

WESTERN ASSET PREMIER BOND FUND  
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**UNITED STATES**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

**Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM N-Q**

**QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED**

**MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number **811-10603**

**Western Asset Premier Bond Fund**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

**620 Eighth Avenue, 49<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, NY 10018**

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

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Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (888) 777-0102

Date of fiscal year end: **December 31**

Date of reporting period: **March 31, 2016**

**ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS.**

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MARCH 31, 2016

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## Schedule of investments (unaudited)

March 31, 2016

SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
<b>CORPORATE BONDS &amp; NOTES - 97.6%</b>				
<b>CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY - 13.6%</b>				
<b>Auto Components - 0.3%</b>				
ZF North America Capital Inc., Senior Notes	4.750%	4/29/25	530,000	\$ 527,350 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Automobiles - 2.7%</b>				
Daimler Finance NA LLC, Notes	8.500%	1/18/31	1,000,000	1,532,818 <sup>(b)</sup>
Ford Motor Credit Co., LLC, Senior Notes	8.000%	12/15/16	680,000	709,872 <sup>(b)</sup>
General Motors Co., Senior Notes	6.600%	4/1/36	140,000	154,054
General Motors Co., Senior Notes	6.250%	10/2/43	1,750,000	1,869,074 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Automobiles</i>				4,265,818
<b>Hotels, Restaurants &amp; Leisure - 1.0%</b>				
CCM Merger Inc., Senior Notes	9.125%	5/1/19	570,000	589,950 <sup>(a)</sup>
Greektown Holdings LLC/Greektown Mothership Corp., Senior Secured Notes	8.875%	3/15/19	220,000	225,500 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Landry's Holdings II Inc., Senior Notes	10.250%	1/1/18	720,000	716,400 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Hotels, Restaurants &amp; Leisure</i>				1,531,850
<b>Household Durables - 0.6%</b>				
Shea Homes LP/Shea Homes Funding Corp., Senior Notes	6.125%	4/1/25	580,000	568,400 <sup>(a)</sup>
William Lyon Homes Inc., Senior Notes	8.500%	11/15/20	390,000	400,173 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Household Durables</i>				968,573
<b>Media - 8.1%</b>				
21st Century Fox America Inc., Senior Debentures	8.875%	4/26/23	400,000	536,714 <sup>(b)</sup>
CCO Safari II LLC, Senior Secured Notes	4.908%	7/23/25	1,000,000	1,054,816 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
CCO Safari II LLC, Senior Secured Notes	6.384%	10/23/35	420,000	463,663 <sup>(a)</sup>
CCO Safari II LLC, Senior Secured Notes	6.484%	10/23/45	2,130,000	2,370,106 <sup>(a)</sup>
Comcast Corp., Notes	7.050%	3/15/33	1,000,000	1,377,043 <sup>(b)</sup>
DISH DBS Corp., Senior Notes	7.875%	9/1/19	385,000	423,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
iHeartCommunications Inc., Senior Notes	14.000%	2/1/21	525,200	118,170 <sup>(c)</sup>
New Cotai LLC/New Cotai Capital Corp., Senior Secured Notes	10.625%	5/1/19	402,917	286,071 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>
Time Warner Cable Inc., Debentures	7.300%	7/1/38	720,000	844,559 <sup>(b)</sup>
Time Warner Cable Inc., Senior Notes	5.850%	5/1/17	500,000	521,217 <sup>(b)</sup>
Time Warner Inc., Senior Debentures	7.700%	5/1/32	980,000	1,258,173 <sup>(b)</sup>
Tribune Media Co., Senior Notes	5.875%	7/15/22	260,000	254,015 <sup>(a)</sup>
UPC Holding BV, Junior Secured Subordinated Notes	6.375%	9/15/22	1,820,000 <sup>EUR</sup>	2,210,769 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Viacom Inc., Senior Notes	4.375%	3/15/43	1,190,000	919,912
<i>Total Media</i>				12,638,728
<b>Specialty Retail - 0.9%</b>				
Hot Topic Inc., Senior Secured Notes	9.250%	6/15/21	270,000	270,675 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
L Brands Inc., Debentures	6.950%	3/1/33	180,000	185,400
L Brands Inc., Senior Notes	6.875%	11/1/35	450,000	488,340

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Sally Holdings LLC/Sally Capital Inc., Senior Notes	5.625%	12/1/25	420,000	447,300 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Specialty Retail</i>				<i>1,391,715</i>
<b>TOTAL CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY</b>				<b>21,324,034</b>
<b>CONSUMER STAPLES - 5.0%</b>				
<b>Beverages - 1.1%</b>				
Anheuser-Busch InBev Finance Inc., Senior Notes	4.700%	2/1/36	540,000	583,580
Anheuser-Busch InBev Finance Inc., Senior Notes	4.900%	2/1/46	1,010,000	1,128,738
<i>Total Beverages</i>				<i>1,712,318</i>
<b>Food &amp; Staples Retailing - 2.3%</b>				
CVS Pass-Through Trust, Secured Bonds	5.789%	1/10/26	413,738	456,543 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
CVS Pass-Through Trust, Secured Notes	5.880%	1/10/28	428,369	472,687 <sup>(b)</sup>
CVS Pass-Through Trust, Secured Notes	6.036%	12/10/28	429,324	480,847 <sup>(b)</sup>
CVS Pass-Through Trust, Secured Notes	6.943%	1/10/30	417,725	482,524 <sup>(b)</sup>

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<b>Food &amp; Staples Retailing - (continued)</b>				
CVS Pass-Through Trust, Secured Notes	7.507%	1/10/32	412,072	\$ 496,059 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Kroger Co., Senior Notes	6.400%	8/15/17	1,090,000	1,164,933 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Food &amp; Staples Retailing</i>				3,553,593
<b>Food Products - 1.2%</b>				
Ahold Lease USA Inc., Pass-Through Certificates	8.620%	1/2/25	686,921	819,048 <sup>(b)</sup>
WM Wrigley Jr. Co., Senior Notes	2.000%	10/20/17	1,000,000	1,004,128 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Food Products</i>				1,823,176
<b>Household Products - 0.2%</b>				
Central Garden & Pet Co., Senior Notes	6.125%	11/15/23	250,000	260,000 <sup>(b)</sup>
Kronos Acquisition Holdings Inc., Senior Notes	9.000%	8/15/23	130,000	119,600 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Household Products</i>				379,600
<b>Tobacco - 0.2%</b>				
Reynolds American Inc., Senior Notes	5.850%	8/15/45	310,000	378,560 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>TOTAL CONSUMER STAPLES</b>				7,847,247
<b>ENERGY - 16.1%</b>				
<b>Energy Equipment &amp; Services - 0.4%</b>				
CGG, Senior Notes	6.500%	6/1/21	750,000	303,750
EnSCO PLC, Senior Notes	4.700%	3/15/21	430,000	300,084
<i>Total Energy Equipment &amp; Services</i>				603,834
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels - 15.7%</b>				
Anadarko Finance Co., Senior Notes	7.500%	5/1/31	570,000	617,186 <sup>(b)</sup>
Anadarko Petroleum Corp., Senior Notes	4.500%	7/15/44	1,000,000	784,438 <sup>(b)</sup>
Apache Corp., Senior Notes	4.250%	1/15/44	250,000	210,100 <sup>(b)</sup>
Berry Petroleum Co., Senior Notes	6.375%	9/15/22	130,000	23,400
Burlington Resources Finance Co., Senior Notes	7.400%	12/1/31	450,000	509,267 <sup>(b)</sup>
Calumet Specialty Products Partners LP/Calumet Finance Corp., Senior Notes	6.500%	4/15/21	500,000	355,000 <sup>(b)(e)</sup>
Chesapeake Energy Corp., Senior Notes	6.875%	11/15/20	270,000	105,975 <sup>(b)</sup>
Chesapeake Energy Corp., Senior Notes	5.375%	6/15/21	320,000	113,600 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Resources Inc., Senior Notes	4.500%	4/15/23	500,000	418,125 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Resources Inc., Senior Notes	4.900%	6/1/44	500,000	372,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
Devon Energy Corp., Debentures	7.950%	4/15/32	310,000	315,269 <sup>(b)</sup>
Ecopetrol SA, Senior Notes	5.875%	9/18/23	55,000	54,231 <sup>(b)</sup>
Ecopetrol SA, Senior Notes	5.875%	5/28/45	2,510,000	1,975,872
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Senior Notes	4.050%	2/15/22	880,000	916,194
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Senior Notes	5.100%	2/15/45	1,000,000	970,615 <sup>(b)</sup>
EOG Resources Inc., Senior Notes	3.150%	4/1/25	2,250,000	2,183,551
Freeport-McMoran Oil & Gas LLC/FCX Oil & Gas Inc., Senior Notes	6.500%	11/15/20	579,000	463,200 <sup>(b)</sup>

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Freeport-McMoran Oil & Gas LLC/FCX Oil & Gas Inc., Senior Notes	6.875%	2/15/23	840,000	642,600
Kinder Morgan Inc., Medium-Term Notes	7.750%	1/15/32	190,000	198,738
Kinder Morgan Inc., Senior Bonds	5.550%	6/1/45	1,500,000	1,333,092 <sup>(b)</sup>
Lonestar Resources America Inc., Senior Notes	8.750%	4/15/19	180,000	106,200 <sup>(a)</sup>
Magnum Hunter Resources Corp., Senior Notes	9.750%	5/15/20	960,000	211,200 <sup>*(d)(e)</sup>
MEG Energy Corp., Senior Notes	6.500%	3/15/21	840,000	507,150 <sup>(a)</sup>
Natural Resource Partners LP/Natural Resource Partners Finance Corp., Senior Notes	9.125%	10/1/18	370,000	239,575 <sup>(b)</sup>
Noble Energy Inc., Senior Notes	5.250%	11/15/43	1,000,000	861,184 <sup>(b)</sup>
Oasis Petroleum Inc., Senior Notes	7.250%	2/1/19	370,000	282,125
Oasis Petroleum Inc., Senior Notes	6.500%	11/1/21	520,000	384,800
Oasis Petroleum Inc., Senior Notes	6.875%	1/15/23	340,000	250,750
Occidental Petroleum Corp., Senior Notes	3.500%	6/15/25	350,000	358,439
Petrobras Global Finance BV, Senior Notes	4.375%	5/20/23	1,060,000	773,482
Petrobras Global Finance BV, Senior Notes	6.750%	1/27/41	920,000	661,480
Petroleos Mexicanos	4.250%	1/15/25	1,500,000	1,389,375
Petroleos Mexicanos, Senior Notes	6.875%	8/4/26	1,210,000	1,309,825 <sup>(a)</sup>
Reliance Holdings USA Inc., Senior Notes	5.400%	2/14/22	1,000,000	1,115,853 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Reliance Holdings USA Inc., Senior Notes	5.400%	2/14/22	250,000	278,963 <sup>(f)</sup>

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<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels - (continued)</b>				
Sanchez Energy Corp., Senior Notes	6.125%	1/15/23	380,000	\$ 205,200
Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Co., LLC, Senior Notes	7.850%	2/1/26	1,000,000	1,143,718 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Whiting Petroleum Corp., Senior Notes	5.000%	3/15/19	480,000	332,400
Whiting Petroleum Corp., Senior Notes	6.250%	4/1/23	200,000	134,500
Williams Cos. Inc., Debentures	7.500%	1/15/31	443,000	359,937 <sup>(b)</sup>
Williams Cos. Inc., Senior Notes	4.550%	6/24/24	60,000	45,600
Williams Cos. Inc., Senior Notes	8.750%	3/15/32	39,000	34,710 <sup>(b)</sup>
WPX Energy Inc., Senior Notes	7.500%	8/1/20	160,000	124,800
WPX Energy Inc., Senior Notes	8.250%	8/1/23	210,000	162,750
YPF Sociedad Anonima, Senior Notes	8.500%	3/23/21	720,000	720,900 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels</i>				24,557,869
<b>TOTAL ENERGY</b>				25,161,703
<b>FINANCIALS - 26.4%</b>				
<b>Banks - 17.5%</b>				
Bank of America Corp., Senior Notes	3.750%	7/12/16	500,000	503,646 <sup>(b)</sup>
Bank of America Corp., Senior Notes	5.000%	5/13/21	1,100,000	1,220,879 <sup>(b)</sup>
Bank of America Corp., Subordinated Notes	4.250%	10/22/26	1,200,000	1,217,890 <sup>(b)</sup>
Barclays Bank PLC, Subordinated Notes	10.179%	6/12/21	610,000	775,095 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Barclays Bank PLC, Subordinated Notes	7.625%	11/21/22	2,500,000	2,687,500
BNP Paribas SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	7.375%	8/19/25	2,280,000	2,205,900 <sup>(a)(g)(h)</sup>
BPCE SA, Subordinated Notes	5.150%	7/21/24	1,000,000	1,021,426 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Capital One N.A., Senior Notes	1.500%	3/22/18	1,810,000	1,782,256 <sup>(b)</sup>
CIT Group Inc., Senior Notes	5.000%	8/15/22	250,000	252,968
Citigroup Inc., Subordinated Notes	3.500%	5/15/23	500,000	499,889 <sup>(b)</sup>
Citigroup Inc., Subordinated Notes	5.500%	9/13/25	200,000	218,862 <sup>(b)</sup>
Citigroup Inc., Subordinated Notes	6.625%	6/15/32	1,000,000	1,167,896 <sup>(b)</sup>
Cooperatieve Rabobank U.A., Subordinated Notes	5.250%	8/4/45	270,000	291,995
Credit Agricole SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	8.125%	12/23/25	1,080,000	1,077,386 <sup>(a)(b)(g)(h)</sup>
Credit Agricole SA, Subordinated Notes	4.375%	3/17/25	850,000	832,328 <sup>(a)</sup>
HBOS PLC, Subordinated Notes	6.750%	5/21/18	700,000	756,932 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
HSBC Holdings PLC, Junior Subordinated Bonds	6.375%	9/17/24	1,480,000	1,374,550 <sup>(g)(h)</sup>
JPMorgan Chase & Co., Subordinated Notes	4.950%	6/1/45	1,500,000	1,583,202 <sup>(b)</sup>
Lloyds Banking Group PLC, Subordinated Notes	4.500%	11/4/24	1,000,000	1,004,662 <sup>(b)</sup>
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, Subordinated Notes	6.100%	6/10/23	1,470,000	1,505,642
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, Subordinated Notes	6.000%	12/19/23	150,000	151,920
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, Subordinated Notes	5.125%	5/28/24	2,830,000	2,720,734
Royal Bank of Scotland NV, Subordinated Bonds	7.750%	5/15/23	140,000	151,233 <sup>(b)</sup>
Santander UK PLC, Subordinated Notes	5.000%	11/7/23	510,000	517,602 <sup>(a)</sup>
Standard Chartered PLC, Subordinated Notes	5.700%	3/26/44	2,000,000	1,800,664 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Banks</i>				27,323,057
<b>Capital Markets - 3.2%</b>				



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Credit Suisse Group Funding Guernsey Ltd., Senior Notes	4.875%	5/15/45	1,500,000	1,429,028 <sup>(b)</sup>
Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Senior Notes	6.150%	4/1/18	1,000,000	1,081,794 <sup>(b)</sup>
Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Senior Notes	5.250%	7/27/21	800,000	900,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Subordinated Notes	6.750%	10/1/37	1,000,000	1,194,436 <sup>(b)</sup>
Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Subordinated Notes	5.150%	5/22/45	450,000	457,147 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Capital Markets</i>				5,062,905
<b>Consumer Finance - 0.9%</b>				
Ally Financial Inc., Senior Notes	8.000%	3/15/20	282,000	315,840 <sup>(b)</sup>
Capital One Financial Corp., Subordinated Notes	6.150%	9/1/16	500,000	510,149 <sup>(b)</sup>
Navient Corp., Senior Notes	6.125%	3/25/24	680,000	584,800 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Consumer Finance</i>				1,410,789

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<b>Diversified Financial Services - 2.7%</b>				
AerCap Ireland Capital Ltd./AerCap Global Aviation Trust, Senior Bonds	4.625%	7/1/22	230,000	\$ 234,600
Argos Merger Sub Inc., Senior Notes	7.125%	3/15/23	780,000	829,140 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
GE Capital International Funding Co., Unlimited Co., Senior Notes	2.342%	11/15/20	373,000	382,116 <sup>(a)</sup>
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Notes	8.750%	3/15/17	1,380,000	1,453,692 <sup>(b)</sup>
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Notes	6.250%	5/15/19	80,000	85,300
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Notes	5.875%	8/15/22	700,000	759,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
International Lease Finance Corp., Senior Secured Notes	7.125%	9/1/18	400,000	436,000 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Diversified Financial Services</i>				4,180,348
<b>Insurance - 0.8%</b>				
Genworth Holdings Inc., Senior Notes	4.900%	8/15/23	330,000	245,025 <sup>(b)</sup>
Liberty Mutual Group Inc., Junior Subordinated Bonds	7.800%	3/15/37	200,000	218,000 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Metlife Inc., Junior Subordinated Notes	10.750%	8/1/39	500,000	760,000 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Insurance</i>				1,223,025
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) - 0.4%</b>				
Communications Sales & Leasing Inc., Senior Secured Notes	6.000%	4/15/23	300,000	291,750 <sup>(a)</sup>
MPT Operating Partnership LP/MPT Finance Corp., Senior Notes	6.375%	3/1/24	260,000	273,650
<i>Total Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs)</i>				565,400
<b>Real Estate Management &amp; Development - 0.4%</b>				
Howard Hughes Corp., Senior Notes	6.875%	10/1/21	690,000	679,650 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<b>Thriffs &amp; Mortgage Finance - 0.5%</b>				
Quicken Loans Inc., Senior Notes	5.750%	5/1/25	860,000	834,200 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<b>TOTAL FINANCIALS</b>				41,279,374
<b>HEALTH CARE - 5.1%</b>				
<b>Biotechnology - 0.6%</b>				
AMAG Pharmaceuticals Inc., Senior Notes	7.875%	9/1/23	280,000	247,100 <sup>(a)</sup>
Celgene Corp., Senior Notes	5.000%	8/15/45	260,000	281,147
Gilead Sciences Inc., Senior Notes	4.750%	3/1/46	390,000	426,891
<i>Total Biotechnology</i>				955,138
<b>Health Care Equipment &amp; Supplies - 1.0%</b>				
ConvaTec Finance International SA, Senior Notes	8.250%	1/15/19	340,000	336,812 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>
DJO Finco Inc./DJO Finance LLC/DJO Finance Corp., Secured Notes	8.125%	6/15/21	1,040,000	920,400 <sup>(a)</sup>
Greatbatch Ltd., Senior Notes	9.125%	11/1/23	330,000	327,113 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Health Care Equipment &amp; Supplies</i>				1,584,325
<b>Health Care Providers &amp; Services - 2.2%</b>				

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Centene Corp., Senior Notes	5.625%	2/15/21	280,000	291,900 <sup>(a)</sup>
Centene Corp., Senior Notes	6.125%	2/15/24	220,000	231,550 <sup>(a)</sup>
HCA Inc., Debentures	7.500%	11/15/95	475,000	458,375 <sup>(b)</sup>
HCA Inc., Notes	7.690%	6/15/25	90,000	96,750 <sup>(b)</sup>
HCA Inc., Senior Secured Notes	5.250%	6/15/26	280,000	287,000
IASIS Healthcare LLC/IASIS Capital Corp., Senior Notes	8.375%	5/15/19	230,000	226,837
Tenet Healthcare Corp., Senior Notes	8.125%	4/1/22	1,440,000	1,481,400
UnitedHealth Group Inc., Senior Notes	4.750%	7/15/45	340,000	389,875 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Health Care Providers &amp; Services</i>				3,463,687
<b>Pharmaceuticals - 1.3%</b>				
Actavis Funding SCS, Senior Notes	4.750%	3/15/45	570,000	599,472 <sup>(b)</sup>
JLL/Delta Dutch Pledgeco BV, Senior Notes	8.750%	5/1/20	760,000	741,000 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>
Mallinckrodt International Finance SA, Senior Notes	5.750%	8/1/22	420,000	386,925 <sup>(a)</sup>
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International Inc., Senior Notes	5.375%	3/15/20	360,000	293,400 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Pharmaceuticals</i>				2,020,797
<b>TOTAL HEALTH CARE</b>				8,023,947

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<b>INDUSTRIALS - 9.7%</b>				
<b>Aerospace &amp; Defense - 0.7%</b>				
Aerojet Rocketdyne Holdings Inc., Secured Notes	7.125%	3/15/21	250,000	\$ 259,375 <sup>(b)</sup>
Boeing Co., Notes	6.125%	2/15/33	600,000	791,895 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Aerospace &amp; Defense</i>				1,051,270
<b>Air Freight &amp; Logistics - 0.4%</b>				
XPO Logistics Inc., Senior Notes	6.500%	6/15/22	710,000	689,587 <sup>(a)</sup>
<b>Airlines - 5.1%</b>				
Air 2 US, Notes	8.027%	10/1/19	845,907	883,973 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
America West Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Ambac Assurance Corp.	8.057%	7/2/20	1,146,477	1,261,125 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Notes	6.900%	1/2/18	154,266	156,966 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Notes	6.820%	5/1/18	423,470	440,409 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Notes	6.545%	2/2/19	677,365	715,907 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Notes	8.048%	11/1/20	319,403	350,129 <sup>(b)</sup>
Continental Airlines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Notes	6.703%	6/15/21	351,589	368,395 <sup>(b)</sup>
Delta Air Lines Inc., Pass-Through Certificates, Secured Notes	8.021%	8/10/22	103,435	116,881 <sup>(b)</sup>
Northwest Airlines Corp., Pass-Through Certificates	7.575%	3/1/19	240,956	262,040
US Airways, Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Bonds	6.850%	1/30/18	1,582,801	1,638,199 <sup>(b)</sup>
US Airways, Pass-Through Certificates, Senior Secured Bonds	7.125%	10/22/23	1,508,797	1,743,603 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Airlines</i>				7,937,627
<b>Building Products - 0.4%</b>				
Standard Industries Inc., Senior Notes	5.125%	2/15/21	230,000	235,463 <sup>(a)</sup>
Standard Industries Inc., Senior Notes	5.500%	2/15/23	330,000	337,425 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Building Products</i>				572,888
<b>Commercial Services &amp; Supplies - 0.5%</b>				
Garda World Security Corp., Senior Notes	7.250%	11/15/21	220,000	169,400 <sup>(a)</sup>
West Corp., Senior Notes	5.375%	7/15/22	670,000	614,591 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Commercial Services &amp; Supplies</i>				783,991
<b>Construction &amp; Engineering - 0.3%</b>				
Michael Baker International LLC/CDL Acquisition Co. Inc., Senior Secured Notes	8.250%	10/15/18	350,000	301,000 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Modular Space Corp., Secured Notes	10.250%	1/31/19	340,000	188,700 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Odebrecht Offshore Drilling Finance Ltd., Senior Secured Notes	6.625%	10/1/22	180,480	39,706 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Construction &amp; Engineering</i>				529,406
<b>Electrical Equipment - 0.2%</b>				
International Wire Group Holdings Inc., Senior Secured Notes	8.500%	10/15/17	340,000	338,725 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>

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**Industrial Conglomerates - 0.1%**

General Electric Co., Subordinated Notes	5.300%	2/11/21	129,000	149,814 <sup>(b)</sup>
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**Machinery - 0.2%**

SPL Logistics Escrow LLC/SPL Logistics Finance Corp., Senior Secured Notes	8.875%	8/1/20	410,000	323,900 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
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<b>Marine - 0.2%</b>				
Navios Maritime Acquisition Corp./Navios Acquisition Finance U.S. Inc., Senior Secured Notes	8.125%	11/15/21	470,000	\$ 311,375 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<b>Professional Services - 0.7%</b>				
IHS Inc., Senior Notes	5.000%	11/1/22	1,000,000	1,036,250 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Road &amp; Rail - 0.5%</b>				
Flexi-Van Leasing Inc., Senior Notes	7.875%	8/15/18	420,000	415,800 <sup>(a)</sup>
Florida East Coast Holdings Corp., Senior Notes	9.750%	5/1/20	100,000	72,000 <sup>(a)</sup>
Florida East Coast Holdings Corp., Senior Secured Notes	6.750%	5/1/19	240,000	240,000 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Road &amp; Rail</i>				727,800
<b>Trading Companies &amp; Distributors - 0.4%</b>				
H&E Equipment Services Inc., Senior Notes	7.000%	9/1/22	630,000	639,450 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>TOTAL INDUSTRIALS</b>				15,092,083
<b>INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - 3.3%</b>				
<b>Communications Equipment - 1.0%</b>				
Harris Corp., Senior Notes	5.054%	4/27/45	1,500,000	1,598,202 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Electronic Equipment, Instruments &amp; Components - 0.2%</b>				
Interface Security Systems Holdings Inc./Interface Security Systems LLC, Senior Secured Notes	9.250%	1/15/18	340,000	319,600 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>IT Services - 0.6%</b>				
Compiler Finance Subordinated Inc., Senior Notes	7.000%	5/1/21	465,000	209,250 <sup>(a)(e)</sup>
First Data Corp., Senior Secured Notes	6.750%	11/1/20	98,000	103,047 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
HP Enterprise Services LLC, Notes	7.450%	10/15/29	500,000	570,435 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total IT Services</i>				882,732
<b>Semiconductors &amp; Semiconductor Equipment - 0.9%</b>				
QUALCOMM Inc., Senior Subordinated Notes	4.800%	5/20/45	1,500,000	1,485,880 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Technology Hardware, Storage &amp; Peripherals - 0.6%</b>				
Seagate HDD Cayman, Senior Bonds	4.750%	1/1/25	750,000	585,793 <sup>(b)</sup>
Western Digital Corp., Senior Notes	10.500%	4/1/24	320,000	320,800 <sup>(a)</sup>
<i>Total Technology Hardware, Storage &amp; Peripherals</i>				906,593
<b>TOTAL INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY</b>				5,193,007
<b>MATERIALS - 3.4%</b>				
<b>Chemicals - 0.7%</b>				
Braskem America Finance Co., Senior Notes	7.125%	7/22/41	920,000	780,574 <sup>(f)</sup>

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Braskem Finance Ltd., Senior Notes	5.375%	5/2/22	230,000	208,725 <sup>(a)</sup>
HIG BBC Intermediate Holdings LLC/HIG BBC Holdings Corp., Senior Notes	10.500%	9/15/18	264,062	184,843 <sup>(a)(c)</sup>
<i>Total Chemicals</i>				<i>1,174,142</i>
<b>Containers &amp; Packaging - 0.7%</b>				
Ardagh Packaging Finance PLC/Ardagh MP Holdings USA Inc., Senior Notes	9.125%	10/15/20	415,000	427,450 <sup>(a)</sup>
Ardagh Packaging Finance PLC/Ardagh MP Holdings USA Inc., Senior Notes	7.000%	11/15/20	213,529	203,387 <sup>(a)</sup>
Coveris Holdings SA, Senior Notes	7.875%	11/1/19	390,000	349,050 <sup>(a)</sup>
Pactiv LLC, Senior Notes	7.950%	12/15/25	50,000	46,000
<i>Total Containers &amp; Packaging</i>				<i>1,025,887</i>
<b>Metals &amp; Mining - 2.0%</b>				
Anglo American Capital PLC, Senior Notes	4.125%	9/27/22	210,000	170,625 <sup>(a)</sup>
ArcelorMittal SA, Senior Notes	6.500%	3/1/21	160,000	157,600
ArcelorMittal SA, Senior Notes	8.000%	10/15/39	430,000	374,100
Barmenco Finance Pty Ltd., Senior Notes	9.000%	6/1/18	400,000	299,000 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
BHP Billiton Finance USA Ltd., Subordinated Notes	6.750%	10/19/75	800,000	800,000 <sup>(a)(b)(g)</sup>

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<b>Metals &amp; Mining - (continued)</b>				
Freeport-McMoRan Inc., Senior Notes	2.375%	3/15/18	230,000	\$ 203,550
Freeport-McMoRan Inc., Senior Notes	5.450%	3/15/43	210,000	128,625
Joseph T. Ryerson & Son Inc., Senior Notes	11.250%	10/15/18	414,000	277,380
Vale SA, Senior Notes	5.625%	9/11/42	1,090,000	768,450
<i>Total Metals &amp; Mining</i>				3,179,330
<b>TOTAL MATERIALS</b>				
				5,379,359
<b>TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES - 11.8%</b>				
<b>Diversified Telecommunication Services - 9.3%</b>				
AT&T Inc., Senior Notes	5.350%	9/1/40	170,000	178,749 <sup>(b)</sup>
CCOH Safari LLC, Senior Notes	5.750%	2/15/26	890,000	921,150 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Cincinnati Bell Telephone Co., LLC, Senior Debentures	6.300%	12/1/28	25,000	23,188 <sup>(b)</sup>
Frontier Communications Corp., Senior Notes	11.000%	9/15/25	390,000	391,950 <sup>(a)</sup>
Level 3 Financing Inc., Senior Notes	6.125%	1/15/21	530,000	555,175 <sup>(b)</sup>
Oi Brasil Holdings Cooperatief U.A., Senior Notes	5.750%	2/10/22	400,000	106,960 <sup>(a)</sup>
Orange SA, Notes	9.000%	3/1/31	600,000	910,431 <sup>(b)</sup>
Qwest Corp., Senior Notes	6.750%	12/1/21	1,500,000	1,612,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
Telecom Italia SpA, Senior Notes	5.303%	5/30/24	2,750,000	2,818,750 <sup>(a)</sup>
Telefonica Emisiones SAU, Senior Notes	5.134%	4/27/20	2,000,000	2,213,156 <sup>(b)</sup>
Verizon Communications Inc., Senior Notes	5.150%	9/15/23	3,330,000	3,843,529
Windstream Services LLC, Senior Notes	7.750%	10/15/20	830,000	713,800
Windstream Services LLC, Senior Notes	7.750%	10/1/21	50,000	40,781
Windstream Services LLC, Senior Notes	6.375%	8/1/23	250,000	183,125 <sup>(b)</sup>
<i>Total Diversified Telecommunication Services</i>				14,513,244
<b>Wireless Telecommunication Services - 2.5%</b>				
Altice Financing SA, Senior Secured Notes	6.625%	2/15/23	400,000	401,000 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Neptune Finco Corp., Senior Notes	10.125%	1/15/23	200,000	214,000 <sup>(a)</sup>
Neptune Finco Corp., Senior Notes	6.625%	10/15/25	610,000	659,502 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Neptune Finco Corp., Senior Notes	10.875%	10/15/25	240,000	260,880 <sup>(a)</sup>
Sprint Capital Corp., Senior Notes	6.875%	11/15/28	420,000	306,600
Sprint Communications Inc., Senior Notes	9.000%	11/15/18	500,000	523,750 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
Sprint Communications Inc., Senior Notes	7.000%	8/15/20	260,000	206,700
Sprint Communications Inc., Senior Notes	11.500%	11/15/21	310,000	275,900
Sprint Corp., Senior Notes	7.875%	9/15/23	760,000	581,240
VimpelCom Holdings BV, Senior Notes	5.950%	2/13/23	570,000	554,690 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Wireless Telecommunication Services</i>				3,984,262
<b>TOTAL TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES</b>				
				18,497,506
<b>UTILITIES - 3.2%</b>				
<b>Electric Utilities - 2.8%</b>				
Centrais Eletricas Brasileiras SA, Senior Notes	5.750%	10/27/21	210,000	176,400 <sup>(a)</sup>
Electricite de France SA, Junior Subordinated Notes	5.625%	1/22/24	1,500,000	1,372,500 <sup>(a)(b)(g)(h)</sup>



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FirstEnergy Corp., Notes	7.375%	11/15/31	1,770,000	2,149,784 <sup>(b)</sup>
Southern Co., Senior Notes	1.950%	9/1/16	150,000	150,708 <sup>(b)</sup>
State Grid Overseas Investment 2014 Ltd., Senior Notes	4.125%	5/7/24	500,000	545,754 <sup>(f)</sup>
<i>Total Electric Utilities</i>				4,395,146
<b>Gas Utilities - 0.0%</b>				
Southern Natural Gas Co., LLC, Senior Notes	8.000%	3/1/32	20,000	21,139 <sup>(b)</sup>
<b>Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Producers - 0.4%</b>				
AES Corp., Senior Notes	8.000%	6/1/20	100,000	113,500 <sup>(b)</sup>
Calpine Corp., Senior Secured Notes	7.875%	1/15/23	403,000	427,180 <sup>(a)(b)</sup>
<i>Total Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Producers</i>				540,680
<b>TOTAL UTILITIES</b>				4,956,965
<b>TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS &amp; NOTES</b>				
(Cost - \$150,817,307)				152,755,225

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<b>ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES - 13.1%</b>				
AAA Trust, 2005-1A 1A3B	0.843%	2/27/35	463,310	\$ 419,875 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
ABFS Mortgage Loan Trust, 2002-3 M1	5.902%	9/15/33	889,799	676,872
ACE Securities Corp., 2005-WF1 M1	1.063%	5/25/35	405,690	403,205 <sup>(g)</sup>
Argent Securities Inc., 2003-W3 M1	1.561%	9/25/33	32,125	27,283 <sup>(g)</sup>
Associates Manufactured Housing Pass-Through Certificates, 1997-CLB2	8.900%	6/15/28	1,990,656	1,891,123 <sup>(i)</sup>
Bank of America Manufactured Housing Contract Trust, 1997-2M	6.900%	4/10/28	24,371	24,884 <sup>(g)</sup>
Bayview Financial Asset Trust, 2007-SR1A M1	1.233%	3/25/37	843,299	724,718 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Bayview Financial Asset Trust, 2007-SR1A M3	1.583%	3/25/37	319,872	256,656 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Bayview Financial Asset Trust, 2007-SR1A M4	1.933%	3/25/37	87,238	66,498 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Bear Stearns Asset-Backed Securities Trust, 2006-SD3 1P0, STRIPS, PO	0.000%	8/25/36	465,240	285,619
Centex Home Equity Loan Trust, 2003-B AF4	3.735%	2/25/32	344,729	346,128
Conseco Financial Corp., 1993-1 B	8.450%	4/15/18	11,969	4,078
Contimortgage Home Equity Trust, 1997-4 B1F	7.330%	10/15/28	139,489	140,334
Countrywide Asset-Backed Certificates, 2004-3 3A3	1.193%	8/25/34	135,516	125,223 <sup>(g)</sup>
Countrywide Asset-Backed Certificates, 2006-3 3A1	0.553%	6/25/36	406	405 <sup>(g)</sup>
Countrywide Asset-Backed Certificates, 2007-13 2A1	1.333%	10/25/47	804,652	716,482 <sup>(g)</sup>
Countrywide Asset-Backed Certificates, 2007-SEA2 1A1	1.433%	8/25/47	34,198	31,594 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Credit Suisse First Boston Mortgage Securities Corp., 2004-CF2 2A1	0.903%	5/25/44	11,666	11,550 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Education Funding Capital Trust, 2004-1 B1	1.846%	6/15/43	1,200,000	1,055,641 <sup>(b)(g)</sup>
EMC Mortgage Loan Trust, 2003-B A1	0.983%	11/25/41	14,053	13,183 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Firstfed Corp. Manufactured Housing Contract, 1996-1 B	8.060%	10/15/22	214,074	81,048 <sup>(a)</sup>
GMAC Mortgage Corp. Loan Trust, 2004-VF1 A1	1.186%	2/25/31	48,494	47,823 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Green Tree Home Improvement Loan Trust, 1996-D HIB2	8.000%	9/15/27	10,702	10,702
Greenpoint Manufactured Housing, 1999-2 A2	3.055%	3/18/29	425,000	367,846 <sup>(g)</sup>
Greenpoint Manufactured Housing, 1999-3 2A2	3.581%	6/19/29	125,000	108,750 <sup>(g)</sup>
Greenpoint Manufactured Housing, 1999-4 A2	3.925%	2/20/30	125,000	108,750 <sup>(g)</sup>
Greenpoint Manufactured Housing, 2001-2 IA2	3.929%	2/20/32	275,000	249,629 <sup>(g)</sup>
Greenpoint Manufactured Housing, 2001-2 IIA2	3.931%	3/13/32	450,000	403,198 <sup>(g)</sup>
GSAA Home Equity Trust, 2004-8 A3A	1.173%	9/25/34	104,191	102,080 <sup>(g)</sup>
GSAA Home Equity Trust, 2006-19 A3A	0.673%	12/25/36	564,961	314,783 <sup>(g)</sup>
GSAMP Trust, 2003-SEA2 A1	4.422%	7/25/33	1,124,199	1,111,818
GSRPM Mortgage Loan Trust, 2006-1 A1	0.733%	3/25/35	65,277	63,990 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
GSRPM Mortgage Loan Trust, 2006-2 A2	0.736%	9/25/36	91,123	86,504 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Indymac Manufactured Housing Contract, 1997-1 A5	6.970%	2/25/28	98,336	100,085
Lehman XS Trust, 2007-1 WF1	4.771%	1/25/37	548,756	364,472 <sup>(g)</sup>
Morgan Stanley Capital Inc., 2003-NC9 M	1.558%	9/25/33	915,839	804,195 <sup>(g)</sup>
Morgan Stanley Capital Inc., 2003-SD1 A1	1.433%	3/25/33	13,673	12,843 <sup>(g)</sup>
Morgan Stanley Capital Inc., 2004-HE7 M1	1.333%	8/25/34	1,539,471	1,392,490 <sup>(b)(g)</sup>
New Century Home Equity Loan Trust, 2004-2 A2	1.173%	8/25/34	475,320	430,535 <sup>(g)</sup>
New Century Home Equity Loan Trust, 2004-3 M1	1.363%	11/25/34	1,480,740	1,290,913 <sup>(g)</sup>
Oakwood Mortgage Investors Inc., 2002-B A3	6.060%	6/15/32	143,212	147,625 <sup>(g)</sup>
Option One Mortgage Loan Trust, 2003-2 A2	1.033%	4/25/33	266,808	244,652 <sup>(g)</sup>
Origen Manufactured Housing Contract Trust, 2006-A A2	2.379%	10/15/37	1,713,000	1,494,648 <sup>(g)</sup>
Origen Manufactured Housing Contract Trust, 2007-A A2	2.291%	4/15/37	1,926,721	1,700,537 <sup>(g)</sup>

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Park Place Securities Inc., 2004-WCW1 M2	1.453%	9/25/34	354,969	\$ 353,779 <sup>(g)</sup>
Park Place Securities Inc., 2004-WHQ2 M2	1.378%	2/25/35	250,127	249,175 <sup>(g)</sup>
RAAC Series, 2007-RP1 M1	0.986%	5/25/46	210,000	154,789 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Renaissance Home Equity Loan Trust, 2004-2 AF4	5.392%	7/25/34	150,202	151,127
Renaissance Home Equity Loan Trust, 2005-3 AV3	0.813%	11/25/35	495,930	431,529 <sup>(g)</sup>
Residential Asset Mortgage Products Inc., 2004-RZ1 AII	0.913%	3/25/34	144,849	145,387 <sup>(g)</sup>
Residential Asset Securities Corp., 2002-KS2 AI6	6.228%	4/25/32	84,949	86,184 <sup>(g)</sup>
Residential Asset Securities Corp., 2003-KS8 AI6	4.830%	10/25/33	66,753	66,291 <sup>(g)</sup>
Settlement Fee Finance LLC, 2004-1A A	9.100%	7/25/34	342,913	359,384 <sup>(a)</sup>
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 2006-GEL3 A2	0.663%	7/25/36	259,506	258,482 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>

**TOTAL ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES**

(Cost - \$17,801,478)

20,517,394

**COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS - 7.8%**

American Home Mortgage Investment Trust, 2007-A 4A	1.336%	7/25/46	577,663	184,885 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Banc of America Funding Corp., 2004-B 6A1	2.088%	12/20/34	235,060	158,588 <sup>(g)</sup>
BCAP LLC Trust, 2009-RR12 2A2	0.796%	3/26/35	1,843,522	1,223,522 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Bear Stearns Alt-A Trust, 2004-03 A1	1.073%	4/25/34	273,258	260,097 <sup>(g)</sup>
Bear Stearns Alt-A Trust, 2005-10 21A1	2.623%	1/25/36	702,077	570,197 <sup>(g)</sup>
Bear Stearns Asset-Backed Securities Trust, 2002-AC1 B4	7.000%	1/25/32	320,418	1,757 <sup>(a)</sup>
BlackRock Capital Finance LP, 1997-R2 B5	4.778%	12/25/35	690	2 <sup>(a)</sup>
Chevy Chase Mortgage Funding Corp., 2004-4A A1	0.663%	10/25/35	1,101,717	960,848 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Countrywide Home Loans, 2004-R2 1AF1	0.853%	11/25/34	177,654	149,628 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Countrywide Home Loans, 2005-7 1A1	0.973%	3/25/35	814,907	749,154 <sup>(g)</sup>
Countrywide Home Loans, 2006-HYB4 3B	2.830%	6/20/36	631,099	538,682 <sup>(g)</sup>
Greenpoint Mortgage Funding Trust, 2005-AR5 3A2	0.703%	11/25/46	176,068	820,277 <sup>(g)</sup>
GSMPS Mortgage Loan Trust, 2001-2 A	7.500%	6/19/32	946,411	962,227 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
HarborView Mortgage Loan Trust, 2004-08 3A2	1.232%	11/19/34	97,967	73,792 <sup>(g)</sup>
HarborView Mortgage Loan Trust, 2004-10 4A	2.818%	1/19/35	187,463	183,423 <sup>(g)</sup>
Impac CMB Trust, 2004-9 1A1	1.193%	1/25/35	33,852	30,463 <sup>(g)</sup>
Impac CMB Trust, 2005-2 2A2	1.233%	4/25/35	84,863	76,477 <sup>(g)</sup>
Impac CMB Trust, 2A-10	1.073%	3/25/35	231,788	197,670 <sup>(g)</sup>
Indymac Manufactured Housing Contract, A2-2	6.170%	8/25/29	53,362	52,814
JPMorgan Alternative Loan Trust, 2006-S1 3A4	6.180%	3/25/36	890,477	612,980 <sup>(b)(g)</sup>
JPMorgan Mortgage Trust, 2007-A2 4A2	4.807%	4/25/37	171,435	150,977 <sup>(g)</sup>
LB-UBS Commercial Mortgage Trust, 2001-C3 X, IO, STRIPS	0.509%	6/15/36	235,832	671 <sup>(a)(e)(g)</sup>
Merit Securities Corp., 11PA 3A1	1.053%	4/28/27	87,280	74,024 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Merit Securities Corp., 11PA B3	2.683%	9/28/32	675,752	533,234 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Metropolitan Asset Funding Inc., 1998-BI B1	8.000%	11/20/24	407,414	364,274 <sup>(b)(g)</sup>
Prime Mortgage Trust, 2005-2 2XB, STRIPS, IO	1.743%	10/25/32	2,180,660	104,444 <sup>(g)</sup>
Prime Mortgage Trust, 2005-5 1X, STRIPS, IO	0.983%	7/25/34	4,551,325	191,349 <sup>(g)</sup>
Prime Mortgage Trust, 2005-5 1XB, STRIPS, IO	1.156%	7/25/34	342,309	3,485 <sup>(g)</sup>
Regal Trust IV, 1999-1 A	2.155%	9/29/31	23,430	21,453 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Residential Asset Mortgage Products Inc., 2005-SL2 AP0, STRIPS, PO	0.000%	2/25/32	14,159	13,563
Sequoia Mortgage Trust, 2003-2 A2	1.198%	6/20/33	21,073	20,396 <sup>(g)</sup>

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Sequoia Mortgage Trust, 2004-10 A1A	1.052%	11/20/34	16,951	15,780 <sup>(g)</sup>
Sequoia Mortgage Trust, 2004-11 A1	1.032%	12/20/34	25,524	24,552 <sup>(g)</sup>
Sequoia Mortgage Trust, 2004-12 A1	0.972%	1/20/35	208,462	189,304 <sup>(g)</sup>
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 1998-RF2 A	6.657%	7/15/27	202,698	198,220 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 2002-9 A2	1.033%	10/25/27	401,214	389,138 <sup>(g)</sup>
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 2003-9A 2A2	2.630%	3/25/33	125,350	123,815 <sup>(g)</sup>
Structured Asset Securities Corp., 2004-NP1 A	1.233%	9/25/33	63,176	62,066 <sup>(a)(g)</sup>

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SECURITY	RATE	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	VALUE
<b>COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS - (continued)</b>				
Thornburg Mortgage Securities Trust, 2004-03 A	1.173%	9/25/44	335,938	\$ 307,640 <sup>(g)</sup>
Washington Mutual Alternative Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2006-7 A2A	4.495%	9/25/36	1,000,287	540,338
Washington Mutual Inc., Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2004-AR06 A	0.853%	5/25/44	368,782	344,674 <sup>(g)</sup>
Washington Mutual Inc., Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2004-AR12 A2A	0.823%	10/25/44	281,187	268,769 <sup>(g)</sup>
Washington Mutual Inc., Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates, 2006-AR5 3A	1.291%	7/25/46	682,635	421,613 <sup>(g)</sup>
Washington Mutual Inc., MSC Pass-Through Certificates, 2004-RA1 2A	7.000%	3/25/34	14,388	15,015
<b>TOTAL COLLATERALIZED MORTGAGE OBLIGATIONS</b>				
(Cost - \$10,256,613)				12,186,277
<b>MORTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES - 0.1%</b>				
<b>FNMA - 0.1%</b>				
Federal National Mortgage Association (FNMA), Whole Loan (Cost - \$181,827)	6.500%	8/25/44	179,026	200,362
<b>SENIOR LOANS - 1.3%</b>				
<b>CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY - 0.3%</b>				
<b>Hotels, Restaurants &amp; Leisure - 0.3%</b>				
Equinox Holdings Inc., Second Lien Term Loan	9.750%	7/31/20	430,000	428,387 <sup>(j)(k)</sup>
<b>CONSUMER STAPLES - 0.1%</b>				
<b>Food Products - 0.1%</b>				
AdvancePierre Foods Inc., Second Lien Term Loan	9.500%	10/10/17	180,000	178,650 <sup>(j)(k)</sup>
<b>ENERGY - 0.5%</b>				
<b>Energy Equipment &amp; Services - 0.3%</b>				
Hercules Offshore LLC, Exit Term Loan	10.500%	5/6/20	710,000	504,100 <sup>(j)(k)</sup>
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels - 0.2%</b>				
Magnum Hunter Resources Inc., DIP Term Loan	9.000%	9/15/16	245,000	242,550 <sup>(e)(j)(k)</sup>
<b>TOTAL ENERGY</b>				746,650
<b>HEALTH CARE - 0.2%</b>				
<b>Health Care Providers &amp; Services - 0.2%</b>				
Radnet Management Inc., Second Lien Term Loan	8.000%	3/25/21	440,000	401,500 <sup>(j)(k)</sup>
<b>UTILITIES - 0.2%</b>				
<b>Electric Utilities - 0.2%</b>				

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Panda Temple Power LLC, 2015 Term Loan B	7.250%	3/4/22	425,700	308,633 <sup>(j)(k)</sup>
<b>TOTAL SENIOR LOANS</b>				
(Cost - \$2,388,347)				2,063,820
<b>SOVEREIGN BONDS - 1.8%</b>				
<b>Argentina - 0.2%</b>				
Republic of Argentina, Senior Bonds	7.000%	4/17/17	290,000	292,627
<b>Poland - 1.6%</b>				
Republic of Poland, Bonds	4.000%	10/25/23	8,440,000 <sup>PLN</sup>	2,490,017
<b>TOTAL SOVEREIGN BONDS</b>				
(Cost - \$3,029,989)				2,782,644
<b>U.S. GOVERNMENT &amp; AGENCY OBLIGATIONS - 7.5%</b>				
<b>U.S. Government Obligations - 7.5%</b>				
U.S. Treasury Bonds	3.000%	11/15/45	791,000	853,940
U.S. Treasury Notes	0.875%	11/30/17	6,750,000	6,766,611
U.S. Treasury Notes	1.375%	9/30/20	3,250,000	3,277,167
U.S. Treasury Notes	1.625%	2/15/26	780,000	768,666
<b>TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT &amp; AGENCY OBLIGATIONS</b>				
(Cost - \$11,621,536)				11,666,384

See Notes to Schedule of Investments.

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Schedule of investments (unaudited) (cont d)

March 31, 2016

SECURITY	SHARES	VALUE
<b>COMMON STOCKS - 0.7%</b>		
<b>ENERGY - 0.0%</b>		
<b>Energy Equipment &amp; Services - 0.0%</b>		
Hercules Offshore Inc.	16,942	\$ 40,661*
<b>FINANCIALS - 0.7%</b>		
<b>Banks - 0.7%</b>		
Citigroup Inc.	25,131	1,049,219
<b>HEALTH CARE - 0.0%</b>		
<b>Health Care Providers &amp; Services - 0.0%</b>		
Physiotherapy Associates Holdings Inc.	1,900	21,622*(e)(i)
<b>INDUSTRIALS - 0.0%</b>		
<b>Marine - 0.0%</b>		
DeepOcean Group Holding AS	8,860	48,376*(e)(i)
<b>TOTAL COMMON STOCKS</b>		
(Cost - \$1,780,935)		1,159,878
	<b>RATE</b>	
<b>PREFERRED STOCKS - 2.3%</b>		
<b>FINANCIALS - 2.3%</b>		
<b>Consumer Finance - 1.0%</b>		
GMAC Capital Trust I	6.402%	62,722 1,537,316(g)
<b>Diversified Financial Services - 1.3%</b>		
Citigroup Capital XIII	6.988%	75,725 1,990,810(g)
Corporate-Backed Trust Certificates, Series 2001-8, Class A-1	7.375%	33,900 34*(d)(i)
<i>Total Diversified Financial Services</i>		<i>1,990,844</i>
<b>Thrifts &amp; Mortgage Finance - 0.0%</b>		
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. (FHLMC)	0.000%	100 380*(g)
Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. (FHLMC)	5.000%	200 819*
<i>Total Thrifts &amp; Mortgage Finance</i>		<i>1,199</i>
<b>TOTAL PREFERRED STOCKS</b>		
(Cost - \$3,682,190)		3,529,359
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS BEFORE SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS</b>		206,861,343



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(Cost - \$201,560,222)

	MATURITY DATE	FACE AMOUNT	
<b>SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS - 1.2%</b>			
<b>Repurchase Agreements - 0.4%</b>			
Bank of America repurchase agreement dated 3/31/16; Proceeds at maturity - \$600,005; (Fully collateralized by U.S. government obligations, 3.625% due 2/15/44; Market value - \$612,000) (Cost - \$600,000)	0.270%	4/1/16	600,000
			<i>600,000</i>
			<b>SHARES</b>
<b>Money Market Funds - 0.8%</b>			
State Street Institutional U.S. Government Money Market Fund, Premier Class (Cost - \$1,291,368)	0.225%		1,291,368
			<i>1,291,368</i>
<b>TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS</b>			
(Cost - \$1,891,368)			1,891,368
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS - 133.4%</b>			
(Cost - \$203,451,590#)			208,752,711
Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets - (33.4)%			<i>(52,291,719)</i>
<b>TOTAL NET ASSETS - 100.0%</b>			
			\$ 156,460,992

Face amount denominated in U.S. dollars, unless otherwise noted.

\* Non-income producing security.

**See Notes to Schedule of Investments.**

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**Schedule of investments (unaudited) (cont d)**

**March 31, 2016**

- (a) Security is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. This security may be resold in transactions that are exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. This security has been deemed liquid pursuant to guidelines approved by the Board of Trustees, unless otherwise noted.
- (b) All or a portion of this security is pledged as collateral pursuant to the loan agreement.
- (c) Payment-in-kind security for which the issuer has the option at each interest payment date of making interest payments in cash or additional debt securities.
- (d) The coupon payment on these securities is currently in default as of March 31, 2016.
- (e) Illiquid security.
- (f) Security is exempt from registration under Regulation S of the Securities Act of 1933. Regulation S applies to securities offerings that are made outside of the United States and do not involve direct selling efforts in the United States. This security has been deemed liquid pursuant to guidelines approved by the Board of Trustees, unless otherwise noted.
- (g) Variable rate security. Interest rate disclosed is as of the most recent information available.
- (h) Security has no maturity date. The date shown represents the next call date.
- (i) Security is valued in good faith in accordance with procedures approved by the Board of Trustees (See Note 1).
- (j) Interest rates disclosed represent the effective rates on senior loans. Ranges in interest rates are attributable to multiple contracts under the same loan.
- (k) Senior loans may be considered restricted in that the Fund ordinarily is contractually obligated to receive approval from the agent bank and/or borrower prior to the disposition of a senior loan.

# Aggregate cost for federal income tax purposes is substantially the same.

Abbreviations used in this schedule:

DIP Debtor-in-Possession  
EUR Euro

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IO Interest Only

PLN Polish Zloty

PO Principal Only

STRIPS Separate Trading of Registered Interest and Principal Securities

This Schedule of Investments is unaudited and is intended to provide information about the Fund's portfolio holdings as of the date of the schedule. Other information regarding the Fund is available in the Fund's most recent annual or semi-annual shareholder report.

**See Notes to Schedule of Investments.**

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**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited)**

**1. Organization and significant accounting policies**

Western Asset Premier Bond Fund (the Fund) is registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the 1940 Act), as a diversified, closed-end management investment company. The Fund commenced investment operations on March 28, 2002.

The Fund's investment objective is to provide current income and capital appreciation by investing primarily in a diversified portfolio of investment grade bonds.

The following are significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Fund and are in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP).

**(a) Investment valuation.** The valuations for fixed income securities (which may include, but are not limited to, corporate, government, municipal, mortgage-backed, collateralized mortgage obligations and asset-backed securities) and certain derivative instruments are typically the prices supplied by independent third party pricing services, which may use market prices or broker/dealer quotations or a variety of valuation techniques and methodologies. The independent third party pricing services use inputs that are observable such as issuer details, interest rates, yield curves, prepayment speeds, credit risks/spreads, default rates and quoted prices for similar securities. Short-term fixed income securities that will mature in 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, unless it is determined that using this method would not reflect an investment's fair value. Investments in open-end funds are valued at the closing net asset value per share of each fund on the day of valuation. Futures contracts are valued daily at the settlement price established by the board of trade or exchange on which they are traded. Equity securities for which market quotations are available are valued at the last reported sales price or official closing price on the primary market or exchange on which they trade. When the Fund holds securities or other assets that are denominated in a foreign currency, the Fund will normally use the currency exchange rates as of 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time). If independent third party pricing services are unable to supply prices for a portfolio investment, or if the prices supplied are deemed by the manager to be unreliable, the market price may be determined by the manager using quotations from one or more broker/dealers or at the transaction price if the security has recently been purchased and no value has yet been obtained from a pricing service or pricing broker. When reliable prices are not readily available, such as when the value of a security has been significantly affected by events after the close of the exchange or market on which the security is principally traded, but before the Fund calculates its net asset value, the Fund values these securities as determined in accordance with procedures approved by the Fund's Board of Trustees.

The Board of Trustees is responsible for the valuation process and has delegated the supervision of the daily valuation process to the Legg Mason North Atlantic Fund Valuation Committee (the Valuation Committee). The Valuation Committee, pursuant to the policies adopted by the Board of Trustees, is responsible for making fair value determinations, evaluating the effectiveness of the Fund's pricing policies, and reporting to the Board of Trustees. When determining the reliability of third party pricing information for investments owned by the Fund, the Valuation Committee, among other things, conducts due diligence reviews of pricing vendors, monitors the daily change in prices and reviews transactions among market participants.

The Valuation Committee will consider pricing methodologies it deems relevant and appropriate when making fair value determinations. Examples of possible methodologies include, but are not limited to, multiple of earnings; discount from market of a similar freely traded security; discounted cash-flow analysis; book value or a multiple thereof; risk premium/yield analysis; yield to maturity; and/or fundamental investment analysis. The Valuation Committee will also consider factors it deems relevant and appropriate in light of the facts and circumstances. Examples of possible factors include, but are not limited to, the type of security; the issuer's financial statements; the purchase price of the security; the discount from market value of unrestricted securities of the same class at the time of purchase; analysts' research and observations from financial institutions; information regarding any transactions or offers with respect to the security; the existence of merger proposals or tender offers affecting the security; the price and extent of public trading in similar securities of the issuer or comparable companies; and the existence of a shelf registration for restricted securities.

For each portfolio security that has been fair valued pursuant to the policies adopted by the Board of Trustees, the fair value price is compared against the last available and next available market quotations. The Valuation Committee reviews the results of such back testing monthly and fair valuation occurrences are reported to the Board of Trustees quarterly.

The Fund uses valuation techniques to measure fair value that are consistent with the market approach and/or income approach, depending on the type of security and the particular circumstance. The market approach uses prices and other relevant information generated by market transactions involving identical or comparable securities. The income approach uses valuation techniques to discount estimated future cash flows to present value.



**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)**

GAAP establishes a disclosure hierarchy that categorizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to value assets and liabilities at measurement date. 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, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)

Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Fund's own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments)  
The inputs or methodologies used to value securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The following is a summary of the inputs used in valuing the Fund's assets and liabilities carried at fair value:

DESCRIPTION	ASSETS			TOTAL
	QUOTED PRICES (LEVEL 1)	OTHER SIGNIFICANT OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2)	SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3)	
Long-term investments :				
Corporate Bonds & Notes:				
Industrials		\$ 13,767,701	\$ 1,324,382	\$ 15,092,083
Other Corporate Bonds & Notes		137,663,142		137,663,142
Asset-Backed Securities		17,988,896	2,528,498	20,517,394
Collateralized Mortgage Obligations		12,186,277		12,186,277
Mortgage-Backed Securities		200,362		200,362
Senior Loans:				
Energy			746,650	746,650
Utilities			308,633	308,633
Other Senior Loans		1,008,537		1,008,537
Sovereign Bonds		2,782,644		2,782,644
U.S. Government & Agency Obligations		11,666,384		11,666,384
Common Stocks:				
Health care			21,622	21,622
Industrials			48,376	48,376
Other common stocks	\$ 1,089,880			1,089,880
Preferred Stocks	3,529,325		34	3,529,359
Total Long-Term Investments	\$ 4,619,205	\$ 197,263,943	\$ 4,978,195	\$ 206,861,343
Short-Term Investments				
Repurchase agreements		\$ 600,000		\$ 600,000
Money market funds	\$ 1,291,368			1,291,368
Total short-term investments	\$ 1,291,368	\$ 600,000		\$ 1,891,368
Total investments	\$ 5,910,573	\$ 197,863,943	\$ 4,978,195	\$ 208,752,711

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Receivable for insurance proceeds		\$	1,633,988		\$	1,633,988	
Other assets				\$	7,743	\$ 7,743	
Other Financial Instruments: Forward Foreign Currency Contracts			1,658			1,658	
Total	\$	5,910,573	\$	199,499,589	\$	4,985,938	\$ 210,396,100

See Schedule of Investments for additional detailed categorizations.

DESCRIPTION	LIABILITIES			TOTAL	
	QUOTED PRICES (LEVEL 1)	OTHER SIGNIFICANT OBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 2)	SIGNIFICANT UNOBSERVABLE INPUTS (LEVEL 3)		
Other Financial Instruments: Forward Foreign Currency Contracts		\$	16,201	\$ 16,201	
Futures Contracts	\$	17,903		17,903	
Total	\$	17,903	\$	16,201	\$ 34,104

**Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)**

The following is a reconciliation of investments in which significant unobservable inputs (Level 3) were used in determining fair value:

<b>INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES</b>	<b>CORPORATE BONDS &amp; NOTES</b>		<b>ASSET-BACKED SECURITIES</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>
	<b>INDUSTRIALS</b>				
Balance as of December 31, 2015	\$ 2,546,072		\$ 2,533,965		\$ 5,080,037
Accrued premiums/discounts	4,060		15,240		19,300
Realized gain (loss)			(657)		(657)
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) <sup>1</sup>	(71,845)		(19,671)		(91,516)
Purchases					
Sales	(399,679)		(379)		(779,358)
Transfers into Level 3 <sup>2</sup>	883,973				883,973
Transfers out of Level 3 <sup>3</sup>	(1,638,199)				(1,638,199)
Balance as of March 31, 2016	\$ 1,324,382		\$ 2,528,498		\$ 3,852,880
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for investments in securities still held at March 31, 2016 <sup>1</sup>	\$ (4,181)		\$ (19,671)		\$ (23,852)

  

<b>INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES (cont d)</b>	<b>SENIOR LOANS</b>			<b>TOTAL</b>
	<b>CONSUMER STAPLES</b>	<b>ENERGY</b>	<b>UTILITIES</b>	
Balance as of December 31, 2015	\$ 176,400	\$ 559,900	\$ 341,420	\$ 1,077,720
Accrued premiums/discounts	186	3,150	250	3,586
Realized gain (loss)			19	19
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) <sup>1</sup>	2,064	15,600	(31,981)	(14,257)
Purchases		168,000		168,000
Sales			(1,075)	(1,075)
Transfers into Level 3 <sup>2</sup>				
Transfers out of Level 3 <sup>3</sup>	(178,650)			(178,650)
Balance as of March 31, 2016		\$ 746,650	\$ 308,633	\$ 1,055,283
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for investments in securities still held at March 31, 2016 <sup>1</sup>		\$ 15,600	\$ (31,981)	\$ (16,381)

  

<b>INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES (cont d)</b>	<b>COMMON STOCKS</b>				<b>TOTAL</b>
	<b>HEALTH CARE</b>	<b>INDUSTRIALS</b>	<b>PREFERRED STOCKS</b>	<b>OTHER ASSETS</b>	
Balance as of December 31, 2015	\$ 157,700	\$ 41,368	\$	7,743	\$ 206,811
Accrued premiums/discounts					22,886
Realized gain (loss)	36,853				36,215
Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) <sup>1</sup>	19,135	7,008			(79,690)
Purchases	17,418				185,418
Sales	(209,484)				(610,617)
Transfers into Level 3 <sup>2</sup>			34	\$	884,007
Transfers out of Level 3 <sup>3</sup>					(1,816,849)
Balance as of March 31, 2016	21,622	\$ 48,376	\$ 34	\$ 7,743	\$ 4,985,938
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) for investments in securities still held at March 31, 2016 <sup>1</sup>	4,204	\$ 7,008			\$ (29,021)



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The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers between levels as of the end of the reporting period.

- <sup>1</sup> Change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) includes net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) resulting from changes in investment values during the reporting period and the reversal of previously recorded unrealized appreciation (depreciation) when gains or losses are realized.
- <sup>2</sup> Transferred into Level 3 as a result of the unavailability of a quoted price in an active market for an identical investment or the unavailability of other significant observable inputs.
- <sup>3</sup> Transferred out of Level 3 as a result of the availability of a quoted price in an active market for an identical investment or the availability of other significant observable inputs.

Notes to Schedule of Investments (unaudited) (continued)

**2. Investments**

At March 31, 2016, the aggregate gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation of investments for federal income tax purposes were substantially as follows:

Gross unrealized appreciation	\$ 14,713,407
Gross unrealized depreciation	(9,412,286)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$ 5,301,121

At March 31, 2016, the Fund had the following open futures contracts:

	Number of Contracts	Expiration Date	Basis Value	Market Value	Unrealized Depreciation
<b>Contracts to Buy:</b>					
U.S. Treasury Ultra Long-Term Bonds	15	6/16	\$ 2,605,872	\$ 2,587,969	\$ (17,903)

At March 31, 2016, the Fund had the following open forward foreign currency contracts:

Currency Purchased	Currency Sold	Counterparty	Settlement Date	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
EUR 60,000	USD 66,695	Citibank N.A.	5/13/16	\$ 1,658
USD 1,977,448	EUR 1,750,000	Citibank N.A.	5/13/16	(16,201)
Total				\$ (14,543)

Abbreviations used in this table:

EUR Euro  
USD United States Dollar

**ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES.**

- (a) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act")) are effective as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of the disclosure controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act and 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.
  
- (b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are likely to materially affect the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

**ITEM 3. EXHIBITS.**

Certifications pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, are attached hereto.

**SIGNATURES**

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

Western Asset Premier Bond Fund

By                    /s/ JANE TRUST  
                         **Jane Trust**  
                         **Chief Executive Officer**

Date: May 20, 2016

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

By                    /s/ JANE TRUST  
                         **Jane Trust**  
                         **Chief Executive Officer**

Date: May 20, 2016

By                    /s/ RICHARD F. SENNETT  
                         **Richard F. Sennett**  
                         **Principal Financial Officer**

Date: May 20, 2016