	1,700	5.75%, 11/15/05
	550	6.00%, 8/15/09
	385	6.625%, 5/15/07
		Total U.S. Government and Agency Securities
		CORPORATE BONDS11.4%
		CHEMICAL2.4%
A-	1,000	Dow Capital BV, 9.20%, 6/01/10
		CONSUMER PRODUCTS1.1%
BBB+	500	Ralcorp Holdings, Inc., 8.75%, 9/15/04
		ENERGY2.2%
A	500	Alltel Corp., 7.50%, 3/01/06
BBB+	500	Israel Electric Corp., Ltd., 7.25%, 12/15/06 (Israel)(2)
		FINANCE & BANKING4.6%
A+	500	Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., 6.30%, 11/01/03(2)
AA-	1,0003	Morgan Stanley Group, Inc., 10.00%, 6/15/08
AAA	500	UBS PaineWebber Group, Inc., 8.875%, 3/15/05

See Notes to Financial Statements.

RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
~ ^		TRANSPORTATION0.1%
Caa2	\$ 100	American Airlines, Inc., 10.44%, 3/04/07
		UTILITIES1.0%
BBB+	500	Ohio Edison Co., 8.625%, 9/15/03
		Total Corporate Bonds
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73 73 73	F 0 0	TAXABLE MUNICIPAL BONDS7.0%
AAA AAA	500 500	Fresno California Pension Obligation, 7.80%, 6/01/14
AAA	500	Kern County California Pension Obligation, 6.98%, 8/15/09
AAA	1,000	Ser. A, 8.62%, 6/30/06
AAA	500	Ser. D, 6.97%, 6/30/08
AAA	500	Orleans Parish Louisiana School Board, Ser. A, 6.60%, 2/01/08
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		Total Taxable Municipal Bonds
		Total Long-Term Investments (cost \$64,689,325)
		SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT3.6%
		DISCOUNT NOTE3.6%
	1,800	Federal Home Loan Bank, 1.25%, 5/01/03 (cost \$1,800,000)
		TOTAL INVESTMENTS134.4% (cost \$66,489,325)
		LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF OTHER ASSETS(34.4)%
		(17,288,606)
		NET ASSETS100%

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⁽¹⁾ Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

⁽²⁾ Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 3.8% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$1,915,514, in securities restricted as to resale.

⁽³⁾ Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.

⁽⁴⁾ Security is fair valued.

⁽⁵⁾ Illiquid securities representing 0.09% of net assets.

⁽⁶⁾ Security is restricted as to public resale. The security was acquired in 1997 and has a current cost of \$105,042.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

BlackRock Core Bond Trust

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT

RATING(1)	(000)	DESCRIPTION
		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS142.6%
		MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS37.1%
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	\$ 252	7.00%, 9/01/31
	7,500	5.50%, TBA
	44,000	6.00%, TBA
	57 , 800	6.50%, TBA
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc., TBA
	8,000	5.00%
	12,600	5.50%
	5,900	6.00%
	2,000	7.00%
	9,200	Government National Mortgage Assoc., 5.50%, TBA
		Total Mortgage Pass-Throughs
		INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES2.8%
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	10,167	Ser. 2471, Class UI, 1/15/26
	33,102	Ser. 2496, Class ID, 9/15/26
	8,918	Ser. 2553, Class IT, 10/15/22
	6,467	Ser. 2579, Class HI, 8/15/17
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	9,700	Ser. 16, Class IW, 11/25/12
	6,100	Ser. 70, Class IN, 5/25/15
	3,685	Residential Funding Mortgage Securities I, Inc., Ser. S6, Class A6, 4/25/
		Total Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities
		COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES4.7%
AAA	2,560	Capco America Securitization Corp., Ser. D7, Class A1B, 6.26%, 10/15/30 .
Caa1	1,099	Citicorp Mortgage Securities, Inc., Ser. 8, Class B1, 6.50%, 7/25/08
AAA	1,900	GMAC Commercial Mortgage Securities, Inc., Ser. C2, Class A2, 6.945%, 9/1
AAA	1,677	Heller Financial Commercial Mortgage Asset Co., Ser. PH1, Class A2, 6.847 Morgan Stanley Capital I, Inc.,
AAA	2,125	Ser. FNV1, Class A2, 6.53%, 3/15/31
AAA	1,470	Ser. HF2, Class A2, 6.48%, 11/15/30
AAA	1,843	Residential Funding Mortgage Securities I, Inc., Ser. S6, Class A7, 6.00%, 4/25/17
AAA	1,010	DCI. 00, C1000 A7, 0.000, 4/20/17

AAA	4,621	Ser. S29, Class A6, 6.50%, 12/26/31
AAA	3,500	Salomon Brothers Mortgage Securities VII, Ser. C1, Class A2, 7.52%, 12/18
AAA	1,043	Washington Mutual Mortgage Securitization Corp., Ser. 12, Class A, 6.50%,
		Total Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities
		U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY SECURITIES17.1%
	1,050	Resolution Funding Corp., Zero Coupon, 7/15/18 - 10/15/18
	9,950(2)	U.S. Treasury Bond, Zero Coupon, 11/15/21
		U.S. Treasury Bonds,
	9,060(2)	3.875%, 2/15/13
	10,390(2)	5.375%, 2/15/31
	7,325(2)	6.00%, 2/15/26
	5,215	6.75%, 8/15/26
	6,865(2)	8.125%, 8/15/19
	285	8.50%, 2/15/20
	5,310(2)	10.375%, 11/15/12
	3 , 330	12.00%, 8/15/13
		U.S. Treasury Notes,
	1,590(2)	1.625%, 1/31/05
	2,005	3.00%, 2/15/08
	1,515(2)	4.00%, 11/15/12
	3,445(2)	5.00%, 8/15/11

Total U.S. Government and Agency Securities

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_	RATING(1)	, ,	DESCRIPTION
			CORPORATE PONDS (7.00
			CORPORATE BONDS67.8%
	B-	\$ 3,000	AEROSPACE & DEFENSE2.1% BE Aerospace, Inc., Ser. B, 8.00%, 3/01/08
	Б-	\$ 3,000	
	BBB+	1 405	Lockheed Martin Corp., 7.20%, 5/01/36
		1,485	
	BBB+	1,000	7.25%, 5/15/06
	BBB+	1,275	7.75%, 5/01/26
	BBB+	475	8.50%, 12/01/29
			Northrop Grumman Corp.,
	BBB-	380	7.125%, 2/15/11
	BBB-	250	7.75%, 2/15/31
	BBB-	1,000	Raytheon Co., 6.55%, 3/15/10
		,	
			AUTOMOTIVE2.7%
	B1	3,000	Collins & Aikman Products Co., 10.75%, 12/31/11
	В	2,000	CSK Auto, Inc., 12.00%, 6/15/06
	ப	2,000	CSR AUCO, 111C., 12.000, 0/15/00

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A3	940	DaimlerChrysler NA Holding Corp., 4.75%, 1/15/08
В3	3,000	Delco Remy Intl., Inc., 11.00%, 5/01/09
B+	2,000	Sonic Automotive, Inc., Ser. D, 11.00%, 8/01/08
B+	1,000	TRW Automotive, Inc., 9.375%, 2/15/13(3)
		BASIC MATERIAL0.5%
B+	2,000	Oregon Steel Mills, Inc., 10.00%, 7/15/09
		BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT1.4%
В-	2,000	Ainsworth Lumber Co. Ltd., 12.50%, 7/15/07 (Canada)
ВВ	3,000	Hovnanian Enterprises, Inc., 10.50%, 10/01/07
		CHEMICAL3.3%
B-	3,000	Avecia Group PLC, 11.00%, 7/01/09 (United Kingdom)
		Dow Chemical Co.,
A-	1,650	5.97%, 1/15/09
A-	1,460	7.375%, 11/01/29
A-	175	6.00%, 10/01/12
ВВ	4,000	Lyondell Chemical Co., Ser. B, 9.875%, 5/01/07
В-	3,000	Resolution Performance Products, Inc., 13.50%, 11/15/10
	•	
		CONGLOMERATES1.3%
AAA	1,980	General Electric Co., 5.00%, 2/01/13
A	225	Honeywell Intl., Inc., 6.875%, 10/03/05
		Tyco Intl. Group SA, (Luxembourg)
BBB-	930	5.80%, 8/01/06
BBB-	2,239	6.375%, 2/15/06
		CONSUMER PRODUCTS5.6%
BB+	3,000	American Greetings Corp., 11.75%, 7/15/08
A	1,025	Avery Dennison Corp., 4.875%, 1/15/13
В	3,000	Elizabeth Arden, Inc., Ser. B, 11.75%, 2/01/11
		General Mills, Inc.,
BBB+	510	5.125%, 2/15/07
BBB+	1,765	6.00%, 2/15/12
		Kellogg Co., Ser. B,
BBB	725	6.00%, 4/01/06
BBB	690	6.60%, 4/01/11
		Kraft Foods, Inc.,
A3	100	5.25%, 6/01/07
	400	
A3	3 , 050	5.625%, 11/01/11
A3 A3		5.625%, 11/01/11
	3,050	,
	3,050	6.25%, 6/01/12 Kroger Co., 6.80%, 4/01/11
А3	3,050 275	6.25%, 6/01/12
A3 BBB	3,050 275 650	6.25%, 6/01/12 Kroger Co., 6.80%, 4/01/11
A3 BBB BBB	3,050 275 650 550	6.25%, 6/01/12
A3 BBB BBB BB-	3,050 275 650 550 3,000	6.25%, 6/01/12

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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
B BB	\$ 1,000 1,500	CONTAINERS & GLASS0.6% Crown European Holdings SA, 10.875%, 3/01/13 (France)(3)
B+	5,000	ECOLOGICAL SERVICES & EQUIPMENT1.3% Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
B+ CCC- B	2,000 2,500 1,000	ELECTRONICS1.2% FIMEP SA, 10.50%, 2/15/13 (France)(3) Knowles Electronics Holdings, Inc., 13.125%, 10/15/09 Stoneridge, Inc., 11.50%, 5/01/12
BBB BBB	625 350	ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 7.125%, 3/15/33
BBB+	765(2)	Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07
В2	3,500	Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada)
B+	1,000	Calpine Canada Energy Finance ULC, 8.50%, 5/01/08 (Canada)
BB-	1,250	Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12
BB	1,000	Compagnie Generale De Geophysique SA, 10.625%, 11/15/07 (France)
A-	1,000	Conoco Funding Co., 5.45%, 10/15/06 (Canada)
A-	1,220	Conoco, Inc., 6.95%, 4/15/29
A-	950	ConocoPhillips, 5.90%, 10/15/32
BBB	550	Devon Energy, Corp., 7.95%, 4/15/32
BBB BBB+	140 1,500	Devon Financing Corp. ULC, 7.875%, 9/30/31
ВВВ	3,000	Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11
Д	3,000	DTE Energy Co.,
BBB	250	6.00%, 6/01/04
BBB	660	6.45%, 6/01/06
A-	1,165	Duke Energy Corp., 5.625%, 11/30/12
B+	265	El Paso Natural Gas Co., 8.375%, 6/15/32(3)
BBB+	805	Exelon Corp., 6.75%, 5/01/11
Baa2	530	FirstEnergy Corp., Ser. C, 7.375%, 11/15/31
A1	1,520	Florida Power Corp., 4.80%, 3/01/13
		Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP,
BBB+	870	7.30%, 8/15/33
BBB+	185	7.75%, 3/15/32
BBB	930	Kinder Morgan, Inc., 7.25%, 3/01/28
BB-	2,000	Leviathan Gas Pipeline Partners LP, Ser. B, 10.375%, 6/01/09
BBB+	360	Occidental Petroleum Corp., 7.20%, 4/01/28

BBB+ Baa1 BBB A- A3	350 1,650 110 500 725	Oncor Electric Delivery Co., 7.25%, 1/15/33(3)
		FINANCE & BANKING14.3%
AA+	•	American General Instl. Capital A, 7.57%, 12/01/45(3)
AAA	1,550 2	Asif Global Financing XVIII, 3.85%, 11/26/07(3)
		Bank of America Corp.,
Aa3	150	7.40%, 1/15/11
Aa3	640	7.80%, 2/15/10
Aa2	325	Bank One NA, 3.70%, 1/15/08
Aa3	800	Barclays Bank PLC, 6.86%, 9/29/49 (United Kingdom)(3)
		Citigroup, Inc.,
AA+	1,060	5.75%, 5/10/06
AA	1,700	5.875%, 2/22/33
AA	2,465	7.25%, 10/01/10
Aa3	290	Credit Suisse First Boston USA, Inc., 6.125%, 11/15/11
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
AAA	1,875	3.50%, 4/01/08
AAA	3,370	4.875%, 3/15/07
AAA	3,515	7.00%, 3/15/10

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		PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	
	RATING(1)	, ,	DESCRIPTION
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			FINANCE & BANKING(CONT'D)
			Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	AAA	\$ 1,450	5.00%, 1/15/07
	AAA	6,630(2)	6.00%, 5/15/08 - 5/15/11
	AAA	635	7.25%, 1/15/10
	A1	610	FleetBoston Financial Corp., Ser. T, 4.20%, 11/30/07
			Ford Motor Credit Co.,
	A3	3 , 355	7.375%, 10/28/09 - 2/01/11
	A3	505	7.875%, 6/15/10
			General Electric Capital Corp., Ser. A,
	AAA	620	5.875%, 2/15/12
	AAA	2,775	6.00%, 6/15/12
	AAA	580	6.125%, 2/22/11
			General Motors Acceptance Corp.,
	A2	2,969	6.875%, 9/15/11
	A2	1,130	8.00%, 11/01/31
			Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.,
	Aa3	370	6.125%, 2/15/33

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AA-	355	6.60%, 1/15/12
AA-	190	6.875%, 1/15/11
AA-	135	7.35%, 10/01/09
A	1,760	Household Finance Corp., 6.375%, 8/01/10 - 11/27/12
Aa2	1,750	ING Bank NV, 5.125%, 5/01/15 (Netherlands)(3)
A-	550	John Deere Capital Corp., 5.10%, 1/15/13
A	1,155	JP Morgan Chase & Co., 6.75%, 2/01/11
		Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc.,
А	295	4.00%, 1/22/08
A+	810	6.25%, 5/15/06
**		MetLife, Inc.,
А	300	6.125%, 12/01/11
A	1,175	6.50%, 12/15/32
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7 - 2	120	Morgan Stanley,
Aa3	130	5.30%, 3/01/13
AA-	285	6.75%, 4/15/11
A+	1,000	Prudential Funding LLC, 6.60%, 5/15/08(3)
		Sears Roebuck Acceptance Corp.,
BBB+	725	6.75%, 8/15/11
BBB+	960	7.00%, 6/01/32
AAA	1,875	Tiaa Global Markets, Inc., 3.875%, 1/22/08(3)
Aa3	610	U.S. Bancorp, Ser. N, 3.95%, 8/23/07
		FOREST PRODUCTS1.9%
Ba2	3,425	Caraustar Industries, Inc., 9.875%, 4/01/11
BBB	725	International Paper Co., 5.30%, 4/01/15(3)
		Weyerhaeuser Co.,
BBB	160	6.00%, 8/01/06
BBB	400	6.125%, 3/15/07
BBB	900	6.875%, 12/15/33
BBB	1,060	6.95%, 10/01/27
BBB	745	7.375%, 3/15/32
טטס	140	1.3/3%, 3/13/32
		HEALTH CARE2.0%
AA	425	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co., 4.75%, 10/01/06
B-	3,000	Hanger Orthopedic Group, Inc., 11.25%, 6/15/09
Caa2	2,000	HealthSouth Corp., 7.625%, 6/01/12
AAA	500	Pharmacia Corp., 6.50%, 12/01/18
B-	2,000	United Surgical Partners Intl., Inc., 10.00%, 12/15/11
A-	525	Wellpoint Health Networks, Inc., 6.375%, 6/15/06
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B+	1,000	HOTELS & CASINO1.2% Circus & Eldorado Joint Venture, 10.125%, 3/01/12
Ba3	3,000	HMH Properties, Inc., Ser. A, 7.875%, 8/01/05
В	1,000	Resorts Intl. Hotel & Casino, Inc., 11.50%, 3/15/09

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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
-	A A A A A	INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT1.2%
В	\$ 3,000	Terex Corp., 9.25%, 7/15/11
B+	2 , 000	United Rentals, Inc., Ser. B, 9.25%, 1/15/09
		LEISURE0.7%
BB+	3,000	Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd., 8.125%, 7/28/04 (Liberia)
		MEDIA5.8%
В1	4,000	Alliance Atlantis Communications, Inc., 13.00%, 12/15/09 (Canada)
DDD :	0.0	AOL Time Warner, Inc.,
BBB+	80	6.125%, 4/15/06
BBB+	525	7.625%, 4/15/31
CCC-	4,000	Comcast Cable Communications, Inc.,
BBB	450	6.75%, 1/30/11
BBB	1,050	6.875%, 6/15/09
BBB	4,175	Comcast Corp., 5.50%, 3/15/11
BB-	4,000	EchoStar DBS Corp., 10.375%, 10/01/07
BBB+	90	6.625%, 5/15/29
BBB+	260	6.875%, 6/15/18
BBB+	4,380	7.57%, 2/01/24
BBB+	360	Turner Broadcasting Systems, Inc., 8.375%, 7/01/13
BBB+	775	REAL ESTATE0.9% AvalonBay Communities, Inc., 8.25%, 7/15/08
A-	1,950	5.20%, 4/01/13
A-	825	6.95%, 3/02/11
7.7. —	170	TELECOMMUNICATION4.6% Ameritech Capital Funding Corp., 6.45%, 1/15/18
AA- BBB+	1,320	AT&T Corp., 8.50%, 11/15/31
A-	1,320	British Telecommunications PLC, 8.875%, 12/15/30 (United Kingdom)
BBB+	1,060	Deutsche Telekom Intl. Finance BV, 8.50%, 6/15/10 (Netherlands)
	•	Nextel Communications, Inc.,
B+	2,000	9.375%, 11/15/09
B+	3,000	9.50%, 2/01/11
CCC+	3,000	Rural Cellular Corp., Ser. B, 9.625%, 5/15/08
AA-	2,030	SBC Communications, Inc., 6.25%, 3/15/11
A+	805	Verizon Global Funding Corp., 7.75%, 12/01/30 - 6/15/32
AA	375	Verizon Maryland, Inc., 6.125%, 3/01/12
AA	1,750	Verizon New Jersey, Inc., Ser. A, 5.875%, 1/17/12
Aa3	790	Verizon Pennsylvania, Inc., Ser. A, 5.65%, 11/15/11
A	350	Vodafone Group PLC, 6.25%, 11/30/32 (United Kingdom)

		TRANSPORTATION2.0%
BBB-	362	American Airlines, Inc., Ser. 1, 6.855%, 10/15/10
BBB+	1,400	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Corp., 5.90%, 7/01/12
BBB+	1,410	Canadian National Railway Co., 6.90%, 7/15/28 (Canada)
BBB	1,450	Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd., 6.25%, 10/15/11 (Canada)
A-	636	Continental Airlines, Inc., Ser. A, 6.545%, 2/02/19
Baa1	375	Norfolk Southern Corp., 7.05%, 5/01/37
В	2,000	Pacer Intl., Inc., Ser. B, 11.75%, 6/01/07
A-	20,300	OTHER5.4% Traded Custody Receipts, Floating Coupon, 9/15/11(3)
	5.000	TAXABLE MUNICIPAL BONDS1.4% California Dept. of Wtr. Res. Pwr. Sply.,
A-	5,000	3.585%, 5/01/04
A-	650	3.975%, 5/01/05
		Total Taxable Municipal Bonds

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	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	
RATING(1)		DESCRIPTION
		FOREIGN GOVERNMENT BONDS11.8%
Aaa	\$19,503	Bundesobligation, 4.50%, 8/17/07 (Germany)
	•	Canada Government (Canada)
AAA	7,545	4.50%, 9/01/07
AAA	12,790	5.25%, 6/01/12
	•	Kingdom of Sweden (Sweden)
Aaa	17,740	5.00%, 1/28/09
Aaa	22,455	8.00%, 8/15/07
		United Mexican States (Mexico)
Baa2	350	4.625%, 10/08/08
Baa2	24,000	6.625%, 3/03/15
Baa2		8.30%, 8/15/31
		Total Foreign Government Bonds
		Total Long-Term Investments (cost \$572,125,325)

	SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS3.6%
	U.S. GOVERNMENT SECURITIES1.2%
	U.S. Treasury Bills,
4,000	1.09%, 7/31/03 - 8/07/03
200	1.115%, 5/22/03
500	1.155%, 5/01/03
	Total U.S. Government Securities
	DISCOUNT NOTES2.4%
9,200	Federal Home Loan Bank, 1.25%, 5/01/03
800	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., Ser. RB, 1.14%, 7/03/03
	Total Discount Notes
	Total Discount Notes
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$14,686,744)
	TOTAL INVESTMENTS146.1% (cost \$586,812,069)
	LIABILITIES IN EXCESS OF OTHER ASSETS(46.1)%
	NET ASSETS100%

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

BlackRock High Yield Trust

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT RATING(1) (000)

DESCRIPTION

⁽¹⁾ Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

⁽²⁾ Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.

⁽³⁾ Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 9.4% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$39,084,672, in securities restricted as to resale.

		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS140.9%
		CORPORATE BONDS140.9%
T.	¢ 1 000	AEROSPACE & DEFENSE2.8%
B- NR	\$ 1,000 1,500	BE Aerospace, Inc., 9.50%, 11/01/08
IVIX	1,300	Condot by Seems The., Set. B, 11.000, 3701703(2)
		AUTOMOTIVE6.4%
В	1,000	CSK Auto, Inc., 12.00%, 6/15/06
В3	1,000	Delco Remy Intl., Inc., 11.00%, 5/01/09
B+	1,000	Sonic Automotive, Inc., Ser. D, 11.00%, 8/01/08
ND	2 000	BASIC MATERIALS1.2% Golden Northwest Aluminum Inc., 12.00%, 12/15/06
NR NR	2,000 376	Republic Engineered Products LLC, 10.00%, 8/16/09(3)
NR	2,000	Republic Technologies Intl. LLC, 13.75%, 7/15/092
IVIX	2,000	Republic Technologies Ther. Ede, 13.731, 7,13,032
		BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT11.2%
B-	1,500	Ainsworth Lumber Co. Ltd., 12.50%, 7/15/07 (Canada)
Ba1	1,000	D.R. Horton, Inc., 10.50%, 4/01/05
D	500	Encompass Services Corp., 10.50%, 5/01/09(2)
BB	1,000	Hovnanian Enterprises, Inc., 10.50%, 10/01/07
В2	1,000	MMI Products Inc., Ser. B, 11.25%, 4/15/07
		CHEMICAL7.9%
B-	250	Avecia Group PLC, 11.00%, 7/01/09 (United Kingdom)
Ba2 B+	1,000 1,000	Hercules Inc., 11.13%, 11/15/07
CCC	1,750	Lyondell Chemical Co., 10.88%, 5/01/09
ВаЗ	1,000	Solutia, Inc., 11.25%, 7/15/09
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_		CONGLOMERATES2.3%
B-	500	MSX Intl., Inc., 11.38%, 1/15/08
NR B	1,200 1,000	Nebco Evans Holding Co., 12.375%, 7/15/07(2,3)
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		CONSUMER PRODUCTS26.7%
BB+	1,000	American Greetings Corp., 11.75%, 7/15/08
B BB_	1,000	Elizabeth Arden, Inc., Ser. B, 11.75%, 2/01/11
BB- NR	1,000 1,000	Levi Strauss & Co., 11.63%, 1/15/08
B3	464	National Vision Inc., 12.00%, 3/30/09
CCC+	1,760	O'Sullivan Industries Inc., 13.38%, 10/15/09
B-	1,100	Pantry, Inc., The, 10.25%, 10/15/07
	•	Revlon Consumer Products Corp.,
CCC-	2,000	8.63%, 2/01/08
CCC+	1,000	12.00%, 12/01/05
В	1,000	Salton, Inc., 12.25%, 4/15/08
B+	1,000	Sbarro, Inc., 11.00%, 9/15/09

B-	1,000	St. John Knits Intl., Inc., 12.50%, 7/01/09
В	1,000	CONTAINERS & GLASS4.7% Radnor Holdings Inc., 11.00%, 3/15/10(4)
CCC+	1,500	U.S. Can Co., Ser. B, 12.38%, 10/01/10
B+	1,000	ECOLOGICAL SERVICES & EQUIPMENT2.5% Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09

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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
B B3 CCC- B	\$ 1,788 1,000 2,500 825	ELECTRONICS12.3% Asat Finance LLC, 12.50%, 11/01/06
B- B+ B- B3	1,000 1,000 1,000 1,000	ENERGY8.4% AES Corp., 8.38%, 8/15/07 Calpine Corp., 10.50%, 5/15/06 Mission Energy Holding Co., 13.50%, 7/15/08 Orion Power Holdings Inc., 12.00%, 5/01/10
NR	1,000	FARMING & AGRICULTURE0.8% Precision Partners Inc., 12.00%, 3/15/09(2)
NR Ba2 BB Ba3 CCC+ B1	500 1,000 1,000 2,500 1,000 2,000	FINANCE & BANKING12.9% Ameriserve Finance Capital Corp., 12.00%, 9/15/06(2,4)

FOREST PRODUCTS--2.4%

B+	1,000	FiberMark Inc., 10.75%, 4/15/11
B- B-	1,000	HEALTH CARE4.9% Concentra Operating Corp., Ser. B, 13.00%, 8/15/09
CC	2,000	<pre>INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT1.4% National Equipment Services Inc., Ser. D, 10.00%, 11/30/04</pre>
В1	2,000	MEDIA14.0% Alliance Atlantis Communications, Inc., 13.00%, 12/15/09 (Canada) Charter Communications Holdings LLC,
CCC-	1,000 1,000	10.75%, 10/01/09
B-	1,000	WRC Media Corp., 12.75%, 11/15/09
Caa1	980	XM Satellite Radio Inc., 14.00%, 3/15/10
NR	607	Ziff Davis Media Inc., Ser. B, 13.00%, 8/12/09
		TELECOMMUNICATION6.2%
C	1,500	Allegiance Telecom Inc., 12.88%, 5/15/08 (Canada) (2)
NR	2,000	Asia Global Crossing Ltd., 13.38%, 10/15/10 (United Kingdom) (2)
B+ NR	1,000 1,000	Nextel Communications Inc., 12.00%, 11/01/08
NR	600	PF.Net Communications, Inc., 13.75%, 5/15/10(2)
B3	1,000	Time Warner Telecom LLC, 9.75%, 7/15/08
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		TRANSPORTATION11.9%
~~~	0.000	Amtran Inc.,
CCC	2,000	9.63%, 12/15/05
CCC B	1,000 2,000	10.50%, 8/01/04
ь В1	1,000	Sea Containers Ltd., Ser B, 10.75%, 10/15/06 (United Kingdom)
BB-	1,000	TFM SA de CV, 12.50%, 6/15/12 (Mexico)
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RATING(1)	SHARES	DESCRIPTION

Total Corporate Bonds--140.9% (cost \$77,043,025) ......

NR	1,098	PREFERRED STOCK0.0% TELECOMMUNICATION0.0% Adelphia Business Solutions, Inc., Ser. B, 12.88%, 10/15/07 (cost \$925,57)
	UNITS	WARRANTS0.0%
	1,000 600 2,000	Mattress Discounters Corp., Expires 7/15/072
		TOTAL WARRANTS (cost \$377,115)
		TOTAL INVESTMENTS140.9% (cost \$78,345,716)
		NET ASSETS100%

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT

RATING(1) (000) DESCRIPTION ______

⁽¹⁾ Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

⁽²⁾ Issuer is technically in default.

⁽³⁾ Security is fair valued.

⁽⁴⁾ Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 13.4% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$5,575,700, in securities restricted as to resale.

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MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS--51.8%
     $ 49,273(2) Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., 6.50%, 1/01/26 - 11/01/32 ......
             Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
      109,469(2)
              5.50%, 12/01/13 - 2/01/33 .....
      50,321(2)
             6.00%, 12/01/09 - 11/01/32 .....
              7.00%, 2/01/24 - 1/01/29 .....
             Government National Mortgage Assoc., 8.00%, 4/15/24 - 11/15/25 ......
        408
             Total Mortgage Pass-Throughs .....
             FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION--4.4%
             GMAC Projects,
              Ser. 37, 7.43%, 10/01/22 .....
       1,314
              Ser. 44, 7.43%, 8/01/22 .....
        631
             Merrill Projects,
              Ser. 29, 7.43%, 6/01/22 .....
       1,044
              Ser. 42, 7.43%, 9/01/22 .....
      10,266
             Reilly Project, Series B-11, 7.40%, 4/01/21 .....
       2,017
       2,051
            Westmore Project 8240, 7.25%, 4/01/21 .....
             Total Federal Housing Administration .....
             NON-AGENCY MULTIPLE CLASS MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGH--0.1%
             AAA
        353
             ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE SECURITIES--0.1%
             Federal National Mortgage Assoc., Ser. 256, Class F, 11/25/23 .....
        280
             INVERSE FLOATING RATE MORTGAGES--1.0%
             Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
              Ser. 1601, Class SE, 10/15/08 .....
        844
              Ser. 1611, Class JC, 8/15/23 .....
       1.000(2)
             Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
              Ser. 23, Class PS, 4/25/23 .....
       1,808(2)
              Ser. 87, Class S, 8/25/21 .....
        196
              Ser. 145, Class S, 10/25/06 ......
        101
             Total Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages .....
             INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES--1.3%
             BA Mortgage Securities, Inc.,
       1,596
              Ser. 1, Class A7, 3/25/29 .....
              Ser. 1, Class X, 7/25/26 .....
        179
              Ser. 1, Class 2X, 5/28/13 .....
        2.64
             Countrywide Home Loans, Inc., Ser. 6, Class X, 6/25/13 ......
      27,030
            Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
              Ser. 1223, Class H, 3/15/22 .....
       1,192
              Ser. 1254, Class Z, 4/15/22 .....
        856
              Ser. 1644, Class DA, 12/15/23 .....
        105
       6,975
              Ser. 1809, Class SC, 12/15/23 ......
       1,899
              Ser. 1831, Class PG, 3/15/11 .....
       1,957
              Ser. 2080, Class PL, 1/15/27 .....
        253
              Ser. 2137, Class CI, 10/15/26 .....
            Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
         1.5
              Ser. G46, Class H, 12/25/09 ......
        307
              Ser. G92-5, Class H, 1/25/22 .....
              Ser. 7, Class PH, 4/25/11 .....
       1,681
              Ser. 16, Class IW, 11/25/12 .....
      10,300
       1,727
              Ser. 50, Class SI, 4/25/23 ......
              Ser. 70, Class IN, 5/25/15 ......
       6,400
             G.E. Capital Mortgage Services, Inc., Ser. 11, Class A5, 7/25/29 ......
      10,546
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GMAC Commercial Mortgage Securities Inc., Ser. C2, Class X, 5/15/35 .....

17,582

14,434 Goldman Sachs Mortgage Securities Corp., Ser. 5, Class IO, 6/19/27(3) ...

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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
		INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES(CONT'D)
	\$ 580	Government National Mortgage Assoc., Ser. 3, Class E, 6/16/25
	9,339	Hanover Grantor Trust, Ser. A, Class 1IO, 8/28/27(3)
	4,162	Morgan Stanley Capital 1, Inc., Ser. HF1, Class X, 7/15/29(3)
	13,285	Prudential Home Mortgage Securities Co., Ser. 5, Class A9, 2/25/24 Residential Asset Securitization Trust,
	14,022	Ser. A3, Class X, 5/25/29
	11,932	Ser. A5, Class A2, 9/25/30
	521	Residential Funding Mortgage Securities I Inc., Ser. S30, Class A7, 12/25
	18,958 33,031	Salomon Brothers Mortgage Securities VII Inc., Ser. 1, Class IO, 3/25/22 Vendee Mortgage Trust, Ser. 1, Class IO, 2/15/27
		Total Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities
		PRINCIPAL ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES0.8%
	40640	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	426(2) 130	Ser. 1739, Class B, 2/15/24
	130	Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	1,154(2)	Ser. 26, Class L, 3/25/23
	285	Ser. 279, Class 1, 7/01/26
AAA	5,490	Fund America Investors Corp., Ser. C, Class B, 4/29/30
		Total Principal Only Mortgage-Backed Securities
		U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY SECURITIES6.5%
	14,968	Overseas Private Investment Corp., 4.30% - 7.35%, 5/29/12
	2,366	Small Business Administration, Ser. 20K-1, 6.95%, 11/01/16
	1,800	U.S. Treasury Notes, 3.25%, 8/15/07
	2,100	4.00%, 11/15/12
	4,200(2)	
		Total U.S. Government and Agency Securities
		CORPORATE BONDS73.4%
D	1 005	AEROSPACE & DEFENSE1.6%
B- BB-	1,235 1,500	BE Aerospace, Inc., 9.50%, 11/01/08
BBB+	1,250	Lockheed Martin Corp., 8.50%, 12/01/29
BBB-	1,000	Northrop Grumman Corp., 7.125%, 2/15/11
BBB-	1,200	Raytheon Co., 6.15%, 11/01/08
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В	2,000	AUTOMOTIVE2.3% Asbury Automotive Group, Inc., 9.00%, 6/15/12
BB+	1,500	Autonation, Inc., 9.00%, 8/01/08
BB+	2,000	Briggs & Stratton Corp., 8.875%, 3/15/11
B+	3,715	Dura Operating Corp., Ser. B, 8.625%, 4/15/12
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		BASIC MATERIAL1.4%
BB	3,000	AK Steel Corp., 7.875%, 2/15/09
A	2,000	Alcoa, Inc., 7.375%, 8/01/10
B+	1,000	Oregon Steel Mills, Inc., 10.00%, 7/15/09
		BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT0.9%
B-	1,000	Ainsworth Lumber Co. Ltd., 12.50%, 7/15/07 (Canada)
Ba1	2,500	D.R. Horton, Inc., 10.50%, 4/01/05
D.	F 0 0	CHEMICAL1.9%
В-	500	Avecia Group PLC, 11.00%, 7/01/09 (United Kingdom)
Α-	750	5.75%, 12/15/08
Α-	1,400	6.00%, 10/01/12
BB	3,000	Lyondell Chemical Co., 11.125%, 7/15/12
В	1,750	Noveon, Inc., Ser. B, 11.00%, 2/28/11
D	1, , 50	10.00., 1.0., 001. 2, 11.000, 2,20,11
	0.650	CONGLOMERATES1.2%
AAA	3,650	General Electric Co., 5.00%, 2/01/13
A	1,300	Honeywell, Inc., 6.125%, 11/01/11

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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION	
B A	\$ 1,875 2,000	CONSUMER PRODUCTS8.8%  American Seafoods Group LLC, 10.125%, 4/15/10	

В	2,000	Buffets, Inc., 11.25%, 7/15/10
DDD	EEO	General Mills, Inc., 5.125%, 2/15/07
BBB+	550	
BBB+	1,700	6.00%, 2/15/12
DDD	700	Kellogg Co., Ser. B,
BBB	700	6.00%, 4/01/06
BBB	2,000	6.60%, 4/01/11
A-	3,000	Kohls Corp., 6.30%, 3/01/11
A3	2,000	Kraft Foods, Inc., 5.625%, 11/01/11
BBB-	1,000	Kroger Co., 5.50%, 2/01/13
BB-	2,000	Levi Strauss & Co., 12.25%, 12/15/123
AA-	3,000	Procter & Gamble Co., 6.875%, 9/15/09
В	2,000	Roundys, Inc., Ser. B, 8.875%, 6/15/12
BBB	2,495	Safeway, Inc., 6.50%, 3/01/11
A+	2,000	Unilever Capital Corp., 7.125%, 11/01/10
AA	3,000	Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., 6.875%, 8/10/09
BB+	3,000	Yum! Brands, Inc., 8.875%, 4/15/11
		CONTAINERS & GLASS1.8%
B+	1,500	Crown European Holdings SA, 9.50%, 3/01/11 (France)3
BB	2,250	Owens-Brockway Glass Container, Inc., 8.875%, 2/15/09
	·	Plastipak Holdings, Inc.,
B+	1,590	10.75%, 9/01/11
B+	685	10.75%, 9/01/113
В	1,240	Stone Container Corp., 9.25%, 2/01/08
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		ECOLOGICAL SERVICES & EQUIPMENT1.3%
		ECOLOGICAL SERVICES & ECOTEMENT 1.3%
R+	3 000	
B+ B	3,000 2,250	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
B+ B	3,000 2,250	
	•	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
	•	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
В	2,250	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
	•	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
В	2,250	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
В-	2,250 1,750	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
B B- BBB	2,250 1,750 2,000	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
B- BBB BBB+	2,250 1,750 2,000 600	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
B B- BBB BBB+ B2	2,250 1,750 2,000 600 500	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07  Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada)
B BBB BBB+ B2 BB-	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07  Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12
B- BBB BBB+ B2 BB- A-	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07  Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11
B- BBB BBB+ B2 BB- A- BBB+	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,000	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07  Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12
B- BBB BBB+ B2 BB- A- BBB+ B	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,000 2,500	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07  Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11
B-  BBB BBB+ B2 BB- A- BBB+ B BBB	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,000 2,500 1,500	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07 Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11 DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11
B- BBB BBB+ B2 BB- A- BBB+ B BBB BBB	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,000 2,500 1,500 400	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09 Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07 Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11 DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11 El Paso Corp., 7.875%, 6/15/123
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B  BBB  BBB+  B2  BB-  A-  BBB+  B  BBB+  B  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,500 1,500 400 3,000 1,500 1,250	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09 Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07 Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11 DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11 El Paso Corp., 7.875%, 6/15/123 Exelon Corp., 6.75%, 5/01/11 FirstEnergy Corp., Ser. C, 7.375%, 11/15/31 Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP, 7.30%, 8/15/33
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B  BBB  BBB+  B2  BB-  A-  BBB+  B  BBB+  BBB  BBB+  BBBB+  BBB+  BBBB+  BBBB+  BBBB	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,500 1,500 400 3,000 1,500 1,250 1,000 2,500 1,800	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09  Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07 Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11 DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11 El Paso Corp., 7.875%, 6/15/123 Exelon Corp., 6.75%, 5/01/11 FirstEnergy Corp., Ser. C, 7.375%, 11/15/31 Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP, 7.30%, 8/15/33 Kinder Morgan, Inc., 6.50%, 9/01/12 Leviathan Gas Pipeline Partners LP, Ser. B, 10.375%, 6/01/09 Occidental Petroleum Corp., 6.75%, 1/15/12 Progress Energy, Inc.,
B  BBB  BBB+  B2  BB-  A-  BBB+  B  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB+  BBB-	2,250  1,750  2,000 600 500 2,500 3,000 2,500 1,500 400 3,000 1,500 1,250 1,000 2,500	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09 Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/133  ELECTRONICS0.5% Chippac Int. Ltd., Ser. B, 12.75%, 8/01/09  ENERGY7.8% Amerada Hess Corp., 6.65%, 8/15/11 Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07 Baytex Energy Ltd., 10.50%, 2/15/11 (Canada) Chesapeake Energy Corp., 9.00%, 8/15/12 Conoco Funding Co., 6.35%, 10/15/11 Dominion Resources, Inc., 5.70%, 9/17/12 Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11 DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11 El Paso Corp., 7.875%, 6/15/123 Exelon Corp., 6.75%, 5/01/11 FirstEnergy Corp., Ser. C, 7.375%, 11/15/31 Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP, 7.30%, 8/15/33 Kinder Morgan, Inc., 6.50%, 9/01/12 Leviathan Gas Pipeline Partners LP, Ser. B, 10.375%, 6/01/09 Occidental Petroleum Corp., 6.75%, 1/15/12

FINANCE & BANKING--18.0%

Aa3	2,450	Bank of America Corp., 7.80%, 2/15/10
Aa3		Bank One Corp., 6.50%, 2/01/06
Aa3		Barclays Bank PLC, 6.86%, 6/15/32 (United Kingdom) 3
A		Bear Stearns Co., Inc., 6.50%, 5/01/06
Aa2		Citigroup, Inc., 5.625%, 8/27/12
	-,	Credit Suisse First Boston USA, Inc.,
Aa3	700(2)	6.125%, 11/15/11
Aa3	1,000	7.125%, 7/15/32

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DATENIC (1)	RINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DECORIDETON
RATING(1)	 , ,	DESCRIPTION
		FINANCE & BANKING (CONT'D)
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
AAA	\$ 4,000(2)	• • •
AAA	4,000(2)	
AAA		Federal National Mortgage Assoc., 4.375%, 10/15/06 - 9/15/12
A3		Ford Motor Credit Co., 6.875%, 2/01/06
AAA	3,000	General Electric Capital Corp., Ser. A, 6.75%, 3/15/32
		General Motors Acceptance Corp.,
A2	700	6.75%, 1/15/06
A2	4,000	6.875%, 8/28/12
AA-	1,000	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., 6.60%, 1/15/12
A	3,650	Household Finance Corp., 6.375%, 10/15/11 - 11/27/12
A-	2,000	John Deere Capital Corp., 5.10%, 1/15/13
		JP Morgan Chase & Co.,
A+	2,100	5.25%, 5/30/07
A	1,000	6.75%, 2/01/11
AAA	3,000	KFW Intl. Finance, Inc., 5.25%, 6/28/06
Ba1	1,000	Labranche & Co., Inc., 12.00%, 3/02/07
		Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc.,
A+	850	6.25%, 5/15/06
A+	1,500	6.625%, 1/18/12
A	2,000	MetLife, Inc., 5.375%, 12/15/12
		Morgan Stanley,
Aa3	600	5.80%, 4/01/07
AA-	1,600	6.75%, 4/15/11
AA	2,000	Northern Trust Co., 6.30%, 3/07/11
BBB+	2,000	Sears Roebuck Acceptance Corp., 6.75%, 8/15/11
AA-	2,000	UBS Preferred Funding Trust I, 8.622%, 10/29/49
Aa2	2,000	Wells Fargo Bank, 7.55%, 6/21/10
_		FOREST PRODUCTS1.8%
Ba2	2,000	Caraustar Industries, Inc., 9.875%, 4/01/11
BB+	2,500	Tembec Industries, Inc., 8.50%, 2/01/11 (Canada)

		Weyerhaeuser Co.,
BBB	1,550	5.95%, 11/01/08
BBB	1,000	6.75%, 3/15/12
		HEALTH CARE1.4%
AA	1,000	Bristol Myers Squibb Co., 5.75%, 10/01/11
B-	1,200	Concentra Operating Corp., Ser. B, 13.00%, 8/15/09
Caa2	3,000	HealthSouth Corp., 7.00%, 6/15/084
BB+	1,500	Omnicare, Inc., Ser. B, 8.125%, 3/15/11
		HOTELS & CASINO4.8%
B+	2,100	Argosy Gaming Co., 10.75%, 6/01/09
B+	2,000	Boyd Gaming Corp., 8.75%, 4/15/12
В	2,000	Extended Stay America, Inc., 9.875%, 6/15/11
В	1,700	Hammons John Q. Hotels LP, Ser. B, 8.875%, 5/15/12
В	1,500	Herbst Gaming, Inc., Ser. B, 10.75%, 9/01/08
Ba3	1,500	HMH Properties, Inc., Ser. B, 7.875%, 8/01/08
BB+	1,000	MGM Mirage, Inc., 9.75%, 6/01/07
BB-	2,200	Mohegan Tribal Gaming Authority, 8.75%, 1/01/09
BB+	2,000	Park Place Entertainment Corp., 8.875%, 9/15/08
BBB-	3,000	Starwood Hotels & Resorts, 7.875%, 5/01/12
		INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT1.0%
B+	2,010	Manitowoc, Inc., 10.50%, 8/01/12
BB-	2,000	United Rentals NA, Inc., 10.75%, 4/15/08(3)
		LEISURE0.4%
В	1,500	Six Flags, Inc., 9.50%, 2/01/09
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В1	2,000	MEDIA5.0% Alliance Atlantis Communications, Inc., 13.00%, 12/15/09 (Canada) AOL Time Warner, Inc.,
BBB+	2,000	7.70%, 5/01/32
BBB+	3,000	9.125%, 1/15/13

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	PRINCIPAL	
	AMOUNT	
RATING(1)	(000)	DESCRIPTION

CCC-	\$ 3,000	Charter Communications Holdings LLC, 10.75%, 10/01/09
_		Comcast Cable Communications, Inc.,
BBB	1,000	6.75%, 1/30/11
BBB BB-	1,800 3,000	8.875%, 5/01/17
В	1,000	Quebecor Media, Inc., 11.125%, 7/15/11 (Canada)
B-	3,000	WRC Media Corp., 12.75%, 11/15/09
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BBB+	1,000	REAL ESTATE0.5% Avalonbay Communities, Inc., 6.625%, 9/15/11
BBB+	800	EOP Operating LP, 7.00%, 7/15/11
		TECHNOLOGY0.5%
BB+	2,000	Seagate Technology Holdings, 8.00%, 5/15/09
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BBB+	2,000	TELECOMMUNICATION3.9%  Deutsche Telekom Intl. Finance BV, 8.50%, 6/15/10 (Netherlands)
вз	1,340	Dobson Communications Corp., 10.875%, 7/01/10
B+	2,000	Nextel Communications, Inc., 9.95%, 2/15/08
ВаЗ	3,000	PanAmSat Corp., 8.50%, 2/01/12
		SBC Communications, Inc.,
AA-	450	5.875%, 8/15/12
AA- A+	1,000 1,000	6.25%, 3/15/11
A+ Aa3	3,000	Verizon Pennsylvania, Inc., Ser. A, 5.65%, 11/15/11
A	1,000	Vodafone Group PLC, 7.75%, 2/15/10 (United Kingdom)
		TRANSPORTATION1.9%
BBB+	1,000	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Corp., 5.90%, 7/01/12
BBB+	1,000	Canadian National Railway Co., 6.375%, 10/15/11 (Canada)
BBB	1,475	Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd., 6.25%, 10/15/11 (Canada)
В	2,000	RailAmerica Transp. Corp., 12.875%, 8/15/10
BBB	2,000	Union Pacific Corp., 6.125%, 1/15/12
		OTHER4.7%
А3	17,520 2	Targeted Return Index Securities Trust, Ser. 10-2002, Floating Coupon, 1/
		Total Corporate Bonds
		FOREIGN GOVERNMENT BONDS0.8%
Baa2	3,000	United Mexican States, 8.00%, 9/24/22 (Mexico)
		TOTAL LOVE THE VICTORIAN TO A SECOND SALE OF THE SALE
		TOTAL LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS (cost \$572,542,044)
		SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT1.8%
		DISCOUNT NOTE1.8%
	7,800	Federal Home Loan Bank, 1.25%, 5/01/03 (cost \$7,800,000)

Total investments before outstanding option written (cost \$580,342,044) .

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NOTIONAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
\$3,000	OUTSTANDING OPTION WRITTEN(0.1)% CALL OPTION(0.1)% Interest Rate Swap, 5.50%, over 3 month LIBOR, expires 5/06/03 (premium
	TOTAL INVESTMENTS, NET OF OUTSTANDING OPTION WRITTEN141.9%
	NET ASSETS100%

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

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⁽¹⁾ Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

⁽²⁾ Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.

⁽³⁾ Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 7.6% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$32,019,488, in securities restricted as to resale.

⁽⁴⁾ Issuer is technically in default.

BlackRock Income Trust

	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	
RATING(1)	(000)	DESCRIPTION
		LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS121.9%
		MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS52.0%
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	\$40,470(2)	5.50%, 10/01/16 - 5/01/17
	271	6.50%, 5/01/29 - 5/01/30
	68	7.50%, 2/01/23
	253	8.00%, 11/01/15
	245	8.50%, 10/01/06 - 3/01/08
	554	9.00%, 9/01/20
	00 000 (0)	Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	97,777(2)	5.50%, 12/01/13 - 9/01/17
	32,338(2)	6.00%, 11/01/31 - 10/01/32
	24,324(2)	6.50%, 2/01/26 - 5/01/31
	31,002(2)	7.00%, 6/01/26 - 2/01/32
	5,336	7.50%, 11/01/14 - 9/01/23
	1 <b>,</b> 171 16	8.00%, 5/01/08 - 5/01/22
	10	9.50%, 1/01/19 - 6/01/20
	250	Government National Mortgage Assoc., 7.00%, 10/15/17
	1,974	7.50%, 8/15/21 - 12/15/23
	1,391	8.00%, 10/15/22 - 2/15/29
	1,391	9.00%, 6/15/18 - 9/15/21
	127	9.00%, 0/13/10 - 9/13/21
		Total Mortgage Pass-Throughs
		FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION5.4%
	2 000	GMAC Projects,
	2,002	Ser. 33, 7.43%, 9/01/21
	1,940	Ser. 46, 7.43%, 3/01/22
	1,093	Ser. 51, 7.43%, 2/01/23
	2,221	Ser. 56, 7.43%, 11/01/22
	490	Merrill Project, Ser. 54, 7.43%, 2/01/23
	923	Reilly Project, Ser. 41, 8.767%, 12/01/18
	466	Ser. 87, 7.43%, 12/01/22
	1,920	Ser. 99, 7.43%, 10/01/23
	2,482	Ser. 6302, 7.43%, 12/01/21
	3,894	Polaris, Ser. 982, 7.43%, 11/01/21
	6,307	Yorkville, Ser. 6094, 7.43%, 6/01/21
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		Total Federal Housing Administration
		AGENCY MULTIPLE CLASS MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS3.2%
	40 - 50 -	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	10,192	Ser. T11, Class A9, 3.068%, 1/25/28
	784	Ser. 19, Class F, 8.50%, 3/15/20
	0.7.7	Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	977	Ser. 12, Class G, 4.50%, 2/25/20
	1,173	Ser. 43, Class E, 7.50%, 4/25/22
	2,500	Government National Mortgage Assoc., Ser. 33, Class PB, 6.50%, 7/20/31

Total Agency Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs ......

AAA	2,822	NON-AGENCY MULTIPLE CLASS MORTGAGE PASS-THROUGHS0.9% Bank One, Ser. 1, Class 2A, 3/15/15
AAA	561	Prudential Home Mortgage Securities Co., Ser. 35, Class A12, 6.75%, 9/25/
AAA	1,158	Summit Mortgage Trust, Ser. 1, Class B1, 12/28/12(3)
		Total Non-Agency Multiple Class Mortgage Pass-Throughs
		ADJUSTABLE RATE MORTGAGE SECURITIES0.2%
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	430	Ser. 38, Class F, 8.325%, 4/25/21
	631	Ser. 256, Class F, 2.844%, 11/25/23
		Total Adjustable Rate Mortgage Securities

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RATING(1)		DESCRIPTION
		INVERSE FLOATING RATE MORTGAGES10.0%
AAA	\$ 6,460	Countrywide Mortgage-Backed Securities, Inc., Ser. D, Class A15, 1/25/09
		Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
	157	Ser. 1160, Class F, 10/15/21
	294	Ser. 1580, Class SD, 9/15/08
	915	Ser. 1601, Class SE, 10/15/08
	517 1,457(2)	Ser. 1608, Class SC, 11/15/23
	4,328	Ser. 1688, Class S, 12/15/13
	10,536	Ser. 2575, Class OS, 9/15/31
	10,330	Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	102	Ser. 19, Class SB, 1/25/24
	436	Ser. 38, Class SA, 4/25/21
	3,109	Ser. 79, Class SE, 1/25/22
	428	Ser. 87, Class S, 8/25/21
	1,920	Ser. 93, Class S, 5/25/08
	204	Ser. 129, Class SE, 8/25/08
	206	Ser. 145, Class S, 10/25/06
	1,651	Ser. 170, Class SC, 9/25/08
	4,327	Ser. 196, Class SC, 10/25/08
	2,173	Ser. 214, Class S, 12/25/08
	1,358	Ser. 214, Class SH, 12/25/08
	2,562	Ser. 247, Class SN, 12/25/23
AAA	1,911	Kidder Peabody Acceptance Corp., Ser. 1, Class A6, 8/25/23
AAA	649	Residential Funding Mortgage Securities Inc., Ser. S36, Class A13, 10/25/

Total Inverse Floating Rate Mortgages ......

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INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES--10.0%
      American Housing Trust,
  489
       Ser. III, Class 4, 3/25/19 ......
  115
       Ser. VII, Class 2, 11/25/20 .....
      BA Mortgage Securities, Inc.,
  405
       Ser. 1, Class X, 7/25/26 .....
  300
       Ser. 1, Class 2X, 5/28/13 .....
104,801
     Commercial Mortgage Acceptance Corp., Ser. ML1, Class IO, 12/15/30 .....
38,360
     Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Securities Corp. Trust, Ser. C1, Clas
     Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
       Ser. G-13, Class PP, 5/25/21 .....
1,387
41,587
       Ser. G-60, Class HS, 4/25/24 .....
      Ser. 204, Class IO, 5/01/29 ......
11,543
       Ser. 1494, Class PL, 3/15/22 .....
  22
       Ser. 1706, Class IA, 10/15/23 .....
 2,384
       Ser. 1720, Class PK, 1/15/24 .....
  622
       Ser. 1809, Class SC, 12/15/23 ......
18,484
20,310
       Ser. 1914, Class PC, 12/15/11 ......
       Ser. 2002, Class HJ, 10/15/08 .....
22,106
  763
       Ser. 2037, Class IB, 12/15/26 ......
 3,042
      Ser. 2050, Class PI, 12/15/11 ......
 1,708
       Ser. 2063, Class PI, 4/15/12 .....
      Ser. 2080, Class PL, 1/15/27 .....
 5,434
  27
      Ser. 2099, Class JB, 9/15/22 .....
 2,029
      Ser. 2138, Class PI, 3/15/11 ......
 8,630
      Ser. 2289, Class S, 2/15/31 ......
  457
      Ser. 2296, Class IO, 8/15/27 ......
 6,762
      Ser. 2296, Class SA, 3/15/16 ......
 7,359
      Ser. 2358, Class IB, 7/15/21 .....
 6,240
      Ser. 2444, Class ST, 9/15/29 .....
      Ser. 2512, Class QS, 10/15/22 .....
 9,078
 5,101
      Ser. 2513, Class BI, 12/15/15 ......
 4,545
      Ser. 2542, Class MX, 5/15/22 .....
 5,028
      Ser. 2543, Class IM, 9/15/12 .....
       Ser. 2545, Class NI, 3/15/22 .....
11,648
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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
		INTEREST ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES(CONT'D)
		Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
	\$ 3	Ser. G-50, Class G, 12/25/21
	790	Ser. G92-5, Class H, 1/25/22
	2	Ser. G92-12, Class C, 2/25/22
	2,679	Ser. G92-60, Class SB, 10/25/22
	3,050	Ser. W4, Class IO, 12/25/28

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12,851
              Ser. 2, Class ID, 3/25/23 .....
      28,816
              Ser. 16, Class PI, 11/25/12 ......
       2,898
              Ser. 19, Class PI, 8/25/12 ......
      48,277
              Ser. 23, Class ES, 10/25/22 .....
              Ser. 33, Class SG, 3/25/09 .....
      11,048
      13,508
              Ser. 37, Class SE, 10/25/22 ......
       3,454
              Ser. 50, Class SI, 4/25/23 ......
       3,955
             Ser. 62, Class IC, 7/25/15 ......
             Ser. 62, Class IL, 3/25/24 .....
       5,597
             Ser. 68, Class SC, 1/25/24 .....
      12,371
       7,989
             Ser. 82, Class IR, 9/25/12 .....
      49,725
             Ser. 90, Class M, 1/25/28 .....
       8,070
             Ser. 199, Class SB, 10/25/23 .....
             Ser. 301, Class 2, 4/01/29 .....
       6,157
             Ser. 302, Class 2, 6/01/29 ......
      11,935
            First Boston Mortgage Securities Corp., Ser. C, Class IO, 4/25/17 ......
        249
            GMAC Commercial Mortgage Securities, Inc., Ser. C1, Class X, 7/15/29 ....
      37,916
            Goldman Sachs Mortgage Securities Corp., Ser. 5, Class IO, 6/19/27(3) ...
      28,694
            Government National Mortgage Assoc., Ser. 7, Class PS, 1/20/28 ......
       1,632
      17,779
            Hanover Grantor Trust, Ser. A, Class 1IO, 8/28/27(3) ......
        305
            Kidder Peabody Acceptance Corp., Ser. B, Class A2, 4/22/18 ......
       7,874
            Merrill Lynch Mortgage Investors, Inc., Ser. C2, Class IO, 6/15/21 .....
      13,005
            Morgan Stanley Capital 1, Inc., Ser. HF1, Class X, 7/15/293 ......
      24,675
            Prudential Home Mortgage Securities Co., Ser. 5, Class A9, 2/25/24 .....
            Prudential Securities Inc., Ser. 15, Class 1G, 5/20/21 ......
         65
       4,500
            Residential Accredit Loans, Inc., Ser. QS7, Class A1, 4/25/33 ......
            Small Business Administration, Ser. 1, Class IO, 4/01/15 ......
      30,340
     285,951
            Vendee Mortgage Trust, Ser. 2, Class 1IO, 5/15/29 ......
            Total Interest Only Mortgage-Backed Securities .....
            PRINCIPAL ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES--13.3%
            Chase Mortgage Finance Corp., Ser. A, Class AP, 1/25/10 .....
AAA
        342
            Collateralized Mortgage Obligation Trust, Ser. 29, Class A, 5/23/17 .....
        235
AAA
            Countrywide Home Loan Mortgage Certificates,
       1,585
             Ser. J2, Class A30, 4/25/33 .....
AAA
             Ser. 11, Class A14, 5/25/33 .....
AAA
       1,322
AAA
       4,199
              Ser. 11, Class A28, 5/25/33 ......
            Drexel Burnham Lambert, Inc.,
        90
              Ser. K, Class 1, 9/23/17 .....
AAA
AAA
      1,005
              Ser. V, Class 1, 9/01/18 .....
            Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.,
       1,061
              Ser. T-8, Class A10, 11/15/28 .....
              Ser. 1418, Class M, 11/15/22 .....
        634
       3,077
              Ser. 1571, Class G, 8/15/23 .....
       7,271
              Ser. 1691, Class B, 3/15/24 .....
              Ser. 1739, Class B, 2/15/24 .....
        955
        288
              Ser. 1750, Class PC, 3/15/24 .....
        532
              Ser. 1857, Class PB, 12/15/08 ......
       1,506
              Ser. 1896, Class PA, 11/15/23 ......
            Federal National Mortgage Assoc.,
       1,428
             Ser. G93-2, Class KB, 1/25/23 .....
       1,468
             Ser. W4, Class PO, 2/25/29 .....
        120
             Ser. 5, Class PV, 11/25/23 .....
        166
             Ser. 7, Class J, 2/25/21 ......
       6,137
             Ser. 13, Class PR, 3/25/32 .....
             Ser. 26, Class L, 3/25/23 .....
       3,148
             Ser. 82, Class PO, 12/25/32 .....
       2,589
             Ser. 273, Class 1, 7/01/26 .....
       1,609
             Ser. 279, Class 1, 7/01/26 .....
        734
      24,949
             Ser. 328, Class1, 11/01/32 .....
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RATING(1)	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
	÷ 465	PRINCIPAL ONLY MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES(CONT'D)
AAA	\$ 467	First Union Residential Securitization Trust, Ser. A, Class 1-APO, 3/25/1
AAA	11,786	Fund America Investors Corp., Ser. C, Class B, 4/29/30
AAA AAA	150 110	Housing Security Inc., Ser. D, Class D8, 6/25/23
		Total Principal Only Mortgage-Backed Securities
		COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES2.4%
AAA	10,250	New York City Mortgage Loan Trust, Ser. 1996, Class A2, 6.75%, 6/25/11(3)
		U.S. GOVERNMENT AND AGENCY SECURITIES24.4%
	13,607	Overseas Private Investment Corp., 4.30% - 7.35%, 5/29/12
		Small Business Administration,
	1,763	Ser. 20C-1, 7.15%, 3/01/17
	2,843	Ser. 20E-1, 7.60%, 5/01/16
	3,518	Ser. 20F-1, 7.55%, 6/01/16
	2,223	Ser. 20G-1, 7.70%, 7/01/16
	2,884	Ser. 20H-1, 7.25%, 8/01/16
	4,480	Ser. 20K-1, 6.95%, 11/01/16
	2,105	Small Business Investment Companies, Ser. P10A-1, 6.12%, 2/01/08
		U.S. Treasury Bonds,
	155,700(2)	± .
	8,325(2)	8.00%, 11/15/21
		U.S. Treasury Notes,
	3,000(2)	3.875%, 2/15/13
	14,000(2)	4.00%, 11/15/12
		Total U.S. Government and Agency Securities
		COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATION RESIDUALS0.1%
	45	FBC Mortgage Securities Trust 16, CMO, Ser. A1, 7/01/17(4)
		Total Long-Term Investments (cost \$578,980,223)
		SHORT-TERM INVESTMENT2.6%
	12,700	DISCOUNT NOTE2.6% Federal Home Loan Bank, 1.25%, 5/01/03 (cost \$12,700,000)
		Total investments before investment sold short and outstanding option writed (cost \$591,680,223)
		INVESTMENT SOLD SHORT(3.5)%

15,750 U.S. Treasury Notes, 4.375%, 8/15/12 (proceeds \$16,213,984) ......

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- (1) Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.
- (2) Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.
- (3) Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 3.4% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$16,201,097, in securities restricted as to resale.
- (4) Illiquid security representing 0.1% of net assets.

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PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

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BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust

PRINCIPAL AMOUNT

RATING(1) (000) DESCRIPTION

LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS--144.0% CORPORATE BONDS--142.0% AEROSPACE & DEFENSE--4.4%

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BBB- A+		Raytheon Co., 6.55%, 3/15/10
		AUTOMOTIVE15.8%
BB+		Autonation, Inc., 9.00%, 8/01/08
B1		Collins & Aikman Products Co., 10.75%, 12/31/11
A3		Daimler Chrysler NA Holding Corp., 7.30%, 1/15/12
BB	2,000	Dana Corp., 10.125%, 3/15/10
В3		Delco Remy Intl., Inc., 11.00%, 5/01/09
В	2,000	Dura Operating Corp., Ser. D, 9.00%, 5/01/09
B+ B+	1,000(2)	Sonic Automotive, Inc., Ser. D, 11.00%, 8/01/08
В	2,000	TRW Automotive, Inc., 9.375%, 2/15/13(3)
Д	2,000	onited Auto Group The., 9.023%, 3/13/12
		BASIC MATERIAL2.1%
BB-	2,000(2)	Century Aluminum Co., 11.75%, 4/15/08
		BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT5.3%
BB	1,000(2)	Beazer Homes USA, Inc., 8.625%, 5/15/11
B-	2,000	Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Corp., 11.25%, 8/15/08
Ba1	2,000	Schuler Homes, Inc., 9.375%, 7/15/09
		CHEMICAL5.4%
BB	2,000	Lyondell Chemical Co., Ser. B, 9.875%, 5/01/07
ВВ	1,796	Noveon, Inc., Ser. B, 11.00%, 2/28/11
B-	1,250	Resolution Performance Products, Inc., 13.50%, 11/15/10
	_,,	
		CONGLOMERATES4.5%
A	325	Honeywell Intl., Inc., 7.50%, 3/01/10
В	1,500	MDP Acquisitions PLC, 9.625%, 10/01/12 (Ireland)(3)
В	2,000	Penhall Intl., Inc., 12.00%, 8/01/06
BBB-	1,132(2)	Tyco Intl. Group SA, 6.375%, 2/15/06 (Luxembourg)
		CONSUMER PRODUCTS7.8%
В-	2,000	Friendly Ice Cream Corp., 10.50%, 12/01/07
BBB+	1,000(2)	General Mills, Inc., 5.125%, 2/15/07
BBB		Kellogg Co., Ser. B, 6.00%, 4/01/06
BB-	2,000	Levi Strauss & Co., 12.25%, 12/15/12(3)
B-	500	Pantry, Inc., The, 10.25%, 10/15/07
B+	2,000	Sbarro, Inc., 11.00%, 9/15/09
		CONTAINERS & GLASS3.0%
В	1,000	Crown European Holdings SA, 10.875%, 3/01/13 (France)(3)
B+	1,800	Plastipak Holdings, Inc., 10.75%, 9/01/11
		ECOLOGICAL SERVICES & EQUIPMENT3.8%
B+	2.000(2)	Allied Waste NA, Inc., Ser. B, 10.00%, 8/01/09
В	1,500	Casella Waste Systems, Inc., 9.75%, 2/01/13(3)
-	_, ~ ~ ~ ~	2,000, 2,000, 00,00, 00,00,00,00,00,00,00,00,00,

			ELECTRONI	CS4.4%						
B+	+ 2	,000	FIMEP SA,	10.50%,	2/15/13	3 (Franc	ce)(3)		 	
Ва	a2 2	,000(2)	Flextroni	cs Intl.	Ltd., 9	9.875%,	7/01/10	(Singapore)	 	

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RATING(1)	А	RINCIPAL MOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
			ENERGY18.9%
BBB+			Anadarko Petroleum Corp., 5.375%, 3/01/07
B+			Calpine Corp., 10.50%, 5/15/06
BB			Compagnie Generale De Geophysique SA, 10.625%, 11/15/07 (France)
A-			Conoco, Inc., 6.95%, 4/15/29
В			Dresser, Inc., 9.375%, 4/15/11
BBB		250(2)	DTE Energy Co., 7.05%, 6/01/11
			El Paso Corp.,
В		165	7.75%, 1/15/32
В		85	7.80%, 8/01/31
BB-		1,000	GulfTerra Energy Partners L.P., Ser. B, 8.50%, 6/01/11
BBB+			Exelon Corp., 6.75%, 5/01/11
Baa2			FirstEnergy Corp., Ser. C, 7.375%, 11/15/31
B+		2,000	Hanover Equipment Trust, Ser. A, 8.50%, 9/01/08
BB-		1,000	Leviathan Gas Pipeline Partners LP, Ser. B, 10.375%, 6/01/09
BBB		250	Occidental Petroleum Corp., 6.75%, 1/15/12
BBB		1,000(2)	Progress Energy, Inc., 6.75%, 3/01/06
В		2,000	Swift Energy Co., 10.25%, 8/01/09
BB-		2,000	Western Gas Resources, Inc., 10.00%, 6/15/09
A+		500(2)	FINANCE & BANKING16.9% Allstate Corp., 7.875%, 5/01/05
Aa3			Bank One Corp., 6.50%, 2/01/06
Aa3			Barclays Bank PLC, 8.55%, 9/29/49 (United Kingdom)3
A			Bear Stearns Co., Inc., 6.50%, 5/01/06
B+			Bluewater Finance Ltd., 10.25%, 2/15/12 (United Kingdom)
AA+			Citigroup, Inc., 5.75%, 5/10/06
1111		2,000(2)	Ford Motor Credit Co.,
A.3		750(2)	
A3		2,000(2)	
		, , ,	General Motors Acceptance Corp.,
A2		250(2)	6.75%, 1/15/06

А	2	900(2)	6.875%, 9/15/11
A	2	300(2)	8.00%, 11/01/31
A.	AA	850(2)	KFW Intl. Finance, Inc., 5.25%, 6/28/06
В	a1	1,000	Labranche & Co., Inc., 12.00%, 3/02/07
A	+	1,000(2)	Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., 6.25%, 5/15/06
	A	325(2)	MetLife, Inc., 6.125%, 12/01/11
BB	B+	1,000	Sears Roebuck Acceptance Corp., 6.75%, 8/15/11
			TODICE PROPUSES 2 10
Б	- 0	2 000 (2)	FOREST PRODUCTS3.1%
	a2		Caraustar Industries, Inc., 9.875%, 4/01/11
В	BB	1,000(2)	Weyerhaeuser Co., 6.125%, 3/15/07
			HEALTH CARE6.7%
	D	2,000	HealthSouth Corp., 6.875%, 6/15/05
В	_	2,000	Insight Health Services Corp., Ser. B, 9.875%, 11/01/11
В	+	2,000	Matria Healthcare, Inc., Ser. B, 11.00%, 5/01/08
В	_	1,500	United Surgical Partners Intl., Inc., 10.00%, 12/15/11
			HOTELS & CASINO2.9%
В	B+	2,000	Park Place Entertainment Corp., 7.875%, 3/15/10
	В	1,000	Resorts Intl. Hotel & Casino, Inc., 11.50%, 3/15/09
			INDUSTRIAL EQUIPMENT4.0%
	B-	2,000	Mail Well I Corporation, 9.625%, 3/15/12
В	+	2,000(2)	United Rentals, Inc., Ser. B, 9.25%, 1/15/09

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RAT	ING(1)	 RINCIPAL AMOUNT (000)	DESCRIPTION
BB	+	\$ 1,500	LEISURE1.5% Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd., 8.75%, 2/02/11 (Liberia)
NI B BBI	1	1,500(2)	MEDIA13.4% Adelphia Communications Corporation, Ser. B, 10.50%, 7/15/04(4) Alliance Atlantis Communications, Inc., 13.00%, 12/15/09 (Canada) AOL Time Warner, Inc., 7.70%, 5/01/32

CCC- BBB BB- B- A- B-	2,000 1,000 2,000 2,000 1,000(2) 1,500	Charter Communications Holdings LLC, 11.125%, 1/15/11
A- Ba3 Ba3	500(2) 1,000 1,000	REAL ESTATE2.5% ERP Operating LP, 6.95%, 3/02/11 Felcore Lodging LP, 8.50%, 6/01/11 9.50%, 9/15/08
BB+	2,000	TECHNOLOGY2.1% Unisys Corp., 8.125%, 6/01/06
BBB+ B3 Ba3 CCC+ Aa3 A NR	1,000 2,000 450 2,000(2)	TELECOMMUNICATION8.2% AT&T Corp., 6.50%, 11/15/06 Crown Castle Int'l. Corp., 10.75%, 8/01/11 PanAmSat Corp., 8.50%, 2/01/12 Qwest Capital Funding, Inc., 5.875%, 8/03/04 Verizon New England, Inc., 6.50%, 9/15/11 Vodafone Group PLC, 7.75%, 2/15/10 (United Kingdom) Worldcom, Inc., 7.375%, 1/15/06(3,4) 8.00%, 5/15/06(4)
BBB+ Baa1 B B	500 400 2,000 2,000	TRANSPORTATION5.3% Canadian National Railway Co., 6.90%, 7/15/28 (Canada) Norfolk Southern Corp., 7.05%, 5/01/37 Pacer Intl., Inc., Ser. B, 11.75%, 6/01/07 RailAmerica Transp. Corp., 12.875%, 8/15/10
		Total Corporate Bonds
Baa2	1,000	FOREIGN GOVENMENT BONDS1.1% United Mexican States, 8.125%, 12/30/19 (Mexico)
AAA	850(2)	SUPRANATIONAL0.9% European Investment Bank, 4.875%, 9/06/06
		TOTAL INVESTMENTS144.0% (COST \$143,798,660)
		NET ASSETS100%

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⁽¹⁾ Using the higher of S&P's, Moody's or Fitch's rating.

⁽²⁾ Entire or partial principal amount pledged as collateral for reverse

- repurchase agreements or financial futures contracts.
- (3) Security is not registered under the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be resold in transactions in accordance with Rule 144A under that Act, to qualified institutional buyers. As of April 30, 2003, the Trust held 10.0% of its net assets, with a current market value of \$10,071,100, in securities restricted as to resale.
- (4) Issuer is technically in default.

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STATEMENTS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (UNAUDITED) APRIL 30, 2003

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Assets	Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust(1)	В
Investments at value(2)  Cash  Receivable from investments sold  Variation margin receivable  Collateral deposited with brokers  Receivable for closed forward foreign currency contracts, net  Interest receivable  Unrealized appreciation on interest rate swaps  Other assets	\$ 67,486,179 75,072 142,795 39,188   825,961  10,547	\$ 6
	68,579,742 	
Liabilities		
Reverse repurchase agreements	18,166,250	
Reverse repurchase agreements	18 <b>,</b> 166 <b>,</b> 250 	
Reverse repurchase agreements	18,166,250  	<u>-</u>
Reverse repurchase agreements	18,166,250   	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian	  	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)	   	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable	  	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value	   	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value  Payable for open forward foreign currency contracts	   	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value  Payable for open forward foreign currency contracts  Unrealized depreciation on interest rate swaps and purchase commitment	    4,348  	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value  Payable for open forward foreign currency contracts  Unrealized depreciation on interest rate swaps and purchase commitment Variation margin payable	   4,348  	1
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value  Payable for open forward foreign currency contracts  Unrealized depreciation on interest rate swaps and purchase commitment Variation margin payable  Investment advisory fee payable	   4,348    22,668	-
Reverse repurchase agreements  Payable to custodian  Payable for investments purchased  Loan payable  Investments sold short at value(3)  Outstanding options written at value(4)  Interest payable  Interest rate floors at value  Payable for open forward foreign currency contracts  Unrealized depreciation on interest rate swaps and purchase commitment Variation margin payable	   4,348  	1

		18,382,169	23
Net Assets	\$	50,197,573	
Composition of Net Assets:	==	=======	====
Par value	\$	29,571	\$
Paid-in capital in excess of par		40,240,039	38
Cost of shares held in treasury(5)			
Undistributed (distributions in excess of) net investment income		7,769,200	(
Accumulated net realized gain (loss)		1,208,563	1
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)		950,200	1
Accumulated net realized and unrealized foreign currency loss			
Net assets, April 30, 2003		50,197,573	·
Net asset value per common share(6)	==	\$16.98	====
		=====	
(1)Consolidated Statement of Assets and Liabilities			
(2) Investments at cost	\$	66,489,325	\$ 58
(3)Proceeds received			
(4)Premium received			
(5) Shares held in treasury			
(6) Common shares issued and outstanding		2,957,093	2

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HIGH YIELD TRUST	INCOME OPPORTUNITY TRUST	INCOME TRUST	STRATEGIC BOND TRUST
\$ 58,801,618	\$599,994,605	\$594,565,355	\$144,323,116
	103,912	349,511	58,472
	2,974,659	1,278,602	
	1,445,063		
	1,180,000	16,464,688	
2,420,967	7,652,624	5,454,311	3,834,357
	1,146,903		
51,781	76,914	85 <b>,</b> 796	2,933
61,274,366	614,574,680	618,198,263	148,218,878

	187,816,125	110,819,750	47,747,000
130,057			
	2,946,894		
19,250,000			
		16,444,606	
	323,740	1,187,046	
28,690	536 <b>,</b> 147	1,523,155	
		1,626,107	
	11,220	8,474,732	
	38	103,380	
51 <b>,</b> 575	204,004	253 <b>,</b> 933	65,021
4,912	34,001	78,133	
14,185	69 <b>,</b> 232	84,681	2,933
71,363	104,960	144,505	179,077
19,550,782	192,046,361	140,740,028	47,994,031
\$ 41,723,584	\$422,528,319	\$477,458,235	\$100,224,847
\$ 6,367	\$ 344,497	\$ 632 <b>,</b> 471	\$ 7,026
93,758,505	406,532,068	563,097,029	100,127,403
	(17,377,850)		
(70,114)	5,340,133	8,842,687	1,377,247
(32,427,076)	9,827,500	(86,680,931)	(1,811,285)
(19,544,098)	18,057,969	(8,433,021)	524,456
	(195,998)		
\$ 41,723,584	\$422,528,319	\$477,458,235	\$100,224,847
\$6.55	\$12.27	\$7 <b>.</b> 55	\$14.27
====	=====	====	=====
\$ 78,345,716	\$580,342,044	\$591,680,223	\$143,798,660
		16,810,234	
	56 <b>,</b> 660	207,753	
	1,757,400		
6,367,294	34,449,693	63,247,058	7,025,735

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STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (UNAUDITED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2003

BROAD INVESTMENT
GRADE 2009 CORE
TERM TRUST(1) BOND TRUS

Interest income	\$ 2,267,041	\$ 14,561,3
EXPENSES		
Investment advisory	138,035	1,519,5
Administration	37,646	
Transfer agent	5,380	8,3
Custodian	33,703	71,3
Reports to shareholders	28,287	47,9
Directors/Trustees fees	7,109	23,5
Registration	1,175	15,6
Independent accountants	24,697	21,5
Interest expense	131,598	180,9
Excise tax	219,172	
Legal	9,663	13,8
Miscellaneous	11,751	54,1
Total expenses	648,216	1,956,7
Less fees waived by Advisor		
Less fees paid indirectly		(4,3
Net expenses	648,216	1,952,3
Net investment income	1,618,825	12,609,0
Foreign currency Futures Interest rate caps Interest rate swaps Options written Short sales	322,209   	573,2 5,078,5
	104 512	14,219,5
	194,513	14,219,3
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on: Investments	(1,409,314)	15,838,8
Foreign currency		(49,0
Futures	(119,548)	(81,5
Interest rate caps		
Interest rate floors		
Interest rate swaps		
Options written		134,5
Short sales		
	(1,528,862)	15,842,7
Net gain (loss) on investments	(1,334,349)	30,062,2
NET INCREASE IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS	\$ 284,476 ========	\$ 42,671,2 ========
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⁽¹⁾ Consolidated Statement of Operations.

HIGH YIELD TRUST	INCOME OPPORTUNITY TRUST	INCOME TRUST	STRATEGIC BOND TRUST
\$ 4,262,804 	\$ 16,474,347	\$ 21,284,662 	\$ 6,268,135
308,225	1,218,930	1,560,470	515 <b>,</b> 550
29,355	203,155	480,145	
10,909	17,035	43,141	7,831
15,762	102,040	86,904	25,055
29,753	67,383	61,985	14,828
5 <b>,</b> 950	26,633	32,351	6,229
11,157	15,620	24,049	11,157
17,209	54,465	54,103	20,426
186,714	849 <b>,</b> 627	857,092	366,074
 12 <b>,</b> 397	 44 <b>,</b> 902	21 <b>,</b> 660	6 <b>,</b> 089
10,916	76,704	87 <b>,</b> 481	13,577
638,347	2,676,494	3,309,381	986,816
			(137,480)
(1,382)	(2,863)	(6,094)	(6,112)
636 <b>,</b> 965	2,673,631	3,303,287	843,224
3,625,839	13,800,716	17,981,375	5,424,911
(2,083,995) 	(1,268,598) (195,998)	920,149	(1,494,577) 
	10,871,248	(65, 475)	
	 F F70	(1,317)	
	5 <b>,</b> 570	(882,431)	
	64,050 (27,844)	234,850 (162,481)	
		(102 <b>,</b> 101)	
(2,083,995)	9,448,428	43 <b>,</b> 295	(1,494,577)
4,784,614	16,220,556 168,091	(8,646,770) 	12,621,690
	(2,262,090)	(1,162,947)	
		354,083	
		381 <b>,</b> 599	
	(969,381)	(439,203)	
	(157,822)	(578,680)	
	599 <b>,</b> 240	(230,622)	
4,784,614	13,598,594	(10,322,540)	12,621,690
2,700,619	23,047,022	(10,279,245)	11,127,113

\$	6,326,458	\$ 36,847,738	\$ 7,702,130	\$ 16,552,024
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STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2003

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RECONCILIATION OF NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM OPERATIONS TO NET CASH FLOWS PROVIDED BY (USED FOR) OPERATING ACTIVITIES	BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST(1)	C BOND
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	\$ 284,476	\$ 42 <b>,</b>
Decrease (increase) in investments	5,505,802 (194,513) 1,528,862	(5, (14, (15,
Decrease in interest rate caps	  	
Decrease (increase) in receivable for investments sold  Increase in receivable for forward foreign currency contracts  Decrease (increase) in variation margin receivable	(142,795)  (15,626)	(2,
Decrease (increase) in collateral deposited with brokers  Decrease (increase) in interest receivable  Decrease (increase) in other assets  Decrease in payable for investments purchased	39,201 (1,384)	(1,
Increase (decrease) in payable for forward foreign currency contracts  Decrease in variation margin payable	  (12,975) 	(3)
Increase (decrease) in investments sold short Increase (decrease) in investment advisory fee payable Decrease in administration fee payable Increase in deferred Directors/Trustees fees Increase (decrease) in other accrued expenses	(1,361) (371) 1,823 (158,318)	,
Total adjustments	6,548,345	(43,
Net cash flows provided by (used for) operating activities	\$ 6,832,821 =======	\$ ( =====
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND FOREIGN CURRENCY Net cash flows provided by (used for) operating activities	\$ 6,832,821 	\$ ( 
Cash flows provided by (used for) financing activities: Increase (decrease) in reverse repurchase agreements	(5,502,937) (1,330,536)	17, (16,

Net cash flows provided by (used for) financing activities	(	6,833,473)	1,
Effect of changes in exchange rate			
Net increase (decrease) in cash		(652) 75 <b>,</b> 724	(
Cash at end of period	\$	75 <b>,</b> 072	\$

⁽¹⁾ Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows.

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HIGH YIELD TRUST	INCOME OPPORTUNITY TRUST	INCOME TRUST	STRATEGIC BOND TRUST
\$ 6,326,458	\$ 36,847,738	\$ 7,702,130	\$ 16,552,024
175,007	(18,213,420)	83,353,851	(3,797,110)
2,083,995	(9,448,428)	(43,295)	1,494,577
(4,784,614)	(13,598,594)	10,322,540	(12,621,690)
(1, 7, 01, 011)	(13,330,331)	20	(12,021,030)
		(560,474)	
	980,601	449,403	
	98,916,946	18,402,695	
	(756,221)	296,214	
	(1,180,000)	769 <b>,</b> 687	
(108,956)	(1,857,398)	1,368,150	(149,088)
488	16,537	(5,500)	(476)
	(98,621,183)	(1,460,612)	
	38	103,380	
(11,874)	256,256	(763,696)	(35,552)
	90,022	330,080	
	(73,551,740)	16,444,606	
(2,379)	(2,181)	(25,901)	1,787
(226)	(363)	(7,476)	
1,593	8,037	11,006	1,182
8,101	(190,923)	(103,353)	17,978
(2,638,865)	(117,152,014)	128,881,325	(15,088,392)

\$ 3,687,593	\$(80,304,276)	\$136,583,455	\$ 1,463,632
========	========	========	========
\$ 3,687,593	\$(80,304,276)	\$136 <b>,</b> 583 <b>,</b> 455	\$ 1,463,632 
 (3,555,578)	102,112,338 (21,799,162)	(94,972,514) (41,629,035)	3,523,625 (4,921,483)
(3,555,578)	80,313,176	(136,601,549)	1,397,858
	3,681		
132,015 (262,072)	12,581 91,331	(18,094) 367,605	65,774 (7,302)
\$ (130,057)	\$ 103,912	\$ 349,511	\$ 58,472

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STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED) AND FOR THE PERIOD(1) ENDED OCTOBER 31, 2002

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	BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE 2009 TERM TRUST(2)			
	2003	2002	200	
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS				
OPERATIONS: Net investment income Net realized gain (loss)	194,513	2,180,535	14,21	
Net increase in net assets resulting from operations	284,476	6,068,953		
DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS: From net investment income From net realized gains Tax return of capital distributions In excess of net investment income	(1,330,536)   	(2,291,473)   	(16,21	

Total dividends and distributions		(2,291,473)	
CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS:			
Net proceeds from the issuance of common shares Net proceeds from the underwriters'			
overallotment option exercised  Trust shares issued in conjunction with			
reinvestment of dividends			
Cost of Trust shares reacquired			
Net proceeds from capital share transactions $\dots$			
Total increase (decrease)		3,777,480	•
NET ASSETS			
Beginning of period		47,466,153	387 <b>,</b> 23
End of period			
End of period undistributed (distributions in			
excess of) net investment income	\$ 7,769,200	\$ 7,480,911	\$ (3,74

⁽¹⁾ Commencement of investment operations for Core Bond was November 30, 2001. This information includes the initial investment by BlackRock Funding, Inc. The other Trusts' statements are for a full year.

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	RTUNITY TRUST	INCOME OPPOR	HIGH YIELD TRUST	
2003	2002	2003	2002	2003
\$ 17,981,37	\$ 39,603,548	\$ 13,800,716	\$ 7,613,863	\$ 3,625,839
43,29	(6,747,774)	9,448,428	(8,468,860)	(2,083,995)
(10,322,54	5,135,503	13,598,594	2,224,397	4,784,614
7,702,13	37,991,277 	36,847,738 	1,369,400	6,326,458 
(44,475,82	(25,885,698)	(13,434,708)	(7,613,863)	(3,625,839)

⁽²⁾ Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Assets.

- - -	  	(8,364,454)  	(584,069) 	  (70,114)
(44,475,82	(25,885,698)	(21,799,162)	(8,197,932)	(3,695,953)
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-				
2,846,78	 (2,381,796)		261,647 	140,375
2,846,78	(2,381,796)		261,647	140,375
(33,926,90	9,723,783	15,048,576	(6,566,885)	2,770,880
511,385,14	397,755,960	407,479,743	45,519,589	38,952,704
\$477,458,23 ========	\$407,479,743 ========	\$422,528,319 ========	\$ 38,952,704 =======	\$ 41,723,584 =======
\$ 8,842,68	\$ 4,974,125	\$ 5,340,133	\$	\$ (70,114)

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STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED) AND FOR THE PERIOD(1) ENDED
OCTOBER 31, 2002

	STRATEGIC BOND TRUST		
	 2003 20		2002
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS			
OPERATIONS:			
Net investment income	\$ 5,424,911	\$	6,886,556
Net realized loss	(1,494,577)		(316,708)
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation .	12,621,690		(12,097,234)

Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting

from operations	16,552,024	(5,527,386)
DIVIDENDS FROM NET INVESTMENT INCOME		
CAPITAL SHARE TRANSACTIONS:  Net proceeds from the issuance of common shares  Trust shares issued in conjunction with reinvestment		99,920,015
of dividends	131,770	92,644
Net proceeds from capital share transactions	131,770	
Total increase	11,630,541	
NET ASSETS Beginning of period		
End of period		
End of period undistributed net investment income		

⁽¹⁾ Commencement of investment operations for Strategic Bond was February 28, 2002. This information includes the initial investment by BlackRock Funding, Inc.

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CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust

	SIX MONTHS ENDED		YEAR	ENDED OC
	APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED)	2002	2001	200
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE:				
Net asset value, beginning of $period(1)$ .	\$ 17.33	\$ 16.05	\$ 13.64	\$ 1
Investment operations:				
Net investment income	0.55	2.01	1.17	,
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	(0.45)	0.04	2.01	(
Net increase (decrease) from				
investment operations	0.10	2.05	3.18	ľ

Dividends from net investment income	(0.45)	(0.77)	(0.77)	(
Net asset value, end of period(1)	\$ 16.98	\$ 17.33	\$ 16.05	\$ 1
Market value, end of period(1)	\$ 16.40	\$ 16.18	\$ 14.39	==== \$ 1
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(2)	4.18%	18.34%	27.66%	1
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS:	======	======	======	====
Total expenses	2.58%(3)	2.50%	3.52%	Ī
Net expenses	2.58%(3)	2.50%	3.52%	Ī
Net expenses excluding interest expense				Ī
and excise tax	1.19%(3)	1.16%	1.16%	Ī
Net investment income	6.45%(3)	12.22%	7.93%	Ī
SUPPLEMENTALDATA:				
Average net assets (000)	\$ 50,611	\$ 48,731	\$ 43,701	\$ 39
Portfolio turnover	12%	35%	19%	
Net assets, end of period (000)	\$ 50,198	\$ 51,244	\$ 47,466	\$ 40
Reverse repurchase agreements				
outstanding, end of period (000)	\$ 18,166	\$ 23,669	\$ 13 <b>,</b> 373	\$ 18
Asset coverage(4)	\$ 3,763	\$ 3,165		\$ 3

⁽¹⁾ Net asset value and market value are published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.

The information above represents the unaudited operating performance for a share outstanding, total investment returns, ratios to average net assets and other supplemental data for each period indicated. This information has been determined based upon financial information provided in the financial statements and market value data for the Trust's shares.

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BlackRock Core Bond Trust

⁽²⁾ Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of a share at the current market price on the first day and a sale at the current market price on the last day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Trust's dividend reinvestment plan. Total investment returns do not reflect brokerage commissions. Total investment returns for less than a full year are not annualized. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.

⁽³⁾ Annualized.

⁽⁴⁾ Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

	ENDED APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED)	FOR THE PERIC NOVEMBER 30, 200 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 20
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: Net asset value, beginning of period(2)	\$ 14.33 	\$ 14.33 
Investment operations:  Net investment income	0.47	0.99
Net increase from investment operations	1.58	1.03
Dividends and distributions from net investment income	(0.60)	(1.00)
Capital charges with respect to issuance of shares	(0.60)	(0.03)
Net asset value, end of period(2)	\$ 15.31	\$ 14.33
Market value, end of period(2)	\$ 14.88 =======	\$ 13.82
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(3)	12.23%	(1.02)
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS: (4)  Total expenses  Net expenses  Net expenses excluding interest expense  Net investment income  SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:	0.99% 0.99% 0.90% 6.40%	1.04% 1.04%
Average net assets (000)  Portfolio turnover  Net assets, end of period (000)  Reverse repurchase agreements outstanding, end of period (000)  Asset coverage(5)	\$ 397,596 208% \$ 413,698 \$ 52,729 \$ 8,846	419% \$ 387,238 \$ 165,215

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⁽¹⁾ Commencement of investment operations. This information includes the initial investments by BlackRock Funding, Inc. Net asset value immediately after the closing of the public offering was \$14.30.

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⁽⁴⁾ Annualized.

⁽⁵⁾ Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

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	SIX MONTHS ENDED APRIL 30, 2003	YEAF	R ENDED OCTOBER
	(UNAUDITED)	2002	2001
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: Net asset value, beginning of period(2)	\$ 6.13	\$ 7.20 	\$ 10.60 
Investment operations:  Net investment income		1.20 (0.98)	1.32 (3.13)
Net increase (decrease) from investment operations		0.22	(1.81)
Dividends and distributions:  From net investment income	(0.58)	(1.20)	(1.48)
Total dividends and distributions	(0.58)	(1.29)	(1.59)
Capital charge with respect to issuance of shares			
Net asset value, end of period(2)		\$ 6.13 ======	\$ 7.20 ======
Market value, end of period(2)	\$ 10.29 ======	\$ 8.68 =====	\$ 9.18 ======
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(3)	26.28%	7.97%	(11.31)% ======
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS: Total expenses		3.47%	4.90%
Net expenses		3.47%	4.90%
Net expenses excluding interest expense		2.20%	2.03%
Net investment income		16.29%	14.23%
Average net assets (000)	\$ 39,917	\$ 46,751	\$ 58,553
Portfolio turnover		147%	71%
Net assets, end of period (000)	\$ 41,724	\$ 38,953	\$ 45,520
Loan outstanding, end of period (000)		\$ 19,250	\$ 23,000
Asset coverage(5)		\$ 3,024	\$ 2,983

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- (3) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of a share at the current market price on the first day and a sale at the current market price on the last day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for purposes of this calculation, to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Trust's dividend reinvestment plan. Total investment return does not reflect brokerage commissions. Total investment returns for less than a full year are not annualized. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.
- (4) Annualized.
- (5) Per \$1,000 of loan outstanding.

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BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust

	SIX MONTHS ENDED			ENDED OCTOBE
	APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED)		2001	2000
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: Net asset value, beginning of period(1)	\$ 11.83	\$ 11.47	\$ 11.03	\$ 11.45
Investment operations:  Net investment income  Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	0.40	1.15 (0.05)	0.87 0.34	0.70 (0.31)
Net increase from investment operations	1.07	1.10	1.21	0.39
Dividends and distributions:  From net investment income  From net realized gains  Tax return of capital	(0.39) (0.24) 	(0.75)	(0.23)  (0.54)	(0.39) (0.04) (0.41)

⁽¹⁾ Commencement of investment operations. This information includes the initial investment by BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.

⁽²⁾ Net asset value and market value are published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.

Total dividends and distributions	(0.63)	(0.75)	(0.77)	(0.84)
Increase resulting from Trust shares repurchased		0.01	0.002	0.03
Net asset value, end of period(1)	\$ 12.27 =======	\$ 11.83 ======	\$ 11.47 ======	\$ 11.03 ======
Market value, end of period(1)	\$ 11.17 ======	\$ 10.50 ======	\$ 10.41 ======	\$ 9.75 =====
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(3)	12.68%	8.44%	15.09%	9.82%
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS:				l
Total expenses	1.32%(4)	1.40%	3.62%	3.76%
Net expenses	1.32%(4)	1.40%	3.62%	3.76%
Net expenses excluding interest expense	0.90%(4)	0.93%	1.01%	0.88%
Net investment income	6.79%(4)	10.04%	7.76%	6.14%
Average net assets (000)	\$409 <b>,</b> 677	\$394,495	\$388,478	\$396 <b>,</b> 157
Portfolio turnover	36%	153%	83%	82%
Net assets, end of period (000) Reverse repurchase agreements outstanding,	\$422,528	\$407,480	\$397 <b>,</b> 756	\$383,651
end of period (000)	\$187 <b>,</b> 816	\$ 85,704	\$136 <b>,</b> 385	\$178 <b>,</b> 033
Asset coverage(5)	\$ 3,250	\$ 5,755	\$ 3,916	\$ 3,155

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⁽¹⁾ Net asset value and market value published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.

⁽²⁾ Less than \$0.005 per share.

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⁽⁴⁾ Annualized.

⁽⁵⁾ Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

BlackRock Income Trust

	SIX MONTHS ENDED		YEAR E	EAR ENDED OCTOB	
	APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED)	2002	2001	2000	
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: Net asset value, beginning of period(1)	\$ 8.13	\$ 8.06	\$ 7.23	\$ 7.31 	
<pre>Investment operations:    Net investment income Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)</pre>		0.99 (0.35)	0.56	0.50	
Net increase (decrease) from investment operations		0.64	1.39	0.48	
Dividends from net investment income	(0.71)	(0.57)	(0.56)	(0.56	
Net asset value, end of period(1)	\$ 7.55 ======	\$ 8.13	\$ 8.06 ======	\$ 7.23	
Market value, end of period(1)	\$ 8.07 ======	\$ 8.07	\$ 7.26	\$ 6.38	
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(2)		15.35% ======	23.23%	14.01	
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS:					
Total expense	1.38%(3)	2.05%	2.54%	2.78	
Net expenses		2.05%	2.54%	2.78	
Net expenses excluding interest expense $\dots$		1.03%		1.05	
Net investment income	7.49%(3)	12.28%	7.43%	7.11	
Average net assets (000)		\$506,533	\$470,185	\$448,027	
Portfolio turnover	32%	125%	32%	114	
Net assets, end of period (000) Reverse repurchase agreements outstanding,		\$511 <b>,</b> 385	\$506,764	\$454,510	
end of period (000)		\$205 <b>,</b> 792	\$118 <b>,</b> 634	\$ 64,460	
Asset coverage(4)	\$ 5,308	\$ 3,485	\$ 5 <b>,</b> 272	\$ 8,095	

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⁽⁴⁾ Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

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BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust

	APRIL 30, 2003 (UNAUDITED)	FOR THE PERIOD FEBRUARY 28, 2002 THROUGH OCTOBER 31, 2002
PER SHARE OPERATING PERFORMANCE: Net asset value, beginning of period(2)	. \$ 12.63	\$ 14.33
Investment operations:  Net investment income	1.59	0.98 (1.77)
Net increase from investment operations	. 2.36	(0.79)
Dividends from net investment income		(0.84)
Capital charges with respect to issuance of shares		(0.07)
Net asset value, end of period(2)		\$ 12.63 ======
Market value, end of period(2)		\$ 12.35 ======
TOTAL INVESTMENT RETURN(3)		(12.34)%
RATIOS TO AVERAGE NET ASSETS: (4)  Total expenses  Net expenses  Net expenses excluding interest expense  Net investment income  SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:  Average net assets (000)  Portfolio turnover  Net assets, end of period (000)  Reverse repurchase agreements outstanding, end of period (000)	1.80% 1.02% 11.60% \$ 94,271 19% \$100,225 \$ 47,747	2.57% 2.26% 1.25% 10.68% \$ 95,675 22% \$ 88,594 \$ 44,223
Asset coverage(5)	. \$ 3,099	\$ 3,003

⁽¹⁾ Commencement of investment operations. This information includes the initial investments by BlackRock Funding, Inc. Net asset value immediately after the closing of the public offering was \$14.25.

- (2) Net asset value and market value are published in BARRON'S on Saturday and THE WALL STREET JOURNAL on Monday.
- (3) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of a share at the current market price on the first day and a sale at the current market price on the last day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Trust's dividend reinvestment plan. Total investment returns do not reflect brokerage commissions. Total investment returns for less than a full year are not annualized. Past performance is not a guarantee of future results.
- (4) Annualized.
- (5) Per \$1,000 of reverse repurchase agreements outstanding.

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#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (UNAUDITED)

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#### NOTE 1. ORGANIZATION & ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc. ("Broad Investment Grade"), BlackRock Core Bond Trust ("Core Bond"), The BlackRock High Yield Trust ("High Yield"), BlackRock Income Opportunity Trust ("Income Opportunity"), The BlackRock Income Trust Inc. ("Income Trust") and BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust ("Strategic Bond") are registered as diversified, closed-end management investment companies under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended. Broad Investment Grade, Income Opportunity and Income Trust are Maryland corporations. Core Bond, High Yield and Strategic Bond are organized as Delaware statutory trusts.

On December 3, 1999, Broad Investment Grade transferred a substantial portion of its total assets to a 100% owned regulated investment company subsidiary called BCT Subsidiary, Inc. The financial statements and these notes to the financial statements for Broad Investment Grade are consolidated and include the operations of both Broad Investment Grade and its wholly owned subsidiary after elimination of all intercompany transactions and balances.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Trusts.

SECURITIES VALUATION: The Trusts value most of their securities on the basis of current market quotations provided by dealers or pricing services selected under the supervision of each Trust's Board of Directors/Trustees (the "Board"). In determining the value of a particular security, pricing services may use certain information with respect to transactions in such securities, quotations from dealers, market transactions in comparable securities, various relationships

observed in the market between securities, and calculated yield measures based on valuation technology commonly employed in the market for such securities. Exchange traded options are valued at their last sales price as of the close of options trading on applicable exchanges. In the absence of a last sale, options are valued at the average of the quoted bid and asked prices as of the close of business. A futures contract is valued at the last sale price as of the close of the commodities exchange on which it trades. Short-term securities may be valued at amortized cost. Securities or other assets for which such current market quotations are not readily available are valued at fair value as determined in good faith under procedures established by, and under the general supervision and responsibility of, each Trust's Board.

SECURITIES TRANSACTIONS AND INVESTMENT INCOME: Securities transactions are recorded on trade date. Realized and unrealized gains and losses are calculated on the identified cost basis. Each Trust also records interest income on an accrual basis and amortizes premium and/or accretes discount on securities purchased using the interest method.

REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS: In connection with transactions in repurchase agreements, a Trust's custodian takes possession of the underlying collateral securities, the value of which at least equals the principal amount of the repurchase transaction, including accrued interest. To the extent that any repurchase transaction exceeds one business day, the value of the collateral is marked-to-market on a daily basis to ensure the adequacy of the collateral. If the seller defaults and the value of the collateral declines or if bankruptcy proceedings are commenced with respect to the seller of the security, realization of the collateral by a Trust may be delayed or limited.

OPTION SELLING/PURCHASING: When a Trust sells or purchases an option, an amount equal to the premium received or paid by the Trust is recorded as a liability or an asset and is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the option written or purchased. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options which expire unexercised are treated by the Trust on the expiration date as realized gains or losses. The difference between the premium and the amount paid or received on effecting a closing purchase or sale transaction, including brokerage commissions, is also treated as a realized gain or loss. If an option is exercised, the premium paid or received is added to the proceeds from the sale or cost of the purchase in determining whether a Trust has realized a gain or a loss on investment transactions. A Trust, as writer of an option, may have no control over whether the underlying securities may be sold (call) or purchased (put) and as a result bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the security underlying the written option.

Options, when used by the Trusts, help in maintaining a targeted duration. Duration is a measure of the price sensitivity of a security or a portfolio to relative changes in interest rates. For instance, a duration of "one" means that a portfolio's or a security's price would be expected to change by approximately one percent with a one percent change in interest rates, while a duration of five would imply that the price would move approximately five percent in relation to a one percent change in interest rates.

Option selling and purchasing may be used by the Trusts as an attempt to manage the duration of positions, or collections of positions, so that changes in interest rates do not adversely affect the targeted duration of the portfolio unexpectedly. A call option gives the purchaser of the option the right (but not obligation) to buy, and obligates the seller to sell (when the option is exercised), the underlying position at the exercise price at any time or at a specified time during the option period. A put option gives the holder the right to sell and obligates the writer to buy the underlying position at the exercise price at any time or at a specified time during the option period. Put or call options can be purchased or sold to effectively help manage the targeted duration of the portfolio.

The main risk that is associated with purchasing options is that the option expires without being exercised. In this case, the option expires worthless and the premium paid for the option is considered the loss. The risk associated with writing call options is that a Trust may forgo the opportunity for a profit if the market value of the underlying position increases and the option is exercised. The risk in writing put options is that a Trust may incur a loss if the market value of the underlying position decreases and the option is exercised. In addition, as with futures contracts, the Trust risks not being able to enter into a closing transaction for the written option as the result of an illiquid market.

INTEREST RATE SWAPS: In an interest rate swap, one investor pays a floating rate of interest on a notional principal amount and receives a fixed rate of interest on the same notional principal amount for a specified period of time. Alternatively, an investor may pay a fixed rate

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and receive a floating rate. Interest rate swaps are efficient as asset/liability management tools. In more complex swaps, the notional principal amount may decline (or amortize) over time.

During the term of the swap, changes in the value of the swap are recognized as unrealized gains or losses by "marking-to-market" to reflect the market value of the swap. When the swap is terminated, a Trust will record a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the proceeds from (or cost of) the closing transaction and the Trust's basis in the contract, if any.

The Trusts are exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the swap. However, the Trusts closely monitor swaps and do not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

SWAP OPTIONS: Swap options are similar to options on securities except that instead of selling or purchasing the right to buy or sell a security, the writer or purchaser of the swap option is granting or buying the right to enter into a previously agreed upon interest rate swap agreement at any time before the expiration of the option. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options are recorded as liabilities or assets and are subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the option written or purchased. Premiums received or paid from writing or purchasing options which expire unexercised are treated by a Trust on the expiration date as realized gains or losses. The difference between the premium and the amount paid or received on effecting a closing purchase or sale transaction, including brokerage commission, is also treated as a realized gain or loss. If an option is exercised, the premium paid or received is added to the proceeds from the sale or cost of the purchase in determining whether a Trust has realized a gain or loss on investment transactions.

The main risk that is associated with purchasing swap options is that the swap option expires without being exercised. In this case, the option expires worthless and the premium paid for the swap option is considered the loss. The main risk that is associated with the writing of a swap option is the market risk of an unfavorable change in the value of the interest rate swap underlying the written swap option.

Swap options may be used by the Trusts to manage the duration of the Trusts' portfolios in a manner similar to more generic options described above.

INTEREST RATE CAPS: Interest rate caps are similar to interest rate swaps, except that one party agrees to pay a fee, while the other party pays the excess, if any, of a floating rate over a specified fixed or floating rate.

Interest rate caps are intended to both manage the duration of the Trusts' portfolios and their exposure to changes in short-term interest rates. Owning interest rate caps reduces a portfolio's duration, making them less sensitive to changes in interest rates from a market value perspective. The effect on income involves protection from rising short-term interest rates, which the Trusts experience primarily in the form of leverage.

The Trusts are exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the interest rate cap. However, the Trusts do not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

Transactions fees paid or received by the Trusts are recognized as assets or liabilities and amortized or accreted into interest expense or income over the life of the interest rate cap. The asset or liability is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the interest rate cap purchased or sold. Changes in the value of the interest rate cap are recognized as unrealized gains and losses.

INTEREST RATE FLOORS: Interest rate floors are similar to interest rate swaps, except that one party agrees to pay a fee, while the other party pays the deficiency, if any, of a floating rate under a specified fixed or floating rate.

Interest rate floors are used by the Trusts to both manage the duration of the portfolios and their exposure to changes in short-term interest rates. Selling interest rate floors reduces a portfolios duration, making it less sensitive to changes in interest rates from a market value perspective. The Trusts' leverage provides extra income in a period of falling rates. Selling floors reduces some of that advantage by partially monetizing it as an up front payment which the Trusts receive.

The Trusts are exposed to credit loss in the event of non-performance by the other party to the interest rate floor. However, the Trusts do not anticipate non-performance by any counterparty.

Transactions fees paid or received by the Trusts are recognized as assets or liabilities and amortized or accreted into interest expense or income over the life of the interest rate floor. The asset or liability is subsequently adjusted to the current market value of the interest rate floor purchased or sold. Changes in the value of the interest rate floor are recognized as unrealized gains and losses.

FINANCIAL FUTURES CONTRACTS: A futures contract is an agreement between two parties to buy and sell a financial instrument for a set price on a future date. Initial margin deposits are made upon entering into futures contracts and can be either cash or securities. During the period the futures contract is open, changes in the value of the contract are recognized as unrealized gains or losses by "marking-to-market" on a daily basis to reflect the market value of the contract at the end of each day's trading. Variation margin payments are made or received, depending upon whether unrealized gains or losses are incurred. When the contract is closed, a Trust records a realized gain or loss equal to the difference between the proceeds from (or cost of) the closing transaction and the Trust's basis in the contract.

Financial futures contracts, when used by the Trusts, help in maintaining a targeted duration. Futures contracts can be sold to effectively shorten an otherwise longer duration portfolio. In the same sense, futures contracts can be purchased to lengthen a portfolio that is shorter than its duration target. Thus, by buying or selling futures contracts, the Trusts may attempt to manage

the duration of positions so that changes in interest rates do not change the duration of the portfolio unexpectedly.

FORWARD CURRENCY CONTRACTS: The Trusts enter into forward currency contracts primarily to facilitate settlement of purchases and sales of foreign securities and to help manage the overall exposure to foreign currency. A forward contract is a commitment to purchase or sell a foreign currency at a future date (usually the security transaction settlement date) at a negotiated forward rate. In the event that a secu-

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rity fails to settle within the normal settlement period, the forward currency contract is renegotiated at a new rate. The gain or loss arising from the difference between the settlement value of the original and renegotiated forward contracts is isolated and is included in net realized gains (losses) from foreign currency transactions. Risks may arise as a result of the potential inability of the counterparties to meet the terms of their contract.

Forward currency contracts, when used by the Trusts, help to manage the overall exposure to the foreign currency backing some of the investments held by the Trusts. Forward currency contracts are not meant to be used to eliminate all of the exposure to the foreign currency, rather they allow the Trusts to limit their exposure to foreign currency within a narrow band to the objectives of the Trusts.

FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION: Foreign currency amounts are translated into United States dollars on the following basis:

- (i) market value of investment securities, other assets and liabilities—at the New York City noon rates of exchange.
- (ii) purchases and sales of investment securities, income and expenses—at the rates of exchange prevailing on the respective dates of such transactions.

The Trusts isolate that portion of the results of operations arising as a result of changes in the foreign exchange rates from the fluctuations arising from changes in the market prices of securities held at period end. Similarly, the Trusts isolate the effect of changes in foreign exchange rates from the fluctuations arising from changes in the market prices of portfolio securities sold during the period.

Net realized and unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses including realized foreign exchange gains and losses from sales and maturities of foreign portfolio securities, maturities of foreign reverse repurchase agreements, sales of foreign currencies, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, the difference between the amounts of interest and discount recorded on the Trusts' books and the U.S. dollar equivalent amounts actually received or paid and changes in unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses in the value of portfolio securities and other assets and liabilities arising as a result of changes in the exchange rate.

Foreign security and currency transactions may involve certain considerations and risks not typically associated with those of domestic origin, including unanticipated movements in the value of the foreign currency relative to the U.S. dollar.

SHORT SALES: The Trusts may make short sales of securities as a method of managing potential price declines in similar securities owned. When a Trust makes a short sale, it may borrow the security sold short and deliver it to the broker-dealer through which it made the short sale as collateral for its obligation to deliver the security upon conclusion of the sale. The Trusts may have to pay a fee to borrow the particular securities and may be obligated to pay over any payments received on such borrowed securities. A gain, limited to the price at which the Trust sold the security short, or a loss, unlimited as to dollar amount, will be recognized upon the termination of a short sale if the market price is greater or less than the proceeds originally received.

SECURITY LENDING: The Trusts may lend their portfolio securities to qualified institutions. The loans are secured by collateral at least equal, at all times, to the market value of the securities loaned. The Trusts may bear the risk of delay in recovery of, or even loss of rights in, the securities loaned should the borrower of the securities fail financially. The Trusts receive compensation for lending their securities in the form of interest on the loan. The Trusts also continue to receive interest on the securities loaned, and any gain or loss in the market price of the securities loaned that may occur during the term of the loan will be for the accounts of the Trusts. The Trusts did not enter into any security lending transactions during the six months ended April 30, 2003.

SEGREGATION: In cases in which the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, and the interpretive positions of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") require that each Trust segregate assets in connection with certain investments (e.g., when issued securities, reverse repurchase agreements or futures contracts), each Trust will, consistent with certain interpretive letters issued by the SEC, designate on its books and records cash or other liquid debt securities having a market value at least equal to the amount that would otherwise be required to be physically segregated.

FEDERAL INCOME TAXES: It is each Trust's (excluding Strategic Bond) intention to continue, and Strategic Bond intends to elect, to be treated as a regulated investment company under the Internal Revenue Code and to distribute sufficient amounts of their taxable income to shareholders. Therefore, no Federal income tax provisions are required. As part of a tax planning strategy, Broad Investment Grade intends to retain a portion of its taxable income and pay an excise tax on the undistributed amounts.

DIVIDENDS AND DISTRIBUTIONS: Each Trust declares and pays dividends and distributions to common shareholders monthly from net investment income, net realized short-term capital gains and other sources, if necessary. Net long-term capital gains, if any, in excess of loss carryforwards may be distributed annually. Dividends and distributions are recorded on the ex-dividend date.

Income distributions and capital gain distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations which may differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

ESTIMATES: The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN: Under the revised deferred compensation plan approved by each Trust's Board, non-interested Trustees may elect to defer receipt of all or a portion of their annual compensation. As of January 1, 2003, the Board elected to require its members to defer a portion of their annual complex compensation pursuant to the plan. Deferred amounts earn an approximate

return as though equivalent dollar amounts had been invested in common shares of other BlackRock Trusts selected by the Directors/Trustees.

The deferred compensation plan is not funded and obligations thereunder represent general unsecured claims against the general assets of the Trust. Each Trust may, however, elect to invest in common shares of those Trusts selected by the Directors/Trustees in order to match its deferred compensation obligations.

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#### NOTE 2. AGREEMENTS

Each Trust has an Investment Management Agreement with BlackRock Advisors, Inc. (the "Advisor"), which is a wholly owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc. BlackRock Financial Management, Inc., a wholly owned subsidiary of BlackRock, Inc., serves as sub-advisor to both Core Bond and Strategic Bond. BlackRock, Inc. is an indirect, majority owned subsidiary of The PNC Financial Services Group, Inc. The investment management agreement on Core Bond and Strategic Bond covers both investment advisory and administration services. Broad Investment Grade has an Administration Agreement with Princeton Administrators, L.P. ("Princeton"), an indirect wholly owned affiliate of Merrill Lynch & Co., Inc. High Yield, Income Opportunity and Income Trust have an Administration Agreement with Prudential Investments LLC ("Prudential"), an indirect wholly owned subsidiary of Prudential Financial, Inc.

Each Trust's investment advisory fee paid to the Advisor is computed weekly and payable monthly based on an annual rate, 0.55% for Broad Investment Grade, 0.60% for Income Opportunity and 0.65% for Income Trust, of each Trust's average net assets and 0.55% for Core Bond, 1.05% for High Yield and 0.75% for Strategic Bond, of each Trust's average weekly managed assets. The Advisor has voluntarily agreed to waive a portion of the investment advisory fees or other expenses on Strategic Bond as a percentage of its average weekly managed assets as follows: 0.20% for the first 5 years of the Trust's operations, 0.15% in year 6, 0.10% in year 7 and 0.05% in year 8.

The administration fee paid to each Trust's respective administrator, on other than Core Bond and Strategic Bond, is computed weekly and payable monthly based on an annual rate, 0.15% for Broad Investment Grade, 0.10% for Income Opportunity and 0.20% of the first \$500 million and 0.15% on any excess for Income Trust, of each Trust's average net assets and 0.10% for High Yield based on its average weekly managed assets.

Pursuant to the agreements, the Advisor provides continuous supervision of the investment portfolio and pays the compensation of officers of each Trust who are affiliated persons of the Advisor. The Advisor pays occupancy and certain clerical and accounting costs for Core Bond and Strategic Bond. Each Trust's respective administrator pays occupancy and certain clerical and accounting costs of their respective Trust(s). Each Trust bears all other costs and expenses, which include reimbursements to the Advisor for certain operational support services provided to each Trust.

Pursuant to the terms of their custody agreements, Core Bond, High Yield, Income Opportunity, Income Trust and Strategic Bond received earnings credits from its custodian for positive cash balances maintained, which are used to offset custody fees during the six months ended April 30, 2003, the amounts earned were \$4,390, \$1,382, \$2,863, \$6,094 and \$6,112, respectively.

NOTE 3. PORTFOLIO SECURITIES

Purchases and sales of investment securities, other than short-term investments, dollar rolls and U.S. government securities, for the six months ended April 30, 2003, aggregated as follows:

TRUST	PURCHASES	SALES
Broad Investment Grade	\$ 2,793,709	\$ 10,778,554
Core Bond	1,093,538,346	1,050,553,478
High Yield	12,358,553	12,848,350
Income Opportunity	244,183,901	184,572,814
Income Trust	65,856,647	83,410,882
Strategic Bond	25,405,635	23,286,165

Purchases and sales of U.S. government securities for the six months ended April 30, 2003, aggregated as follows:

TRUST	PURCHASES	SALES
Broad Investment Grade	\$ 5,144,969	\$
Core Bond	243,923,419	266,608,529
High Yield		
Income Opportunity	5,983,552	19,938,516
Income Trust	130,038,105	122,103,351
Strategic Bond	1,940,222	3,130,971

The Trust may from time to time purchase in the secondary market certain mortgage pass-through securities packaged or master serviced by affiliates or mortgage related securities containing loans or mortgages originated by PNCBank or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc. It is possible under certain circumstances, that PNC Mortgage Securities Corp. or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc., could have interests that are in conflict with the holders of these mortgage backed securities, and such holders could have rights against PNC Mortgage Securities Corp. or its affiliates, including Midland Loan Services, Inc.

At April 30, 2003, the total cost of securities for Federal income tax purposes and the aggregate gross/net unrealized appreciation/depreciation for securities held by each Trust were as follows:

TRUST	COST	APPRECIATION	DEPRECIATION	NET
Broad Investment Grade	\$ 66,508,995	\$ 1,304,156	\$ 326,972	\$ 977,184
Core Bond	586,812,069	22,486,965	4,829,543	17,657,422
High Yield	78,346,743	3,566,520	23,111,645	(19,545,125)
Income Opportunity	580,342,044	25,157,150	5,504,589	19,652,561
Income Trust	591,719,044	31,266,170	28,419,859	2,846,311
Strategic Bond	143,798,660	5,946,949	5,422,493	524,456

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For Federal income tax purposes, the following Trusts had capital loss carryforwards at October 31, 2002:

TRUST	CAPITAL LOSS CARRYFORWARDS AMOUNT	EXPIRES	TRUST	CAPITAL LOSS CARRYFORWARDS AMOU
Broad Investment Grade	\$ 472,280 85,817	2003 2008	Income Trust	\$10,359,634 27,373,194
	\$ 558,097			33,107,952
High Yield	\$ 3,443,603 3,270,311	2007 2008		1,352,206 13,940,898
	15,159,280	2009		\$86,133,884
	8,468,860	2010	Strategic Bond	\$ 316,708
	\$30,342,054			
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Accordingly, no capital gain distributions are expected to be paid to shareholders of a Trust until that Trust has net realized capital gains in excess of its carryforward amounts.

Details of open financial futures contracts at April 30, 2003, were as follows:

TRUST	NUMBER OF CONTRACTS	TYPE	EXPIRATION DATE	VALUE AT TRADE DATE	V APRI
LONG POSITION:					
Broad Investment Grade	66	10 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	\$ 7,644,904	\$
Core Bond	27	10 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	3,106,266	
	1,109	30 Yr. U.S. T-Bond	Jun. '03	126,610,509	12
Income Opportunity	1,233	10 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	142,711,378	14
	1,261		Jun. '03	144,436,146	14
Income Trust	296	10 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	34,286,235	3
SHORT POSITION:					
Core Bond	653	5 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	73,837,578	7
Income Opportunity	1,001	5 Yr. U.S. T-Note	Jun. '03	112,794,327	11
Income Trust	204	30 Yr. U.S. T-Bond	Jun. '03	23,006,571	2
	30	Eurodollar	Jun. '04	7,346,137	
	30	Eurodollar	Sep. '04	7,316,513	
	30	Eurodollar	Dec. '04	7,289,138	
	30	Eurodollar	Mar. '05	7,266,638	
	25	Eurodollar	Jun. '05	6,036,781	
	25	Eurodollar	Sep. '05	6,021,156	

25 Eurodollar Dec. '05 6,006,156 25 Eurodollar Mar. '06 5,992,407

Details of open forward currency contracts at April 30, 2003, were as follows:

	SETTLEMENT	CONTRACT	VALUE AT SETTLEMENT	VALUE AT APRIL 30,
TRUST AND FOREIGN CURRENCY	DATE 	TO RECEIVE	DATE 	2003
Core Bond BOUGHT:				
Euro	5/13/03	5,935,723e	\$ 6,291,865	\$ 6,633,688
Swedish Krona	5/14/03	7,088,380kr	855 <b>,</b> 051	866,445
SOLD:				
Canadian Dollar	5/12/03	20,693,686\$	\$14,033,260	\$14,420,700
Swedish Krona	5/14/03	50,391,090kr	5,961,453	6,159,532

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Income Trust held one interest rate cap. Under the agreement, Income Trust receives the excess, if any, of a floating rate over a fixed rate. Income Trust paid a transaction fee for each cap. Transaction fees are amortized through the termination of the agreement. Details of the cap at April 30, 2003, were as follows:

NOTIONAL AMOUNT (000)	FIXED RATE	FLOATING RATE	TERMINATION DATE	AMORTIZED COST	VALUE AT APRIL 30, 2003	UNREALIZED DEPRECIATIO
\$100,000	7.75%	3-month LIBOR	5/4/03	\$2,423		\$(2,423)

Income Trust held one interest rate floor. Under the agreement, Income Trust pays the excess, if any, of a fixed rate over a floating rate. Income Trust received a transaction fee for the floor. Transaction fees are amortized through the termination of the agreement. Details of the interest rate floor held at April 30, 2003, were as follows:

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\$35,000	6.00%	1-month LIBOR	1/25/05	\$596 <b>,</b> 250	\$1,626,107	\$(1,029,857
(000)	RATE	RATE	DATE	COST	2003	DEPRECIATIO
AMOUNT	FIXED	FLOATING	TERMINATION	AMORTIZED	APRIL 30,	UNREALIZED
NOTIONAL					VALUE AT	

Details of open interest rate swaps at April 30, 2003, were as follows:

	NOTIONAL				UNREALIZ
	AMOUNT	FIXED	FLOATING	TERMINATION	APPRECIAT
TRUST	(000)	RATE	RATE	DATE	(DEPRECIAT
Income Opportunity	\$ 10,000	4.47% (a)	3-month LIBOR	11/04/12	\$ (270,
	7,000	5.23% (a)	3-month LIBOR	11/04/21	(295,
	26,000	5.46% (a)	3-month LIBOR	10/28/22	(1,840,
	9,000	5.71% (b)	3-month LIBOR	5/22/06	904,
	47,000	5.73% (b)	3-month LIBOR	5/04/06	2,647,
					\$ 1,146,
Income Trust	\$ 24,000	3.55% (b)	3-month LIBOR	10/24/06	\$841 <b>,</b>
	162,000	4.22% (b)	3-month LIBOR	5/04/06	4,441,
	32,000	5.46% (a)	3-month LIBOR	10/17/12	(3,379,
	24,000	6.04% (a)	3-month LIBOR	11/15/21	(3,468,
	46,300	6.07% (a)	3-month LIBOR	8/28/22	(6,899,
					\$(8,464,
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Transactions in options written during the six months ended April 30, 2003, were as follows:

CONTRACTS/ NOTIONAL AMOUNT

PREMIUM

⁽a) Trust pays fixed interest rate and receives floating rate.

⁽b) Trust pays floating interest rate and receives fixed rate.

TRUST	(000)	RECEIVED
CORE BOND		
Options outstanding at October 31, 2002 Options expired	138 (138)	\$ 199,639 (199,639)
Options outstanding at April 30, 2003		\$ ======
INCOME OPPORTUNITY		
Options outstanding at October 31, 2002 Options terminated in closing purchase transactions	\$ 6,000 (3,000)	\$ 124,460 (67,800)
Options outstanding at April 30, 2003	\$ 3,000 ======	\$ 56,660 ======
INCOME TRUST		
Options outstanding at October 31, 2002 Options terminated in closing purchase transactions	\$ 22,000 (11,000)	. ,
Options outstanding at April 30, 2003	\$ 11,000 ======	\$ 207 <b>,</b> 753

#### NOTE 4. BORROWINGS

REVERSE REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS: The Trusts may enter into reverse repurchase agreements with qualified, third-party broker-dealers as determined by and under the direction of the Trusts' Board. Interest on the value of reverse repurchase agreements issued and outstanding is based upon competitive market rates at the time of issuance. At the time a Trust enters into a reverse repurchase agreement, it will establish and maintain a segregated account with the lender, containing liquid investment grade securities having a value not less than the repurchase price, including accrued interest of the reverse repurchase agreement.

The average daily balance and weighted average interest rate of reverse repurchase agreements during the six months ended April 30, 2003, were as follows:

AVERAGE DAILY	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
BALANCE	INTEREST RATE
\$ 19,884,350	1.33%
36,555,171	1.00
129,194,462	1.33
131,038,100	1.32
44,339,122	1.66
	BALANCE  \$ 19,884,350 36,555,171 129,194,462 131,038,100

DOLLAR ROLLS: The Trusts may enter into dollar rolls in which a Trust sells securities for delivery in the current month and simultaneously contracts to repurchase substantially similar (same type, coupon and maturity) securities on a specified future date. During the roll period the Trusts forgo principal and interest paid on the securities. The Trusts will be compensated by the interest earned on the cash proceeds of the initial sale and/or by the lower repurchase price at the future date.

LOAN PAYABLE: High Yield has a \$32 million committed credit facility (the "facility"). Under the terms of the facility, the Trust borrows at the London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") plus facility and administrative fees. In

addition, the Trust pays a liquidity fee on the unused portion of the facility. The Trust may borrow up to 331/3% of its total assets up to the committed amount. In accordance with the terms of the debt agreement, the Trust has pledged its portfolio assets as collateral for the borrowing.

For the six months ended April 30, 2003, High Yield borrowed a daily weighted average balance of \$19,250,000 at a weighted average interest rate at 1.96%.

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#### NOTE 5. CAPITAL

There are 200 million of \$0.01 par value common shares authorized for Broad Investment Grade, Income Opportunity and Income Trust. There are an unlimited number of \$0.001 par value common shares authorized for Core Bond, High Yield and Strategic Bond. At April 30, 2003, the common shares outstanding and the shares owned by affiliates of the Advisor of each Trust were:

	COMMON SHARES	COMMON SHARES
TRUST	OUTSTANDING	OWNED
Broad Investment Grade	2,957,093	7,093
Core Bond	27,018,774	9,425
High Yield	6,367,294	
Income Opportunity	34,449,693	
Income Trust	63,247,058	
Strategic Bond	7,025,735	9,425

During the six months ended April 30, 2003, High Yield, Income Trust and Strategic Bond issued 15,326, 372,241 and 9,581 shares, respectively, under the terms of each Trust's Dividend Reinvestment Plan.

### NOTE 6. DIVIDENDS

Subsequent to April 30, 2003, the Board of each of the Trusts declared dividends from undistributed earnings per common share payable May 30, 2003, to shareholders of record on May 15, 2003. The per share common dividends declared were as follows:

	COMMON DIVIDEND
TRUST	PER SHARE
Broad Investment Grade	\$0.075000
Core Bond	0.100000
High Yield	0.096875
Income Opportunity	0.070000
Income Trust	0.051042
Strategic Bond	0.120000

#### NOTE 7. COMMITMENT

On October 9, 1997, Income Opportunity and Income Trust each entered into a commitment to purchase an aggregate of up to \$22,000,000 and \$20,000,000, respectively, of Overseas Private Investment Corp. securities prior to the commitment expiration on September 30, 2003. As of April 30, 2003, Income

Opportunity and Income Trust have purchased such securities with market values of \$16,260,093 and \$14,781,903, respectively. As of April 30, 2003, the remaining outstanding commitments of Income Opportunity and Income Trust were \$8,975,780 and \$8,159,800, respectively.

NOTE 8. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

On May 22, 2003, the Boards of High Yield and Strategic Bond voted to change each Trust's monthly distribution per share, effective with the distribution declared on June 2, 2003, to \$0.0905 and \$0.13, respectively.

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#### DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLANS

Pursuant to each Trust's respective Dividend Reinvestment Plan (the "Plan"), shareholders of Broad Investment Grade, Income Opportunity and Income Trust may elect, while shareholders of Core Bond, High Yield and Strategic Bond are automatically enrolled, to have all distributions of dividends and capital gains reinvested by EquiServe Trust Company, N.A. (the "Plan Agent") in the respective Trust's shares pursuant to the Plan. Shareholders who do not participate in the Plan will receive all distributions in cash paid by check and mailed directly to the shareholders of record (or if the shares are held in street or other nominee name, then to the nominee) by the Plan Agent, which serves as agent for the shareholders in administering the Plan.

After Broad Investment Grade and/or Income Opportunity Trust declares a dividend or determines to make a capital gain distribution, the Plan Agent will acquire shares for the participants' account, by the purchase of outstanding shares on the open market, on the Trust's primary exchange or elsewhere ("open market purchases"). The Trust will not issue any new shares under the Plan.

After Core Bond, High Yield, Income Trust and/or Strategic Bond declares a dividend or determines to make a capital gain distribution, the Plan Agent will acquire shares for the participants' account, depending upon the circumstances described below, either (i) through receipt of unissued but authorized shares from the Trust ("newly issued shares") or (ii) by open market purchases. If, on the dividend payment date, the NAV is equal to or less than the market price per share plus estimated brokerage commissions (such condition being referred to herein as "market premium"), the Plan Agent will invest the dividend amount in newly issued shares on behalf of the participants. The number of newly issued shares to be credited to each participant's account will be determined by dividing the dollar amount of the dividend by the NAV on the date the shares are issued. However, if the NAV is less than 95% of the market price on the payment date, the dollar amount of the dividend will be divided by 95% of the market price on the payment date. If, on the dividend payment date, the NAV is greater than the market value per share plus estimated brokerage commissions (such condition being referred to herein as "market discount"), the Plan Agent will invest the dividend amount in shares acquired on behalf of the participants in open-market purchases.

The Plan Agent's fees for the handling of the reinvestment of dividends and distributions will be paid by each Trust. However, each participant will pay a pro rata share of brokerage commissions incurred with respect to the Plan

Agent's open market purchases in connection with the reinvestment of dividends and distributions. The automatic reinvestment of dividends and distributions will not relieve participants of any Federal income tax that may be payable on such dividends or distributions.

Each Trust reserves the right to amend or terminate the Plan. There is no direct service charge to participants in the Plan; however, each Trust reserves the right to amend the Plan to include a service charge payable by the participants. All correspondence concerning the Plan should be directed to the Plan Agent at 150 Royall Street, Canton, MA 02021 or (800) 699-1BFM.

#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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The Joint Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held on May 22, 2003, to elect a certain number of Directors/Trustees for each of the following Trusts to three year terms, unless otherwise indicated, expiring in 2006:

#### BROAD INVESTMENT GRADE

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Elected the Class III Directors and in accordance with Maryland law elected Walter F. Mondale, for the remainder of his term, as follows:

DIRECTOR	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
Andrew F. Brimmer	2,755,165	33,798
Kent Dixon	2,756,365	32,598
Robert S. Kapito	2,756,665	32,298
Walter F. Mondale(1)	2,741,445	47,518

#### CORE BOND

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Elected the Class II Trustees as follows:

TRUSTEE	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
Frank J. Fabozzi	26,044,831	154,361
Walter F. Mondale	25,961,379	237,813
Ralph L. Schlosstein	26,047,238	151 <b>,</b> 954

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HIGH YIELD

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Elected the Class I Trustees as follows:

TRUSTEE	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
Richard E. Cavanagh	6,052,239	57,124
James Clayburn La Force, Jr.	6,047,853	61,510

⁽¹⁾ Walter F. Mondale's term will expire in 2005.

### INCOME OPPORTUNITY

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Elected the Class II Directors and in accordance with Maryland law elected Robert S. Kapito, for the remainder of his term, as follows:

DIRECTOR	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
Frank J. Fabozzi	31,940,094	248,935
Robert S. Kapito(2)	31,945,672	243,357
Walter F. Mondale	31,855,311	333,718
Ralph L. Schlosstein	31,950,515	238,514

### INCOME TRUST

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Elected the Class II Directors and in accordance with Maryland law elected Robert S. Kapito, for the remainder of his term, as follows:

DIRECTOR	VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
Frank J. Fabozzi	58,207,702	677 <b>,</b> 691
Robert S. Kapito2	58,219,376	666,017
Walter F. Mondale	57,970,768	914,625
Ralph L. Schlosstein	58,222,291	663,102

### STRATEGIC BOND

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Elected the Class II Trustees as follows:

VOTES FOR	VOTES WITHHELD
6,752,233	52 <b>,</b> 587
6,726,221	78 <b>,</b> 599
6,750,877	53 <b>,</b> 943
	6,752,233 6,726,221

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⁽²⁾ Robert S. Kapito's term will expire in 2004.

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### BlackRock Closed-End Funds

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Andrew F. Brimmer
Richard E. Cavanagh
Kent Dixon
Frank J. Fabozzi
Robert S. Kapito
James Clayburn La Force, Jr.
Walter F. Mondale

## Officers

Robert S. Kapito, PRESIDENT
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This report is for shareholder information. This is not a prospectus intended for use in the purchase or sale of Trust shares. Statements and other information contained in this report are as dated and are subject to change.

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BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust
2009 Term Trust

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- (1) For BlackRock Core Bond Trust and BlackRock Strategic Bond Trust only.
- (2) Provides administrative services for the Trust(s) listed directly below its

The Trusts will mail only one copy of shareholder documents, including annual and semi-annual reports and proxy statements, to shareholders with multiple accounts at the same address. This practice is commonly called "householding" and is intended to reduce expenses and eliminate duplicate mailings of shareholder documents. Mailings of your shareholder documents may be householded indefinitely unless you instruct us otherwise. If you do not want the mailing of these documents to be combined with those for other members of your household, please contact the Trusts at (800) 227-7BFM.

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ITEM 2. CODE OF ETHICS.

Not applicable for semi-annual reports.

ITEM 3. AUDIT COMMITTEE FINANCIAL EXPERT.

Not applicable for semi-annual reports.

ITEM 4. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTANT FEES AND SERVICES.

Not applicable for semi-annual reports.

ITEM 5. AUDIT COMMITTEE OF LISTED REGISTRANTS.

Not applicable for semi-annual reports.

ITEM 6. [RESERVED.]

ITEM 7. DISCLOSURE OF PROXY VOTING POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR CLOSED-END MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES.

Not applicable for semi-annual reports.

ITEM 8. [RESERVED.]

ITEM 9. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.

The Trust's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the Trust's disclosure controls and procedures are sufficient to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Trust in this Form N-CSR was recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms, based upon such officers' evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report.

There were no significant changes or corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies or material weaknesses in the Trust's internal controls or in other factors that could significantly affect the Trust's internal

controls subsequent to the date of their evaluation.

ITEM 10. EXHIBITS.

- (a) Code of Ethics Not applicable for semi-annual reports.
- (b) (1) Certification of Principal Executive Officer.
- (b)(2) Certification of Principal Financial Officer.

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

(Registrant) The BlackRock Broad Investment Grade 2009 Term Trust Inc.

By: /s/ Henry Gabbay

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Name: Henry Gabbay Title: Treasurer Date: 6/30/03

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ Robert S. Kapito

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Name: Robert S. Kapito

Title: Principal Executive Officer

Date: 6/30/03

By: /s/ Henry Gabbay

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Name: Henry Gabbay

Title: Principal Financial Officer

Date: 6/30/03