Federated Hermes MDT Balanced Fund

Portfolio of Investments

October 31, 2023 (unaudited)

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ount	COMMON STOCKS—55.6%	Value
	Communication Services—4.5%	
,207	¹ Alphabet, Inc., Class A	\$ 2,631,36
3,798	¹ Altice USA, Inc.	 242,17
9,336	¹ CarGurus, Inc.	333,1
1,112	¹ Cars.com, Inc.	 321,53
2,819	Comcast Corp., Class A	 116,39
529	Electronic Arts, Inc.	 65,48
2,733	¹ Match Group, Inc.	 94,5
5,864	¹ Meta Platforms, Inc.	 2,067,9
138	¹ Netflix, Inc.	 56,8
1,599	¹ Spotify Technology SA	 1,911,0
7,789	¹ ZoomInfo Technologies, Inc.	 360,14
,	TOTAL	8,200,60
	Consumer Discretionary—6.1%	.,, .
),239	Advance Auto Parts, Inc.	1,573,33
, 2,213	¹ Airbnb, Inc.	1,089,80
1,132	¹ Amazon.com, Inc.	1,481,55
171	¹ AutoZone, Inc.	 423,58
5,301	¹ Bright Horizons Family Solutions, Inc.	 392,59
2,961	¹ DoorDash, Inc.	 221,92
5,475	eBay, Inc.	 214,78
2,330	¹ Expedia Group, Inc.	1,174,92
2,641	Ford Motor Co.	220,75
2,227	Gap (The), Inc.	 668,50
2,813	Genuine Parts Co.	 362,4
5,297	¹ Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	 182,03
407	McDonald's Corp.	 106,70
644	Murphy USA, Inc.	 233,57
480	¹ O'Reilly Automotive, Inc.	 446,61
1,295	PVH Corp.	1,062,83
7,061	¹ Royal Caribbean Cruises, Ltd.	598,27
1,099	¹ Ulta Beauty, Inc.	419,00
2,680	¹ Under Armour, Inc., Class A	86,85
878	Wingstop, Inc.	160,47
971	Yum! Brands, Inc.	 117,35
	TOTAL	11,238,03
	Consumer Staples—3.8%	11,200,00
1,638	Albertsons Cos., Inc.	252,54
2,255	Archer-Daniels-Midland Co.	161,39
271	Coca-Cola Bottling Co.	 172,46
1,659	Colgate-Palmolive Co.	 124,62
228	Costco Wholesale Corp.	 125,9
),502	¹ Hain Celestial Group, Inc.	 226,5
5,547	Hershey Foods Corp.	 1,039,2
5,676	Kroger Co.	 1,618,62
.,010	Lamb Weston Holdings, Inc.	 223,87

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	Consumer Staples—continued	
13,059	PepsiCo, Inc.	\$ 2,132,27
4,376	Procter & Gamble Co.	
4,370 1,180	WalMart, Inc.	000,000,000,000,000,000,000,000,0
1,100	TOTAL	6,926,88
	Energy—2.3%	0,720,00
3,857	Civitas Resources, Inc.	290,93
2,715	Devon Energy Corp.	126,43
21,158	Marathon Oil Corp.	577,82
16,406	Marathon Petroleum Corp.	2,481,40
634	Valero Energy Corp.	80,51
7,194	¹ Weatherford International PLC	669,68
7,174		4,226,81
	Financials—6.5%	4,220,01
4,561	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	1,434,75
4,501 5,526	Apollo Global Management, Inc.	427,93
23,433	Bank of New York Mellon Corp.	995,90
252	¹ Berkshire Hathaway, Inc., Class B	86,01
1,512 776	Cboe Global Markets, Inc. Chubb Ltd.	247,80
		166,54
2,762	Corebridge Financial, Inc.	55,24
16,518	Fidelity National Information Services, Inc.	811,19
9,581	¹ Green Dot Corp.	107,11
5,952	Huntington Bancshares, Inc.	153,93
9,784	Interactive Brokers Group, Inc., Class A	783,40
2,882	Jackson Financial, Inc.	105,79
1,297	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	180,36
1,091	Marsh & McLennan Cos., Inc.	206,90
641	Mastercard, Inc.	241,24
367	MSCI, Inc., Class A	173,05
8,618	Northern Trust Corp.	568,01
26,932	¹ PayPal Holdings, Inc.	1,395,07
6,237	Prudential Financial, Inc.	1,484,71
3,660	State Street Corp.	236,54
8,587	The Travelers Cos., Inc.	1,437,80
12,645	Virtu Financial, Inc.	233,80
221	Visa, Inc., Class A	51,95
31,056	Western Union Co.	350,62
	TOTAL	11,935,75
	Health Care—7.4%	
12,338	AbbVie, Inc.	1,741,87
1,029	¹ Align Technology, Inc.	189,94
7,913	¹ AnaptysBio, Inc.	129,06
1,825	Baxter International, Inc.	59,18
1,842	¹ Biogen, Inc.	437,54
4,372	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	225,28
12,949	¹ Centene Corp.	893,22
5,524	¹ Community Health Systems, Inc.	33,22
3,717	CVS Health Corp.	256,51
2,423	Dentsply Sirona, Inc.	73,68
51,357	¹ Elanco Animal Health, Inc.	452,453

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	Health Care—continued	
784	Elevance Health, Inc.	\$ 352
1,870	Eli Lilly & Co.	1,035
4,291	¹ GE HealthCare Technologies, Inc.	285
16,697	Gilead Sciences, Inc.	1,311
2,468	Humana, Inc.	1,292
10,573	¹ Incyte Genomics, Inc.	570
9,300	Johnson & Johnson	1,379
851	McKesson Corp.	(,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,
10,431	Merck & Co., Inc.	
407	¹ Molina Healthcare, Inc.	13:
6,587	¹ Myriad Genetics, Inc.	10
6,280	¹ Nevro Corp.	9(
0,200 7,540	¹ Omnicell, Inc.	267
7,340 19,132	¹ Teladoc Health, Inc.	310
724	Teleflex, Inc.	13:
337	The Cigna Group	13.
337 807	¹ Vertex Pharmaceuticals, Inc.	
807	TOTAL	292
		13,622
4 0 4 0	Industrials—5.5%	2//
4,048	3M Co.	368
1,710	AGCO Corp.	19
1,571		15.
6,772	Allison Transmission Holdings, Inc.	34
5,504	Booz Allen Hamilton Holding Corp.	660
2,121	¹ Builders Firstsource, Inc.	230
2,601	Caterpillar, Inc.	587
1,257	L3Harris Technologies, Inc.	225
2,095	Lennox International, Inc.	770
343	Lockheed Martin Corp.	15
1,342	Manpower, Inc.	93
2,489	Otis Worldwide Corp.	192
9,954	Paychex, Inc.	1,10
5,915	Pentair PLC	343
17,484	Pitney Bowes, Inc.	50
592	Rockwell Automation, Inc.	15!
984	Ryder System, Inc.	9!
6,476	¹ SPX Technologies, Inc.	518
2,168	Trane Technologies PLC	412
3,184	TransUnion	139
12,099	¹ Uber Technologies, Inc.	523
11,178	¹ United Airlines Holdings, Inc.	39'
259	¹ United Rentals, Inc.	105
6,890	Verisk Analytics, Inc.	1,566
1,443	¹ Willscot Corp.	56
7,809	¹ XPO, Inc.	592
	TOTAL	10,04
	Information Technology—13.6%	
252	¹ Adobe, Inc.	134
21,293	Apple, Inc.	3,630
2,550	¹ Arista Networks, Inc.	510

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	Information Technology—continued	
2,290	¹ Box, Inc.	\$ 56
1,931	¹ Braze, Inc.	\$ 30
2,160	Broadcom, Inc.	1,817
3,897	¹ Cadence Design Systems, Inc.	934
3,677	¹ Cerence, Inc.	56
4,701	¹ Cirrus Logic, Inc.	314
17,337	Cisco Systems, Inc.	903
2,931	¹ Commvault Systems, Inc.	733
4,264	¹ Confluent, Inc.	123
4,204 5,370	¹ Crowdstrike Holdings, Inc.	949
3,370 13,280	Dell Technologies, Inc.	888
13,200	¹ DXC Technology Co.	283
14,042	¹ Enphase Energy, Inc.	904
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945	¹ F5, Inc.	143
14,151	Hewlett Packard Enterprise Co.	217
866	¹ HubSpot, Inc.	366
12,243	Microsoft Corp.	4,139
1,386	¹ MongoDB, Inc.	477
9,967	¹ Nutanix, Inc.	360
4,222	NVIDIA Corp.	1,721
742	¹ Palo Alto Networks, Inc.	180
18,478	Pegasystems, Inc.	789
18,409	¹ Pure Storage, Inc.	622
5,436	¹ Salesforce, Inc.	1,091
2,162	¹ ServiceNow, Inc.	1,257
4,307	Skyworks Solutions, Inc.	373
523	¹ Synopsys, Inc.	245
7,238	Vishay Intertechnology, Inc.	160
1,978	¹ Workday, Inc.	418
9,197	Xerox Holdings Corp.	118
7,974	¹ Zoom Video Communications, Inc.	478
	TOTAL	24,952
	Materials—1.6%	
6,207	Albemarle Corp.	786
2,792	¹ Berry Global Group, Inc.	153
254	Linde PLC	97
29,644	Newmont Corp.	1,110
1,951	Nucor Corp.	288
453	Sherwin-Williams Co.	107
2,236	Steel Dynamics, Inc.	238
4,433	United States Steel Corp.	150
	TOTAL	2,932
	Real Estate—3.0%	
14,600	American Homes 4 Rent	478
1,300	Avalonbay Communities, Inc.	215
2,000	Boston Properties, Inc.	107
6,500	Brixmor Property Group, Inc.	135
2,700	Digital Realty Trust, Inc.	335
2,750	EastGroup Properties, Inc.	448
7,700	EPR PPTYS	328

Principal Amount		Value
Allount	COMMON STOCKS—continued	Value
	Real Estate—continued	
700	Equinix, Inc.	\$ 510,748
1,600	Equity Residential Properties Trust	\$ 88,528
11,400	Invitation Homes, Inc.	
14,000	Kite Realty Group Trust	298,480
3,800	ProLogis, Inc.	
3,500	Rexford Industrial Realty, Inc.	
3,900	Ryman Hospitality Properties, Inc.	
2,000	Simon Property Group, Inc.	
1,000	Sun Communities, Inc.	
2,500	UDR, Inc.	
12,900	VICI Properties, Inc.	
7,300	Welltower, Inc.	
7,000	TOTAL	5,534,301
	Utilities—1.3%	5,554,501
9,297	Constellation Energy Corp.	1,049,817
8,546	Exelon Corp.	
32,690	Vistra Corp.	
32,070		1,069,617
		2,452,215
	TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (IDENTIFIED COST \$95,079,926)	102,068,295
	CORPORATE BONDS—10.5%	,,
	Basic Industry - Chemicals—0.0%	
10,000	DuPont de Nemours, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.319%, 11/15/2038	8,948
10,000	Basic Industry - Metals & Mining—0.1%	0,710
200,000	Anglo American Capital PLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 5.500%, 5/2/2033	181,920
15,000	Anglogold Ashanti Holdings PLC, Sr. Note, 6.500%, 4/15/2040	
10,000	TOTAL	194,910
	Capital Goods - Aerospace & Defense—0.6%	174,710
200,000	BAE Systems PLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 3.000%, 9/15/2050	115,681
200,000	Boeing Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.875%, 5/1/2025	270,242
110,000	Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series WI, 3.844%, 5/1/2025	106,496
300,000	Leidos, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series WI, 2:300%, 2/15/2031	225,749
170,000	Leidos, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series WI, 3.625%, 5/15/2025	162,978
15,000	Spirit AeroSystems, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.600%, 6/15/2028	11,882
40,000	² Textron Financial Corp., Jr. Sub. Note, 144A, 7.361% (CME Term SOFR 3 Month +1.996%), 2/15/2042	
50,000	Textron, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.000%, 3/15/2026	47,881
50,000	Textron, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.300%, 3/1/2024	49,716
	TOTAL	1,021,910
	Capital Goods - Building Materials—0.1%	
200,000	Allegion US Holdings Co., Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.200%, 10/1/2024	194,526
	Capital Goods - Construction Machinery—0.2%	
205,000	Ashtead Capital, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 5.550%, 5/30/2033	183,844
255,000	CNH Industrial Capital America LLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.550%, 4/10/2028	239,755
	TOTAL	423,599
	Capital Goods - Diversified Manufacturing—0.1%	
60,000	Lennox International, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 1.700%, 8/1/2027	51,464
175,000	Roper Technologies, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.000%, 6/30/2030	135,716
	TOTAL	187,180

Principal Amount			Value
Amount	CORPORATE BONDS—continued		Value
	Communications - Cable & Satellite—continued		
145,000	Comcast Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.800%, 1/15/2051	\$	79,30
15,000	Comcast Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.900%, 3/1/2038	¥	11,64
10,000	Comcast Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.400%, 8/15/2035		8,51
	TOTAL		342,470
	Communications - Media & Entertainment—0.0%		
30,000	Grupo Televisa S.A., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.125%, 1/31/2046		26,188
	Communications - Telecom Wireless—0.4%		
150,000	Crown Castle, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.700%, 6/15/2026		141,05
350,000	Crown Castle, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.100%, 5/1/2033		311,113
300,000	T-Mobile USA, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.050%, 7/15/2033		271,222
	TOTAL		723,387
	Communications - Telecom Wirelines—0.2%		
12,000	AT&T, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.500%, 9/15/2053		7,072
300,000	AT&T, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.650%, 6/1/2051		184,780
11,000	AT&T, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.650%, 9/15/2059		6,369
5,000	AT&T, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.500%, 5/15/2035		4,17 [.]
150,000	Telefonica Emisiones SAU, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.520%, 3/1/2049		118,417
90,000	Verizon Communications, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.150%, 3/22/2030		75,530
	TOTAL		396,339
	Consumer Cyclical - Automotive—0.2%		
175,000	General Motors Financial Co., Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.100%, 1/12/2032		133,146
10,000	General Motors Financial Co., Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.950%, 4/13/2024		9,890
175,000	General Motors Financial Co., Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.850%, 4/6/2030		165,472
10,000	Mercedes-Benz Finance NA LLC, Co. Guarantee, 8.500%, 1/18/2031		11,567
	TOTAL		320,075
	Consumer Cyclical - Retailers—0.3%		
170,000	AutoNation, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.750%, 6/1/2030		148,985
250,000	AutoZone, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.250%, 4/15/2025		240,920
250,000	WalMart, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.500%, 4/15/2053		203,154
	TOTAL		593,059
	Consumer Cyclical - Services—0.1%		
125,000	Amazon.com, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.800%, 12/5/2024		122,853
15,000	Expedia Group, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series WI, 3.250%, 2/15/2030		12,427
10,000	University of Southern California, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.250%, 10/1/2111		8,454
70,000	Visa, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.150%, 12/14/2025		66,813
15,000	Visa, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.150%, 12/14/2035		13,082
	TOTAL		223,629
	Consumer Non-Cyclical - Food/Beverage—0.5%		
30,000	Anheuser-Busch Cos LLC / Anheuser-Busch InBev Worldwide, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.700%, 2/1/2036		26,417
300,000	Constellation Brands, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.900%, 5/1/2033		271,095
300,000	Danone SA, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 2.947%, 11/2/2026		278,39
270,000	Heineken NV, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 3.500%, 1/29/2028		248,934
15,000	Kraft Heinz Foods Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.200%, 7/15/2045		12,405
	TOTAL		837,246
	Consumer Non-Cyclical - Health Care—0.2%		
15,000	CVS Health Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.100%, 3/25/2025		14,680
105,000	GE Healthcare Holding LLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.377%, 11/22/2052		101,799
300,000	HCA, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.500%, 6/1/2033		273,829
	TOTAL		390,314

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Anount	CORPORATE BONDS—continued	Tuluc
	Consumer Non-Cyclical - Pharmaceuticals—0.2%	
500,000	AbbVie, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.250%, 11/21/2049	\$ 375,531
15,000	Amgen, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.400%, 5/1/2045	11,274
10,000	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series WI, 4.125%, 6/15/2039	7,947
15,000	Johnson & Johnson, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.550%, 3/1/2036	12,283
	TOTAL	407,035
	Consumer Non-Cyclical - Tobacco—0.2%	
450,000	Philip Morris International, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.750%, 11/17/2032	430,213
	Energy - Independent—0.1%	
125,000	Cimarex Energy Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.900%, 5/15/2027	107,344
20,000	EQT Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.900%, 10/1/2027	18,422
125,000	Ovintiv, Inc., Sr. Unseed. Note, 7.100%, 7/15/2053	119,066
120,000	TOTAL	244,832
	Energy - Integrated—0.5%	
135,000	BP Capital Markets America, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.119%, 5/4/2026	127,473
300,000	BP Capital Markets America, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.937%, 9/21/2028	278,640
170,000	BP Capital Markets America, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.893%, 9/11/2033	155,692
5,000	ConocoPhillips Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.025%, 3/15/2062	133,072
270,000	Exxon Mobil Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.992%, 3/19/2025	261,255
270,000	TOTAL	826,435
	Energy - Midstream—0.4%	020,433
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125,000	Boardwalk Pipeline Partners LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.600%, 9/1/2032	99,149
115,000	Energy Transfer LP, Sr. Unseed. Note, 4.050%, 3/15/2025	111,822
75,000	Energy Transfer LP, Sr. Unseed. Note, 4.900%, 2/1/2024	74,741
20,000	Energy Transfer LP, Sr. Unseed. Note, 5.500%, 6/1/2027	19,514
10,000	Energy Transfer LP, Sr. Unseed. Note, 6.125%, 12/15/2045	8,648
170,000	Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Sr. Unseed. Note, 3.950%, 2/15/2027	160,968
20,000	Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 6.950%, 1/15/2038	19,850
40,000	MPLX LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.125%, 3/1/2027	37,578
5,000	MPLX LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.500%, 4/15/2038	3,899
190,000	ONEOK, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.100%, 11/15/2032	183,191
70,000	Targa Resources, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.200%, 2/1/2033	58,060
	TOTAL	777,420
	Energy - Refining—0.0%	
15,000	HF Sinclair Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.875%, 4/1/2026	14,796
15,000	Marathon Petroleum Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.500%, 4/1/2048	10,700
10,000	Marathon Petroleum Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.500%, 3/1/2041	9,499
15,000	Valero Energy Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.350%, 6/1/2028	14,049
	TOTAL	49,044
	Financial Institution - Banking—2.2%	
350,000	Bank of America Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.288%, 4/25/2034	316,253
300,000	Bank of America Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series GMTN, 3.500%, 4/19/2026	283,268
200,000	Bank of America Corp., Sub. Note, Series L, 3.950%, 4/21/2025	193,359
15,000	Bank of America Corp., Sub. Note, Series MTN, 4.200%, 8/26/2024	14,760
15,000	Bank of America Corp., Sub., Series MTN, 4.450%, 3/3/2026	14,368
20,000	Bank of New York Mellon, N.A., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.400%, 5/15/2024	19,732
165,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.057%, 1/25/2033	127,092
250,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.300%, 4/27/2025	240,620
170,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.400%, 5/1/2026	159,971
300,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.785%, 3/17/2033	243,643
370,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.610%, 9/29/2026	365,384

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	CORPORATE BONDS—continued	
	Financial Institution - Banking—continued	
15,000	Citigroup, Inc., Sub. Note, 4.450%, 9/29/2027	\$ 13,86
30,000	Comerica, Inc., 3.800%, 7/22/2026	27,19
75,000	Fifth Third Bancorp, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.650%, 1/25/2024	74,46
250,000	FNB Corp. (PA), Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.150%, 8/25/2025	240,13
150,000	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.250%, 2/1/2041	145,30
10,000	³ JPMorgan Chase & Co., Jr. Sub. Deb., Series X, 6.100%, 10/1/2024	9,87
25,000	³ JPMorgan Chase & Co., Jr. Sub. Note, Series FF, 5.000%, 8/1/2024	24,20
15,000	JPMorgan Chase & Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.882%, 7/24/2038	11,48
100,000	Morgan Stanley, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.943%, 1/21/2033	76,77
180,000	Morgan Stanley, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.250%, 4/21/2034	162,24
15,000	Morgan Stanley, Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series GMTN, 4.000%, 7/23/2025	14,52
240,000	PNC Financial Services Group, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.582%, 6/12/2029	229,87
300,000	State Street Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.159%, 5/18/2034	271,43
10,000	State Street Corp., Sub. Deb., 3.031%, 11/1/2034	8,26
300,000	Truist Financial Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 5.867%, 6/8/2034	273,03
300,000	US Bancorp, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.836%, 6/12/2034	276,45
250,000	US Bancorp, Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 1.375%, 7/22/2030	177,71
10,000	Wells Fargo & Co., Series MTN, 4.100%, 6/3/2026	9,44
10,000	Westpac Banking Corp., Sub., Series GMTN, 4.322%, 11/23/2031	9,23
10,000	TOTAL	4,033,95
	Financial Institution - Broker/Asset Mgr/Exchange—0.1%	1,000,70
80,000	Invesco Finance PLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.750%, 1/15/2026	76,48
70,000	Nuveen LLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 4.000%, 11/1/2028	64,54
70,000	TOTAL	141,02
	Financial Institution - Finance Companies—0.2%	141,02
150,000		149,53
-	AerCap Ireland Capital Ltd. / AerCap Global Aviation Trust, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.875%, 1/16/2024 Air Lease Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.850%, 12/15/2027	
220,000		215,08
	TOTAL	364,62
200.000	Financial Institution - Insurance - Health—0.1%	240.20
300,000	UnitedHealth Group, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.750%, 5/15/2052	240,38
400.000	Financial Institution - Insurance - Life—0.3%	050 (0
400,000	AlA Group Ltd., Sub., 144A, 3.200%, 9/16/2040	258,60
15,000	MetLife, Inc., Jr. Sub. Note, 6.400%, 12/15/2036	14,09
10,000	MetLife, Inc., Jr. Sub. Note, 10.750%, 8/1/2039	12,64
250,000	MetLife, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.600%, 4/10/2024	247,46
15,000	Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., Sr. Note, 144A, 7.625%, 6/15/2040	14,95
50,000	Prudential Financial, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 6.200%, 11/15/2040	46,42
	TOTAL	594,17
	Financial Institution - Insurance - P&C—0.0%	
10,000	Berkshire Hathaway Finance Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.200%, 8/15/2048	7,66
55,000	Nationwide Mutual Insurance Co., Sub., 144A, 4.350%, 4/30/2050	37,04
	TOTAL	44,71
	Financial Institution - REIT - Apartment—0.1%	
200,000	UDR, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 2.100%, 8/1/2032	141,55
70,000	UDR, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTN, 2.950%, 9/1/2026	64,75
	TOTAL	206,30
	Financial Institution - REIT - Healthcare—0.1%	
185,000	Welltower, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.700%, 2/15/2027	167,15
	Financial Institution - REIT - Office—0.0%	

Principal Amount		Value
	CORPORATE BONDS—continued	
	Financial Institution - REIT - Other—0.1%	
5 75,000	WP Carey, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.600%, 4/1/2024	\$ 74,42
	Financial Institution - REITs—0.0%	
60,000	Camden Property Trust, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.800%, 5/15/2030	49,64
	Midstream—0.0%	
10,000	Western Gas Partners LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.750%, 8/15/2028	9,31
	Technology—0.7%	
10,000	Apple, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.850%, 5/4/2043	 7,74
70,000	Broadcom, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 3.750%, 2/15/2051	 44,67
220,000	Broadcom, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 4.150%, 4/15/2032	 186,21
20,000	Corning, Inc., Unsecd. Note, 4.750%, 3/15/2042	 16,34
240,000	Dell International LLC / EMC Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.020%, 6/15/2026	 240,362
110,000	Fiserv, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.500%, 7/1/2029	 96,529
265,000	Intel Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.400%, 3/25/2025	 257,146
7,000	Microsoft Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.921%, 3/17/2052	 4,32
8,000	Microsoft Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.450%, 8/8/2036	 6,52
500,000	Oracle Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.250%, 11/9/2032	495,530
	TOTAL	1,355,394
	Technology Services—0.0%	
5,000	Global Payments, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.200%, 8/15/2029	4,198
	Transportation - Airlines—0.1%	
30,000	Delta Air Lines, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 2.900%, 10/28/2024	 28,830
110,000	Southwest Airlines Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.250%, 5/4/2025	108,508
	TOTAL	137,338
	Transportation - Railroads—0.1%	
225,000	Canadian Pacific Railway Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.125%, 6/1/2026	211,109
	Transportation - Services—0.2%	
15,000	Enterprise Rent-A-Car USA Finance Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 5.625%, 3/15/2042	 13,505
20,000	FedEx Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.900%, 2/1/2035	 16,137
210,000	Penske Truck Leasing Co. LP & PTL Finance Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 5.550%, 5/1/2028	 202,317
125,000	United Parcel Service, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.900%, 4/1/2025	122,080
	TOTAL	354,039
	Utility - Electric—1.2%	
200,000	Alabama Power Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.000%, 3/15/2052	 112,976
90,000	Ameren Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 1.950%, 3/15/2027	 79,695
70,000	Electricite de France SA, Note, 144A, 5.600%, 1/27/2040	 60,662
300,000	Electricite de France SA, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 144A, 4.500%, 9/21/2028	 278,673
140,000	Emera US Finance LP, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 4.750%, 6/15/2046	 97,97 <i>°</i>
170,000	EverSource Energy, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.350%, 3/15/2026	 160,199
200,000	Exelon Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.400%, 4/15/2026	 189,689
110,000	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corp., Sr. Sub. Note, 5.250%, 4/20/2046	 104,374
25,000	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corp., Sr. Unsecd. Note, Series MTNC, 8.000%, 3/1/2032	 27,66
250,000	PPL Capital Funding, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.100%, 5/15/2026	 233,860
175,000	Southern Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 3.250%, 7/1/2026	 163,630
250,000	Virginia Electric & Power Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.450%, 4/1/2053	 213,360
300,000	WEC Energy Group, Inc., Sr. Unseed. Note, 1.800%, 10/15/2030	 224,59
170,000	WEC Energy Group, Inc., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.150%, 10/1/2027	165,949
	TOTAL	2,113,291
	Utility - Natural Gas—0.3%	
445,000	National Fuel Gas Co., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.500%, 1/15/2026	 436,612

Principal Amount		Value
	CORPORATE BONDS—continued	
	Utility - Natural Gas—continued	
\$ 5,000	ransCanada PipeLines Ltd., Sr. Unsecd. Note, 6.200%, 10/15/2037	\$ 4,667
	TOTAL	441,279
	Utility - Other—0.1%	
125,000	م National Grid-SP PLC, Sr. Unsecd. Note, 5.602%, 6/12/2028	122,110
	TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS	
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$21,785,626)	19,347,473
	U.S. TREASURIES—5.0%	
	U.S. Treasury Bond—1.9%	
1,200,000	⁴ United States Treasury Bond, 2.000%, 8/15/2051	648,375
780,000	United States Treasury Bond, 2.250%, 2/15/2052	448,866
125,000	United States Treasury Bond, 3.000%, 8/15/2052	85,770
50,000	United States Treasury Bond, 3.250%, 5/15/2042	38,055
225,000	United States Treasury Bond, 3.375%, 8/15/2042	173,988
400,000	United States Treasury Bond, 3.625%, 5/15/2053	311,896
2,075,000	United States Treasury Bond, 4.125%, 8/15/2053	1,775,420
	TOTAL	3,482,370
	U.S. Treasury Note—3.1%	
250,000	United States Treasury Note, 1.250%, 12/31/2026	223,797
250,000	United States Treasury Note, 1.875%, 2/28/2027	227,084
800,000	United States Treasury Note, 2.375%, 3/31/2029	704,481
275,000	United States Treasury Note, 2.500%, 3/31/2027	254,717
400,000	United States Treasury Note, 2.750%, 7/31/2027	371,040
500,000	United States Treasury Note, 2.750%, 5/31/2029	447,690
850,000	United States Treasury Note, 2.875%, 4/30/2029	767,394
550,000	United States Treasury Note, 3.125%, 8/31/2029	500,214
175,000	United States Treasury Note, 3.875%, 8/15/2033	161,055
100,000	United States Treasury Note, 4.000%, 2/28/2030	94,976
600,000	United States Treasury Note, 4.000%, 7/31/2030	568,473
600,000	United States Treasury Note, 4.125%, 9/30/2027	584,076
820,000	United States Treasury Note, 4.125%, 7/31/2028	795,429
	TOTAL	5,700,426
	TOTAL U.S. TREASURIES	
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$10,732,805)	9,182,796
	ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES—2.8%	
	Auto Receivables—1.2%	
300,000	Ford Credit Auto Owner Trust/Ford Credit 2023-2, Class SUB, 5.920%, 2/15/2036	292,988
100,000	Navistar Financial Dealer Note Master Trust 2023-1, Class A, 6.180%, 8/25/2028	99,702
216,346	Santander Bank Auto Credit-Linked Notes 2022-B, Class D, 6.793%, 8/16/2032	213,526
300,000	Santander Drive Auto Receivables Trust 2023-1, Class C, 5.090%, 5/15/2030	293,719
250,000	Santander Drive Auto Receivables Trust 2023-3, Class C, 5.770%, 11/15/2030	246,694
225,000	SFS Auto Receivables Securitization Trust 2023-1A, Class C, 5.970%, 2/20/2031	219,873
250,000	Tesla Auto Lease Trust 2023-A, Class B, 6.410%, 7/20/2027	249,290
250,000	Toyota Auto Loan Extended Note 2023-1A, Class A, 4.930%, 6/25/2036	240,642
308,764	Toyota Auto Receivables Owner Trust 2020-B, Class A4, 1.660%, 9/15/2025	305,481
90,000	World Omni Auto Receivables Trust 2021-A, Class C, 0.890%, 8/16/2027	83,414
	TOTAL	2,245,329
	Credit Card—0.4%	
345,000	First National Master Note Trust 2023-1, Class A, 5.130%, 4/15/2029	337,813
400,000	Master Credit Card Trust 2022-2A, Class C, 2.730%, 7/21/2028	349,927
	TOTAL	687,740

Amount		Value
	ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES—continued	
	Equipment Lease—0.8%	
200,000	Dell Equipment Finance Trust 2023-2, Class C, 6.060%, 1/22/2029	\$ 197,6
200,000	DLLMT LLC 2023-1A, Class A4, 5.350%, 3/20/2031	196,2
500,000	HPEFS Equipment Trust 2022-1A, Class C, 1.960%, 5/21/2029	480,1
300,000	Kubota Credit Owner Trust 2023-2A, Class A4, 5.230%, 6/15/2028	294,7
300,000	MMAF Equipment Finance LLC 2023-A, Class A4, 5.500%, 12/13/2038	295,0
	TOTAL	1,463,9
	Other—0.3%	
450,000	PFS Financing Corp. 2020-G, Class A, 0.970%, 2/15/2026	444,3
225,000	PFS Financing Corp. 2023-B, Class A, 5.270%, 5/15/2028	221,1
	TOTAL	665,5
	Student Loans—0.1%	
194,408	Navient Student Loan Trust 2021-A, Class A, 0.840%, 5/15/2069	166,3
171,100	TOTAL ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES	100,0
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$5,403,650)	5,228,8
	COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES—0.5%	
	Commercial Mortgage—0.2%	
200,000	BMO Mortgage Trust 2023-5C1, Class A3, 6.534%, 8/15/2056	200,4
200,000	BMO Mortgage Trust 2023-C4, Class A5, 5.116%, 2/15/2056	182,3
	TOTAL	382,8
	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation—0.3%	· · · · ·
17,345	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. REMIC, Series K055, Class A1, 2.263%, 4/25/2025	16,9
235,694	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. REMIC, Series K106, Class A1, 1.783%, 10/25/2029	205,6
350,000	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. REMIC, Series K737, Class A2, 2.525%, 10/25/2026	322,60
000,000		545,1
	TOTAL COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES	545,1
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$1,027,042)	928,02
	COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS-0.4%	
	Commercial Mortgage—0.3%	
150,000	Bank 2023-BNK46, Class A4, 5.745%, 8/15/2056	142,6
190,000	Bank, Class A4, 3.488%, 11/15/2050	170,1
200,000	JPMDB Commercial Mortgage Securities Trust 2016-C4, Class A3, 3.141%, 12/15/2049	
	TOTAL	493,8
	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation—0.0%	
1,538	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. REMIC, Series 2497, Class JH, 6.000%, 9/15/2032	1,5
.,	Federal National Mortgage Association-0.0%	.,.
228	Federal National Mortgage Association REMIC, Series 2003-35, Class UC, 3.750%, 5/25/2033	2
220	Non-Agency Mortgage—0.1%	L1
16	Bear Stearns Mortgage Securities, Inc. 1997-6, Class 1A, 7.051%, 3/25/2031	
385,300	GS Mortgage-Backed Securities Trust 2023-PJ1, Class A4, 3.500%, 2/25/2053	307,8
303,300	TOTAL	307,8
		307,0
	TOTAL COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS (IDENTIFIED COST \$904,552)	803,4
	MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES—0.2%	
	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation—0.0%	
19,867	Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp., Pool G07801, 4.000%, 10/1/2044	17,7
	Federal National Mortgage Association—0.2%	
5,090	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool 357761, 5.500%, 5/1/2035	5,0
545	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool 728709, 5.500%, 7/1/2033	5
20,549	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool 932864, 4.000%, 12/1/2040	18,5
35,232	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool AB7859, 3.500%, 2/1/2043	
27,224	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool AD6938, 4.500%, 6/1/2040	25,3

Principal Amount		Value
	MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES—continued	
	Federal National Mortgage Association—continued	
12,432	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool AQ0945, 3.000%, 11/1/2042	\$ 10,49
15,369	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool AT2127, 3.000%, 4/1/2043	12,98
8,080	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool AT7861, 3.000%, 6/1/2028	7,69
14,605	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool BM4388, 4.000%, 8/1/2048	12,89
7,976	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool BM5024, 3.000%, 11/1/2048	6,52
10,525	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool BM5246, 3.500%, 11/1/2048	8,91
12,668	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool CA0833, 3.500%, 12/1/2047	10,75
9,587	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool CA4427, 3.000%, 10/1/2049	7,69
7,018	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool FM0008, 3.500%, 8/1/2049	5,93
20,824	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool FM1000, 3.000%, 4/1/2047	
9,499	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool FM1221, 3.500%, 7/1/2049	8,04
14,973	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool MA0500, 5.000%, 8/1/2040	14,40
17,880	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool MA0666, 4.500%, 3/1/2041	16,60
21,320	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool MA1430, 3.000%, 5/1/2043	17,98
20,181	Federal National Mortgage Association, Pool MA2803, 2.500%, 11/1/2031	18,45
20,101	TOTAL	256,45
	Government National Mortgage Association—0.0%	200,40
12,182	Government National Mortgage Association, Pool MA0625, 3.500%, 12/20/2042	10,67
7,787	Government National Mortgage Association, Pool MA1376, 4.000%, 12/20/2042	7,01
7,707		17,68
	TOTAL MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES	17,00
	(IDENTIFIED COST \$338,390)	291,88
	GOVERNMENT AGENCY-0.1%	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
	Federal National Mortgage Association—0.1%	
250,000	Federal National Mortgage Association Notes, 0.625%, 4/22/2025 (IDENTIFIED COST \$249,846)	233,66
	MUNICIPAL BOND—0.0%	
30,000	Texas State Transportation Commission - State Highway Fund, 5.178%, 4/1/2030 (IDENTIFIED COST \$32,709)	29,39
	EXCHANGE-TRADED FUNDS—7.7%	
40,700	iShares Core MSCI Emerging Markets ETF	1,869,75
182,000	⁵ iShares MSCI EAFE ETF	12,179,44
	TOTAL EXCHANGE-TRADED FUNDS (IDENTIFIED COST \$14,149,904)	14,049,19
	INVESTMENT COMPANIES—18.5%	
1,374	Bank Loan Core Fund	11,93
176,841	Emerging Markets Core Fund	1,340,45
3,291,902	Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares, 5.26% ⁶	3,291,90
3,211,181	Federated Hermes Institutional Prime Value Obligations Fund, Institutional Shares, 5.45% ⁶	3,211,18
339,665	High Yield Bond Core Fund	1,762,86
2,554,872	 Mortgage Core Fund	19,749,15
516,264	Project and Trade Finance Core Fund	4,527,63
	TOTAL INVESTMENT COMPANIES (IDENTIFIED COST \$37,849,461)	33,895,12
	TOTAL INVESTMENT IN SECURITIES—101.3% (IDENTIFIED COST \$187,553,911)	186,058,22
	OTHER ASSETS AND LIABILITIES - NET-(1.3)% ⁷	(2,365,19
	TOTAL NET ASSETS—100%	\$183,693,03

At October 31, 2023, the Fund had the following outstanding futures contracts:

Description	Number of Contracts	Notional Value	Expiration Date	Value and Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
Long Futures:				
United States Treasury Long Bond Long Futures	2	\$ 218,875	December 2023	\$ (21,635)
United States Treasury Notes 2-Year Long Futures	26	\$5,262,969	December 2023	\$ (18,958)
United States Treasury Notes 5-Year Long Futures	61	\$6,373,070	December 2023	\$(120,302)
United States Treasury Notes 10-Year Long Futures	13	\$1,380,234	December 2023	\$ (48,030)
United States Treasury Notes 10-Year Ultra Long Futures	15	\$1,632,422	December 2023	\$(101,802)
Short Futures:				
United States Treasury Ultra Bond Short Futures	12	\$1,350,750	December 2023	\$ 190,960
NET UNREALIZED DEPRECIATION ON FUTURES CONTRACTS				\$(119,767)

The average notional value of long and short futures contracts held by the Fund throughout the period was \$17,666,697 and \$1,579,340, respectively. This is based on the contracts held as of each month-end throughout the three-month fiscal period.

Net Unrealized Depreciation on Futures Contracts is included in "Other Assets and Liabilities—Net."

Transactions with affiliated investment companies, which are funds managed by the Adviser or an affiliate of the Adviser, during the period ended October 31, 2023, were as follows:

Affiliates		alue as of /31/2023	-	Purchases at Cost		Proceeds from Sales	U Ap	Change in Inrealized preciation/ epreciation	(Net ealized Gain/ (Loss)	-	alue as of 0/31/2023	Shares Held as of 10/31/2023	 Dividend Income
Bank Loan Core Fund	\$	11,640	\$	297	\$	—	\$	(2)	\$	_	\$	11,935	1,374	\$ 293
Emerging Markets Core Fund	\$	1,790,027	\$	31,335	\$	(382,000)	\$	(111,638)	\$	12,731	\$	1,340,455	176,841	\$ 31,236
Federated Hermes Government Obligations Fund, Premier Shares*	\$	404,597	\$5	59,141,574	\$(56,254,269)	\$	_	\$	_	\$	3,291,902	3,291,902	\$ 17,562
Federated Hermes Institutional Prime Value Obliga- tions Fund, Institutional Shares	\$	2,602,447	\$1	1,672,841	\$(11,064,305)	\$	(241)	\$	439	\$	3,211,181	3,211,181	\$ 40,662
High Yield Bond Core Fund	\$	1,929,131	\$	31,171	\$	(123,000)	\$	(70,317)	\$	(4,124)	\$	1,762,861	339,665	\$ 31,532
Mortgage Core Fund	\$2	1,650,227	\$	1,166,180	\$	(1,515,000)	\$((1,460,491)	\$(91,758)	\$	19,749,158	2,554,872	\$ 234,583
Project and Trade Finance Core Fund	\$	4,440,858	\$	76,503	\$	_	\$	10,276	\$	_	\$	4,527,637	516,264	\$ 83,134
TOTAL OF AFFILIATED TRANSACTIONS	\$3	2,828,927	\$7	2,119,901	\$(69,338,574)	\$((1,632,413)	\$(82,712)	\$3	33,895,129	10,092,099	\$ 439,002

* All or a portion of the balance/activity for the fund relates to cash collateral received on securities lending transactions.

1 Non-income-producing security.

2 Floating/variable note with current rate and current maturity or next reset date shown.

3 Perpetual Bond Security. The maturity date reflects the next call date.

- 4 All or a portion of this security is pledged as collateral to ensure the Fund is able to satisfy the obligations of its outstanding futures contracts.
- 5 All or a portion of these securities are temporarily on loan to unaffiliated broker/dealers. As of October 31, 2023, securities subject to this type of arrangement and related collateral were as follows:

Fair Value of	Collateral				
Securities Loaned	Received				
\$3,227,752	\$3,291,902				

6 7-day net yield.

7 Assets, other than investments in securities, less liabilities.

Note: The categories of investments are shown as a percentage of total net assets at October 31, 2023.

Investment Valuation

In calculating its net asset value (NAV), the Fund generally values investments as follows:

- Equity securities listed on an exchange or traded through a regulated market system are valued at their last reported sale price or official closing price in their principal exchange or market.
- Fixed-income securities are fair valued using price evaluations provided by a pricing service approved by Federated MDTA LLC (the "Adviser").

- Shares of other mutual funds or non-exchange-traded investment companies are valued based upon their reported NAVs, or NAV per share practical expedient, as applicable.
- Derivative contracts listed on exchanges are valued at their reported settlement or closing price, except that options are valued at the mean of closing bid and ask quotations.
- Over-the-counter (OTC) derivative contracts are fair valued using price evaluations provided by a pricing service approved by the Adviser.
- For securities that are fair valued in accordance with procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Adviser, certain factors may be considered, such as: the last traded or purchase price of the security, information obtained by contacting the issuer or dealers, analysis of the issuer's financial statements or other available documents, fundamental analytical data, the nature and duration of restrictions on disposition, the movement of the market in which the security is normally traded, public trading in similar securities or derivative contracts of the issuer or comparable issuers, movement of a relevant index, or other factors including but not limited to industry changes and relevant government actions.

If any price, quotation, price evaluation or other pricing source is not readily available when the NAV is calculated, if the Fund cannot obtain price evaluations from a pricing service or from more than one dealer for an investment within a reasonable period of time as set forth in the Adviser's valuation policies and procedures for the Fund, or if information furnished by a pricing service, in the opinion of the Adviser's valuation committee ("Valuation Committee"), is deemed not representative of the fair value of such security, the Fund uses the fair value of the investment determined in accordance with the procedures described below. There can be no assurance that the Fund could obtain the fair value assigned to an investment if it sold the investment at approximately the time at which the Fund determines its NAV per share, and the actual value obtained could be materially different.

Fair Valuation and Significant Events Procedures

Pursuant to Rule 2a-5 under the Investment Company Act, the Fund's Board of Trustees (the "Trustees") has designated the Adviser as the Fund's valuation designee to perform any fair value determinations for securities and other assets held by the Fund. The Adviser is subject to the Trustees' oversight and certain reporting and other requirements intended to provide the Trustees the information needed to oversee the Adviser's fair value determinations.

The Adviser, acting through its Valuation Committee, is responsible for determining the fair value of investments for which market quotations are not readily available. The Valuation Committee is comprised of officers of the Adviser and certain of the Adviser's affiliated companies and determines fair value and oversees the calculation of the NAV. The Valuation Committee is also authorized to use pricing services to provide fair value evaluations of the current value of certain investments for purposes of calculating the NAV. The Valuation Committee employs various methods for reviewing third-party pricing-service evaluations including periodic reviews of third-party pricing services' policies, procedures and valuation methods (including key inputs, methods, models and assumptions), transactional back-testing, comparisons of evaluations of different pricing services, and review of price challenges by the Adviser based on recent market activity. In the event that market quotations and price evaluations are not available for an investment, the Valuation Committee determines the fair value of the investment in accordance with procedures adopted by the Adviser. The Trustees periodically review the fair valuations made by the Valuation Committee. The Trustees have also approved the Adviser's fair valuation and significant events procedures as part of the Fund's compliance program and will review any changes made to the procedures.

Factors considered by pricing services in evaluating an investment include the yields or prices of investments of comparable quality, coupon, maturity, call rights and other potential prepayments, terms and type, reported transactions, indications as to values from dealers and general market conditions. Some pricing services provide a single price evaluation reflecting the bid-side of the market for an investment (a "bid" evaluation). Other pricing services offer both bid evaluations and price evaluations indicative of a price between the prices bid and ask for the investment (a "mid" evaluation). The Fund normally uses bid evaluations for any U.S. Treasury and Agency securities, mortgage-backed securities and municipal securities. The Fund normally uses mid evaluations for any other types of fixed-income securities and any OTC derivative contracts. In the event that market quotations and price evaluations are not available for an investment, the fair value of the investment is determined in accordance with procedures adopted by the Adviser.

The Adviser has also adopted procedures requiring an investment to be priced at its fair value whenever the Valuation Committee determines that a significant event affecting the value of the investment has occurred between the time as of which the price of the investment would otherwise be determined and the time as of which the NAV is computed. An event is considered significant if there is both an affirmative expectation that the investment's value will change in response to the event and a reasonable basis for quantifying the resulting change in value. Examples of significant events that may occur after the close of the principal market on which a security is traded, or after the time of a price evaluation provided by a pricing service or a dealer, include:

- With respect to securities traded principally in foreign markets, significant trends in U.S. equity markets or in the trading of foreign securities index futures contracts;
- Political or other developments affecting the economy or markets in which an issuer conducts its operations or its securities are traded;
- Announcements concerning matters such as acquisitions, recapitalizations, litigation developments, or a natural disaster affecting the issuer's operations or regulatory changes or market developments affecting the issuer's industry.

The Adviser has adopted procedures whereby the Valuation Committee uses a pricing service to provide factors to update the fair value of equity securities traded principally in foreign markets from the time of the close of their respective foreign stock exchanges to the pricing time of the Fund. For other significant events, the Fund may seek to obtain more current quotations or price evaluations from alternative pricing sources. If a reliable alternative pricing source is not available, the Valuation Committee will determine the fair value of the investment in accordance with the fair valuation procedures approved by the Adviser. The Trustees periodically review fair valuations made in response to significant events.

Various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund's investments. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

Level 1—quoted prices in active markets for identical securities.

Level 2—other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.). Also includes securities valued at amortized cost.

Level 3—significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments).

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

The following is a summary of the inputs used, as of October 31, 2023, in valuing the Fund's assets carried at fair value:

Valuation Inputs

	Level 1— Quoted Prices	Level 2— Other Significant Observable Inputs	Level 3— Significant Unobservable Inputs	Total	
Equity Securities:					
Common Stocks					
Domestic	\$ 97,714,766	\$ —	\$—	\$ 97,714,766	
International	4,353,529	_	_	4,353,529	
Debt Securities:					
Corporate Bonds	_	19,347,473	_	19,347,473	
U.S. Treasuries	_	9,182,796	_	9,182,796	
Asset-Backed Securities	_	5,228,895	_	5,228,895	
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	_	928,023	_	928,023	
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations	_	803,479	_	803,479	
Mortgage-Backed Securities	_	291,884	_	291,884	
Government Agencies	_	233,661	_	233,661	
Municipal Bonds	_	29,394	_	29,394	
Exchange-Traded Funds	14,049,198	_	_	14,049,198	
Investment Companies ¹	29,367,492	_	_	33,895,129	
TOTAL SECURITIES	\$145,484,985	\$36,045,605	\$—	\$186,058,227	
Other Financial Instruments: ²					
Assets	\$ 190,960	\$ —	\$—	\$ 190,960	
Liabilities	(310,727)	_	_	(310,727)	
TOTAL OTHER FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS	\$ (119,767)	\$ —	\$—	\$ (119,767)	

¹ As permitted by U.S. generally accepted accounting principles, an Investment Company valued at \$4,527,637 is measured at fair value using the NAV per share practical expedient and has not been categorized in the chart above but is included in the Total column. The price of shares redeemed of Project and Trade Finance Core Fund may be determined as of the closing NAV of the fund up to twenty-four days after receipt of a shareholder redemption request.

² Other financial instruments are futures contracts.

The following acronym(s) are used throughout this portfolio:

ETF —Exchange-Traded Fund GMTN—Global Medium Term Note MTN —Medium Term Note REIT —Real Estate Investment Trust REMIC—Real Estate Mortgage Investment Conduit SOFR —Secured Overnight Financing Rate

Portfolio holdings are shown as of the date indicated and are unaudited. Since market conditions fluctuate suddenly and frequently, the portfolio holdings may change and this list is not indicative of future portfolio composition. These portfolio holdings are not intended to be and do not constitute recommendations that others buy, sell, or hold any of the securities listed.

For more complete information on the fund, visit <u>FederatedHermes.com/us</u> for a prospectus or a summary prospectus. You should consider the fund's investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses carefully before you invest. Information about these and other important subjects is in the fund's prospectus or summary prospectus, which you should read carefully before investing.

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