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# CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANIES

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## **Tortoise Energy Infrastructure Corporation**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code

Date of fiscal year end: November 30

Date of reporting period: November 30, 2016

Item 1. Report to Stockholders.

Annual Report | November 30, 2016

# **2016 Annual Report** Closed-End Funds

## **Tortoise Capital Advisors**

2016 Annual Report to Stockholders

# This combined report provides you with a comprehensive review of our funds that span the entire energy value chain.

Tortoise Capital Advisors is one of the largest managers of energy investments, including closed-end funds, open end funds, private funds and separate accounts.

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## TTP and TPZ distribution policies

Tortoise Pipeline & Energy Fund, Inc. ( TTP ) and Tortoise Power and Energy Infrastructure Fund, Inc. ( TPZ ) are relying on exemptive relief permitting them to make long-term capital gain distributions throughout the year. Each of TTP and TPZ, with approval of its Board of Directors (the Board ), has adopted a distribution policy (the Policy ) with the purpose of distributing over the course of each year, through periodic distributions as nearly equal as practicable and any required special distributions, an amount closely approximating the total taxable income of TTP and TPZ during such year and, if so determined by the Board, all or a portion of the return of capital paid by portfolio companies to TTP and TPZ during such year. In accordance with its Policy, TTP distributes a fixed amount per common share, currently \$0.4075, each quarter to its common shareholders and TPZ distributes a fixed amount per common share, currently \$0.125, each month to its common shareholders. These amounts are subject to change from time to time at the discretion of the Board. Although the level of distributions is independent of TTP s and TPZ s performance, TTP and TPZ expect such distributions to correlate with its performance over time. Each quarterly and monthly distribution to shareholders is expected to be at the fixed amount established by the Board, except for extraordinary distributions in light of TTP s and TPZ s performance for the entire calendar year and to enable TTP and TPZ to comply with the distribution requirements imposed by the Internal Revenue Code. The Board may amend, suspend or terminate the Policy without prior notice to shareholders if it deems such action to be in the best interests of TTP, TPZ and their respective shareholders. For example, the Board might take such action if the Policy had the effect of shrinking TTP s or TPZ s assets to a level that was determined to be detrimental to TTP or TPZ shareholders. The suspension or termination of the Policy could have the effect of creating a trading discount (if TTP s or TPZ s stock is trading at or above net asset value), widening an existing trading discount, or decreasing an existing premium. You should not draw any conclusions about TTP s or TPZ s investment performance from the amount of the distribution or from the terms of TTP s or TPZ s distribution policy. Each of TTP and TPZ estimates that it has distributed more than its income and net realized capital gains; therefore, a portion of your distribution may be a return of capital. A return of capital may occur, for example, when some or all of the money that you invested in TTP or TPZ is paid back to you. A return of capital distribution does not necessarily reflect TTP s or TPZ s investment performance and should not be confused with yield or income. The amounts and sources of distributions reported are only estimates and are not being provided for tax reporting purposes. The actual amounts and sources of the amounts for tax reporting purposes will depend upon TTP s and TPZ s investment experience during the remainder of their fiscal year and may be subject to changes based on tax regulations. TTP and TPZ will send you a Form 1099-DIV for the calendar year that will tell you how to report these distributions for federal income tax purposes.

## **Closed-end fund comparison**

Name/Ticker	Primary focus	Structure	Total assets (\$ millions) <sup>1</sup>	Portfolio mix by asset type <sup>2</sup>	Portfolio mix by structure <sup>2</sup>
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NYSE: TYG	Midstream MLPs	C-corp	\$2,710.0		
Inception: 2/2004 Tortoise MLP					
Fund, Inc.	Natural gas infrastructure	C-corp	\$1,588.8		
NYSE: NTG Inception: 7/2010 Tortoise Pipeline	MLPs				
& Energy Fund, Inc.	North American	Regulated investment	\$311.6		
NYSE: TTP	pipeline companies	company	φ311.0		
Inception: 10/2011 Tortoise Energy					
Independence Fund, Inc.	North American oil & gas	Regulated investment	\$316.4		
NYSE: NDP Inception: 7/2012	producers	company			
Tortoise Power and Energy Infrastructure	Power & energy	Regulated			
Fund, Inc.	infrastructure companies	investment company	\$221.4		
NYSE: TPZ Inception: 7/2009	(Fixed income & equity)	сотрану			

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As of 12/31/2016

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As of 11/30/2016

## **Tortoise Capital Advisors**

2016 Annual Report to closed-end fund stockholders

Dear fellow stockholders,

The fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 had both highs and lows, including crude oil prices hitting their lowest point since 2003 in February of 2016. The subsequent recovery drove positive performance across the broad energy sector with the S&P Energy Select Sector® Index returning 12.8% for the fiscal year, a reversal from the double digit negative return for the 2015 fiscal year. While positive, energy fixed income didn't perform as well as energy equities, mainly due to the energy equity market's substantial rebound following the 2015 downturn.

The main drivers across the energy value chain included a decline in U.S. crude oil production and an agreement from the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) to reduce production leading to higher crude oil prices, improvement in midstream fundamentals despite project delays, increased export of energy commodities and the more energy friendly candidate, Donald Trump, being elected as the next President.

#### **Upstream**

Upstream oil and gas producers, as represented by the Tortoise North American Oil and Gas Producers Index<sup>SM</sup>, returned 19.7% for the fiscal year. This stark improvement from last year was driven by higher crude oil prices due to a decline in the U.S. oil rig count. U.S. crude oil production is estimated to average 8.9 million barrels per day (MMbbl/d) in 2016, down from an average of 9.4 MMbbl/d in 2015.¹ Production is estimated to increase slightly in 2017.¹

Fiscal year 2016 was one of the most volatile crude oil price environments in recent years. West Texas Intermediate (WTI) started the period at \$41.65 per barrel and bottomed at \$26.21 on February 11. Oil prices briefly surpassed \$50 in June, but did not hit \$50 again until October, peaking at \$51.60 on October 19. WTI ended the fiscal year at \$49.44 per barrel.

The fiscal year ended on a positive note with the November 30 OPEC meeting. Members reached an agreement to set a production ceiling of 32.5 MMbbl/d, representing an estimated 1.2 MMbbl/d production cut, effective January 1, 2017. In addition, an understanding was reached with key non-OPEC countries, including Russia, which should result in a production decrease of 600,000 barrels per day. From a fundamental perspective, we expect that OPEC s production cut will help bring global oil inventories back to a more normal level and bring more stability to oil prices.

There have been two overarching themes for U.S. oil producers throughout the recent energy downturn. The first is drilling efficiency. Many producers have been successful in lowering drilling costs while increasing drilling intensity, leading to greater production volumes. The second is management teams continued focus on increasing capital efficiency by concentrating on drilling core acreage.

Natural gas prices opened the fiscal year at \$2.09 per million British thermal units (MMBtu) and troughed at \$1.49 on March 4 due to warm winter temperatures crimping demand. Prices increased over the summer with hot weather throughout most of the country and ended the fiscal year at the peak of \$3.30 as forecasts for colder weather prompted higher demand expectations. Natural gas production is projected to decline in 2016, which would be the first annual production decline since 2005¹, though production is expected to increase again in 2017 and 2018.¹

#### **Midstream**

Pipeline companies recovered along with the rest of the energy sector with the Tortoise North American Pipeline Index<sup>SM</sup> returning 24.8% for the fiscal year. MLPs, represented by the Tortoise MLP Index<sup>®</sup>, experienced some technical pressure from fickle capital markets and underperformed c-corp pipeline companies, returning 11.8% for the fiscal year.

The proposed merger of The Williams Companies, Inc. (WMB) and Energy Transfer Equity (ETE) was a hot topic throughout the fiscal year. After a long, drawn-out saga, the two companies decided to remain separate and have moved on to their individual strategic plans.

Like producers, many midstream companies prioritized balance sheet strength over distribution growth. Companies retained more cash flow to reduce debt, sought support from a parent company, sold assets and/or deferred or canceled projects where prudent.

Companies continued to face regulatory challenges in building new pipelines, particularly over the latter half of the fiscal year. Generally those requiring federal government approval and/or those in heavily populated areas faced significant headwinds, although we believe these headwinds will ease with the upcoming U.S. administration changes. Even with these challenges, our long-term outlook for the midstream sector remains positive. Our projection for capital investments in MLPs, pipeline and related organic projects remains at approximately \$120 billion for 2016 to 2018, though we expect it to decrease when 2016 rolls off and 2019 is added.

#### **Downstream**

Though still attractive, refiner and petrochemical companies margins narrowed as crude oil prices rose over the fiscal year. Nevertheless, refiners performed well due to strong demand. Petrochemicals saw compressed margins throughout the fiscal year, though we believe new facilities coming on-line in the near future could enhance cash flows. Utilities retreated as interest rates increased at fiscal year-end. Renewable energy sources continued to gain traction, and in tandem with natural gas, brought cleaner, economically competitive energy sources.

As we expected, 2016 was a milestone year for energy exports. For the first time in 40 years, U.S. crude oil was exported. In early 2016, the first liquefied natural gas (LNG) shipment was also exported as two LNG trains came on-line this year, and ethane was shipped for the first time in March. Finally, liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) exports year-to-date through October were up an average of 22% compared to 2015.

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#### **Capital markets**

Capital markets became more active as the year progressed. MLPs and other pipeline companies raised approximately \$50 billion during the fiscal year ending November 30, split fairly evenly between equity and debt. Exploration and production companies also continued to raise capital throughout the fiscal year, totaling nearly \$45 billion.

In September, Noble Midstream Partners LP had the first MLP initial public offering in the sector in more than a year. Merger and acquisition activity among MLPs and other pipeline companies totaled approximately \$130 billion, with most of the activity occurring during the fourth fiscal quarter. Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P. had the largest transaction of the year with its acquisition of Energy Transfer Partners, L.P. in a deal valued at about \$50 billion.

#### **Concluding thoughts**

Fiscal year 2016 was a stark reversal from fiscal year 2015 with improvement across the energy value chain following the bottoming of crude oil prices in February. In addition, the U.S. has become an even more relevant player in the global energy landscape as exports of natural gas, natural gas liquids and crude oil exports grow.

As we look into 2017, we are encouraged by OPEC s recent announcement to support prices, U.S. producers demonstrated continued ability to earn solid returns in a lower price environment and the U.S. political landscape s support for energy. We remain optimistic on the long-term investment prospects within the energy space.

Sincerely,

The Managing Directors
Tortoise Capital Advisors, L.L.C.

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It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

Performance data quoted represent past performance; past performance does not guarantee future results. Like any other stock, total return and market value will fluctuate so that an investment, when sold, may be worth more or less than its original cost.

1 Energy Information Administration, January 2017

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## **Tortoise**

# Energy Infrastructure Corp. (TYG)

## **Fund description**

TYG seeks a high level of total return with an emphasis on current distributions paid to stockholders. TYG invests primarily in equity securities of master limited partnerships (MLPs) and their affiliates that transport, gather, process or store natural gas, natural gas liquids (NGLs), crude oil and refined petroleum products.

## **Fund performance review**

The fund s market-based and NAV-based returns for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 were 26.2% and 7.8%, respectively (including the reinvestment of distributions). Comparatively, the Tortoise MLP Index® returned 11.8% for the same period. The fund s positive performance reflects midstream MLPs continuing to be rewarded for focusing on capital efficiency and prioritizing balance sheet strength over growth.

Fiscal year-end highlights

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Distributions paid per share (fiscal year 2016)	\$2.6200
Distributions paid per share (4th quarter 2016)	\$0.6550
Distribution rate (as of 11/30/2016)	8.6%
Quarter-over-quarter distribution increase	0.0%
Year-over-year distribution increase	0.0%
Cumulative distributions paid per share to	
stockholders since inception in February 2004	\$27.8425
Market-based total return	26.2%
NAV-based total return	7.8%
Premium (discount) to NAV (as of 11/30/2016)	6.2%

## Key asset performance drivers

ONEOK Partners, L.P.

Midstream natural gas/natural gas liquids pipeline MLP

Plains All American Pipeline, L.P. Western Gas Partners, LP Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.

Midstream crude oil pipeline MLP

Midstream gathering and processing MLP

Midstream refined product pipeline MLP

Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.

Midstream natural gas/natural gas liquids pipeline MLP

Improved outlook for ethane recoveries and higher natural gas liquids (NGL) prices

Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and simplification of corporate structure as well as exposure to growing Permian Basin production

Steady cash flows and growing distributions
Strong fee-based cash flows and organic growth projects
focused on the Permian Basin and the Gulf Coast region
Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and
strategic direction following termination of merger agreement
with The Williams Companies, Inc.

Energy Transfer Equity, L.P. Williams Partners L.P. Targa Resources Partners LP

Midstream natural gas/natural gas liquids pipeline MLP Midstream gathering and processing MLP

Midstream gathering and processing MLP Midstream gathering and processing MLP

Concern regarding higher leverage resulting from pending acquisition of The Williams Companies, Inc. earlier in the year

Balance sheet concerns and Chesapeake counterparty risk Timing of acquisition by Targa Resources Corp. during the bottom of the market cycle

Reduced growth rate following MPLX acquisition

MarkWest Energy Partners, L.P. Enbridge Energy Partners, L.P.

Midstream crude oil pipeline MLP

Weak distribution coverage and declining natural gas business

Unlike the fund return, index return is pre-expenses and taxes.

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#### Distributable cash flow and distributions

Distributable cash flow ( DCF ) is distributions received from investments less expenses. The total distributions received from investments include the amount received as cash distributions from investments, paid-in-kind distributions, and dividend and interest payments. The total expenses include current or anticipated operating expenses, leverage costs and current income taxes. Current income taxes include taxes paid on net investment income, in addition to foreign taxes, if any. Taxes incurred from realized gains on the sale of investments, expected tax benefits and deferred taxes are not included in DCF.

Distributions received from investments decreased approximately 2.1% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016 due primarily to the impact of trading activity as well as a decreased distribution rate on one of the fund s investments. Operating expenses, consisting primarily of fund advisory fees, decreased 5.7% during the quarter due to lower asset-based fees and a decrease in franchise tax fees. Overall leverage costs increased slightly as compared to 3rd quarter 2016.

As a result of the changes in income and expenses, DCF decreased approximately 2.0% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016. The fund paid a quarterly distribution of \$0.655 per share, which was equal to the distribution paid in the prior quarter and 4th quarter 2015. The fund has paid cumulative distributions to stockholders of \$27.8425 per share since its inception in Feb. 2004.

The Key Financial Data table discloses the calculation of DCF and should be read in conjunction with this discussion. The difference between distributions received from investments in the DCF calculation and total investment income as reported in the Statement of Operations, is reconciled as follows: the Statement of Operations, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ( GAAP ), recognizes distribution income from MLPs and other investments on their ex-dates, whereas the DCF calculation may reflect distribution income on their pay dates; GAAP recognizes that a significant portion of the cash distributions received from MLPs and other investments are characterized as a return of capital and therefore excluded from investment income, whereas the DCF calculation includes the return of capital; and distributions received from investments in the DCF calculation include the value of dividends paid-in-kind (additional stock or MLP units), whereas such amounts are not included as income for GAAP purposes, and includes distributions related to direct investments when the purchase price is reduced in lieu of receiving cash distributions. The treatment of expenses in the DCF calculation also differs from what is reported in the Statement of Operations. In addition to the total operating expenses, including fee waiver, as disclosed in the Statement of Operations, the DCF calculation reflects interest expense, realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swap settlements, distributions to preferred stockholders, other recurring leverage expenses, as well as taxes paid on net investment income.

Net Investment Income (Loss), before Income Taxes on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF for fiscal year 2016 and 4th quarter 2016 (in thousands):

	FY 2016	4th Qtr 2016
Net Investment Loss, before		
Income Taxes	\$ (52,124)	\$ (6,734)
Adjustments to reconcile to DCF:		
Distributions characterized as		
return of capital	178,683	38,780
Amortization of debt issuance costs	2,872	117
Interest rate swap expenses	(869)	(212)
Premium on redemption of		
senior notes	900	
Premium on redemption of		
MRP stock	800	
DCF	\$ 130,262	\$ 31,951

#### Leverage

The fund s leverage utilization decreased by \$3.4 million during 4th quarter 2016 and represented 27.6% of total assets at November 30, 2016. The fund has maintained compliance with its applicable coverage ratios. At year-end, including the impact of interest rate swaps, approximately 80% of the leverage cost was fixed, the weighted-average maturity was 5 years and the weighted-average annual rate on leverage was 3.51%. These rates will vary in the future as a result of changing floating rates, utilization of the fund s credit facilities and as leverage and swaps mature or are redeemed.

#### **Income taxes**

During 4th quarter 2016, the fund s deferred tax liability decreased by \$2 million to \$452 million, primarily as a result of the decrease in value of its investment portfolio. The fund had net realized gains of \$23 million during the quarter. To the extent that the fund has taxable income, it will owe federal and state income taxes. Tax payments can be funded from investment earnings, fund assets, or borrowings.

Please see the Financial Statements and Notes to Financial Statements for additional detail regarding critical accounting policies, results of operations, leverage, taxes and other important fund information.

For further information regarding the calculation of distributable cash flow and distributions to stockholders, as well as a discussion of the tax impact on distributions and results, please visit www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

(unaudited)

TYG Key Financial Data (supplemental unaudited information) (dollar amounts in thousands unless otherwise indicated)

The information presented below regarding Distributable Cash Flow and Selected Financial Information is supplemental non-GAAP financial information, which the fund believes is meaningful to understanding operating performance. The Distributable Cash Flow Ratios include the functional equivalent of EBITDA for non-investment companies, and the fund believes they are an important supplemental measure of performance and promote comparisons from period-to-period. This information is supplemental, is not inclusive of required financial disclosures (e.g. Total Expense Ratio), and should be read in conjunction with the full financial statements.

	Year Ended November 30, 2015 2016				2015 Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>		201 Q2 <sup>(1)</sup>	6	Q4	
Total Income from Investments												4
Distributions and dividends												
from investments	\$208,118	\$	182,278		\$ 51,564		\$ 47,200	9	\$ 44,670	\$	45,694	\$ 4
Operating Expenses Before Leverage					· .		· ·		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
Costs and Current Taxes												'
Advisory fees	34,637		23,322		7,081		5,321		5,719		6,215	
Other operating expenses	2,016		1,615		512		466		461		459	
	36,653		24,937		7,593		5,787		6,180		6,674	ŀ
Distributable cash flow before leverage			-		-		•		-		-	ŀ
costs and current taxes	171,465		157,341		43,971		41,413		38,490		39,020	1
Leverage costs <sup>(2)</sup>	34,406		27,079		8,193		7,700		6,479		6,433	
Current income tax expense <sup>(3)</sup>												
Distributable Cash Flow(4)	\$ 137,059	\$	130,262	\$	35,778	\$	33,713	\$	32,011	\$	32,587	\$ 3
As a percent of average total assets <sup>(5)</sup>												!
Total from investments	5.53%		7.11%		6.83%		7.67%		7.28%		6.85%	·
Operating expenses before leverage												!
costs and current taxes	0.97%		0.97%		1.01%		0.94%		1.01%		1.00%	
Distributable cash flow before leverage							_					·
costs and current taxes	4.56%		6.14%		5.82%		6.73%		6.27%		5.85%	ı
As a percent of average net assets <sup>(5)</sup>												
Total from investments	10.54%		13.54%		13.38%		16.09%		13.54%		12.45%	
Operating expenses before leverage												!
costs and current taxes	1.86%		1.85%		1.97%		1.97%		1.87%		1.82%	
Leverage costs and current taxes	1.74%		2.01%		2.13%		2.62%		1.96%		1.75%	
Distributable cash flow	6.94%		9.68%		9.28%		11.50%		9.71%		8.88%	
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Distributions paid on common stock Distributions paid on common stock	\$124,363	<b>*</b>	3127,370		\$ 31,450		\$ 31,682	# 	\$ 31,682	<b></b>	31,961	\$ 3
per share	2.5900		2.6200		0.6550		0.6550		0.6550		0.6550	
Distribution coverage percentage for period <sup>(6)</sup>	110.2%		102.3%		113.8%		106.4%		101.0%		102.0%	ļ
Net realized gain, net of income taxes,			. 02.070								.02.070	Į.
for the period	239,506		117,749		72,015		41.667		47,833		13.034	
Total assets, end of period	2.793.933		.593.722		2.793.933		2.213.663	2	2.587.793	2	.628.678	2,59
Average total assets during period <sup>(7)</sup>	3,763,588		,562,113		3,028,322		2,475,404		2,442,341		,654,126	2,60
Leverage <sup>(8)</sup>	906,000		716,800		906,000		689,700		704,000		720,200	7
Leverage as a percent of total assets	32.4%		27.6%		32.4%		31.2%		27.2%		27.4%	
Net unrealized depreciation, end of period	(244,207)		(217,646)		(244,207)		(483,386)		(269,349)	- 1	(204,786)	(2
Net assets, end of period	1,405,733		,412,274		1,405,733		1,176,897		.390,531		,443,397	1,4
Average net assets during period <sup>(9)</sup>	1,974,038		,345,764		1,545,634		1,179,868		,312,506		,460,638	1,4
Net asset value per common share	29.28		28.83		29.28		24.33		28.71		29.54	
Market value per share	26.57		30.63		26.57		24.26		27.90		30.48	
	48,017		48,980									

<sup>(1)</sup> Q1 is the period from December through February. Q2 is the period from March through May. Q3 is the period from June through August. Q4 is the period from September through November.

- (2) Leverage costs include interest expense, distributions to preferred stockholders, interest rate swap expenses and other recurring leverage expenses.
- (3) Includes taxes paid on net investment income and foreign taxes, if any. Taxes related to realized gains are excluded from the calculation of Distributable Cash Flow ( DCF ).
- (4) Net investment income (loss), before income taxes on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF: increased by the return of capital on distributions, the premium on redemptions of senior notes and MRP stock and amortization of debt issuance costs; and decreased by realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swap settlements and current taxes paid on net investment income.
- (5) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (6) Distributable Cash Flow divided by distributions paid.
- (7) Computed by averaging month-end values within each period.
- (8) Leverage consists of senior notes, preferred stock and outstanding borrowings under credit facilities.
- (9) Computed by averaging daily net assets within each period.

## **Tortoise**

MLP Fund, Inc. (NTG)

## **Fund Description**

NTG seeks to provide stockholders with a high level of total return with an emphasis on current distributions. NTG invests primarily in master limited partnerships (MLPs) and their affiliates that own and operate a network of pipeline and energy-related logistical infrastructure assets with an emphasis on those that transport, gather, process and store natural gas and natural gas liquids (NGLs). NTG targets midstream MLPs benefiting from U.S. natural gas production and consumption expansion with minimal direct commodity exposure.

## **Fund performance review**

The fund s market-based and NAV-based returns for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 were 28.0% and 12.9%, respectively (including the reinvestment of distributions). Comparatively, the Tortoise MLP Index® returned 11.8% for the same period. The fund s positive performance reflects midstream MLPs continuing to be rewarded for focusing on capital efficiency and prioritizing balance sheet strength over growth.

Fiscal year-end highlights

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Distributions paid per share (fiscal year 2016)	\$1.6900
Distributions paid per share (4th quarter 2016)	\$0.4225
Distribution rate (as of 11/30/2016)	8.9%
Quarter-over-quarter distribution increase	0.0%
Year-over-year distribution increase	0.0%
Cumulative distributions paid per share to	
stockholders since inception in July 2010	\$10.3900
Market-based total return	28.0%
NAV-based total return	12.9%
Premium (discount) to NAV (as of 11/30/2016)	(1.7)%

Unlike the fund return, index return is pre-expenses and taxes.

Performance data quoted represent past performance; past performance does not guarantee future results. Like any other stock, total return and market value will fluctuate so that an investment, when sold, may be worth more or less than its original cost. Portfolio composition is subject to change due to ongoing management of the fund. References to specific securities or sectors should not be construed as a recommendation by the fund or its adviser. See Schedule of Investments for portfolio weighting at the end of the fiscal quarter.

#### Key asset performance drivers

Midstream natural gas/natural gas ONEOK Partners, L.P. Improved outlook for ethane recoveries and higher natural gas liquids (NGL) prices liquids pipeline MLP Plains All American Pipeline, Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and simplification of corporate Midstream crude oil pipeline MLP structure as well as exposure to growing Permian Basin production L.P. Midstream gathering and DCP Midstream Partners, LP Improving commodity prices and a positive outlook for natural gas liquid demand processing MLP Midstream gathering and Western Gas Partners LP Steady cash flows and growing distributions processing MLP Midstream crude oil pipeline Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and simplification of corporate Plains GP Holdings, L.P. company structure as well as exposure to growing Permian Basin production

Midstream gathering and Williams Partners L.P. Balance sheet concerns and Chesapeake counterparty risk processing MLP

Targa Resources Partners Midstream gathering and Timing of acquisition by Targa Resources Corp. during the bottom of the market

cycle

processing MLP

MarkWest Energy Partners, Midstream gathering and Reduced growth rate following MPLX acquisition processing MLP L.P.

Midstream gathering and MPLX LP Reduced growth rate following acquisition of MarkWest

processing MLP Midstream refined product pipeline Timing of exiting position

Holly Energy Partners, L.P.

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## **Tortoise**

MLP Fund, Inc. (NTG) (continued)

#### Distributable cash flow and distributions

Distributable cash flow ( DCF ) is distributions received from investments less expenses. The total distributions received from investments include the amount received as cash distributions from MLPs, paid-in-kind distributions, and dividend and interest payments. The total expenses include current or anticipated operating expenses, leverage costs and current income taxes. Current income taxes include taxes paid on net investment income in addition to foreign taxes, if any. Taxes incurred from realized gains on the sale of investments, expected tax benefits and deferred taxes are not included in DCF.

Distributions received from investments decreased approximately 0.9% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016 due primarily to a decreased distribution rate on one of the fund s investments. Operating expenses, consisting primarily of fund advisory fees, decreased 1.8% during the quarter due to lower asset-based fees. Leverage costs increased 1.3% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016 due primarily to an increase in interest rates during the quarter.

As a result of the changes in income and expenses, DCF decreased approximately 1.2% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016. The fund paid a quarterly distribution of \$0.4225 per share, which was equal to the distribution paid in the prior quarter and 4th quarter 2015. The fund has paid cumulative distributions to stockholders of \$10.39 per share since its inception in July 2010.

The Key Financial Data table discloses the calculation of DCF and should be read in conjunction with this discussion. The difference between distributions received from investments in the DCF calculation and total investment income as reported in the Statement of Operations, is reconciled as follows: the Statement of Operations, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ( GAAP ), recognizes distribution income from MLPs, common stock and other investments on their ex-dates, whereas the DCF calculation may reflect distribution income on their pay dates; GAAP recognizes that a significant portion of the cash distributions received from MLPs, common stock and other investments are characterized as a return of capital and therefore excluded from investment income, whereas the DCF calculation includes the return of capital; and distributions received from investments in the DCF calculation include the value of dividends paid-in-kind (additional stock or MLP units), whereas such amounts are not included as income for GAAP purposes, and includes distributions related to direct investments when the purchase price is reduced in lieu of receiving cash distributions. The treatment of expenses in the DCF calculation also differs from what is reported in the Statement of Operations. In addition to the total operating expenses, including fee waiver, as disclosed in the Statement of Operations, the DCF calculation reflects interest expense, distributions to preferred stockholders, other recurring leverage expenses, as well as taxes paid on net investment income.

Net Investment Income (Loss), before Income Taxes on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF for fiscal year 2016 and 4th quarter 2016 (in thousands):

	FY 2016	4t	h Qtr 2016
Net Investment Loss, before			
Income Taxes	\$ (31,166)		\$ (6,754)
Adjustments to reconcile to DCF:			
Distributions characterized as			
return of capital	108,860		26,369
Amortization of debt issuance costs	398		92
Premium on redemption of			
senior notes	450		
DCF	\$ 78,542	\$	19,707

## Leverage

The fund s leverage utilization decreased by \$2.5 million during 4th quarter 2016 and represented 29.1% of total assets at November 30, 2016. The fund has maintained compliance with its applicable coverage ratios. At year-end, approximately 77% of the leverage cost was fixed, the weighted-average maturity was 2.8 years and the weighted-average annual rate on leverage was 3.61%. These rates will vary in the future as a result of changing floating rates, utilization of the fund s credit facility and as leverage matures or is redeemed.

## **Income taxes**

During 4th quarter 2016, the fund s deferred tax liability increased slightly to \$161 million. The fund had net realized gains of \$22 million during the quarter. As of November 30, 2016, the fund had net operating losses of \$56 million for federal income tax purposes. To the extent that the fund has taxable income in the future that is not offset by net operating losses, it will owe federal and state income taxes. Tax payments can be funded from investment earnings, fund assets, or borrowings.

Please see the Financial Statements and Notes to Financial Statements for additional detail regarding critical accounting policies, results of operations, leverage, taxes and other important fund information.

For further information regarding the calculation of distributable cash flow and distributions to stockholders, as well as a discussion of the tax impact on distributions and results, please visit www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

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NTG Key Financial Data (supplemental unaudited information) (dollar amounts in thousands unless otherwise indicated)

The information presented below regarding Distributable Cash Flow and Selected Financial Information is supplemental non-GAAP financial information, which the fund believes is meaningful to understanding operating performance. The Distributable Cash Flow Ratios include the functional equivalent of EBITDA for non-investment companies, and the fund believes they are an important supplemental measure of performance and promote comparisons from period-to-period. This information is supplemental, is not inclusive of required financial disclosures (e.g. Total Expense Ratio), and should be read in conjunction with the full financial statements.

	Year Ended	November					
	30	,	2015		20-		
	2015	2016	Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q2 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q3 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>
Total Income from Investments							
Distributions and dividends							
from investments	\$114,024	\$109,211	\$ 28,420	\$ 27,259	\$ 26,411	\$ 27,901	\$ 27,640
Operating Expenses Before Leverage	, ,,	,,	, -, -	, , , , ,	* -,	, , , , , ,	, , , ,
Costs and Current Taxes							
Advisory fees, net of fees waived	17,279	13,398	3,581	2,868	3,292	3,654	3,584
Other operating expenses	1,405	1,331	341	323	336	336	336
	18,684	14,729	3,922	3,191	3,628	3,990	3,920
	10,004	14,723	3,922	3,191	3,020	3,990	3,920
Distributable cash flow before leverage	_						
costs and current taxes	95,340	94,482	24,498	24,068	22,783	23,911	23,720
Leverage costs <sup>(2)</sup>	16,266	15,940	4,055	4,018	3,949	3,960	4,013
Current income tax expense <sup>(3)</sup>							
Distributable Cash Flow <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 79,074	\$ 78,542	\$ 20,443	\$ 20,050	\$ 18,834	\$ 19,951	\$ 19,707
As a percent of average total assets <sup>(5)</sup>							
Total from investments	5.88 %	7.51%	7.18%	8.15%	7.55%	7.28%	7.29%
Operating expenses before leverage							
costs and current taxes	0.96 %	1.01%	0.99%	0.95%	1.04%	1.04%	1.03%
Distributable cash flow before leverage							
costs and current taxes	4.92 %	6.50%	6.19%	7.20%	6.51%	6.24%	6.26%
					0.0170		
As a percent of average net assets <sup>(5)</sup>	0.71 0/	10.000/	11.050/	1.4.470/	12.42%	11.000/	12.17%
Total from investments	9.71 %	12.66%	11.95%	14.47%	12.42%	11.90%	12.17%
Operating expenses before leverage	1.50 0/	4.740/	1 050/	1 000/	4 740/	1 700/	1 700/
costs and current taxes	1.59 %	1.71%	1.65%	1.69%	1.71%	1.70%	1.73%
Leverage costs and current taxes  Distributable cash flow	1.39 % 6.73 %	1.85% 9.10%	1.71% 8.59%	2.13% 10.65%	1.86% 8.85%	1.69% 8.51%	1.77%
Distributable cash flow	6.73 %	9.10%	6.59%	10.05%	0.00%	6.31%	8.67%
Selected Financial Information							
Distributions paid on common stock	\$79,430	\$ 79,464	\$ 19,857	\$ 19,858	\$ 19,857	\$ 19,858	\$ 19,891
Distributions paid on common stock							
per share	1.69000	1.69000	0.4225	0.4225	0.4225	0.4225	0.4225
Distribution coverage percentage							
for period <sup>(6)</sup>	99.6 %	98.8%	103.0%	101.0%	94.8%	100.5%	99.1%
Net realized gain (loss), net of income taxes,							
for the period	74,333	49,307	3,706	(13,779)	21,730	27,199	14,157
Total assets, end of period	1,483,910	1,514,354	1,483,910	1,254,081	1,483,491	1,528,949	1,514,354
Average total assets during period <sup>(7)</sup>	1,940,475	1,454,091	1,586,800	1,345,702	1,390,807	1,524,786	1,524,805
Leverage <sup>(8)</sup>	500,800	440,800	500,800	431,600	439,900	443,300	440,800
Leverage as a percent of total assets	33.7 %	29.1%	33.7%	34.4%	29.7%	29.0%	29.1%
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation),							
end of period	29,106	107,907	29,106	(52,047)	90,594	112,273	107,907
Net assets, end of period	876,409	904,866	876,409	757,055	893,988	919,721	904,866
Average net assets during period <sup>(9)</sup>	1,174,085	862,527	953,931	757,446	845,912	932,440	913,726
Net asset value per common share	18.65	19.22	18.65	16.11	19.02	19.53	19.22
Market value per common share	16.18	18.90	16.18	15.64	17.82	19.68	18.90
Shares outstanding (000 s)	47,000	47,081	47,000	47,000	47,000	47,081	47,081

- (1) Q1 is the period from December through February. Q2 is the period from March through May. Q3 is the period from June through August. Q4 is the period from September through November.
- (2) Leverage costs include interest expense, distributions to preferred stockholders and other recurring leverage expenses.
- (3) Includes taxes paid on net investment income and foreign taxes, if any. Taxes related to realized gains are excluded from the calculation of Distributable Cash Flow ( DCF ).
- (4) Net investment income (loss), before income taxes on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF: increased by the return of capital on distributions, the premium on redemption of senior notes and amortization of debt issuance costs; and decreased by current taxes paid on net investment income.
- (5) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (6) Distributable Cash Flow divided by distributions paid.
- (7) Computed by averaging month-end values within each period.
- (8) Leverage consists of senior notes, preferred stock and outstanding borrowings under the credit facility.
- (9) Computed by averaging daily net assets within each period.

## **Tortoise**

Pipeline & Energy Fund, Inc. (TTP)

## **Fund description**

TTP seeks a high level of total return with an emphasis on current distributions paid to stockholders. TTP invests primarily in equity securities of North American pipeline companies that transport natural gas, natural gas liquids (NGLs), crude oil and refined products and, to a lesser extent, in other energy infrastructure companies.

## **Fund performance review**

The fund s market-based and NAV-based returns for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 were 34.9% and 29.9%, respectively (including the reinvestment of distributions). Comparatively, the Tortoise North American Pipeline Index<sup>SM</sup> returned 24.8% for the same period. The fund s positive performance reflects midstream pipeline companies continuing to be rewarded for focusing on capital efficiency and prioritizing balance sheet strength over growth.

Fiscal year-end highlights

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Distributions paid per share (fiscal year 2016)	\$1.6300
Distributions paid per share (4th quarter 2016)	\$0.4075
Distribution rate (as of 11/30/2016)	7.6%
Quarter-over-quarter distribution increase	0.0%
Year-over-year distribution decrease	(9.4)% *
Cumulative distributions paid per share to	
stockholders since inception in October 2011	\$8.4675
Market-based total return	34.9%
NAV-based total return	29.9%
Premium (discount) to NAV (as of 11/30/2016)	(8.0)%

<sup>\*</sup> Reflects the elimination of the capital gain component of the distribution. See Distributable cash flow and distributions on next page for additional information.

Please refer to the inside front cover of the report for important information about the fund s distribution policy.

The fund s covered call strategy, which focuses on independent energy companies that are key pipeline transporters, enabled the fund to generate current income. In an attempt to generate the same monthly income, the out-of-the-money percentage was generally flat year-over-year as volatility was similar. The notional amount of the fund s covered calls averaged approximately 10.4% of total assets, and their out-of-the-money percentage at the time written averaged approximately 6.5% during the fiscal quarter.

Unlike the fund return, index return is pre-expenses.

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### Key asset performance drivers

Spectra Energy Corp

ONEOK, Inc.

Midstream natural gas/natural gas liquids pipeline company

Midstream natural gas/natural

gas liquids pipeline company

Improved outlook for ethane recoveries and higher natural gas liquids (NGL) prices

Acquisition by Enbridge Inc. creating the largest North American energy infrastructure company as well as steady cash flow and strong dividend growth supported by midstream growth projects

Midstream natural gas/natural TransCanada Corporation gas liquids pipeline company Midstream gathering and Targa Resources Corp. processing company

Midstream crude oil pipeline Plains GP Holdings, L.P.

company

Acquisition of Columbia Pipeline creates Northeast footprint

Benefitted from a simplification transaction, preferred issuance as well as exposure to Permian Basin growth and NGL prices

Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and simplification of corporate

structure as well as exposure to growing Permian Basin production

The Williams Companies,

Inc.

Kinder Morgan, Inc.

Teekay Offshore Partners,

L.P.

Targa Resources Partners

LP

Western Gas Equity

Partners, LP

Midstream gathering and processing company

Midstream natural gas/natural gas liquids pipeline company

Marine transportation

Midstream gathering and processing MLP Midstream gathering and processing MLP

Balance sheet concerns and Chesapeake counterparty risk

Dividend cut early in the fiscal year to preserve credit rating

Dividend cut at the bottom of the market cycle

Timing of acquisition by Targa Resources Corp. during the bottom of the market cycle

Credit downgrade of parent company early in the fiscal year

(unaudited)

#### Distributable cash flow and distributions

Distributable cash flow ( DCF ) is income from investments less expenses. Income from investments includes the amount received as cash or paid-in-kind distributions from common stock, master limited partnerships ( MLPs ), affiliates of MLPs, and pipeline and other energy companies in which the fund invests, and dividend payments on short-term investments. Income also includes the premiums received from sales of covered call options, net of amounts paid to buy back out-of-the-money options. The total expenses include current or anticipated operating expenses and leverage costs.

Distributions received from investments decreased approximately 3.1% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016, primarily due to the impact of trading activity during the quarter. Operating expenses, consisting primarily of fund advisory fees, increased by 2.7% during the quarter due to higher asset-based fees. Leverage costs increased approximately 1.5% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016 mainly due to a slight increase in leverage utilization during the quarter. As a result of the changes in income and expenses, DCF decreased by 5.0% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016. In addition, the fund had net realized gains on investments of \$25.2 million during 4th quarter 2016.

The fund paid a quarterly distribution of \$0.4075 per share, which was unchanged over the prior quarter and a decrease of 9.4% from the 4th quarter 2015 distribution. The fund eliminated the capital gain component of the distribution in 1st quarter 2016 because it did not anticipate the same level of capital gains following market declines over the past year. For tax purposes, the cash distributions paid to stockholders for the calendar year 2016 were 39% qualified dividend income, 58% ordinary dividend income and 3% long-term capital gains. This information is reported to stockholders on Form 1099-DIV and is available on our Web site at www.tortoiseadvisors.com. The fund s distribution policy is described on the inside front cover of this report. The fund has paid cumulative distributions to stockholders of \$8.4675 per share since its inception in Oct. 2011.

The Key Financial Data table discloses the calculation of DCF and should be read in conjunction with this discussion. The difference between income from investments in the DCF calculation and total investment income as reported in the Statement of Operations, is reconciled as follows: (1) the Statement of Operations, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), recognizes distributions and dividend income from MLPs, common stock and other investments on their ex-dates, whereas the DCF calculation may reflect distributions and dividend income on their pay dates; (2) GAAP recognizes that a significant portion of the cash distributions received from MLPs, common stock and other investments are characterized as a return of capital and therefore excluded from investment income, whereas the DCF calculation includes the return of capital; (3) income from investments in the DCF calculation includes the value of dividends paid-in-kind (additional stock or units), whereas such amounts are not included as income for GAAP purposes; and (4) net premiums on options written (premiums received less amounts paid to buy back out-of-the-money options) with expiration dates during the fiscal quarter are included in the DCF calculation, whereas GAAP recognizes the net effect of options written as realized and unrealized gains (losses).

Net Investment Income (Loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF for fiscal year 2016 and 4th quarter 2016 (in thousands):

	FY 2016	4th Qtr 2016
Net Investment Income (Loss)	\$ 372	\$ (488)
Adjustments to reconcile to DCF:		
Net premiums on options written	5,178	1,284
Distributions characterized as		
return of capital	8,661	2,626
Dividends paid in stock	1,704	444
Amortization of debt issuance costs	94	14
Premium on redemption of		
senior notes	100	
DCF	\$ 16.109	\$ 3.880

#### Leverage

The fund s leverage utilization increased slightly during 4th quarter 2016 and represented 21.9% of total assets at November 30, 2016. The fund has maintained compliance with its applicable coverage ratios. At year-end, approximately 77% of the leverage cost was fixed, the weighted-average maturity was 3.0 years and the weighted-average annual rate on leverage was 3.27%. These rates will vary in the future as a result of changing floating rates, utilization of the fund s credit facility and as leverage matures or is redeemed.

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TTP Key Financial Data (supplemental unaudited information) (dollar amounts in thousands unless otherwise indicated)

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	Y	ear Ended No	ove	ember 30,	(	2015				201	16			
		2015		2016		Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q2 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q3 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q4(1)
Total Income from Investments														
Dividends and distributions from investments,														
net of foreign taxes withheld		\$ 15,666		\$ 14,675	\$	3.998	\$	3,529	\$	3.685	\$	3,855	\$	3,600
Dividends paid in stock		1,300		1,704	Ť.	337	1	406	1	421	1	433	7	444
Net premiums on options written		5,196		5,178		1,346	_	1,437		1,238		1,219		1,28
Total from investments		22,162		21,557		5,681		5,372		5,344		5,507		5,334
Operating Expenses Before Leverage Costs														
Advisory fees, net of fees waived		3,800		2,707		786		554		643		742		768
Other operating expenses		659	_	561		151		136		139	_	144		14:
		4,459		3,268		937		690		782		886		910
Distributable cash flow before		7,700		0,200		301	_	000		102		000		31
leverage costs		17,703		18,289		4,744		4,682		4,562		4,621		4,424
Leverage costs <sup>(2)</sup>		2,618		2,180		630		564		536		536		54
Distributable Cash Flow <sup>(3)</sup>	\$	15,085	\$	16,109	\$	4,114	\$		\$		\$		\$	3,88
Net realized gain (loss) on investments		-,	•	- ,	,	,		,	•	, -	•	<i>y</i> =		- ,
and foreign currency translation,														
for the period		\$ 13,403		\$ 3,488	\$	1,669	\$	(16,941)	\$	(6,676)	\$	1,927	\$	25,178
As a percent of average total assets <sup>(4)</sup>								, ,						
Total from investments		5.78%	4	8.08%		7.30%		9.07%		8.68%		7.83%		7.2
Operating expenses before														
leverage costs		1.16%		1.22%		1.20%		1.16%		1.27%		1.26%		1.24
Distributable cash flow before														
leverage costs		4.62%		6.86%		6.10%		7.91%		7.41%		6.57%		6.0
As a percent of average net assets <sup>(4)</sup>			_											
Total from investments		7.58%		11.18%		10.15%		14.71%		11.87%		10.10%		9.38
Operating expenses before														,
leverage costs		1.52%	_	1.69%	_	1.67%		1.89%		1.74%		1.63%		1.60
Leverage costs		0.90%		1.13%		1.13%		1.54%		1.19%		0.98%		0.9
Distributable cash flow		5.16%		8.36%		7.35%		11.28%		8.94%		7.49%		6.82
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Selected Financial Information									_		_			
Distributions paid on common stock		\$ 19,532		\$ 16,327	\$	4,508	\$	4,082	\$	4,081	\$	4,082	\$	4,082
Distributions paid on common stock			_		_	- 1500		- 10		- 10		- 1000		
per share		1.9500		1.6300		0.4500		0.4075		0.4075		0.4075		0.407
Total assets, end of period	_	286,039		303,989		286,039		213,999		269,483		286,224		303,98
Average total assets during period <sup>(5)</sup>		383,226		266,897		312,142		238,257		244,963		279,684		295,80
Leverage <sup>(6)</sup>		86,900	-	66,600		86,900		65,000	1	65,100	1	65,000		66,60
Leverage as a percent of total assets		30.4%	Щ.	21.9%		30.4%		30.4%		24.2%		22.7%		21.9
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation),		/ · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·						· <b>-</b> \		·= -a=\				
end of period		(41,680)		6,052	_	(41,680)		(75,017)		(5,987)		11,363		6,05
Net assets, end of period		197,443	_	234,539		197,443		144,960		202,587		218,368		234,539
Average net assets during period <sup>(7)</sup>		292,473		192,888	2	224,525		146,835		179,041		216,881	7	228,68
Net asset value per common share		19.71	_	23.42		19.71		14.47		20.23		21.80		23.4
Market value per common share		17.47		21.55		17.47		12.56		17.37		19.69		21.5
Shares outstanding (000 s)		10,016		10,016		10,016		10,016		10,016		10,016		10,010

- (1) Q1 is the period from December through February. Q2 is the period from March through May. Q3 is the period from June through August. Q4 is the period from September through November.
- (2) Leverage costs include interest expense, distributions to preferred stockholders and other recurring leverage expenses.
- (3) Net investment income (loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to Distributable Cash Flow ( DCF ): increased by net premiums on options written, the return of capital on distributions, the value of paid-in-kind distributions, the premium on redemption of senior notes and amortization of debt issuance costs.
- (4) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (5) Computed by averaging month-end values within each period.
- (6) Leverage consists of senior notes, preferred stock and outstanding borrowings under the revolving credit facility.
- (7) Computed by averaging daily net assets within each period.

#### **Tortoise**

Energy Independence Fund, Inc. (NDP)

## **Fund description**

NDP seeks a high level of total return with an emphasis on current distributions paid to stockholders. NDP invests primarily in equity securities of upstream North American energy companies that engage in the exploration and production of crude oil, condensate, natural gas and natural gas liquids that generally have a significant presence in North American oil and gas fields, including shale reservoirs.

## **Fund performance review**

The fund s market-based and NAV-based returns for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 were 36.3% and 23.7%, respectively (including the reinvestment of distributions). Comparatively, the Tortoise North American Oil and Gas Producers Index<sup>SM</sup> returned 19.7% for the same period. The fund s positive performance reflects the improving conditions for upstream oil and gas producers throughout the year as the supply/demand equation continued to balance, driving commodity prices higher. Liquids producers, particularly those in the Permian basin, outperformed natural gas producers, as it continued to distinguish itself as the most efficient and premier basin in the U.S.

#### Fiscal year-end highlights

Distributions paid per share (fiscal year 2016)	\$	1.7500
Distributions paid per share (4th quarter 2016)	\$	0.4375
Distribution rate (as of 11/30/2016)		11.0%
Quarter-over-quarter distribution increase		0.0%
Year-over-year distribution increase		0.0%
Cumulative distributions paid per share to		
stockholders since inception in July 2012	_ \$	7.4375
Market-based total return		36.3%
NAV-based total return		23.7%
Premium (discount) to NAV (as of 11/30/2016)		(6.5)%

The fund utilizes a covered call strategy, which seeks to generate income while reducing overall volatility. The premium income generated from this strategy helped to lower NAV volatility during the quarter. The notional amount of the fund s covered calls averaged approximately 66.0% of total assets and their out-of-the-money percentage at the time written averaged approximately 9.9% during the fiscal quarter.

Unlike the fund return, index return is pre-expenses.

Performance data quoted represent past performance: past performance does not guarantee future results. Like any other stock, total return and market value will fluctuate so that an investment, when sold, may be worth more or less than its original cost. Portfolio composition is subject to change due to ongoing management of the fund. References to specific securities or sectors should not be construed as a recommendation by the fund or its adviser. See Schedule of Investments for portfolio weighting at the end of the fiscal quarter.

## Key asset performance drivers

Pioneer Natural
Resources Company
EOG Resources, Inc.
EQT Corporation
Upstream liquids producer
Upstream liquids producer
Upstream natural gas
producer

Concho Resources Inc. Upstream liquids producer

Parsley Energy, Inc. Upstream liquids producer

Improving crude oil prices and well economics of wells drilled in the Permian Basin as well as an acquisition significantly expanded Permian Basin acreage

Improving crude oil prices and acquisition significantly expanded Permian Basin acreage Northeast natural gas production growth supported by improved outlook on natural gas prices

Improving crude oil prices and well economics of wells drilled in the Delaware Basin, a subset of the Permian Basin

Improving crude oil prices and well economics of wells drilled in the Permian Basin as well as an acquisition significantly expanded Permian Basin acreage

Whiting Petroleum Corporation Targa Resources

Partners LP

Upstream liquids producer

Midstream gathering and

processing MLP Midstream gathering and

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Laredo Petroleum, Inc. Upstream liquids producer

Noble Energy Inc. Upstream natural producer

Upstream natural gas producer

Early in the year, low commodity prices and stretched balance sheet limited ability to grow production

Timing of acquisition by Targa Resources Corp. during the bottom of the market cycle

Balance sheet concerns and Chesapeake counterparty risk

Early in the year, low commodity prices and stretched balance sheet limited ability to grow

production

Downgraded by Moody s (a credit rating agency) due to weak commodity prices earlier in the

year

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## **Tortoise**

Energy Independence Fund, Inc. (NDP) (continued)

#### Distributable cash flow and distributions

Distributable cash flow ( DCF ) is income from investments less expenses. Income from investments includes the amount received as cash or paid-in-kind distributions from investments and dividend payments on short-term investments. Income also includes the premiums received from sales of covered call options, net of amounts paid to buy back out-of-the-money options. The total expenses include current or anticipated operating expenses and leverage costs.

Distributions received from investments decreased approximately 4.0% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016, primarily due to lower net premiums on options written and the impact of trading activity. Operating expenses, consisting primarily of fund advisory fees, decreased slightly during the quarter. Total leverage costs increased approximately 6.5% during the quarter due to an increase in interest rates during the quarter. As a result of the changes in income and expenses, DCF decreased by approximately 4.7% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016. In addition, the fund had net realized gains on investments of \$4.5 million during 4th quarter 2016.

The fund maintained its quarterly distribution of \$0.4375 per share during 4th quarter 2016. For tax purposes, the cash distributions paid to stockholders for the calendar year 2016 were 100% return of capital. This information is reported to stockholders on Form 1099-DIV and is available on our Web site at www.tortoiseadvisors.com. The fund has paid cumulative distributions to stockholders of \$7.4375 per share since its inception in July 2012.

The Key Financial Data table discloses the calculation of DCF and should be read in conjunction with this discussion. The difference between income from investments in the DCF calculation and total investment income as reported in the Statement of Operations, is reconciled as follows: (1) the Statement of Operations, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP), recognizes distributions and dividend income from MLPs, common stock and other investments on their ex-dates, whereas the DCF calculation may reflect distributions and dividend income on their pay dates; (2) GAAP recognizes that a significant portion of the cash distributions received from MLPs, common stock and other investments are characterized as a return of capital and therefore excluded from investment income, whereas the DCF calculation includes the return of capital; (3) income from investments in the DCF calculation includes the value of dividends paid-in-kind (additional stock or units), whereas such amounts are not included as income for GAAP purposes; and (4) net premiums on options written (premiums received less amounts paid to buy back out-of-the-money options) with expiration dates during fiscal quarter are included in the DCF calculation, whereas GAAP recognizes the net effect of options written as realized and unrealized gains (losses).

Net Investment Income (Loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF for fiscal year 2016 and 4th quarter 2016 (in thousands):

	FY 2016	4th Qtr 2016
Net Investment Loss	\$ (1,808)	\$ (720)
Adjustments to reconcile to DCF:		
Net premiums on options written	23,129	5,645
Distributions characterized as		
return of capital	3,801	971
Dividends paid in stock	1,124	293
DCF	\$ 26,246	\$ 6,189

## Leverage

The fund s leverage utilization decreased slightly as compared to August 31, 2016. The fund utilizes all floating rate leverage that had an interest rate of 1.42% and represented 20.0% of total assets at year-end. The fund has maintained compliance with its applicable coverage ratios. The interest rate on the fund s leverage will vary in the future along with changing floating rates.

Please see the Financial Statements and Notes to Financial Statements for additional detail regarding critical accounting policies, results of operations, leverage and other important fund information.

For further information regarding the calculation of distributable cash flow and distributions to stockholders, as well as a discussion of the tax impact on distributions, please visit www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

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NDP Key Financial Data (supplemental unaudited information) (dollar amounts in thousands unless otherwise indicated)

The information presented below regarding Distributable Cash Flow and Selected Financial Information is supplemental non-GAAP financial information, which the fund believes is meaningful to understanding operating performance. The Distributable Cash Flow Ratios include the functional equivalent of EBITDA for non-investment companies, and the fund believes they are an important supplemental measure of performance and promote comparisons from period-to-period. This information is supplemental, is not inclusive of required financial disclosures (e.g. Total Expense Ratio), and should be read in conjunction with the full financial statements.

	Year Ended	November					
	30, 2015		2015		2016	16	
	2015	2016	Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q2 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q3 <sup>(1)</sup>	Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>
Total Income from Investments							
Distributions and dividends from investments,							
net of foreign taxes withheld	\$ 7,384	\$ 6,129	\$ 1,824	\$ 1,694	\$ 1,615	\$ 1,457	\$ 1,36
Dividends paid in stock	1,059	1,124	275	268	278	285	29
Net premiums on options written	21,487	23,129	5,802	5,531	6,090	5,863	5,64
Total from investments	29,930	30,382	7,901	7,493	7,983	7,605	7,30
Operating Expenses Before Leverage Costs							
Advisory fees, net of fees waived	3,461	2,733	734	586	661	737	74
Other operating expenses	615	620	141	134	161	174	15
, , ,	4,076	3,353	875	720	822	911	90
Distributable cash flow before	4,070	0,000	0/3	720	OLL	311	
leverage costs	25,854	27,029	7,026	6,773	7,161	6,694	6,40
Leverage costs <sup>(2)</sup>	590	783	151	181	191	199	2
Distributable Cash Flow <sup>(3)</sup>	\$25,264	\$26,246	\$6,875	\$6,592	\$6.970	\$6,495	\$6,189
Net realized gain (loss) on investments	Ψ20,204	Ψ20,240	ψ0,070	ψ0,002	ψ0,070	ψ0,400	ψ0,100
and foreign currency translation,							
for the period	\$ (31,126)	\$ (27,326)	\$ (6,369)	\$ (7,899)	\$ (23,227)	\$ (690)	\$ 4,49
As a percent of average total assets <sup>(4)</sup>	ψ (01,120)	Ψ (Σ7,020)	ψ (0,000)	φ (7,000)	Ψ (20,227)	ψ (σσσ)	Ψ 1, ι
Total from investments	8.56%	10.80%	10.83%	11.88%	12.02%	10.29%	9.5
Operating expenses before	0.0070	10.0070	10.0070	11.0070	12.0270	10.2070	
leverage costs	1.17%	1.19%	1.20%	1.14%	1.24%	1.23%	1.1
Distributable cash flow before		1.1070	1.2070	111170	1.2170	1.2070	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
leverage costs	7.39%	9.61%	9.63%	10.74%	10.78%	9.06%	8.4
As a percent of average net assets <sup>(4)</sup>	7.0070	0.0.70	0.0070	1011 170	1017070	0.0070	- 0.
Total from investments	10.37%	14.30%	13.50%	17.11%	15.67%	13.00%	12.3
Operating expenses before	10.07 70	1 1100 70	10.0070	1711170	10.07 70	1010070	
leverage costs	1.41%	1.58%	1.50%	1.64%	1.61%	1.56%	1.5
Leverage costs	0.20%	0.37%	0.26%	0.41%	0.37%	0.34%	0.3
Distributable cash flow	8.76 %	12.35 %	11.74 %	15.06 %	13.69 %	11.10 %	10.43
Selected Financial Information							
Distributions paid on common stock	\$ 25,403	\$ 25,403	\$ 6,351	\$ 6,351	\$ 6,351	\$ 6,350	\$ 6,35
Distributions paid on common stock							
per share	1.7500	1.7500	0.4375	0.4375	0.4375	0.4375	0.437
Total assets, end of period	289,330	319,343	289,330	228,663	287,532	301,460	319,34
Average total assets during period <sup>(5)</sup>	349,713	281,272	292,664	253,624	264,154	294,100	306,66
Leverage <sup>(6)</sup>	61,800	63,800	61,800	61,800	62,600	64,000	63,80
Leverage as a percent of total assets	21.4%	20.0%	21.4%	27.0%	21.8%	21.2%	20
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation),							
end of period	(66,495)	1,717	(66,495)	(117,834)	(27,486)	(7,816)	1,7
Net assets, end of period	225,410	246,088	225,410	164,735	222,159	235,472	246,08
Average net assets during period <sup>(7)</sup>	288,672	212,528	234,669	176,104	202,667	232,775	238,45
Net asset value per common share	15.53	16.95	15.53	11.35	15.30	16.22	16.9
Market value per common share	13.18	15.85	13.18	9.76	13.71	15.61	15.8
Shares outstanding (000 s)	14,516	14,516	14,516	14,516	14,516	14,516	14,51
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<sup>(1)</sup> Q1 is the period from December through February. Q2 is the period from March through May. Q3 is the period from June through August. Q4 is the period from September through November.

<sup>(2)</sup> Leverage costs include interest expense and other recurring leverage expenses.

- (3) Net investment income (loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to Distributable Cash Flow ( DCF ): increased by net premiums on options written, the return of capital on distributions and the value of paid-in-kind distributions.
- (4) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (5) Computed by averaging month-end values within each period.
- (6) Leverage consists of outstanding borrowings under the revolving credit facility.
- (7) Computed by averaging daily net assets within each period.

## **Tortoise**

Power and Energy Infrastructure Fund, Inc. (TPZ)

## **Fund description**

TPZ seeks to provide a high level of current income to stockholders, with a secondary objective of capital appreciation. TPZ seeks to invest primarily in fixed income and dividend-paying equity securities of power and energy infrastructure companies that provide stable and defensive characteristics throughout economic cycles.

## Fund performance review

The fund s market-based and NAV-based returns for the fiscal year ending November 30, 2016 were 25.6% and 22.2%, respectively (including the reinvestment of distributions). Comparatively, the TPZ Benchmark Composite\* returned 7.7% for the same period. The fund s positive performance reflects midstream MLPs continuing to be rewarded for focusing on capital efficiency and prioritizing balance sheet strength over growth. Power companies, an area of focus for the fund, had positive performance for the fiscal year, but did not perform as well as the other sub-sectors due to their defensive nature. Energy equities performed better than energy fixed income as the energy market improved throughout the fiscal year.

Fiscal year-end highlights

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Distributions paid per share (fiscal year 2016)	\$ 1.5375
Monthly distributions paid per share	
(4th quarter 2016)	\$ 0.1250
Distribution rate (as of 11/30/2016)	7.0%
Quarter-over-quarter distribution increase	0.0%
Year-over-year distribution decrease	(9.1)%**
Cumulative distribution to	
stockholders since inception in July 2009	\$12.2750
Market-based total return	25.6%
NAV-based total return	22.2%
Premium (discount) to NAV (as of 11/30/2016)	(10.3)%

<sup>\*</sup>The TPZ Benchmark Composite includes the BofA Merrill Lynch U.S. Energy Index (CIEN), the BofA Merrill Lynch U.S. Electricity Index (CUEL) and the Tortoise MLP Index® (TMLP). It is comprised of a blend of 70% fixed income and 30% equity securities issued by companies in the power and energy infrastructure sectors.

Please refer to the inside front cover of the report for important information about the fund s distribution policy.

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## Key asset performance drivers

Midstream natural gas/natural

ONEOK, Inc. gas liquids pipeline company

Improved outlook for ethane recoveries and higher natural gas liquids (NGL) prices

<sup>\*\*</sup>Reflects the elimination of the capital gain component of the distribution. See Distributable cash flow and distributions on next page for additional information.

Targa Resources Midstream gathering and Benefitted from a simplification transaction, preferred issuance as well as exposure to Permian Basin growth and NGL prices processing company Corp. Acquisition by Enbridge Inc. creating the largest North American energy infrastructure company Spectra Energy Midstream natural gas/natural as well as steady cash flow and strong dividend growth supported by midstream growth gas liquids pipeline company Corp Plains GP Midstream crude oil pipeline Investors rewarded company s clarity on distribution and simplification of corporate structure as Holdings, L.P. well as exposure to growing Permian Basin production company ONEOK Partners, Midstream natural gas/natural

Improved outlook for ethane recoveries and higher NGL prices

gas liquids pipeline MLP

Corporation
(fixed income)
Upstream natural gas producer
Energy Transfer
Equity, L.P.
Upstream natural gas producer
Midstream natural gas/natural
gas liquids pipeline MLP

Weak NGL and natural gas prices in the Northeast
Concern regarding higher leverage resulting from pending acquisition of The Williams
Companies, Inc. earlier in the year

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Range Resources

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#### Distributable cash flow and distributions

Distributable cash flow ( DCF ) is income from investments less expenses. Income from investments includes the accrued interest from corporate bonds, cash distributions and paid-in-kind distributions from master limited partnerships ( MLPs ) and other equity investments and dividends earned from short-term investments. The total expenses include current or anticipated operating expenses and leverage costs.

Distributions received from investments decreased 5.0% as compared to 3rd quarter 2016 due to the impact of trading activity. Operating expenses, consisting primarily of fund advisory fees, decreased slightly during the quarter. Total leverage costs decreased approximately 3.9% during the quarter due to lower interest rate swap expenses. As a result of the changes in income and expenses, DCF decreased approximately 5.9% as compared to 3rd guarter 2016. In addition, the fund had net realized gains on investments of \$8.1 million during 4th guarter 2016.

The fund paid monthly distributions of \$0.125 per share during 4th quarter 2016, which was unchanged over the prior quarter and a decrease of 9.1% from the total distributions paid in 4th quarter 2015. The fund eliminated the capital gain component of the monthly distribution in 2nd quarter 2016 because it did not anticipate the same level of capital gains following market declines over the past year. For tax purposes, the cash distributions paid to stockholders for the calendar year 2016 were 11% qualified dividend income, 80% ordinary dividend income and 9% long-term capital gains. This information is reported to stockholders on Form 1099-DIV and is available on our Web site at www.tortoiseadvisors.com. The fund s Board of Directors has declared monthly distributions of \$0.125 per share to be paid during 1st quarter 2017. The fund s distribution policy is described on the inside front cover of this report. The fund has paid cumulative distributions to stockholders of \$12.2750 per share since its inception in July 2009.

The Key Financial Data table discloses the calculation of DCF and should be read in conjunction with this discussion. The difference between income from investments in the DCF calculation and total investment income as reported in the Statement of Operations, is reconciled as follows: (1) U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ( GAAP ), recognizes distribution income from MLPs, common stock and other investments on their ex-dates, whereas the DCF calculation may reflect distribution income on their pay dates; (2) GAAP recognizes that a significant portion of the cash distributions received from MLPs, common stock and other investments are characterized as a return of capital and therefore excluded from investment income, whereas the DCF calculation includes the return of capital; (3) income from investments in the DCF calculation includes the value of dividends paid-in-kind (additional stock or units), whereas such amounts are not included as income for GAAP purposes; and (4) amortization of premium or discount for all securities is calculated using the yield to worst methodology for GAAP purposes while yield to call is used in calculating amortization for long-dated hybrid securities in the DCF calculation. The treatment of expenses in the DCF calculation also differs from what is reported in the Statement of Operations. In addition to the total operating expenses, including fee waiver, as disclosed in the Statement of Operations, the DCF calculation reflects interest expense and realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swap settlements as leverage costs.

Net Investment Income (Loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to DCF for fiscal year 2016 and 4th quarter 2016 (in thousands):

	FY 2016	4th Qtr 2016
Net Investment Income	\$ 4,961	\$1,069
Adjustments to reconcile to DCF:		
Dividends paid in stock	1,000	258
Distributions characterized as		
return of capital	4,901	1,272
Interest rate swap expenses	(267)	(55)
Change in amortization methodology	52	7
DCF	\$ 10,647	\$ 2,551

## Leverage

The fund s leverage utilization declined slightly as compared to August 31, 2016 and represented 23.3% of total assets at November 30, 2016. The fund has maintained compliance with its applicable coverage ratios. At year-end, including the impact of interest rate swaps, approximately 46% of the leverage cost was fixed, the weighted-average maturity was 1.1 years and the weighted-average annual rate on leverage was 1.82%. These rates will vary in the future as a result of changing floating rates and as swaps mature or are redeemed.

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For further information regarding the calculation of distributable cash flow and distributions to stockholders, as well as a discussion of the tax impact on distributions, please visit www.tortoiseadvisors.com.

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# **TPZ Key Financial Data** (supplemental unaudited information) (dollar amounts in thousands unless otherwise indicated)

The information presented below regarding Distributable Cash Flow and Selected Financial Information is supplemental non-GAAP financial information, which the fund believes is meaningful to understanding operating performance. The Distributable Cash Flow Ratios include the functional equivalent of EBITDA for non-investment companies, and the fund believes they are an important supplemental measure of performance and promote comparisons from period-to-period. This information is supplemental, is not inclusive of required financial disclosures (e.g. Total Expense Ratio), and should be read in conjunction with the full financial statements.

	Year En	ided	Novembe	r	2015		2016							
	2015		2016		Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q1 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q2 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q3 <sup>(1)</sup>		Q4 <sup>(1)</sup>	
Total Income from Investments														
Interest earned on corporate bonds	\$7,646		\$6,430		\$1,793		\$1,672		\$1,616		\$1,605		\$1,537	
Distributions and dividends from investments,														
net of foreign taxes withheld	4,846		6,557		1,431		1,568		1,631		1,738		1,620	
Dividends paid in stock	970		1,000		236		241		250		251		258	
Total from investments	13,462	2	13,987	,	3,460		3,481		3,497		3,594		3,415	
Operating Expenses Before Leverage Costs														
Advisory fees	2,238		1,864		497		409		453		499		503	
Other operating expenses	584		566		165		125		148		153		140	
	2,822		2,430		662		534		601		652		643	
Distributable cash flow before														
leverage costs	10,640	)	11,557	,	2,798		2,947		2,896		2,942		2,772	
Leverage costs <sup>(2)</sup>	858		910		217		231		228		230		221	
Distributable Cash Flow <sup>(3)</sup>	\$9,782		\$10,647		\$2,581		\$2,716		\$2,668		\$2,712		\$2,551	
Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency translation,														
for the period	\$5,772		\$7,176		\$(3,954	١	\$(4,797	١	\$67		\$3,840		\$8,066	
As a percent of average total assets <sup>(4)</sup>	ψ5,112		ψ1,110		ψ(0,304	,	ψ(4,737	,	ψΟ1		ψ5,040		ψ0,000	
Total from investments	5.66	%	7.00	%	6.62	%	7.70	%	7.32	%	6.82	%	6.39	9
Operating expenses before	0.00	,0	7.00	,0	0.02	,0	7.70	,0	7.02	,0	0.02	,0	0.00	,
leverage costs	1.19	%	1.22	%	1.27	%	1.18	%	1.26	%	1.24	%	1.20	0
Distributable cash flow before		, 0		, 0		, 0		, 0	0	, 0		, 0	0	,
leverage costs	4.47	%	5.78	%	5.35	%	6.52	%	6.06	%	5.58	%	5.19	9
As a percent of average net assets <sup>(4)</sup>														
Total from investments	7.17	%	9.56	%	8.72	%	11.32	%	10.03	%	9.02	%	8.37	9
Operating expenses before														
leverage costs	1.50	%	1.66	%	1.67	%	1.74	%	1.72	%	1.64	%	1.58	9
Leverage costs	0.46	%	0.62	%	0.55	%	0.75	%	0.65	%	0.58	%	0.54	9
Distributable cash flow	5.21	%	7.28	%	6.50	%	8.83	%	7.66	%	6.80	%	6.25	9
Selected Financial Information														
Distributions paid on common stock	\$19,898	}	\$10,688	:	\$2,868		\$2,867		\$2,607		\$2,607		\$2,607	
Distributions paid on common stock	ψ 10,000	•	ψ 10,000		Ψ2,000		ΨΕ,007		Ψ=,007		Ψ=,007		Ψ =,007	
per share	2.8625	5	1.5375	;	0.4125		0.4125		0.3750	)	0.3750	)	0.3750	
Total assets, end of period	198,28	32	217,41	5	198,28	2	171,28	4	205,15	0	213,24	13	217,41	5
Average total assets during period <sup>(5)</sup>	237,68		199,82		209,73		181,91		190,09		209,61		215,11	
Leverage <sup>(6)</sup>	49,900		50,600		49,900		49,600		52,700		50,700		50,600	
Leverage as a percent of total assets	25.2	%	23.3	%	25.2	%	29.0	%	25.7	%	23.8	%	23.3	9
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation),														
end of period	13,478	3	30,817	,	13,478		(7,382	)	25,113	}	32,831		30,817	
Net assets, end of period	147,56		166,07		147,56		120,51		151,38		161,61		166,07	
Average net assets during period <sup>(7)</sup>	187,75	52	146,27	<b>'</b> 4	159,09	7	123,73	3	138,63	8	158,50	)7	164,17	0
Net asset value per common share	21.23		23.89		21.23		17.34		21.78		23.25		23.89	
Market value per common share	18.53		21.43		18.53		15.17		18.86		21.57		21.43	
Shares outstanding (000 s)	6,951		6,951		6,951		6,951		6,951		6,951		6,951	

- (1) Q1 is the period from December through February. Q2 is the period from March through May. Q3 is the period from June through August. Q4 is the period from September through November.
- (2) Leverage costs include interest expense, interest rate swap expenses and other recurring leverage expenses.
- (3) Net investment income (loss) on the Statement of Operations is adjusted as follows to reconcile to Distributable Cash Flow ( DCF ): increased by the return of capital on distributions, the value of paid-in-kind distributions and the change in methodology for calculating amortization of premiums or discounts; and decreased by realized and unrealized gains (losses) on interest rate swap settlements.
- (4) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (5) Computed by averaging month-end values within each period.
- (6) Leverage consists of outstanding borrowings under the revolving credit facility.
- (7) Computed by averaging daily net assets within each period.

#### **TYG Schedule of Investments**

	Shares	Fair Value
Master Limited Partnerships 178.9%)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 42.4%)		
United States 42.4%)		
Enbridge Energy Partners, L.P.	1,897,232	\$ 46,861,630
Genesis Energy L.P.	2,331,152	81,450,451
Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	6,098,420	200,942,939
Shell Midstream Partners, L.P.	1,113,567	30,712,178
Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P.	5,941,917	140,764,014
Tesoro Logistics LP	2,093,642	98,673,347 599,404,559
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 64.4%)		599,404,559
United States 64.4%)		
Dominion Midstream Partners, LP	1,452,776	37,191,066
Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	5,108,669	179,416,455
Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	6,886,458	178,565,856
EQT Midstream Partners, LP	1,803,564	132,074,992
ONEOK Partners, L.P.(2)	4,956,085	207,164,353
Spectra Energy Partners, LP	2.533.421	107,645,058
Tallgrass Energy Partners, LP	1,436,628	67,291,656
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Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 39.1%)		303,043,430
United States 39.1%)		
Antero Midstream Partners LP	1,660,647	46,780,426
DCP Midstream Partners. LP	1,348,960	46,714,485
EnLink Midstream Partners, LP	3,510,721	61,507,832
MPLX LP	2,421,079	79,532,445
Noble Midstream Partners LP	418,670	13,426,747
Rice Midstream Partners LP	820,024	17,671,517
Rice Midstream Partners LP <sup>(3)</sup>	1,829,249	37,261,802
Western Gas Partners, LP	3,190,562	182,085,373
Williams Partners L.P.	1,821,628	66,489,422
		551,470,049
Refined Product Pipelines 33.0%)		331,173,313
United States 33.0%)		
Buckeye Partners, L.P.	2,532,174	162,920,075
Holly Energy Partners, L.P.	850,411	27,434,259
Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	2,849,822	197,350,173
Phillips 66 Partners LP	946,859	42,731,747
Valero Energy Partners LP	888,135	35,898,417
		466,334,671
Total Master Limited Partnerships		
(Cost \$2,018,216,128)		2,526,558,715
Preferred Stock 2.7%)		
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 1.6%)		
United States 1.6%)		
Targa Resources Corp., 9.500%(3)(4)	21,758	22,478,411
Oil and Gas Production 1.1%)		
United States 1.1%)		
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation,	200.000	10.155.00:
7.500%, 06/07/2018	392,800	16,155,864
Total Preferred Stock		00.604.075
(Cost \$35,370,144)		38,634,275

#### Warrants 1.1%) Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 1.1%) United States 1.1%) Targa Resources Corp. Series A. \$18.88, 03/16/2023(3)(4)(5) 305,483 10,511,670 Targa Resources Corp. Series B, \$25.11, 03/16/2023(3)(4)(5) 147.302 4,150,971 **Total Warrants** (Cost \$3,145,348) 14,662,641 Short-Term Investment 0.0%) United States Investment Company 0.0%) Government & Agency Portfolio Institutional Class, 0.29%<sup>(6)</sup> (Cost \$366,453) 366,453 366,453 Total Investments 182.7%) (Cost \$2,057,098,073) 2,580,222,084 Interest Rate Swap Contracts (0.0)%) \$15,000,000 notional net unrealized depreciation (365,051)Other Assets and Liabilities 0.1%) 958,597 Deferred Tax Liability (32.0)%) (451,741,282) Credit Facility Borrowings (7.8)%) (109,300,000)Senior Notes (31.3)%) (442,500,000)**Mandatory Redeemable Preferred Stock** at Liquidation Value (11.7)%) (165,000,000)**Total Net Assets Applicable to** Common Stockholders 100.0%) \$ 1,412,274,348

- (1) Calculated as a percentage of net assets applicable to common stockholders.
- (2) A portion of the security is segregated as collateral for the unrealized depreciation of interest rate swap contracts of \$365,051.
- (3) Restricted securities have a total fair value of \$74,402,854, which represents 5.3% of net assets. See Note 6 to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (4) Securities have been valued in accordance with fair value procedures, as more fully described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- (5) Non-income producing security.
- (6) Rate indicated is the current yield as of November 30, 2016.
- (7) See Note 11 to the financial statements for further disclosure.

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **NTG Schedule of Investments**

	Shares	Fair Value
Master Limited Partnerships 163.8%)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 40.8%)		
United States 40.8%)		
Enbridge Energy Partners, L.P.	2,954,562	\$ 72,977,681
Genesis Energy L.P.	1,197,143	41,828,176
Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	3,821,796	125,928,178
Shell Midstream Partners, L.P.	600,405	16,559,170
Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P.	2,671,434	63,286,272
Tesoro Logistics LP	1,026,024	48.356.511
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Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 60.6%)	_	, ,
United States 60.6%)	1 000 001	00.777.444
Dominion Midstream Partners, LP	1,202,231	30,777,114
Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	3,522,616	123,714,274
Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	4,502,106	116,739,609
EQT Midstream Partners, LP	911,273	66,732,522
ONEOK Partners, L.P.	2,621,417	109,575,231
Spectra Energy Partners, LP	1,481,121	62,932,831
Tallgrass Energy Partners, LP	819,012	38,362,522
N . 10 0 H . (D		548,834,103
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 44.2%) United States 44.2%)		
Antero Midstream Partners LP	725,846	20,447,082
DCP Midstream Partners, LP	1,740,466	60,272,338
EnLink Midstream Partners, LP	3,067,916	53.749.888
MPLX LP	1,538,726	50,547,149
Noble Midstream Partners LP	245,420	7.870.619
Rice Midstream Partners LP	513,608	11,068,252
Rice Midstream Partners LP <sup>(2)</sup>	1,075,330	21,904,472
Western Gas Equity Partners, LP	1.744	74,887
Western Gas Partners. LP	1,807,214	103,137,703
Williams Partners L.P.	1,933,677	70,579,211
	, , -	399,651,601
Refined Product Pipelines 18.2%)		
United States 18.2%)		
Buckeye Partners, L.P.	1,039,397	66,874,803
Holly Energy Partners, L.P.	497,961	16,064,222
Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	869,301	60,199,094
Phillips 66 Partners LP	310,784	14,025,682
Valero Energy Partners LP	187,891	7,594,554
		164,758,355
Total Master Limited Partnerships		
(Cost \$1,323,540,252)		1,482,180,047
Preferred Stock 2.3%)		
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 1.4%)		
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 1.4%) United States 1.4%)		
Targa Resources Corp., 9.500% <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	12,252	12,657,666
Oil and Gas Production 0.9%)	12,232	12,007,000
United States 0.9%)		
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation,		
7.500%, 06/07/2018	199,500	8,205,435
Total Preferred Stock	100,000	0,200,400
(Cost \$18.946.546)		20,863,101
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Warrants 0.9%)		
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.9%)		
United States 0.9%)		
Targa Resources Corp. Series A, \$18.88, 03/16/2023(2)(3)(4)	172,018	5,919,140
Targa Resources Corp. Series B, \$25.11, 03/16/2023(2)(3)(4)	82,946	2,337,418
Total Warrants		
(Cost \$1,771,155)		8,256,558
Short-Term Investment 0.1%)		
United States Investment Company 0.1%)		
Government & Agency Portfolio Institutional Class,		
0.29% <sup>(5)</sup> (Cost \$357,488)	357,488	357,488
Total Investments 167.1%)		
(Cost \$1,344,615,441)		1,511,657,194
Other Assets and Liabilities (0.5)%)		(4,583,079)
Deferred Tax Liability (17.8)%)		(161,408,048)
Credit Facility Borrowings (5.2)%)		(46,800,000)
Senior Notes (31.4)%)		(284,000,000)
Mandatory Redeemable Preferred Stock at Liquidation Value (12.2)%)		(110,000,000)
Total Net Assets Applicable to		
Common Stockholders 100.0%)	\$	904,866,067

- (1) Calculated as a percentage of net assets applicable to common stockholders.
- (2) Restricted securities have a total fair value of \$42,818,696, which represents 4.7% of net assets. See Note 6 to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (3) Securities have been valued in accordance with fair value procedures, as more fully described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- (4) Non-income producing security.
- (5) Rate indicated is the current yield as of November 30, 2016.

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **TTP Schedule of Investments**

Common Stock 86.3%)	Shares	Fair Value
Country Oil Pinglings 00 49(4)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 22.4%) Canada 6.6%)		
Inter Pipeline Ltd.	502,133	\$ 10.208.630
Pembina Pipeline Corporation	177,160	5,205,468
United States 15.8%)	177,100	3,203,400
Plains GP Holdings, L.P.	773,271	27,188,196
SemGroup Corporation	273,746	9,868,543
comarda corporation	270,710	52,470,837
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 10.1%)		
United States 10.1%)	500 000	0.704.070
EnLink Midstream, LLC	530,288	9,704,270
Targa Resources Corp.	263,723	14,053,799
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 36.1%)		23,758,069
Canada 10.1%)		
Keyera Corp.	58,564	1,683,284
TransCanada Corporation	490.727	21,999,291
United States 26.0%)		_ :,000,20 :
ONEOK. Inc.	490,833	26,961,457
Spectra Energy Corp	651,875	26,694,281
Tallgrass Energy GP, LP	297,750	7,205,550
		84,543,863
Oil and Gas Production 13.8%)		
United States 13.8%)		
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	29,700	2,053,755
Antero Resources Corporation <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	36,400	891,436
Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	115,900	2,563,708
Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc.(2)(3)	17,900	757,886
Cimarex Energy Co. <sup>(2)</sup>	16,400	2,261,232
Concho Resources Inc.(2)(3)	24,400	3,489,688
Continental Resources, Inc. (2)(3)	21,000	1,218,210
Diamondback Energy, Inc. (2)(3)	9,900	1,067,715
EOG Resources, Inc. <sup>(2)</sup>	53,000	5,433,560
EQT Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	8,300	581,664
Gulfport Energy Corporation <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	30,200	775,838
Hess Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	9,700	542,812
Laredo Petroleum, Inc.(2)(3)	53,500	855,465
Newfield Exploration Company <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	31,500	1,424,430
Noble Energy, Inc. <sup>(2)</sup>	40,700	1,553,112
Occidental Petroleum Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	7,200	513,792
PDC Energy, Inc. <sup>(2)(3)</sup> Pioneer Natural Resources Company <sup>(2)</sup>	2,946	219,330
Range Resources Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	21,100 31,800	4,030,944 1,118,724
RSP Permian, Inc. (2)(3)	24,200	1,080,530
nor remilan, inc. (=/(=/)	24,200	32,433,831
Refined Product Pipelines 3.9%)		02,400,001
United States 3.9%)		
VTTI Energy Partners LP	509,553	9,095,521
Total Common Stock	000,000	0,000,021
(Cost \$201.630.803)		202,302,121
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Master Limited Partnerships		
and Related Companies 39.0%)		

Crude Oil Pipelines 14.8%)		
United States 14.8%)		
Enbridge Energy Management, L.L.C. <sup>(4)</sup>	778,554	19,448,285
Genesis Energy L.P.	76,499	2,672,875
Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	166,915	5,499,849
Shell Midstream Partners, L.P.	34,207	943,429
Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P.	161,024	3,814,659
Tesoro Logistics LP	50,022	2,357,537
		34,736,634
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 7.6%)		
United States 7.6%)		
Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	290,907	10,216,654
Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	174,456	4,523,644
EQT Midstream Partners, LP	29,680	2,173,466
Tallgrass Energy Partners, LP	20,140	943,358
		17,857,122
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 10.7%)		
United States 10.7%)		
DCP Midstream Partners, LP	58,115	2,012,522
EnLink Midstream Partners, LP	60,432	1,058,769
MPLX LP	202,906	6,665,462
Noble Midstream Partners LP	24,185	775,613
Rice Midstream Partners LP	42,736	920,961
Rice Midstream Partners LP <sup>(5)</sup>	139,636	2,844,385
Western Gas Partners, LP	35,547	2,028,667
Williams Partners L.P.	241,855	8,827,708
		25,134,087
Refined Product Pipelines 5.9%)		-, - ,
United States 5.9%)		
Buckeye Partners, L.P.	82,172	5,286,947
Holly Energy Partners, L.P.	96,994	3,129,026
Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	35,211	2,438,362
Phillips 66 Partners LP	36,049	1,626,891
Valero Energy Partners LP	31,129	1,258,234
		13,739,460
Total Master Limited Partnerships		
and Related Companies (Cost \$87,027,042)		91,467,303
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See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.		

#### TTP Schedule of Investments (continued)

Preferred Stock 3.3%)	Shares		Fair Value
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Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.9%) United States 0.9%)			
Targa Resources Corp., 9.500% <sup>(5)(6)</sup>	2.108	\$	2,177,797
Oil and Gas Production 2.4%)	2,100		2,177,707
United States 2.4%)			
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 7.500%, 06/07/2018	39,500	)	1,624,635
Hess Corporation,			
8.000%, 02/01/2019	60,000	<u> </u>	4,024,200
Total Preferred Stock			5,648,835
(Cost \$7,007,140)			7,826,632
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Warrants 0.6%)			
Translation of the Artificial Control of the			
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.6%)		ı	
United States 0.6%)			
Targa Resources Corp. Series A, \$18.88, 03/16/2023(3)(5)(6)	29,596	5	1,018,398
Targa Resources Corp. Series B,			
\$25.11, 03/16/2023 <sup>(3)(5)(6)</sup>	14,271		402,157
Total Warrants (Cost \$304,733)			1,420,555
(0051 \$304,733)			1,420,333
Short-Term Investment 0.1%		ı	
Short-renn investment 0.1%			
United States Investment Company 0.1%)		1	
Government & Agency Portfolio Institutional Class,			
0.29% <sup>(7)</sup> (Cost \$315.641)	315,641	ı	315.641
Total Investments 129.3%)	313,041		010,041
(Cost \$296,285,359)			303,332,252
Total Value of Options Written			000,000,000
(Premiums received \$462,996) (0.6)%)			(1,458,357)
Other Assets and Liabilities (0.3)%)			(734,813)
Credit Facility Borrowings (7.1)%) Senior Notes (14.5)%)			(16,600,000)
Mandatory Redeemable Preferred Stock			(34,000,000)
at Liquidation Value (6.8)%)			(16,000,000)
Total Net Assets Applicable to			( - / / - / - /
Common Stockholders 100.0%)		\$	234,539,082

- (1) Calculated as a percentage of net assets applicable to common stockholders.
- (2) All or a portion of the security represents cover for outstanding call option contracts written.
- (3) Non-income producing security.
- (4) Security distributions are paid-in-kind.
- (5) Restricted securities have a total fair value of \$6,442,737, which represents 2.7% of net assets. See Note 6 to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (6) Securities have been valued in accordance with fair value procedures, as more fully described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- (7) Rate indicated is the current yield as of November 30, 2016.
- See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **TTP Schedule of Options Written**

November 30, 2016

Call Options Written	<b>Expiration Date</b>	Strike Price	Contracts	Fair Value
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation	December 2016	\$ 66.00	297	\$ (127,710)
Antero Resources Corporation	December 2016	26.25	364	(8,772)
Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation	December 2016	23.00	1,159	(52,155)
Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc.	December 2016	39.50	179	(65,783)
Cimarex Energy Co.	December 2016	135.00	164	(103,320)
Concho Resources Inc.	December 2016	142.50	244	(116,844)
Continental Resources, Inc.	December 2016	48.00	210	(215,040)
Diamondback Energy, Inc.	December 2016	105.00	99	(55,440)
EOG Resources, Inc.	December 2016	102.00	530	(146,280)
EQT Corporation	December 2016	72.50	83	(8,029)
Gulfport Energy Corporation	December 2016	27.00	302	(14,975)
Hess Corporation	December 2016	50.00	97	(64,020)
Laredo Petroleum, Inc.	December 2016	15.25	535	(65,503)
Newfield Exploration Company	December 2016	42.00	315	(113,400)
Noble Energy, Inc.	December 2016	37.50	407	(65,934)
Occidental Petroleum Corporation	December 2016	70.00	72	(15,696)
PDC Energy, Inc.	December 2016	71.00	29	(13,831)
Pioneer Natural Resources Company	December 2016	190.00	211	(124,068)
Range Resources Corporation	December 2016	37.00	318	(26,076)
RSP Permian, Inc.	December 2016	43.50	242	(55,481)
Total Value of Call Options Written				
(Premiums received \$462,996)				\$ (1,458,357)

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **NDP Schedule of Investments**

	Shares	Fair Value
Common Stock 96.8%)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 0.0%)		
United States 0.0%)		
SemGroup Corporation	344	\$ 12,401
Oil and Gas Production 96.8%)		
The Netherlands 2.4%)		
Royal Dutch Shell plc (ADR)	114,500	5,850,950
United Kingdom 2.4%)		
BP p.l.c. (ADR)	165,500	5,794,155
United States 92.0%)		
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	265,400	18,352,410
Antero Resources Corporation <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	146,610	3,590,479
Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation <sup>(2)</sup> Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc. <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	226,700 201,800	5,014,604
Cimarex Energy Co. <sup>(2)</sup>	76,000	8,544,212 10,478,880
Concho Resources Inc. (2)(3)	98,443	14,079,318
Continental Resources, Inc. (2)(3)	157,600	9,142,376
Devon Energy Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	258,534	12,494,948
Diamondback Energy, Inc.(2)(3)	66,500	7,172,025
EOG Resources, Inc. <sup>(2)</sup>	335,400	34,385,208
EQT Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	210,085	14,722,757
Gulfport Energy Corporation <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	89,300	2,294,117
Laredo Petroleum, Inc.(3)	40	639
Newfield Exploration Company <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	202,588	9,161,029
Parsley Energy, Inc. (2)(3)	247,600	9,445,940
PDC Energy, Inc.(2)(3)	70,000	5,211,500
Pioneer Natural Resources Company <sup>(2)</sup>	163,015	31,142,386
Range Resources Corporation <sup>(2)</sup>	199,987	7,035,543
Rice Energy Inc. <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	270,700	6,591,545
RSP Permian, Inc. <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	245,300	10,952,645
SM Energy Company <sup>(2)</sup>	167,700	6,684,522
Whiting Petroleum Corporation <sup>(3)</sup>	27	330
Total Common Stool		238,142,518
Total Common Stock		220 154 010
(Cost \$237,331,008)		238,154,919
Master Limited Partnerships		
and Related Companies 30.8%)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 10.7%)		
United States 10.7%)		
Enbridge Energy Management, L.L.C. <sup>(4)</sup>	513,537	12,828,145
Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	204,532	6,739,329
Shell Midstream Partners, L.P.	51,895	1,431,264
Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P.	112,782	2,671,806
Tesoro Logistics LP	57,607	2,715,018
		26,385,562
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 6.2%)		
United States 6.2%)		
Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	152,945	5,371,428
Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	205,200	5,320,836
EQT GP Holdings, LP	8,439	208,443
EQT Midstream Partners, LP	24,303	1,779,709
Spectra Energy Partners, LP Tallgrass Energy Partners, LP	34,627 20,140	1,471,301 943,358
rangiass Energy Faithers, LF	20,140	943,358

Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 8.2%)		15,095,075
United States 8.2%)		
Antero Midstream Partners LP	75,672	2,131,680
DCP Midstream Partners, LP	155,345	5,379,597
EnLink Midstream Partners, LP	86,700	1,518,984
MPLX LP	121,726	3,998,699
Noble Midstream Partners LP	25,215	808,645
Rice Midstream Partners LP	40,357	869,693
Rice Midstream Partners LP <sup>(5)</sup>	140,671	2,865,468
Western Gas Partners, LP	17,480	997,584
Williams Partners L.P.	42,688	1,558,112
		20,128,462
Refined Product Pipelines 5.7%)		
United States 5.7%)		
Buckeye Partners, L.P.	49,673	3,195,961
Holly Energy Partners, L.P.	100,261	3,234,420
Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	59,985	4,153,961
Phillips 66 Partners LP	53,277	2,404,391
Valero Energy Partners LP	26,106	1,055,205
		14,043,938
Total Master Limited Partnerships		
and Related Companies (Cost \$69,952,289)		75,653,037

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### NDP Schedule of Investments (continued)

November 30, 2016

Preferred Stock 1.4%)	Shares		Fair Value
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.8%)			
United States 0.8%)			
Targa Resources Corp., 9.500%(5)(6)	1,997	\$	2,063,121
Oil and Gas Production 0.6%)	_		
United States 0.6%)			
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, 7.500%, 06/07/2018	36,900		1,517,697
Total Preferred Stock	30,900		1,517,097
(Cost \$3,284,383)			3,580,818
(0001 \$6,264,000)			0,000,010
Warrants 0.5%)			
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.5%) United States 0.5%)			
Targa Resources Corp. Series A, \$18.88, 03/16/2023(3)(5)(6)	28.038		964,788
Targa Resources Corp. Series B, \$25.11, 03/16/2023(3)(5)(6)	13,520		380,994
Total Warrants	·		•
(Cost \$288,687)			1,345,782
Short-Term Investment 0.1%)			
United States Investment Company 0.1%)			
Government & Agency Portfolio Institutional Class,			
0.29% <sup>(7)</sup> (Cost \$276,705)	276,705		276,705
Total Investments 129.6%)			
(Cost \$311,133,072)			319,011,261
Total Value of Options Written			(0.01.1.10.1)
(Premiums received \$2,153,562) (3.4)%)			(8,314,401)
Other Assets and Liabilities (0.3)%) Credit Facility Borrowings (25.9)%)			(808,848) (63,800,000)
Total Net Assets Applicable to			(00,000,000)
Common Stockholders 100.0%)		\$	246,088,012
Common Stockholders 100.076		φ	240,000,012

- (1) Calculated as a percentage of net assets applicable to common stockholders.
- (2) All or a portion of the security represents cover for outstanding call option contracts written.
- (3) Non-income producing security.
- (4) Security distributions are paid-in-kind.
- (5) Restricted securities have a total fair value of \$6,274,371 which represents 2.5% of net assets. See Note 6 to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (6) Securities have been valued in accordance with fair value procedures, as more fully described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- (7) Rate indicated is the current yield as of November 30, 2016.
- ADR = American Depository Receipts

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

### NDP Schedule of Options Written

November 30, 2016

Call Options Written	Expiration Date	Strike Price	Contracts	Fair Value
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation	December 2016	\$ 67.50	2,654	\$ (849,280)
Antero Resources Corporation	December 2016	27.50	1,466	(16,904)
Cabot Oil & Gas Corporation	December 2016	24.00	2,267	(34,005)
Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc.	December 2016	40.00	2,018	(615,490)
Cimarex Energy Co.	December 2016	140.00	760	(224,200)
Concho Resources Inc.	December 2016	138.50	984	(722,055)
Continental Resources, Inc.	December 2016	50.00	1,576	(1,347,480)
Devon Energy Corporation	December 2016	48.00	2,585	(517,000)
Diamondback Energy, Inc.	December 2016	107.00	665	(257,069)
EOG Resources, Inc.	December 2016	102.00	3,354	(925,704)
EQT Corporation	December 2016	74.00	2,100	(137,170)
Gulfport Energy Corporation	December 2016	28.00	893	(24,841)
Newfield Exploration Company	December 2016	43.00	2,025	(587,250)
Parsley Energy, Inc.	December 2016	38.50	2,476	(282,365)
PDC Energy, Inc.	December 2016	72.50	700	(261,689)
Pioneer Natural Resources Company	December 2016	200.00	1,630	(383,050)
Range Resources Corporation	December 2016	38.00	1,999	(129,935)
Rice Energy Inc.	December 2016	26.00	2,707	(203,025)
RSP Permian, Inc.	December 2016	45.00	2,453	(367,950)
SM Energy Company	December 2016	39.00	1,677	(427,939)
Total Value of Call Options Written				
(Premiums received \$2,153,562)				\$ (8,314,401)

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **TPZ Schedule of Investments**

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	Fillicipal		
Corporate Bonds 64.3%)	A	mount	Fair Value
Corporate Bonds 64.3%)			
Crude Oil Pipelines 6.1%)	_		
Canada 2.8%)			
Gibson Energy Inc.,			
6.750%, 07/15/2021 <sup>(2)</sup> United States 3.3%)	\$	4,500,000	\$ 4,668,750
SemGroup Corp., 7.500%,			
06/15/2021		5,450,000	5,559,000
			10,227,750
Local Distribution Companies 1.3%)			
United States 1.3%) CenterPoint Energy, Inc.,			
6.500%, 05/01/2018		2,000,000	2,121,968
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 22.2%)		_,000,000	
Canada 4.2%)			
TransCanada Corporation,		7,000,000	7.010.040
5.625%, 05/20/2075 United States 18.0%)		7,000,000	7,019,040
Cheniere Corp.,			
7.000%, 06/30/2024 <sup>(2)</sup>		4,000,000	4,260,000
Columbia Pipeline Group, Inc.,			
3.300%, 06/01/2020		2,000,000	2,028,102
Florida Gas Transmission Co., LLC, 5.450%, 07/15/2020 <sup>(2)</sup>		1,500,000	1,608,199
Kinder Morgan, Inc., 6.500%, 09/15/2020		4,000,000	4,468,520
Midcontinent Express Pipeline LLC, 6.700%, 09/15/2019 <sup>(2)</sup>		2,000,000	2,075,000
ONEOK, Inc., 4.250%, 02/01/2022	_	4,500,000	4,398,750
ONEOK, Inc.,			
7.500%, 09/01/2023 Rockies Express Pipeline, LLC,		2,000,000	2,263,760
6.000%, 01/15/2019 <sup>(2)</sup>		4,000,000	4,160,000
Ruby Pipeline, LLC, 6.000%, 04/01/2022 <sup>(2)</sup>		1,500,000	1,545,470
Southern Star Central Corp.,		1,000,000	1,545,476
5.125%, 07/15/2022 <sup>(2)</sup>		3,000,000	3,015,000
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 7.8%)			36,841,841
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 7.8%) United States 7.8%)			
Blue Racer Midstream, LLC, 6.125%, 11/15/2022 <sup>(2)</sup>		4.000.000	3,900,000
DCP Midstream LLC,			
9.750%, 03/15/2019 <sup>(2)</sup> The Williams Companies, Inc.,	_	3,000,000	3,345,000
7.875%, 09/01/2021		5,000,000	5,712,500
Oil and Gas Production 6.3%)			12,957,500
United States 6.3%)			
Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc.,		0.000.000	0.070.000
7.500%, 09/15/2020 EQT Corporation,		2,000,000	2,070,000
8.125%, 06/01/2019		2,000,000	2,253,414
Newfield Exploration Co.,			

5.625%, 07/01/2024	2,000,000	2,062,500
PDC Energy Company,		
6.125%, 09/15/2024 <sup>(2)</sup>	2,000,000	2,050,000
Range Resources Corporation, 5.000%, 03/15/2023 <sup>(2)</sup>	1,000,000	000 000
SM Energy Company,	1,000,000	960,000
6.125%, 11/15/2022	1,000,000	1,002,500
0.12570, 11/10/2022	1,000,000	10,398,414
Power/Utility 18.8%)		,
United States 18.8%)		
The AES Corporation,		
5.500%, 04/15/2025	4,000,000	3,890,000
CMS Energy Corp.,	7 407 000	2 222 222
8.750%, 06/15/2019 Dominion Resources, Inc.,	5,185,000	6,002,690
5.750%, 10/01/2054	4,000,000	4,100,000
Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc.,	4,000,000	4,100,000
6.400%, 09/15/2020 <sup>(2)</sup>	3,000,000	3,362,307
Duquesne Light Holdings, Inc.,		, ,
5.900%, 12/01/2021(2)	2,000,000	2,243,080
NRG Energy, Inc.,		
6.250%, 07/15/2022	5,000,000	5,012,500
NRG Yield Operating LLC,	0.500.000	0.404.050
5.375%, 08/15/2024 NV Energy, Inc.,	2,500,000	2,481,250
6.250%, 11/15/2020	1,000,000	1,135,818
Wisconsin Energy Group, Inc.,	1,000,000	1,100,010
6.250%, 05/15/2067	3,450,000	3,001,500
		31,229,145
Refined Product Pipelines 1.8%)		
United States 1.8%)		
HollyFrontier Corporation,	0.000.000	0.000.100
5.875%, 04/01/2016	3,000,000	3,006,168
Total Corporate Bonds (Cost \$104.188.731)		106,782,786
(003: \$104,100,701)		100,702,700

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#### TPZ Schedule of Investments (continued)

	Shares	Fair Value
Master Limited Partnerships	<b></b>	
and Related Companies 38.0%)		
Crude Oil Pipelines 13.9%)		
United States 13.9%)	450.004	<b>A</b> 11 000 171
Enbridge Energy Management, L.L.C. <sup>(3)</sup>	452,381	\$ 11,300,474
Genesis Energy, L.P. NuStar Energy L.P.	54,067 2,015	1,889,101 96,196
Plains All American Pipeline, L.P.	125,439	4,133,215
Shell Midstream Partners, L.P.	29,307	808,287
Sunoco Logistics Partners L.P.	140,506	3,328,587
Tesoro Logistics LP	34.009	1,602,844
100010 E0glotios El	04,000	23,158,704
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 9.9%)		
United States 9.9%)		
Energy Transfer Partners, L.P.	226,887	7,968,272
Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	145,712	3,778,312
EQT Midstream Partners, LP	4,770	349,307
ONEOK Partners, L.P.	95,566	3,994,659
Spectra Energy Partners, LP	8,708	370,003
N		16,460,553
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 8.7%) United States 8.7%)		
DCP Midstream Partners. LP	52.040	1,802,145
EnLink Midstream Partners, LP	22,400	392,448
MPLX LP	115.258	3,786,225
Noble Midstream Partners LP	17,176	550,834
Rice Midstream Partners LP	28,091	605,361
Rice Midstream Partners LP <sup>(2)</sup>	99,157	2,019,828
Western Gas Partners, LP	18,799	1,072,859
Williams Partners L.P.	116,067	4,236,446
		14,466,146
Refined Product Pipelines 5.5%)		
United States 5.5%)		
Buckeye Partners, L.P.	39,679	2,552,947
Holly Energy Partners, L.P.	70,096	2,261,297
Magellan Midstream Partners, L.P.	34,561	2,393,349
Phillips 66 Partners LP	24,755	1,117,193
Valero Energy Partners LP	19,193	775,781
Total Master Limited Partnerships		9,100,567
and Related Companies (Cost \$44,332,225)		63,185,970
and Helated Companies (Cost 444,002,220)		00,100,070
Common Stock 22 441)		
Common Stock 22.4%)		
2 1 21 21 1 2 1/4		
Crude Oil Pipelines 8.1%)		
United States 8.1%)	200 274	10 001 770
Plains GP Holdings, L.P. <sup>(4)</sup>	308,071	10,831,773
SemGroup Corporation	71,922	2,592,788 13,424,561
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 9.2%)		13,424,561
United States 9.2%)		
ONEOK, Inc.	126,747	6,962,213
Spectra Energy Corp	123,221	5,045,900
Tallgrass Energy GP, LP	133,814	3,238,299
g g, ,		3,233,200

		15,246,412
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 4.6%)		
United States 4.6%)		
EnLink Midstream LLC	125,234	2,291,782
Targa Resources Corp.	101,103	5,387,779
		7,679,561
Refined Product Pipelines 0.5%)		
United States 0.5%)		
VTTI Energy Partners LP	50,626	903,674
Total Common Stock		
(Cost \$29,597,237)		37,254,208

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### TPZ Schedule of Investments (continued)

Preferred Stock 4.2%)	Shares		Fair Value
Teleffed Glock 4.2 /0			
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 1.0%)			
United States 1.0%)			
Targa Resources Corp.,			
9.500%(2)(5)	1,685	\$	1,740,791
Natural Gas/Natural Gas Liquids Pipelines 1.4%)			_
United States 1.4%)			
Kinder Morgan, Inc.,			
9.750%, 10/26/2018	44,949		2,209,693
Oil and Gas Production 0.6%)			
United States 0.6%) Anadarko Petroleum Corporation,	1		
7.500%, 06/07/2018	24,400		1,003,572
Power/Utility 1.2%)	24,400		1,003,372
United States 1.2%)	1		
DTE Energy,			
6.500%, 10/01/2019	39,600		2,019,600
Total Preferred Stock			
(Cost \$6,000,057)			6,973,656
Warrants 0.7%)			
Natural Gas Gathering/Processing 0.7%)			
United States 0.7%)			
Targa Resources Corp. Series A,			
\$18.88, 03/16/2023 <sup>(2)(5)(6)</sup>	23,657		814,038
Targa Resources Corp. Series B,			221.112
\$25.11, 03/16/2023 <sup>(2)(5)(6)</sup>	11,407		321,449
Total Warrants (Cost \$243.584)			1,135,487
(0051 \$243,304)			1,133,467
Ob ant Tarres Incompany 0 4611			
Short-Term Investment 0.1%)			
United States Investment Company 0.1%)			
Government & Agency Portfolio Institutional Class,			
0.29% <sup>(7)</sup> (Cost \$141,155)	141,155		141,155
Total Investments 129.7%)			
(Cost \$184,502,989)			215,473,262
(, - ),			
Interest Rate Swap Contracts (0.1)%)			
\$23,500,000 notional net unrealized depreciatio <sup>(8)</sup>			(153,308)
Other Assets and Liabilities 0.8%)			1,352,976
Credit Facility Borrowings (30.4)%)			(50,600,000)
			, , , ,
Total Net Assets Applicable	1		
to Common Stockholders 100.0%)		\$	166,072,930
to communication stockholders 100.0 %		φ	100,072,930

<sup>(1)</sup> Calculated as a percentage of net assets applicable to common stockholders.

<sup>(2)</sup> Restricted securities have a total fair value of \$42,088,912, which represents 25.3% of net assets. See Note 6 to the financial statements for further disclosure.

- (3) Security distributions are paid-in-kind.
- (4) A portion of the security is segregated as collateral for the unrealized depreciation of interest rate swap contracts of \$153,308.
- (5) Securities have been valued in accordance with fair value procedures, as more fully described in Note 2 to the financial statements.
- (6) Non-income producing security.(7) Rate indicated is the current yield as of November 30, 2016.
- (8) See Note 11 to the financial statements for further disclosure.

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### Statements of Assets & Liabilities

November 30, 2016

		rtoise Energy rastructure	То	Tortoise MLP		
	_	Corp.		Fund, Inc.		
Assets						
Investments at fair value <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	2,580,222,084	\$	1,511,657,194		
Receivable for Adviser fee waiver		22,891				
Dividends, distributions and interest receivable from investments	_	718,600		384,315		
Current tax asset		9,470,072		830,709		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		3,288,172		1,481,644		
Total assets		2,593,721,819		1,514,353,862		
Liabilities						
Call options written, at fair value <sup>(2)</sup>						
Payable to Adviser		4,086,451		2,403,571		
Accrued directors fees and expenses		12,147		11,066		
Distribution payable to common stockholders				1,608,998		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		8,442,540		3,256,112		
Unrealized depreciation of interest rate swap contracts		365,051				
Deferred tax liability		451,741,282		161,408,048		
Credit facility borrowings		109,300,000		46,800,000		
Senior notes		442,500,000		284,000,000		
Mandatory redeemable preferred stock		165,000,000		110,000,000		
Total liabilities		1,181,447,471		609,487,795		
Net assets applicable to common stockholders	\$	1,412,274,348	\$	904,866,067		
Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders Consist of:			•			
Capital stock, \$0.001 par value per share	\$	48,980	\$	47,081		
Additional paid-in capital		970,617,966	•	640,289,329		
Undistributed (accumulated) net investment income (loss), net of income taxes		(207,215,750)		(117,622,102)		
Undistributed (accumulated) net realized gain (loss), net of income taxes		866,468,666		274,244,410		
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation), net of income taxes		(217,645,514)		107,907,349		
Net assets applicable to common stockholders	\$	1,412,274,348	\$	904,866,067		
Capital shares:				, ,		
Authorized		100,000,000		100,000,000		
Outstanding		48,980,215		47,080,789		
Net Asset Value per common share outstanding (net assets applicable		.0,000,=.0		,000,.00		
to common stock, divided by common shares outstanding)	\$	28.83	\$	19.22		
to common closes, divided by common charge catedarding,	Ψ	20.00	Ψ	10.22		
(1) Investments at cost	\$	2,057,098,073	\$	1,344,615,441		
(2) Call options written, premiums received	\$		\$			

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

	rtoise Pipeline Energy		rtoise Energy lependence		rtoise Power and Energy Infrastructure
i	Fund, Inc.		Fund, Inc.		Fund, Inc.
\$	303,332,252	\$	319,011,261	\$	215,473,262
	24,584		50,084		
i	441,849		269,160		1,932,617
	190,625		12,772		8,775
	303,989,310		319,343,277		217,414,654
	1,458,357		8,314,401		
	540,850		550,923		339,671
	10,757		10,473		10,871
_	224,151		317,462		
	616,113		262,006		237,874
'n					153,308
	16,600,000		63,800,000		50,600,000
	34,000,000				
_	16,000,000	_			
	69,450,228		73,255,265		51,341,724
\$	234,539,082	\$	246,088,012	\$	166,072,930
\$	10,016	\$_	14,516	\$_	6,951
	234,975,148		291,115,232		129,482,470
-	1,926,853		(182,319)		6,607,440
	(8,424,918)		(46,576,766)		(840,955)
Φ.	6,051,983	•	1,717,349	Φ.	30,817,024
\$	234,539,082	\$	246,088,012	\$	166,072,930
	100,000,000		100,000,000		100,000,000
	10,016,413		14,516,071		6,951,333
\$	23.42	\$	16.95	\$	23.89
Ψ	20.42	Ψ	10.33	φ	20.03
\$	296,285,359	\$	311,133,072	\$	184,502,989
\$	462,996	\$	2,153,562	\$	

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

**Statements of Operations** Year Ended November 30, 2016

	Tortoise Energy Infrastructure Tortoi		rtoise MLP	
		Corp.		Fund, Inc.
Investment Income	\$	170 600 160	Φ	100 000 500
Distributions from master limited partnerships Dividends and distributions from common stock	Ф	178,623,160 709,277	\$	106,803,586 830,323
Dividends and distributions from preferred stock		2,942,872		1,575,815
Less return of capital on distributions		(178,682,940)		(108,859,567)
Less foreign taxes withheld		(170,002,940)		(100,009,007)
Net dividends and distributions from investments		3,592,369		350,157
Interest from corporate bonds		3,392,309		330,137
Dividends from money market mutual funds		2,672		848
Total Investment Income		3,595,041		351,005
Operating Expenses		3,393,041		331,003
		00 401 107		10 454 040
Advisory fees Administrator fees		23,421,107 498,532		13,454,343 441,125
Professional fees		368,523		
Directors fees		253,501		242,426 185,001
Stockholder communication expenses		210,691 110,549		144,658 63,463
Custodian fees and expenses Fund accounting fees		90,120		77,319
Registration fees				
		68,770 26,822		46,732 11,799
Stock transfer agent fees		(199,809)		
Franchise fees, net of refund				16,305
Other operating expenses		187,846		102,182
Total Operating Expenses		25,036,652		14,785,353
Leverage Expenses		17.792.587		11 100 110
Interest expense		, - ,		11,162,446
Distributions to mandatory redeemable preferred stockholders		8,124,385		4,676,664
Amortization of debt issuance costs Premium on redemption of senior notes		2,872,343		398,455
		900,000 800,000		450,000
Premium on redemption of mandatory redeemable preferred stock		292,973		100.050
Other leverage expenses				100,350
Total Leverage Expenses		30,782,288		16,787,915 31,573,268
Total Expenses		55,818,940		
Less fees waived by Adviser		(100,067)		(55,998)
Net Expenses		55,718,873		31,517,270 (31,166,265)
Net Investment Income (Loss), before Income Taxes  Deferred tax benefit		(52,123,832)		
Net Investment Income (Loss)		14,098,723		9,451,508 (21,714,757)
		(38,025,109)		(21,/14,/5/)
Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss) on Investments and Interest Rate Swaps		100 450 055		77 017 071
Net realized gain (loss) on investments		180,456,255		77,017,271
Net realized gain on options  Net realized loss on interest rate swap settlements		(206,000)		
		(306,002)		
Net realized loss on foreign currency and translation of other assets				
and liabilities denominated in foreign currency		100 150 050		77 017 071
Net realized gain (loss), before income taxes		180,150,253		77,017,271
Current tax expense		(57,075,786)		(1,891,670)
Deferred tax expense		(5,325,881)		(25,818,494)
Income tax expense		(62,401,667)		(27,710,164)
Net realized gain (loss)		117,748,586		49,307,107
Net unrealized appreciation of investments		40,438,813		123,087,616
Net unrealized depreciation of options		100 517		
Net unrealized appreciation of interest rate swap contracts		198,517		
Net unrealized appreciation of other assets and liabilities due to foreign currency translation		40 607 000		100 007 010
Net unrealized appreciation, before income taxes		40,637,330		123,087,616
Deferred tax expense		(14,076,234)		(44,285,886)

Net unrealized appreciation	26,561,096	78,801,730
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain	144,309,682	128,108,837
Net Increase in Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders		
Resulting from Operations	\$ 106,284,573	\$ 106,394,080

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

		Tortoise Power
Tortoise Pipeline & Energy	Tortoise Energy Independence	and Energy Infrastructure
Fund, Inc.	Fund, Inc.	Fund, Inc.
,	,	,
\$ 4,969,942	\$ 3,827,178	\$ 3,908,253
9,702,290	2,133,724	2,225,825
290,532	273,283	422,023
(8,660,531)	(3,801,046)	_ (4,900,513)
(287,913)	(105,580)	
6,014,320	2,327,559	1,655,588
		6,378,062
868	1,053	774
6,015,188	2,328,612	8,034,424
2,846,232	3,005,858	1,864,278
103,599	109,404	78,596
154,584	228,907	218,370
84,300	84,701	67,999
73,524	56,170	95,583
18,476	13,348	9,244
44,957	47,417	28,874
24,553	24,591	24,566
13,425	11,825	15,101
10,423	11,023	13,101
44,990	44.721	27,665
3,408,640	3,626,942	2,430,276
0,100,010	5,025,012	_, , , , _ ,
1,476,808	782,518	643,393
686,401	762,316	043,393
93,971		
100,000		
16 600		
16,683	700 510	0.40,000
2,373,863	782,518	643,393
5,782,503	4,409,460	3,073,669
(139,486)	(273,261)	0.070.000
5,643,017	4,136,199	3,073,669
372,171	(1,807,587)	4,960,755
070 171	(1 007 507)	4 000 755
372,171	(1,807,587)	4,960,755
3,492,108	(27,321,138)	7,176,087
1,830,788	7,002,946	
		(277,797)
(3,732)	(5,010)	
5,319,164	(20,323,202)	6,898,290
-,,	(,0,0,	2,000,200
5,319,164	(20,323,202)	6,898,290
48,832,009	74,838,222	17,134,427
(1,101,540)	(6,627,411)	, , , _
	, , ,	

		204,455
1,237	1,555	
47,731,706	68,212,366	17,338,882
47,731,706	68,212,366	17,338,882
53,050,870	47,889,164	24,237,172
\$ 53,423,041	\$ 46,081,577	\$ 29,197,927

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

### **Statements of Changes in Net Assets**

	Tortoise Energy Inf Year Ended November 30,		Ye	structure Corp. ear Ended ovember 30,	Tortoise M Year Ended November 30,	Y	LP Fund, Inc. Year Ended November 30,		
		2016		2015	2016		2015		
Operations									
Net investment income (loss)	\$_	(38,025,109)	\$	(29,663,135)	\$ (21,714,757)	\$	(14,930,010)		
Net realized gain (loss)		117,748,586		239,505,914	49,307,107		74,333,232		
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)		26,561,096		(1,048,807,031)	78,801,730		(505,485,793)		
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable									
to common stockholders resulting									
from operations		106,284,573		(838,964,252)	106,394,080		(446,082,571)		
Distributions to Common Stockholders									
Net investment income									
Net realized gain									
Return of capital		(127,370,405)		(124,362,971)	(79,464,402)		(79,430,357)		
Total distributions to common stockholders		(127,370,405)		(124,362,971)	(79,464,402)		(79,430,357)		
Capital Stock Transactions									
Proceeds from issuance of common shares		04.070.044							
through shelf offerings		24,678,844							
Underwriting discounts and offering expenses		(440.770)		(7,004)	(40.040)		(4.000)		
associated with the issuance of common stock		(412,770)		(7,291)	(46,340)		(4,308)		
Issuance of common shares from reinvestment		0.004.000			4 570 000				
of distributions to stockholders		3,361,039			1,573,688				
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable									
to common stockholders from capital stock transactions		07 607 110		(7.001)	1 507 040		(4,308)		
		27,627,113		(7,291)	1,527,348		(4,308)		
Total increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to common stockholders		0.544.004		(000 004 514)	00 457 000		(505 517 000)		
Net Assets		6,541,281		(963,334,514)	28,457,026		(525,517,236)		
Beginning of year		1,405,733,067		2,369,067,581	876,409,041		1,401,926,277		
End of year		1,412,274,348	Φ	1,405,733,067	\$ 904,866,067	\$			
Undistributed (accumulated) net investment	Ψ	1,412,274,340	φ	1,403,733,007	φ 304,000,007	φ	070,409,041		
income (loss), net of income taxes,									
end of year	\$	(207,215,750)	\$	(169,190,641)	\$ (117,622,102)	\$	(95,907,345)		
Transactions in common shares	Ψ	(207,213,730)	Ψ	(103,130,041)	ψ (117,022,102)	Ψ	(95,907,545)		
Shares outstanding at beginning of year		48,016,591		48,016,591	47,000,211		47,000,211		
Shares issued through shelf offerings		849,006		40,010,001	47,000,211		47,000,211		
Shares issued through reinvestment of		040,000							
distributions		114,618			80,578				
Shares outstanding at end of year		48,980,215		48.016.591	47,080,789		47.000.211		
charge exterioring at one or your		10,000,210		10,010,001	47,000,700		11,000,211		

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

Tortoise Energy Independence Fund, Inc.

Year Ended

\$(1,385,242

(23,896,492

(54,363,201

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2015

November 30,

Year Ended

\$(1,807,587

(20,323,202

68,212,366

2016

November 30,

Tortoise Pipeline & Energy Fund, Inc.

Year Ended

\$2,163,077

15,446,400

(151,609,618)

2015

November 30,

Year Ended

2016

\$372,171

5,319,164

47,731,706

November 30,

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Year Ended

\$4,960,755

6,898,290

17,338,882

2016

November 30,

**Tortoise Power and Energy** 

Year Ended

\$6,122,553

5,399,578 (60,109,113

2015

November 30

Infrastructure Fund, Inc.

53,423,041	(134,000,141 )	46,081,577		(79,644,935	29,197,927	(48,586,982
(3,810,236 ) (12,516,517 ) (16,326,753 )	(3,400,129 ) (16,131,876 ) (19,532,005 )	(25,403,124 (25,403,124	)	, , , ,	(8,977,396 ) (1,710,279 ) (10,687,675 )	(6,309,193 (13,588,998 (19,898,191
07,000,000	(450 500 440 )	00.070.450		(4.05.0.40.0.50	40 540 050	(00,405,470
37,096,288	(153,532,146 )	20,678,453		(105,048,059	) 18,510,252	(68,485,173
197,442,794 \$ 234,539,082	350,974,940 \$ 197,442,794	225,409,559 \$ 246,088,	012	330,457,618 \$ 225,409,559	147,562,678 \$ 166,072,930	216,047,851 \$ 147,562,678
\$1,926,853	\$6,326,031	\$(182,319	)	\$2,309,980	\$6,607,440	\$4,883,298
10,016,413	10,016,413	14,516,071		14,516,071	6,951,333	6,951,333
10,016,413	10,016,413	14,516,071		14,516,071	6,951,333	6,951,333
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Tortoise Capital Advis	sors					35

#### **Statements of Cash Flows**

Year Ended November 30, 2016

		toise Energy structure	Tor	toise MLP
		Corp.		Fund, Inc.
Cash Flows From Operating Activities				
Dividends, distributions and interest received from investments	\$	181,927,645	\$	109,013,298
Purchases of long-term investments		(616,752,041)		(512,960,213)
Proceeds from sales of long-term investments		866,562,689		575,260,455
Purchases of short-term investments, net		(242,479)		(293,566)
Call options written, net	_			
Payments on interest rate swap contracts, net		(306,002)		
Interest received on securities sold, net	_			
Interest expense paid		(17,982,242)		(11,381,135)
Distributions to mandatory redeemable preferred stockholders		(8,580,655)	_	(4,447,174)
Other leverage expenses paid		(230,212)		(25,500)
Income taxes paid		(88,011,514)		(2,921,143)
Premium on redemption of senior notes		(900,000)		(450,000)
Premium on redemption of mandatory redeemable preferred stock		(800,000)		
Operating expenses paid		(25,772,646)		(14,740,020)
Net cash provided by operating activities		288,912,543		137,055,002
Cash Flows From Financing Activities				
Advances (repayments) on credit facilities, net		43,300,000		(16,000,000)
Issuance of mandatory redeemable preferred stock				45,000,000
Maturity and redemption of mandatory redeemable preferred stock		(130,000,000)		(25,000,000)
Issuance of senior notes				30,000,000
Maturity and redemption of senior notes		(102,500,000)		(94,000,000)
Debt issuance costs		(3,096)		(726,947)
Issuance of common stock		24,678,844		, , ,
Common stock issuance costs		(378,937)		(46,340)
Distributions paid to common stockholders		(124,009,354)		(76,281,715)
Net cash used in financing activities		(288,912,543)		(137,055,002)
Net change in cash		. , , -,		
Cash beginning of year				
Cash end of year	\$		\$	

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

Tortoise Pipeline & Energy Fund, Inc.	Tortoise Energy Independence Fund, Inc.	Tortoise Power and Energy Infrastructure Fund, Inc.
\$ 14,792,731	\$ 6,157,772	\$ 13,522,186
(239,321,989)	(132,001,910)	(80,791,895)
264,809,419	145,892,789	80,483,152
(14,328)	(218,993)	(11,590)
1,765,896	7,255,917	
		(277,797)
		11,333
(1,547,441)	(646,316)	(532,858)
(686,400)	(0.0,0.0)	(552,555)
(18,000)		
(10,000)		
(100,000)		
(3,277,286)	(3,353,597)	(2,414,856)
36,402,602	23,085,662	9,987,675
	2,322,22	
(300,000)	2,000,000	700,000
(20,000,000)		
(16,102,602)	(25,085,662)	(10,687,675)
(36,402,602)	(23,085,662)	(9,987,675)
\$	\$	\$

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

#### **Statements of Cash Flows** (continued)

Year Ended November 30, 2016

		ortoise Energy rastructure	То	rtoise MLP
		Corp.		Fund, Inc.
Reconciliation of net increase in net assets applicable to common stockholders				
resulting from operations to net cash provided by operating activities				
Net increase in net assets applicable to common stockholders resulting from operations	\$	106,284,573	\$	106,394,080
Adjustments to reconcile net increase in net assets applicable to common stockholders				
resulting from operations to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Purchases of long-term investments		(616,752,041)		(512,960,213)
Proceeds from sales of long-term investments		866,386,256		575,166,753
Purchases of short-term investments, net		(242,479)		(293,566)
Call options written, net				
Return of capital on distributions received		178,682,940		108,859,567
Deferred tax expense		5,303,392		60,652,872
Net unrealized appreciation		(40,637,330)		(123,087,616)
Amortization of market premium, net				
Net realized (gain) loss		(180,456,255)		(77,017,271)
Amortization of debt issuance costs		2,872,343		398,455
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
(Increase) decrease in dividends, distributions and interest receivable from investments		(350,336)		(197,274)
Increase in current tax asset		(9,470,072)		(830,709)
Decrease in receivable for investments sold		176,433		93,702
(Increase) decrease in prepaid expenses and other assets		(204,540)		11,825
Increase (decrease) in payable to Adviser, net of fees waived		(585,516)		30,669
Decrease in current tax liability		(21,465,656)		(198,764)
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses and other liabilities		(629,169)		32,492
Total adjustments		182,627,970		30,660,922
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	288,912,543	\$	137,055,002
Non-Cash Financing Activities				
Reinvestment of distributions by common stockholders in additional common shares	\$	3.361.039	\$	1,573,688
Tomosament of distributions by common stockholders in additional common states	Ψ	0,001,000	Ψ	1,070,000

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

Tortoise Pipeline & Energy			ortoise Energy dependence	Tortoise Power and Energy Infrastructure						
Fι	ınd, Inc.	Fu	ınd, Inc.	Fu	nd, Inc.					
\$	53,423,041	\$	46,081,577	\$	29,197,927					
	(239,321,989)		(132,001,910)		(80,791,895)					
П	264,809,419		145,882,673		80,483,152					
	(14,328)		(218,993)		(11,590)					
П	1.765.896		7.255.917		(11,000)					
	8,660,531		3,801,046		4,900,513					
П	-,,		.,,.		, , .					
_	(47,731,706)		(68,212,366)		(17,338,882)					
П					432,910					
	(5,319,164)		20,323,202		(7,176,087)					
	93,971									
П	117,012		28,114		165,672					
_										
			10,116							
4	(935)		(87)		(466)					
	(5,354)		3,653		11,124					
П	(73,792)		132,720		115,297					
	(17,020,439)		(22,995,915)		(19,210,252)					
\$	36,402,602	\$	23,085,662	\$	9,987,675					
	00,100,000				2,001,010					
\$		\$		\$						

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

### **TYG Financial Highlights**

	Year Ended November 30,					Year Ended ovember 30,		Year Ended lovember 30,	Year Noven		
		2016		2015		2014		2013	2		
Per Common Share Data <sup>(1)</sup>											
Net Asset Value, beginning of year	\$	29.28	\$	49.34	\$	43.36	\$	36.06	\$		
Income (Loss) from Investment Operations											
Net investment loss <sup>(2)</sup>		(0.78)		(0.62)		(0.66)		(0.73)			
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments											
and interest rate swap contracts <sup>(2)</sup>		2.94		(16.85)		9.01		10.27			
Total income (loss) from investment operations		2.16		(17.47)		8.35		9.54			
Distributions to Common Stockholders											
Return of capital		(2.62)		(2.59)		(2.38)		(2.29)			
Capital Stock Transactions											
Premiums less underwriting discounts and offering											
costs on issuance of common stock(3)	_	0.01	_	(0.00)	_	0.01	_	0.05			
Net Asset Value, end of year	\$	28.83	\$		\$	49.34	\$		\$		
Per common share market value, end of year	\$	30.63	\$		\$	46.10	\$		\$		
Total investment return based on market value <sup>(4)</sup>		26.21 %		(37.86) %		(2.54)%		33.77 %			
Supplemental Data and Ratios											
Net assets applicable to common stockholders,											
end of year (000 s)		, ,		1,405,733		2,369,068		1,245,761	\$ 1,02		
Average net assets (000 s)	\$	1,345,764	\$	1,974,038	\$	1,837,590	\$	1,167,339	\$ 98		
Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets			,								
Advisory fees		1.74 %		1.76 %		1.65 %		1.61 %			
Other operating expenses		0.12	,	0.10		0.13		0.12			
Total operating expenses, before fee waiver		1.86		1.86		1.78		1.73			
Fee waiver <sup>(5)</sup>		(0.01)	,			(0.00)		(0.00)			
Total operating expenses		1.85		1.86		1.78		1.73			
Leverage expenses		2.29		1.75		1.38		1.59			
Income tax expense (benefit) <sup>(6)</sup>		4.64		(24.50)		7.81		14.05			
Total expenses		8.78 %		(20.89)%		10.97 %		17.37 %			

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		ear Ended vember 30,			_	ear Ended vember 30,	_	ear Ended vember 30,		ear Ended vember 30,
		2016		2015		2014		2013		2012
Ratio of net investment loss to average net assets before fee waiver		(2.83)%		(1.50)%		(1.33)%		(1.78)%		(1.82)9
Ratio of net investment loss to average net assets after fee waiver		(2.82)%		(1.50)%		(1.33)%		(1.78)%		(1.81)9
Portfolio turnover rate		24.23%	_	12.94%	_	15.33%	•	13.40%	_	12.86%
Credit facility borrowings, end of year (000 s)	\$	109,300	\$	66,000	\$	162,800	\$	27,600	\$	63,400
Senior notes, end of year (000 s)	\$	442,500	\$	545,000	\$	544,400	\$	300,000	\$	194,975
Preferred stock, end of year (000 s)	\$	165,000	\$	295,000	\$	224,000	\$	80,000	\$	73,000
Per common share amount of senior notes outstanding, end of year	\$	9.03	\$	11.35	\$	11.34	\$	10.44	\$	6.89
Per common share amount of net assets, excluding senior notes, end of year	\$	37.86	\$	40.63	\$	60.68	\$	53.80	\$	42.95
Asset coverage, per \$1,000 of principal amount	•		,		,		•		•	
of senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(7)</sup>	\$	3,858	\$	3,784	\$	4,667	\$	5,047	\$	5,232
Asset coverage ratio of senior notes and										
credit facility borrowings <sup>(7)</sup>		386%		378%		467%		505%		523%
Asset coverage, per \$10 liquidation value per share										
of mandatory redeemable preferred stock(8)	\$	30	\$	26	\$	35	\$	41	\$	41
Asset coverage ratio of preferred stock <sup>(8)</sup>		297%		255 %		354%		406%		408%

- (1) Information presented relates to a share of common stock outstanding for the entire year.
- (2) The per common share data for the years ended November 30, 2015, 2014, 2013 and 2012 do not reflect the change in estimate of investment income and return of capital, for the respective year. See Note 2C to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (3) Represents the premium on the shelf offerings of \$0.02 per share, less the underwriting and offering costs of \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2016. Represents underwriting and offering costs of less than \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2015. Represents the premium on the shelf offerings of \$0.02 per share, less the underwriting and offering costs of \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2014. Represents the premium on the shelf offerings of \$0.06 per share, less the underwriting and offering costs of \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2013. Represents the premium on the shelf offerings of \$0.08 per share, less the underwriting and offering costs of \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2012.
- (4) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of the period and a sale at the closing price on the last day of the period reported (excluding brokerage commissions). The calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to TYG s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (5) Less than 0.01% for the years ended November 30, 2014 and 2013.
- (6) For the year ended November 30, 2016, TYG accrued \$57,075,786 for current income tax expense and \$5,303,392 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2015, TYG accrued \$66,785,732 for net current income tax expense and \$550,449,662 for net deferred income tax benefit. For the year ended November 30, 2014, TYG accrued \$52,981,532 for current income tax expense and \$90,477,388 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2013, TYG accrued \$23,290,478 for net current income tax expense and \$140,745,675 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2012, TYG accrued \$16,189,126 for current income tax expense and \$66,613,182 for net deferred income tax expense.
- (7) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes and credit facility borrowings outstanding at the end of the year.
- (8) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock outstanding at the end of the year.

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### **NTG Financial Highlights**

	Year Ended November 30,		Year Ended November 30,			Year Ended evember 30,		Year Ended ovember 30,	Year Novem		
		2016		2015		2014		2013		2	
Per Common Share Data <sup>(1)</sup>		10.05	•	00.00	_	00.00	_	04.50			
Net Asset Value, beginning of year	\$	18.65	\$	29.83	\$	28.00	\$	24.50	\$		
Income (Loss) from Investment Operations		(2.12)		(2.22)		(2 = 1)		(2.12)			
Net investment loss <sup>(2)</sup>	_	(0.46)		(0.32)		(0.54)		(0.42)			
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments <sup>(2)</sup>		2.72		(9.17)		4.06		5.59			
Total income (loss) from investment operations		2.26		(9.49)		3.52		5.17			
Distributions to Common Stockholders											
Return of capital	_ (1.	69 )	(1	1.69 )	(	1.69 )	(	1.67 )	(-	.66	
Capital stock transactions								,			
Premiums less underwriting discounts and offering											
costs on issuance of common stock <sup>(3)</sup>		(0.00)		(0.00)				0.00			
Net Asset Value, end of year	\$	19.22	\$	18.65	\$	29.83	\$	28.00	\$		
Per common share market value, end of year	\$	18.90	\$_	16.18	\$	27.97	\$	27.22	\$_		
Total investment return based on market value <sup>(4)</sup>		27.99 %		(37.08)%		9.08 %		16.27 %			
Supplemental Data and Ratios								,			
Net assets applicable to common stockholders,											
end of year (000 s)	\$	904,866	\$	876,409	\$	1,401,926	\$	1,315,866	\$	1,1	
Average net assets (000 s)	\$	862,527	\$	1,174,085	\$	1,404,751	\$	1,274,638	\$	1,1	
Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets											
Advisory fees		1.56 %		1.56%		1.48 %		1.38 %			
Other operating expenses		0.16		0.12		0.10		0.10			
Total operating expenses, before fee waiver		1.72		1.68		1.58		1.48			
Fee waiver		(0.01)		(0.09)		(0.16)		(0.23)			
Total operating expenses		1.71		1.59		1.42		1.25			
Leverage expenses		1.95		1.42		1.09		1.08			
Income tax expense (benefit) <sup>(5)</sup>		7.25		(21.92)		7.04		11.09			
Total expenses		10.91 %		(18.91)%		9.55 %		13.42 %			

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	Year Ended November 30, 2016		-	ear Ended vember 30, 2015	-	ear Ended vember 30, 2014		Year Ended November 30, 2013		ear Ended vember 30, 2012	
Ratio of net investment loss to average net assets before fee waiver		(2.53)%		(1.36)%		(1.97)%		(1.76)%		(1.88)9	
Ratio of net investment loss to average net assets after fee waiver Portfolio turnover rate		(2.52)% 35.47 %		(1.27)% 17.54 %		(1.81)%		(1.53)% 13.42 %		(1.60)9	
Credit facility borrowings, end of year (000 s) Senior notes, end of year (000 s)	\$ \$	46,800 284,000	\$ \$	62,800 348,000	\$ \$	68,900 348,000	\$ \$	27,200 255,000	\$ \$	23,900 255,000	
Preferred stock, end of year (000 s)  Per common share amount of senior notes outstanding,	\$	110,000	\$	90,000	\$	90,000	\$	90,000	\$	90,000	
end of year	\$	6.03	\$	7.40	\$	7.40	\$	5.43	\$	5.48	
Per common share amount of net assets, excluding senior notes, end of year	\$	25.25	\$	26.05	\$	37.23	\$	33.43	\$	29.98	
Asset coverage, per \$1,000 of principal amount of senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(6)</sup>	\$	4,068	\$	3,353	\$	4,579	\$	5,982	\$	5,412	
Asset coverage ratio of senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(6)</sup>		407 %		335 %		458 %		598 %		541 9	
Asset coverage, per \$25 liquidation value per share of mandatory redeemable preferred stock <sup>(7)</sup>	\$	76	\$	69	\$	94	\$	113	\$	102	
Asset coverage ratio of preferred stock <sup>(7)</sup>		305 %		275 %		377 %		454 %		409 9	

- (1) Information presented relates to a share of common stock outstanding for the entire year.
- (2) The per common share data for the years ended November 30, 2015, 2014, 2013 and 2012 do not reflect the change in estimate of investment income and return of capital, for the respective year. See Note 2C to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (3) Represents underwriting and offering costs of less than \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2016. Represents underwriting and offering costs of less than \$0.01 per share for the year ended November 30, 2015. Represents the premiums on the shelf offerings of less than \$0.01 per share, less the underwriter discount and offering costs of less than \$0.01 per share for the years ended November 30, 2013 and 2012.
- (4) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of the period and a sale at the closing price on the last day of the period reported (excluding brokerage commissions). This calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to NTG s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (5) For the year ended November 30, 2016, NTG accrued \$1,891,670 for current income tax expense and \$60,652,872 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2015, NTG accrued \$200,550 for current income tax expense and \$257,585,058 for net deferred income tax benefit. For the year ended November 30, 2014, NTG accrued \$581,000 for current income tax expense and \$98,329,597 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2013, NTG accrued \$141,332,523 for net deferred income tax expense. For the year ended November 30, 2012, NTG accrued \$44,677,351 for net deferred income tax expense.
- (6) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes and credit facility borrowings outstanding at the end of the year.
- (7) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock outstanding at the end of the year. See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

# **TTP Financial Highlights**

	_	ear Ended ember 30, 2016	_	ear Ended vember 30, 2015		ear Ended vember 30, 2014		ear Ended ember 30, 2013	Year Novem 2
Per Common Share Data <sup>(1)</sup>									
Net Asset Value, beginning of year	\$	19.71	\$	35.04	\$	30.33	\$	25.24	\$
Income (Loss) from Investment Operations									
Net investment income <sup>(2)</sup>		0.04		0.22		0.08		0.10	
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)(2)		5.30		(13.60)		6.26		6.62	
Total income (loss) from investment operations		5.34		(13.38)		6.34		6.72	
Distributions to Common Stockholders									
Net investment income		(0.38)		(0.34)		(0.02)		(0.57)	
Net realized gain		(1.25)		(1.61)		(1.61)		(1.03)	
Return of capital				,		, , , , ,		(0.03)	
Total distributions to common stockholders		(1.63)		(1.95)		(1.63)		(1.63)	
Net Asset Value, end of year	Ф	23.42	\$	19.71	\$	35.04	\$	30.33	\$
Per common share market value, end of year	φ	21.55	Φ	17.47	φ \$	32.50	Φ	28.11	Φ
Total investment return based on market value(3)	Ψ	34.89 %	φ	(41.19)%	φ	21.68 %	φ	23.44 %	φ
Total investment return based on market value		34.03 /6		(41.13)/6		21.00 /6		25.44 /6	
Supplemental Data and Ratios									
Net assets applicable to common stockholders,									
end of year (000 s)	\$	234,539	\$	197,443	\$	350,975	\$	303,797	\$ 2
Average net assets (000 s)	\$	192,888	\$	292,473	\$	357,486	\$	289,876	\$ 2
Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets									
Advisory fees		1.48 %		1.44 %		1.37 %		1.42 %	
Other operating expenses		0.29		0.22		0.18		0.19	
Total operating expenses, before fee waiver.		1.77		1.66		1.55		1.61	
Fee waiver		(0.07)		(0.14)		(0.19)		(0.26)	
Total operating expenses		1.70		1.52		1.36		1.35	
Leverage expenses		1.23		0.93		0.75		0.90	
Total expenses		2.93 %		2.45 %		2.11 %		2.25 %	

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	Year Ended November 30, 2016		ear Ended rember 30, 2015	Year Ended November 30, 2014		Year Ended November 30, 2013		ear Ended vember 30, 2012
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets before fee waiver		0.12%	0.60%	0.02%		0.08%		0.16%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets		0.1270	0.0070	0.0270		0.0070		0.1070
after fee waiver		0.19%	0.74%	0.21%		0.34%		0.49%
Portfolio turnover rate		90.22%	18.84%	18.45%		31.43%		34.65%
Credit facility borrowings, end of year (000 s)	\$	16,600	\$ 16,900	\$ 26,000	\$	22,200	\$	16,600
Senior notes, end of year (000 s)	\$	34,000	\$ 54,000	\$ 49,000	\$	49,000	\$	49,000
Preferred stock, end of year (000 s)	\$	16,000	\$ 16,000	\$ 16,000	\$	16,000	\$	16,000
Per common share amount of senior notes outstanding,		2.22	T 00			4.00		
end of year	\$	3.39	\$ 5.39	\$ 4.89	\$	4.89	\$	4.90
Per common share amount of net assets, excluding senior notes, end of year	\$	26.81	\$ 25.10	\$ 39.93	\$	35.22	\$	30.14
Asset coverage, per \$1,000 of principal amount of								
senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(4)</sup>	\$	5,951	\$ 4,010	\$ 5,893	\$	5,492	\$	5,093
Asset coverage ratio of senior notes and								
credit facility borrowings <sup>(4)</sup>		595%	401%	589%		549%		509%
Asset coverage, per \$25 liquidation value per share								
of mandatory redeemable preferred stock <sup>(5)</sup>	\$	113	\$ 82	\$ 121	\$	112	\$	102
Asset coverage ratio of preferred stock <sup>(5)</sup>		452%	327%	486%		448%		409%

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- (2) The per common share data for the years ended November 30, 2015, 2014, 2013 and 2012 do not reflect the change in estimate of investment income and return of capital, for the respective year. See Note 2C to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (3) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of the year and a sale at the closing price on the last day of the year reported (excluding brokerage commissions). The calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to TTP s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (4) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes and credit facility borrowings outstanding at the end of the year.
- (5) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock at the end of the year divided by senior notes, credit facility borrowings and preferred stock outstanding at the end of the year. See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.

# **NDP Financial Highlights**

Dec Comment Chara Data (2)		r Ended rember 30, 2016		ar Ended vember 30, 2015		ar Ended vember 30, 2014			Period July 31, 2 through Novembe 201	
Per Common Share Data <sup>(2)</sup>	Φ.	15.50	Φ.	00.70	Φ.	00.40	Φ.	00.70	Φ.	
Net Asset Value, beginning of period  Public offering price	\$	15.53	\$	22.76	\$	26.49	\$	22.73	\$	
Income (Loss) from Investment Operations										4
Net investment income (loss) <sup>(3)</sup>		(0.12)		(0.10)		(0.12)		0.01		
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) <sup>(3)</sup>		3.29		(5.38)		(1.86)		5.50		
		3.29		(5.48)		(1.00)		5.50		
Total income (loss) from investment operations Distributions to Common Stockholders		3.17		(5.46)		(1.96)		5.51		
Net investment income <sup>(4)</sup>				(0.00)		(0.00)		(0.27)		
Net realized gain				(0.00)		(1.66)		(1.42)		
Return of capital		(1.75)		(1.75)		(0.09)		(0.06)		
Total distributions to common stockholders		(1.75)		(1.75)		(1.75)		(1.75)		
Underwriting discounts and offering costs on issuance		(1.73)		(1.73)		(1.73)		(1.73)		
of common stock <sup>(5)</sup>										
Net Asset Value, end of period	\$	16.95	\$	15.53	\$	22.76	\$	26.49	\$	- 2
Per common share market value, end of period	\$	15.85	\$	13.18	\$	21.29	\$	24.08	\$	2
Total investment return based on market value <sup>(6)(7)</sup>		36.27 %	•	(31.05)%	Ψ	(5.16)%	•	15.83 %		
Supplemental Data and Ratios										
Net assets applicable to common stockholders,										
end of period (000 s)	\$	246,088	\$	225,410	\$	330,458	\$	384,471	\$	329
Average net assets (000 s)	\$	212,528	\$	288,672	\$	413,380	\$	366,900	\$	334
Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets <sup>(8)</sup>										
Advisory fees		1.42 %		1.33 %		1.25 %		1.25 %		
Other operating expenses	_	0.29		0.21		0.16		0.16	_	
Total operating expenses, before fee waiver		1.71		1.54		1.41		1.41		
Fee waiver	_	(0.13)		(0.13)		(0.17)		(0.17)		
Total operating expenses		1.58		1.41		1.24		1.24		
Leverage expenses	_	0.37		0.21		0.14		0.16		
Total expenses		1.95 %		1.62 %		1.38 %		1.40 %		

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Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets before fee waiver <sup>(8)</sup>	(0.98)%	(0.61)%	(0.61)%	(0.13)%		0.38 %
Ratio of net investment income (loss) to average net assets after fee waiver <sup>(8)</sup> Portfolio turnover rate <sup>(6)</sup>	(0.85)% 47.03 %	(0.48)% 15.63 %	(0.44)% 43.21 %	0.04 % 45.56 %		0.54 % 15.68 %
Credit facility borrowings, end of period (000 s) Asset coverage, per \$1,000 of principal amount of	\$ 63,800	\$ 61,800	\$ 56,200	\$ 56,300	\$	49,000
credit facility borrowings <sup>(9)</sup>	\$ 4,857	\$ 4,647	\$ 6,880	\$ 7,829	\$	7,728
Asset coverage ratio of credit facility borrowings <sup>(9)</sup>	486 %	465 %	688 %	783 %		773 %

- (1) Commencement of operations.
- (2) Information presented relates to a share of common stock outstanding for the entire period.
- (3) The per common share data for the years ended November 30, 2015, 2014 and 2013 and the period from July 31, 2012 through November 30, 2012 do not reflect the change in estimate of investment income and return of capital, for the respective year. See Note 2C to the financial statements for further disclosure.
- (4) Less than \$0.01 for the years ended November 30, 2015 and 2014.
- (5) Represents the dilution per common share from underwriting and other offering costs for the period from July 31, 2012 through November 30, 2012.
- (6) Not annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (7) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of the period (or initial public offering price) and a sale at the closing price on the last day of the period reported (excluding brokerage commissions). The calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to NDP s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (8) Annualized for periods less than one full year.
- (9) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by credit facility borrowings at the end of the period divided by credit facility borrowings outstanding at the end of the period.

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# **TPZ Financial Highlights**

	_	ear Ended ember 30, 2016		ear Ended ember 30, 2015	_	ear Ended vember 30, 2014		Year Ended vember 30, 2013	Year Novemb 20
Per Common Share Data <sup>(1)</sup>							_		
Net Asset Value, beginning of year	\$	21.23	\$	31.08	\$	28.12	\$	26.76	\$
Income (loss) from Investment Operations									
Net investment income <sup>(2)</sup>		0.71		0.88		0.81		0.76	
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)(2)		3.49		(7.87)		3.65		2.10	
Total income (loss) from investment operations		4.20		(6.99)		4.46		2.86	
Distributions to Common Stockholders				, ,					!
Net investment income		(1.29)		(0.91)		(0.90)		(0.50)	
Net realized gain		(0.25)		(1.95)		(0.60)		(1.00)	
Return of capital				, , ,		,		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Total distributions to common stockholders		(1.54)		(2.86)		(1.50)		(1.50)	
Net Asset Value, end of year	\$	23.89	\$	21.23	\$	31.08	\$	28.12	\$
Per common share market value, end of year	\$	21.43	\$	18.53	\$	26.90	\$	24.74	\$
Total investment return based on market value(3)		25.57 %		(22.54)%		14.94 %		3.80 %	
Total investment return based on net asset value <sup>(4)</sup>		22.18 %		(23.19)%		16.84 %		11.36 %	
Supplemental Data and Ratios									
Net assets applicable to common stockholders,									!
end of year (000 s)	\$	166,073	\$	147,563	\$	216,048	\$	195,484	\$ 18
Average net assets (000 s)	\$	146,274	\$	187,752	\$	208,698	\$	193,670	\$ 18
Ratio of Expenses to Average Net Assets	_		_						
Advisory fees		1.27 %		1.20 %		1.12 %		1.13 %	
Other operating expenses		0.39		0.31		0.26		0.26	
Total operating expenses, before fee waiver		1.66		1.51		1.38		1.39	
Fee waiver				(0.01)		(0.07)		(0.12)	
Total operating expenses		1.66		1.50		1.31		1.27	
Leverage expenses		0.44		0.26		0.19		0.25	
Total expenses		2.10 %		1.76 %		1.50 %		1.52 %	

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Ratio of net investment income to average net assets	Year Ended November 30, 2016		Year Ended November 30, 2015		Nove	r Ended mber 30, 2014	 ear Ended vember 30, 2013	Noven	r Ended nber 30, 2012
before fee waiver		3.39%		3.25%		2.62%	2.62%		2.64%
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets after fee waiver  Portfolio turnover rate		3.39% 40.61%		3.26% 30.99%		2.69% 18.39%	2.74% 12.21%		2.76% 13.67%
Credit facility borrowings, end of year (000 s) Senior notes, end of year (000 s)	\$	50,600	\$	49,900	\$	42,400	\$ 37,400	\$ \$	16,400 20,000
Per common share amount of senior notes outstanding, end of year								\$	2.88
Per common share amount of net assets, excluding senior notes, end of year	\$	23.89	\$	21.23	\$	31.08	\$ 28.12	\$	29.64
Asset coverage, per \$1,000 of principal amount of senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(5)</sup>	\$	4,282	\$	3,957	\$	6,095	\$ 6,227	\$	6,111
Asset coverage ratio of senior notes and credit facility borrowings <sup>(5)</sup>		428%		396%		610%	623%		611%

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- (3) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of the year and a sale at the closing price on the last day of the year reported (excluding brokerage commissions). The calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to TPZ s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (4) Total investment return is calculated assuming a purchase of common stock at the beginning of year and a sale at net asset value on the last day of the year reported. The calculation also assumes reinvestment of distributions at actual prices pursuant to TPZ s dividend reinvestment plan.
- (5) Represents value of total assets less all liabilities and indebtedness not represented by senior notes and credit facility borrowings at the end of the year divided by senior notes and credit facility borrowings outstanding at the end of the year.

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#### **Notes to Financial Statements**

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#### 1. General Organization

This report covers the following companies, each of which is listed on the New York Stock Exchange ( NYSE ): Tortoise Energy Infrastructure Corp. ( TYG ), Tortoise MLP Fund, Inc. ( NTG ), Tortoise Pipeline & Energy Fund, Inc. ( TTP ), Tortoise Energy Independence Fund, Inc. ( NDP ), and Tortoise Power and Energy Infrastructure Fund, Inc. ( TPZ ). These companies are individually referred to as a Fund or by their respective NYSE symbols, or collectively as the Funds, and each is a non-diversified, closed-end management investment company under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act ). Each of TYG, NTG, TTP and NDP has a primary investment objective to seek a high level of total return with an emphasis on current distributions. TPZ has a primary investment objective to provide a high level of current income, with a secondary objective of capital appreciation.

#### 2. Significant Accounting Policies

The Funds follow accounting and reporting guidance applicable to investment companies under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ( GAAP ).

#### A. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements, and the amount of income and expenses during the period reported. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### **B. Security Valuation**

In general, and where applicable, the Funds use readily available market quotations based upon the last updated sales price from the principal market to determine fair value. The Funds primarily own securities that are listed on a securities exchange or are traded in the over-the-counter market. The Funds value those securities at their last sale price on that exchange or over-the-counter market on the valuation date. If the security is listed on more than one exchange, the Funds use the price from the exchange that it considers to be the principal exchange on which the security is traded. Securities listed on the NASDAQ are valued at the NASDAQ Official Closing Price, which may not necessarily represent the last sale price. If there has been no sale on such exchange or over-the-counter market on such day, the security is valued at the mean between the last bid price and last ask price on such day. These securities are categorized as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy as further described below.

Restricted securities are subject to statutory or contractual restrictions on their public resale, which may make it more difficult to obtain a valuation and may limit a Fund s ability to dispose of them. Investments in private placement securities and other securities for which market quotations are not readily available are valued in good faith by using fair value procedures. Such fair value procedures consider factors such as discounts to publicly traded issues, time until conversion date, securities with similar yields, quality, type of issue, coupon, duration and rating. If events occur that affect the value of a Fund s portfolio securities before the net asset value has been calculated (a significant event), the portfolio securities so affected are generally priced using fair value procedures.

An equity security of a publicly traded company acquired in a private placement transaction without registration under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the 1933 Act), is subject to restrictions on resale that can affect the security sliquidity and fair value. If such a security is convertible into publicly traded common shares, the security generally will be valued at the common share market price adjusted by a percentage discount due to the restrictions and categorized as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. To the extent that such securities are convertible or otherwise become freely tradable within a time frame that may be reasonably determined, an amortization schedule may be used to determine the discount. If the security has characteristics that are dissimilar to the class of security that trades on the open market, the security will generally be valued and categorized as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

Unobservable inputs are used to measure fair value to the extent that observable inputs are not available, thereby allowing for situations in which there is little, if any, market activity. Unobservable inputs reflect the Funds—own beliefs about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability (including assumptions about risk). Unobservable inputs are developed based on the best information available in the circumstances, which might include the Fund—sown data. The Fund—sown data are adjusted if information is reasonably available without undue cost and effort that indicates that market participants would use different assumptions. Due to the inherent uncertainty of valuations of such investments, the fair values may differ significantly from the values that would have been used had an active market existed.

Exchange-traded options are valued at the last reported sale price on any exchange on which they trade. If no sales are reported on any exchange on the measurement date, exchange-traded options are valued at the mean between the last highest bid and last lowest asked prices obtained as of the closing of the exchanges on which the option is traded. The value of Flexible Exchange Options (FLEX Options) are determined (i) by an evaluated price as determined by a third-party valuation service; or (ii) by using a quotation provided by a broker-dealer.

The Funds generally value debt securities at evaluated bid prices obtained from an independent third-party valuation service that utilizes a pricing matrix based upon yield data for securities with similar characteristics, or based on a direct written broker-dealer quotation from a dealer who has made a market in the security. Debt securities with 60 days or less to maturity at time of purchase are valued on the basis of amortized cost, which approximates market value.

Interest rate swap contracts are valued by using industry-accepted models, which discount the estimated future cash flows based on a forward rate curve and the stated terms of the interest rate swap agreement by using interest rates currently available in the market, or based on dealer quotations, if available, and are categorized as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy.

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Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of the Funds investments and financial instruments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical investments
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, market corroborated inputs, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including a Fund s own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following tables provide the fair value measurements of applicable assets and liabilities by level within the fair value hierarchy as of November 30, 2016. These assets and liabilities are measured on a recurring basis.

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Description Assets		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Investments:								
Master Limited Partnerships <sup>(a)</sup>	Φ.	2,489,296,913	4	37,261,802	\$		Ф	2,526,558,715
Preferred Stock <sup>(a)</sup>	Ψ	16,155,864	4	0 07,201,002	Ψ	22,478,411	Ψ	38,634,275
Warrants <sup>(a)</sup>		10,100,004				14,662,641		14,662,641
Short-Term Investment <sup>(b)</sup>		366.453				14,002,041		366.453
Total Assets	\$	2,505,819,230	\$	37,261,802	\$	37,141,052	\$	2,580,222,084
Liabilities								
Interest Rate Swap Contracts	\$		\$	365,051	\$		\$	365,051
NTG:								
Description		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Assets								
Investments:								
Master Limited Partnerships <sup>(a)</sup>	\$	1,460,275,575		3 21,904,472	\$		\$	1,482,180,047
Preferred Stock(a)	_	8,205,435				12,657,666		20,863,101
Warrants <sup>(a)</sup>		057.400				8,256,558		8,256,558
Short-Term Investment <sup>(b)</sup> Total Assets	ф	357,488	\$	01 004 470	Φ	00 014 004	\$	357,488
Total Assets	\$	1,468,838,498	—ф	21,904,472	ф	20,914,224	Ф	1,511,657,194
TTP:								
Description		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Assets								
Investments:								
Common Stock <sup>(a)</sup>	\$	202,302,121	\$		\$		\$	202,302,121
Master Limited Partnerships and Related Companies(a)		88,622,918		2,844,385				91,467,303
Preferred Stock <sup>(a)</sup>		5,648,835				2,177,797		7,826,632
Warrants <sup>(a)</sup>	_					1,420,555		1,420,555
Short-Term Investment <sup>(b)</sup>		315,641						315,641
Total Assets	\$	296,889,515	\$	2,844,385	\$	3,598,352	\$	303,332,252
Liabilities								
Written Call Options	\$	1,109,139	\$	349,218	\$		\$	1,458,357
NDP:								
Description		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total

Assets				
Investments:				
Common Stock <sup>(a)</sup>	\$ 238,154,919	\$	\$	\$ 238,154,919
Master Limited Partnerships and Related Companies <sup>(a)</sup>	72,787,569	2,865,468		75,653,037
Preferred Stock <sup>(a)</sup>	1,517,697		2,063,121	3,580,818
Warrants <sup>(a)</sup>			1,345,782	1,345,782
Short-Term Investment <sup>(b)</sup>	276,705			276,705
Total Assets	\$ 312,736,890	\$ 2,865,468	\$ 3,408,903	\$ 319,011,261
Liabilities				
Written Call Options	\$ 6,184,369	\$ 2,130,032	\$	\$ 8,314,401
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TPZ:							
Description		Level 1	 Level 2 Level 3		_	Total	
Assets	H						
Investments:							
Corporate Bonds <sup>(a)</sup>	\$	;	\$ 106,782,786		\$	\$	106,782,786
Master Limited Partnerships and Related Companies <sup>(a)</sup>		61,166,142	2,019,828				63,185,970
Common Stock <sup>(a)</sup>		37,254,208					37,254,208
Preferred Stock <sup>(a)</sup>		5,232,865			1,740,791		6,973,656
Warrants <sup>(a)</sup>					1,135,487		1,135,487
Short-Term Investment <sup>(b)</sup>		141,155					141,155
Total Assets	\$	103,794,370	\$ 108,802,614	\$	2,876,278	\$	215,473,262
Liabilities							
Interest Rate Swap Contracts	\$		\$ 153,308	\$		\$	153,308

<sup>(</sup>a) All other industry classifications are identified in the Schedule of Investments.

The Funds utilize the beginning of reporting period method for determining transfers between levels. During the year ended November 30, 2016, Rice Midstream Partners LP common units held by TYG, NTG, TTP, NDP, and TPZ in the amount of \$10,725,914, \$5,680,382, \$558,987, \$527,870, and \$367,430, respectively, were transferred from Level 2 to Level 1 when they converted into registered and unrestricted common units of Rice Midstream Partners LP. There were no other transfers between levels for the Funds during the year ended November 30, 2016.

The following tables present each Fund s assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis using significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) for the year ended November 30, 2016:

Preferred Stock	<b>ሰ</b>	TYG	ď	NTG	•	TTP	Φ.	NDP	Φ	TPZ
Balance beginning of year Purchases	\$	19,265,393	\$	10,848,405	\$	1,866,506	\$	1,768,223	\$	1,491,965
Return of capital		(1,469,872)		(827,690)		(142,407)		(134,908)		(113,831)
Sales										
Total realized gains	ш									
Change in unrealized gains		4,682,890		2,636,951		453,698		429,806		362,657
Balance end of year	\$	22,478,411	\$	12,657,666	\$	2,177,797	\$	2,063,121	\$	1,740,791
Warrants		TYG		NTG		TTP		NDP		TPZ
Balance beginning of year	\$	110	\$	·····	\$		\$	IID.	\$	
Purchases Return of capital Sales Total realized gains	Ť	3,145,347	Ť	1,771,155	Ť	304,734	*	288,687	Ť	243,585

<sup>(</sup>b) Short-term investment is a sweep investment for cash balances.