# Blackstone Strategic **Credit Fund (BGB)**

### Portfolio Highlights

6.39% \$1,032M 5.33%

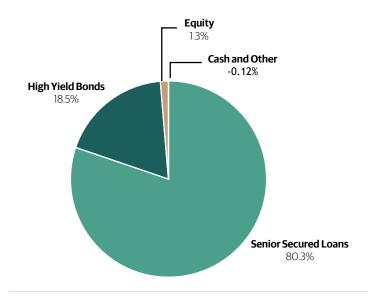
dividend yield(1)

managed assets

since inception NAV return(2)

#### Asset Allocation\*(3)

80% of investments are floating rate debt



#### Portfolio Snapshot

Ticker	BGB	
NAV / Share	\$14.52	
Price / Share	\$13.33	
Monthly Dividend <sup>(1)</sup>	\$0.071	
Dividend Yield <sup>(1)</sup>	6.39%	
Net Asset Value	\$634M	
Managed Assets	\$1,032M	
Leverage*(4)	37.2%	
Average Asset Price <sup>(5)</sup>	\$99.53	
Duration <sup>(5)(6)</sup>	O.71 yr	
Average Maturity <sup>(5)</sup>	5.2 yr	
Average All-In Rate <sup>(5)</sup>	5.28%	
Average Position Size*	0.29%	
Inception Date	9/25/2012	
Shares O/S	44,664,382	

#### Performance<sup>(2)</sup>

	3-Month Return	1-Year Return	3-Year Return	5-Year Return	ITD Return
BGB NAV	3.44%	38.12%	4.30%	8.44%	5.33%
BGB Market Price	7.97%	39.46%	3.58%	8.88%	3.72%
75% S&P / LSTA Leveraged Loan Index, 25% Bloomberg Barclays U.S. High Yield Index <sup>(7)</sup>	1.55%	21.47%	4.66%	5.89%	4.65%

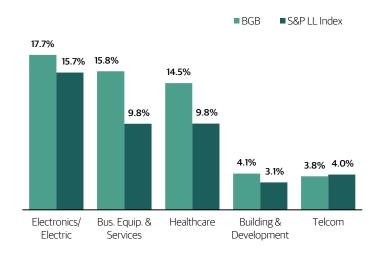
Note: An investor should consider the investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses of BGB (also, the "Fund") carefully before investing. The prospectus contains this and other information about the Fund and may be obtained at www.blackstone.com/bgb. The prospectus should be read carefully before investing.

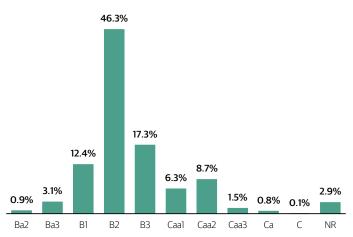
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<sup>\*</sup>As a percentage of Managed Assets. "Managed Assets" means the total assets of the Fund (including any borrowing for investment purposes) minus the sum of the Fund's accrued liabilities (other than Fund liabilities incurred for the express purpose of creating leverage).

### **Top 5 Industry Allocations\***

# Moody's Rating Distribution\*(8)





#### Top 10 Issuers\*

Issuer	Sector	Weight
Quest Software	Electronics/Electric	1.2%
Carestream Health	Healthcare	1.1%
Edelman Financial Center	Brokers, Dealers & Investment Houses	1.1%
Gigamon	Electronics/Electric	1.0%
Altice France SA	Cable & Satellite Television	0.9%
National Intergovernmental Purchasing Alliance	Business Equip & Services	0.9%
Deerfield Dakota Holding	Brokers, Dealers & Investment Houses	0.9%
Envision Healthcare	Healthcare	0.9%
Syncsort	Electronics/Electric	0.8%
Weld North Education	Business Equip & Services	0.8%
Top 10 Total		9.5%

# Portfolio Management

- Management of the Fund's portfolio reflects consensus views derived from a team of 104 professionals dedicated to liquid credit strategies
- The team has four seasoned U.S. loan portfolio managers with registered investment company experience



Robert Zable Sr. Managing Director 23 Years Experience



Daniel McMullen Sr. Managing Director 27 Years Experience



Gordon McKemie Managing Director 15 Years Experience

Fund Portfolio Manager



Robert Post Principal 10Years Experience

## **Fund Objectives**

- The Fund's primary investment objective is to seek high current income, with a secondary objective to seek preservation of capital, consistent with its primary goal of high current income. Under normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 80% of its Managed Assets in credit investments
- The Fund is a diversified, closed-end management investment company with a limited term, and, absent shareholder approval to extend the life of the Fund, the Fund will dissolve on or about September 15, 2027

### **BXC: A Leading Corporate Credit Investment Platform**

Focus on non-investment grade corporate credit

In AUM

employees

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#### **Footnotes**

- Represents annualized distribution rate using current monthly dividend of \$0.071/share and market price/share as of 3/31/21. The Fund declares a set of monthly distributions each quarter in amounts closely tied to its recent average monthly net income. As a result, BXC expects that the monthly distribution amounts for the Fund will vary quarter-to-quarter.
- Returns for periods greater than one year are annualized. BGB NAV returns assume distributions are reinvested pursuant to the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Performance data quoted represents past performance and does not guarantee future results.
- Numbers may not sum to 100.00% due to rounding. The Fund's Cash and Other represents net cash and other assets and liabilities, which includes amounts payable for investments purchased but not yet settled and amounts receivable for investments sold but not yet settled. The Fund uses funds from its leverage program to settle amounts payable for investments purchased, but such amounts are not reflected in the Fund's net cash. Therefore, the amounts payable for investments purchased but not yet settled may exceed the amount of cash on hand at period end.
- The Fund utilizes leverage as part of its investment strategy and currently has borrowings under a credit facility as well as mandatory redeemable preferred shares. The Fund's leverage under the credit facility without the use of mandatory redeemable preferred shares was 32.82% as of 3/31/21.
- Figures exclude any equity investments in the Fund.
- Loan durations are based on the actual remaining time until LIBOR is reset for each individual loan. (6)
- Since inception returns for the blended benchmark are based on the Fund's inception date of 9/25/2012.
- Source: Moody's Rating System: https://www.moodys.com/sites/products/ProductAttachments/Moody's%20Rating%20System.pdf. Rating distributions are subject to change and are not recommendations to buy or sell any security.

#### **Important Disclosure Information**

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