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**CERTIFIED SHAREHOLDER REPORT OF REGISTERED
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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Nuveen Investments

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Date of fiscal year end: December 31

Date of reporting period: June 30, 2010

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ITEM 1. REPORTS TO STOCKHOLDERS.

Closed-End Funds

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Closed-End Funds

High Current Income from a Portfolio of Investment-Grade Preferred Securities

Semi-Annual Report

June 30, 2010

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund

JTP

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2

JPS

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3

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NUVEEN INVESTMENTS ANNOUNCES STRATEGIC COMBINATION WITH FAF ADVISORS

On July 29, 2010, Nuveen Investments, Inc. announced that U.S. Bancorp will receive a 9.5% stake in Nuveen Investments and cash consideration in exchange for the long-term asset business of U.S. Bancorp's FAF Advisors (FAF). Nuveen Investments is the parent of Nuveen Asset Management (NAM), the investment adviser for the Funds included in this report.

FAF Advisors, which currently manages about \$25 billion of long-term assets and serves as the advisor of the First American Funds, will be combined with NAM, which currently manages about \$75 billion in municipal fixed income assets. Upon completion of the transaction, Nuveen Investments, which currently manages about \$150 billion of assets across several high-quality affiliates, will manage a combined total of about \$175 billion in institutional and retail assets.

This combination will not affect the investment objectives, strategies or policies of the Funds in this report. Over time, Nuveen Investments expects that the combination will provide even more ways to meet the needs of investors who work with financial advisors and consultants by enhancing the multi-boutique model of Nuveen Investments, which also includes highly respected investment teams at NWQ Investment Management, Santa Barbara Asset Management, Symphony Asset Management, Tradewinds Global Investors, Winslow Capital and Nuveen HydePark.

The transaction is expected to close late in 2010, subject to customary conditions.

Chairman's Letter to Shareholders

Dear Shareholder,

The economic environment in which your Fund operates reflects continuing but uneven economic recovery. The U.S. and other major industrial countries are experiencing steady but comparatively low levels of economic growth, while emerging market countries are seeing a resumption of relatively strong economic expansion. The potential impact of steps being considered by many governments to counteract the extraordinary governmental spending and credit expansion to deal with the recent financial and economic crisis is injecting uncertainty into global financial markets. The implications for future tax rates, government spending, interest rates and the pace of economic recovery in the U.S. and other leading economies are extremely difficult to predict at the present time. The long term health of the global economy depends on restoring some measure of fiscal discipline around the world, but since all of the corrective steps require economic pain, it is not surprising that governments are reluctant to undertake them.

In the near term, governments remain committed to furthering economic recovery and realizing a meaningful reduction in their national unemployment rates. Such an environment should produce continued economic growth and, consequently, attractive investment opportunities. Over the longer term, the larger uncertainty mentioned earlier carries the risk of unexpected potholes in the road to sustained recovery. For this reason, Nuveen's investment management teams are working hard to balance return and risk by building well-diversified portfolios, among other strategies. I encourage you to read the following commentary on the management of your Fund. As always, I also encourage you to contact your financial consultant if you have any questions about your Nuveen Fund investment. Please consult the Nuveen website for the most recent information on your Nuveen Fund at: www.nuveen.com.

On behalf of the other members of your Fund's Board, we look forward to continuing to earn your trust in the months and years ahead.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Bremner
Chairman of the Board
August 17, 2010

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Portfolio Managers' Comments

Certain statements in this report are forward-looking statements. Discussions of specific investments are for illustration only and are not intended as recommendations of individual investments. The forward-looking statements and other views expressed herein are those of the portfolio managers as of the date of this report. Actual future results or occurrences may differ significantly from those anticipated in any forward-looking statements and the views expressed herein are subject to change at any time, due to numerous market and other factors. The Funds disclaim any obligation to update publicly or revise any forward-looking statements or views expressed herein.

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund (JTP)
Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2 (JPS)
Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3 (JHP)

The Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Funds are sub-advised by a team of specialists at Spectrum Asset Management, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Principal Global Investors, LLC.. Mark Lieb and Phil Jacoby, who have more than 40 years of combined experience in the preferred securities markets, lead the team. Here Mark and Phil talk about their management strategy and the performance of each Fund for the six-month period ended June 30, 2010.

What was your management strategy during the period?

The investment objective of each Fund is to earn high current income consistent with capital preservation. Each Fund's secondary objective is to enhance portfolio value. Under normal market conditions, the Funds seek to invest at least 80% of their net assets in preferred securities and up to 20% in debt securities, including convertible debt securities and convertible preferred securities.

As we reported in the last shareholder report, the preferred securities market over the last several years has changed from an investment grade rated market, with more than 75% rated single A or higher, to a market where over 40% of all issues are rated below-investment grade, as measured by using the constituents of the Merrill Lynch Fixed Rated Preferred Index. In addition, the issuer concentration in the index has increased even further, with the largest five issuers now representing 40% of the Index's market value. As noted in the last report, the Funds' Board of Trustees adopted some changes in investment policies and procedures in response to these changing conditions. For much of the Funds' histories, all of their investments had to be rated investment grade at the time of purchase. The new guidelines now allow each Fund to have 20% of its net assets in securities rated below investment grade at the time of purchase. However, no Fund may purchase issues rated Caa1/CCC+ or lower, and if a portfolio holding is downgraded to that rating or below, the manager is required to sell the security as soon as practicable. Addressing the increase in issuer concentration, the new guidelines allow for a slightly greater concentration of higher rated securities from the same issuer within a portfolio, which allows managers more flexibility given the current market conditions.

The Board also expanded the internal duration guidelines followed by the Funds. Duration is a measure of price sensitivity to changes in market interest rates. The purpose of the Funds' duration guidelines is to help control their interest rate risk. This is a complex issue with regards to preferred securities since, depending on the underlying market

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Past performance is not predictive of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the data shown. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that shareholders may have to pay on Fund distributions or upon the sale of Fund shares.

For additional information, see the individual Performance Overview for your Fund in this report.

1 The Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is an unmanaged index that includes all investment-grade, publicly issued, fixed-rate, dollar denominated, nonconvertible debt issues and commercial mortgage backed securities with maturities of at least one year and outstanding par values of \$150 million or more. Index returns do not include the effects of any sales charges or management fees. It is not possible to invest directly in an index.

2 Comparative Benchmark performance is a blended return consisting of: 1) 55% of the Merrill Lynch Preferred Stock Hybrid Securities Index, an unmanaged index of investment-grade, exchange traded preferred stocks with outstanding market values of at least \$30 million and at least one year to maturity; and 2) 45% of the Barclays Capital Tier 1 Capital Securities Index, an unmanaged index that includes securities that can generally be viewed as hybrid fixed-income securities that either receive regulatory capital treatment or a degree of "equity credit" from a rating agency. Benchmark returns do not include the effects of any sales charges or management fees. It is not possible to invest directly in this Benchmark.

situation, preferreds could behave at times like equities and at other times like fixed income securities. In cases where preferred securities behave more like equities, interest rates are not drivers of performance and therefore not a significant risk factor. In other times, the market may perceive preferreds more as fixed income securities, making interest rate risk more relevant. The new internal guideline will help the Funds' managers distinguish between time periods when preferreds behave more like equities or fixed income, with specific duration policies implemented primarily during periods when preferred securities perform more like fixed income investments.

Looking at specific portfolio activity during this period, we increased our U.S. banking concentrations in the three Funds by about 2.4%. We also increased the Funds' holdings of real estate investment trusts (REITS) by about 0.6%. Additionally, we sold securities that we believed were trading at relatively attractive prices, and we used the proceeds to buy discounted preferred securities in an effort to preserve the capital of the Funds.

We also sought during this period to re-balance each Fund's foreign concentrations. Specifically, we reduced our Spanish banking concentrations 3% by closing the Banesto and Sovereign Bank positions. We also eliminated our exposure to Italy by closing UniCredito, and we sold the Mitsubishi UFJ Financial Group MUFG holdings to eliminate our Japan exposure. Conversely, we did increase French exposure by 2%. As a result of all these activities, we reduced our overall foreign issuer concentrations to 40% from 41%.

How did the Funds perform over this six-month period?

The performance of JTP, JPS and JHP, as well as a comparative index and benchmark, is presented in the accompanying table.

Average Annual Total Returns on Common Share Net Asset Value

For periods ended 6/30/10

	6-Month	1-Year	5-Year
JTP	8.80%	40.90%	-4.36%
JPS	7.11%	39.63%	-3.53%
JHP	6.14%	36.69%	-3.90%
Barclays Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index ¹	5.33%	9.50%	5.54%
Comparative Benchmark ²	5.03%	21.10%	1.35%

Six-month returns are cumulative; all other returns are annualized.

For this six-month period, all three Funds outperformed the general market and comparative benchmark indexes.

Among our largest positive contributors to the Funds' returns over the six-month reporting period were Agfirst Farm Credit, CoBank, Kimco Realty, CapitalOne and Wachovia. In general, the U.S. bank trust preferred sector benefited performance as many of these securities gained in price because some market observers believed they are likely to be gradually redeemed in response to certain provisions in the recently enacted financial sector reform bill.

Proactively, we closed out all of the Funds' Euro currency denominated issues in advance of the protracted currency weakness during the period. As a result, the Funds benefited from their reduced exposure.

While we were able to close out of the Euro currency dominated issues, the Funds' remaining holdings of foreign preferred securities constrained performance due to concerns over slow growth and the commensurate fiscal challenges of many Eurozone countries.

Our insurance holdings also detracted from performance. Investors sold insurance-related names in May, right at the same time that many dealers were looking to sell. This caused securities issued by companies like XL, Aegon and Hartford to underperform.

IMPACT OF THE FUNDS' CAPITAL STRUCTURES AND LEVERAGE STRATEGIES ON PERFORMANCE

One important factor impacting the returns of these Funds relative to the market and comparative indexes was the Funds' use of financial leverage, achieved primarily through the use of bank borrowings. The Funds use leverage because their managers believe that, over time, leveraging provides opportunities for additional income and total return for common shareholders. However, use of leverage also can expose common shareholders to additional risk especially when market conditions are unfavorable. For example, as the prices of securities held by a Fund decline, the negative impact of these valuation changes on common share net asset value and common shareholder total return is magnified by the use of leverage. Conversely, leverage may enhance common share returns during periods when the prices of portfolio holdings generally are rising.

Over the course of this six-month reporting period, leverage proved to be a net benefit for the performance of all three Funds.

RECENT EVENTS CONCERNING THE FUNDS' REDEMPTION OF AUCTION RATE PREFERRED SHARES

Shortly after their inceptions, each Fund issued auction rate preferred shares (ARPS) to create financial leverage. As noted in past shareholder reports, the weekly auctions for those ARPS shares began in February 2008 to consistently fail, causing the Funds to pay the so-called "maximum rate" to ARPS shareholders under the terms of the ARPS in the Funds' charter documents. With the goal of lowering the relative cost of leverage over time for common shareholders and providing liquidity at par for preferred shareholders, the Funds sought to refinance all of their outstanding ARPS beginning shortly thereafter. The Funds completed this refinancing process during 2009 and since then have relied upon bank borrowings to create financial leverage.

In April and May 2010, 30 Nuveen leveraged closed-end funds, including these Funds, received a demand letter from a law firm on behalf of purported holders of common shares of each fund, alleging that Nuveen and the funds' officers and Board of Directors/Trustees breached their fiduciary duties related to the redemption at par of the funds' ARPS. In response, the Board established an ad hoc Demand Committee consisting of disinterested and independent Board members to investigate the claims.

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The Demand Committee retained independent counsel to assist it in conducting an extensive investigation.

Upon completion of its review, the Demand Committee found that it was not in the best interests of the Funds or its shareholders to take the actions suggested in the demand letters and recommended that the full Board reject the demands made in the demand letter. After reviewing the findings and recommendations of the Demand Committee, the Board of Trustees for the Funds unanimously adopted the Demand Committee's recommendation to reject the demands contained in the letters. At the time this report was produced, lawsuits pursuing claims made in the demand letter had been filed on behalf of shareholders of several funds, including these Funds, against Nuveen Asset Management, the Nuveen holding company, the majority owner of the holding company, the lone interested trustee, and current and former officers of the various funds. Nuveen Investments and other named defendants believe these lawsuits to be without merit, and all named parties intend to defend themselves vigorously. The Funds believe that these lawsuits will not have a material effect on the Funds or on Nuveen Investment Management's ability to serve as investment adviser to the Funds.

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Common Share Distribution and Share Price Information

The following information regarding your Fund's distributions is current as of June 30, 2010, and likely will vary over time based on each Fund's investment activities and portfolio investment value changes.

During the six-month reporting period, the Funds did not make any changes to their monthly distributions to common shareholders. Some of the important factors affecting the amount and composition of these distributions are summarized below.

The Funds employ financial leverage through the use of bank borrowings. Financial leverage provides the potential for higher earnings (net investment income), total returns and distributions over time, but as noted earlier also increases the variability of common shareholders' net asset value per share in response to changing market conditions. During the current reporting period, each Fund's financial leverage contributed positively to common share income and common share net asset value price return.

During certain periods, the Funds may pay dividends at a rate that may be more or less than the amount of net investment income actually earned by the Funds during the period. If a Fund has cumulatively earned more than it has paid in dividends, it holds excess in reserve as undistributed net investment income (UNII) as part of the Fund's NAV. Conversely, if a Fund has cumulatively paid dividends in excess of earnings, the excess constitutes negative UNII that is likewise reflected in a Funds' NAV. As of June 30, 2010, all three Funds had positive UNII balances, based upon our best estimate, for tax purposes and positive UNII balances for financial statement purposes.

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The following table provides estimated information regarding each Fund's common share distributions and total return performance for the six months ended June 30, 2010. The distribution information is presented on a tax basis rather than a generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) basis. This information is intended to help you better understand whether the Funds' returns for the specified time period were sufficient to meet each Fund's distributions.

As of 6/30/10 (Common Shares)	JTP	JPS	JHP
Inception date	6/25/02	9/24/02	12/18/02
Six months ended June 30, 2010:			
Per share distribution:			
From net investment income	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.31
From realized capital gains	0.00	0.00	0.00
Return of capital	0.00	0.00	0.00
Total per share distribution	\$ 0.29	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.31
Annualized distribution rate on NAV	7.84%	8.12%	8.17%
Average annual total returns:			
Six-Month (Cumulative) on NAV	8.80%	7.11%	6.14%
1-Year on NAV	40.90%	39.63%	36.69%
5-Year on NAV	-4.36%	-3.53%	-3.90%
Since inception on NAV	0.59%	1.65%	0.61%

Common Share Repurchases and Shares Price Information

Since the inception of the Funds' repurchase program, the Funds have not repurchased any of their outstanding common shares.

As of June 30, 2010, the Funds' common share prices were trading at (-) discounts to their common share NAVs as shown in the accompanying table.

Fund	6/30/10 (-) Discount	Six-Month Average (-) Discount
JTP	-3.24%	-6.89%
JPS	-4.70%	-5.77%
JHP	-3.95%	-5.28%

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Fund Snapshot

Common Share Price	\$ 7.16
Common Share Net Asset Value	\$ 7.40
Premium/(Discount) to NAV	-3.24%
Current Distribution Rate ¹	8.04%
Net Assets Applicable to	
Common Shares (\$000)	\$ 477,980

Average Annual Total Return

(Inception 6/25/02)

	On Share Price	On NAV
6-Month (Cumulative)	13.56%	8.80%
1-Year	41.59%	40.90%
5-Year	-3.62%	-4.36%
Since Inception	-0.08%	0.59%

Portfolio Composition

(as a % of total investments)

Insurance	28.1%
Commercial Banks	26.1%
Real Estate/Mortgage	14.1%
Media	6.2%
Capital Markets	5.1%
Diversified Financial Services	4.5%
Short-Term Investments	1.6%
Other	14.3%

Top Five Issuers

(as a % of total investments)²

Firststar Realty LLC	3.7%
Viacom Inc.	3.0%
Kimco Realty Corporation	2.7%
Comcast Corporation	2.7%
Wells Fargo	2.6%

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OVERVIEW

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund

as of June 30, 2010

Portfolio Allocation (as a % of total investments)

2009-2010 Monthly Distributions Per Common Share

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

¹ Current Distribution Rate is based on the Fund's current annualized monthly distribution divided by the Fund's current market price. The Fund's monthly distributions to its shareholders may be comprised of ordinary income, net realized capital gains and, if at the end of the calendar year the Fund's cumulative net ordinary income and net realized gains are less than the amount of the Fund's distributions, a tax return of capital.

² Excluding short-term investments.

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2

as of June 30, 2010

Portfolio Allocation (as a % of total investments)

2009-2010 Monthly Distributions Per Common Share

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

1 Current Distribution Rate is based on the Fund's current annualized monthly distribution divided by the Fund's current market price. The Fund's monthly distributions to its shareholders may be comprised of ordinary income, net realized capital gains and, if at the end of the calendar year the Fund's cumulative net ordinary income and net realized gains are less than the amount of the Fund's distributions, a tax return of capital.

2 Excluding short-term investments.

Fund Snapshot

Common Share Price	\$	7.51
Common Share Net Asset Value	\$	7.88
Premium/(Discount) to NAV		-4.70%
Current Distribution Rate ¹		8.63%
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares (\$000)	\$	947,569

Average Annual Total Return

(Inception 9/24/02)

	On Share Price	On NAV
6-Month (Cumulative)	8.09%	7.11%

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1-Year	31.84%	39.63%
5-Year	-2.87%	-3.53%
Since Inception	0.74%	1.65%

Portfolio Composition

(as a % of total investments)

Commercial Banks	28.1%
Insurance	25.6%
Real Estate/Mortgage	13.9%
Media	6.0%
Diversified Financial Services	5.4%
Capital Markets	4.9%
Short-Term Investments	1.9%
Other	14.2%

Top Five Issuers

(as a % of total investments)²

Wells Fargo	5.2%
Deutsche Bank AG	3.1%
Credit Agricole, S.A.	3.0%
Vodafone Group, PLC	2.7%
Comcast Corporation	2.6%

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Fund Snapshot

Common Share Price	\$ 7.29
Common Share Net Asset Value	\$ 7.59
Premium/(Discount) to NAV	-3.95%
Current Distribution Rate ¹	8.40%
Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares (\$000)	\$ 179,967

Average Annual Total Return

(Inception 12/18/02)

	On Share Price	On NAV
6-Month (Cumulative)	9.35%	6.14%
1-Year	33.76%	36.69%
5-Year	-3.93%	-3.90%
Since Inception	-0.27%	0.61%

Portfolio Composition

(as a % of total investments)

Commercial Banks	30.0%
Insurance	27.6%
Real Estate/Mortgage	12.0%
Capital Markets	5.9%
Diversified Financial Services	5.0%
Media	3.2%
Short-Term Investments	1.6%
Other	14.7%

Top Five Issuers

(as a % of total investments)²

Wells Fargo	4.9%
Deutsche Bank AG	3.5%
Societe Generale	3.0%
Credit Agricole, S.A.	2.8%
Viacom Inc.	2.7%

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Performance

OVERVIEW

Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3

as of June 30, 2010

Portfolio Allocation (as a % of total investments)

2009-2010 Monthly Distributions Per Common Share

Common Share Price Performance Weekly Closing Price

¹ Current Distribution Rate is based on the Fund's current annualized monthly distribution divided by the Fund's current market price. The Fund's monthly distributions to its shareholders may be comprised of ordinary income, net realized capital gains and, if at the end of the calendar year the Fund's cumulative net ordinary income and net realized gains are less than the amount of the Fund's distributions, a tax return of capital.

² Excluding short-term investments.

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Shareholder MEETING REPORT

The annual meeting of shareholders was held in the offices of Nuveen Investments on April 6, 2010; at this meeting the shareholders were asked to vote on the election of Board Members.

	JTP Common Shares	JPS Common Shares	JHP Common Shares
Approval of the Board Members was reached as follows:			
William C. Hunter			
For	56,578,350	105,129,948	20,383,849
Withhold	2,072,580	5,097,835	636,303
Total	58,650,930	110,227,783	21,020,152
Judith M. Stockdale			
For	56,472,028	105,075,120	20,357,886
Withhold	2,178,902	5,152,663	662,266
Total	58,650,930	110,227,783	21,020,152
Carole E. Stone			
For	56,418,564	105,125,911	20,357,001
Withhold	2,232,366	5,101,872	663,151
Total	58,650,930	110,227,783	21,020,152
William J. Schneider			
For	56,583,020	105,078,707	20,385,029
Withhold	2,067,910	5,149,076	635,123
Total	58,650,930	110,227,783	21,020,152

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS

June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	\$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities	71.3% (53.8% of Total Investments)		
	Capital Markets 6.2%			
137,200	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	7.750%	A	\$ 3,644,032
123,400	BNY Capital Trust V, Series F	5.950%	A1	3,103,510
554,676	Credit Suisse	7.900%	A3	14,116,504
241,721	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust II	6.550%	BBB+	4,989,121
83,000	Deutsche Bank Contingent Capital Trust III	7.600%	BBB+	1,934,730
37,900	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSC-3 (PPLUS)	6.000%	A3	762,927
43,900	Morgan Stanley Capital Trust IV	6.250%	BBB	935,948
	Total Capital Markets			29,486,772
	Commercial Banks 10.0%			
327,038	Banco Santander Finance	10.500%	A-	8,718,833
2,100	Barclays Bank PLC	6.625%	A-	42,714
118,500	BB&T Capital Trust VI	9.600%	A3	3,225,570
30,800	BB&T Capital Trust VII	8.100%	A3	801,724
116,800	CoBank ACB, 144A	7.000%	N/R	5,128,256
46,000	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	2,511,315
48,600	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	2,698,821
1,500	First Union Institutional Capital II (CORTS)	8.200%	A-	39,225
6,300	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series 2003-06 (SATURNS)	6.000%	Aa3	134,946
2,200	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSG-1 (PPLUS)	6.000%	A1	47,102
4,500	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSG-2 (PPLUS)	5.750%	A1	91,800
13,800	HSBC Holdings PLC	6.200%	A-	296,010
80,308	Merrill Lynch Preferred Capital Trust V	7.280%	Baa3	1,790,868
5,000,000	National Australia Bank	8.000%	A+	5,181,250
275,041	National City Capital Trust II	6.625%	BBB	6,391,953
19,400	National City Capital Trust II	6.625%	BBB	441,156
200,000	PFCI Capital Corporation	7.750%	BBB+	5,200,000
20,400	Wachovia Capital Trust IX	6.375%	A-	469,404
120,000	Wells Fargo Capital Trust XII	7.875%	A-	3,078,000
60,000	Wells Fargo Capital Trust IX	5.625%	A-	1,314,000
	Total Commercial Banks			47,602,947
	Diversified Financial Services 3.3%			
800	Citigroup Capital XIV	6.875%	Ba1	16,608

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36,200	ING Groep N.V.	7.375%	Ba1	679,474
625,276	ING Groep N.V.	7.200%	Ba1	11,648,892
47,500	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XXIX	6.700%	A2	1,126,225
35,100	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corporation	6.100%	A3	874,341
62,465	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corporation	5.950%	A3	1,533,516
	Total Diversified Financial Services			15,879,056
	Diversified Telecommunication Services 0.5%			
13,300	BellSouth Capital Funding (CORTS)	7.120%	A	334,994
79,135	BellSouth Corporation (CORTS)	7.000%	A	1,975,906
7,594	Verizon Communications, Series 2004-1 (SATURNS)	6.125%	A	190,913
	Total Diversified Telecommunication Services			2,501,813
	Electric Utilities 2.0%			
44,916	Entergy Louisiana LLC	6.000%	A-	1,119,756
181,800	Entergy Texas Inc.	7.875%	BBB+	5,063,130
47,425	FPL Group Capital Inc.	6.600%	BBB	1,206,018
89,700	PPL Energy Supply LLC	7.000%	BBB	2,275,689
	Total Electric Utilities			9,664,593

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Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	Food Products 0.5%			
28,100	Dairy Farmers of America Inc., 144A	7.875%	BBB-	\$ 2,373,573
	Insurance 20.3%			
795,723	Aegon N.V.	6.375%	BBB	13,988,810
277,700	Allianz SE	8.375%	A+	7,037,973
492,912	Arch Capital Group Limited	8.000%	BBB-	12,426,312
2,200	Arch Capital Group Limited, Series B	7.875%	BBB-	55,572
179,491	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	8.000%	BBB	4,519,583
228,300	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	7.376%	BB+	4,508,925
621,204	EverestRe Capital Trust II	6.200%	Baa1	12,610,441
210,720	Markel Corporation	7.500%	BBB	5,459,755
276,599	PartnerRe Limited, Series C	6.750%	BBB+	6,264,967
46,939	PartnerRe Limited, Series D	6.500%	BBB+	1,027,964
40,600	PLC Capital Trust III	7.500%	BBB	971,152
386,042	PLC Capital Trust IV	7.250%	BBB	9,315,193
4,200	PLC Capital Trust V	6.125%	BBB	86,730
166,360	Prudential PLC	6.750%	A-	3,841,252
64,600	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series B	7.300%	BBB+	1,551,046
34,500	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series C	6.080%	BBB+	675,855
235,502	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series D	6.600%	BBB+	5,075,068
317,100	W. R. Berkley Corporation, Capital Trust II	6.750%	BBB-	7,680,162
	Total Insurance			97,096,760
	IT Services 0.1%			
21,800	Vertex Industries Inc. (PPLUS)	7.625%	A	562,658
	Media 8.2%			
16,000	CBS Corporation	7.250%	BBB-	390,560
131,141	CBS Corporation	6.750%	BBB-	3,126,401
618,684	Comcast Corporation	7.000%	BBB+	15,702,200
47,000	Comcast Corporation	6.625%	BBB+	1,149,150
747,738	Viacom Inc.	6.850%	BBB	18,626,154
	Total Media			38,994,465
	Multi-Utilities 3.7%			
245,000	Dominion Resources Inc.	8.375%	BBB	6,811,000
10,000	Scana Corporation	7.700%	BBB-	273,900
396,642	Xcel Energy Inc.	7.600%	BBB	10,590,341
	Total Multi-Utilities			17,675,241
	Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels 2.5%			
477,470	Nexen Inc.	7.350%	BB+	11,793,509
	Pharmaceuticals 0.1%			
19,600	Bristol Myers Squibb Company (CORTS)	6.250%	A+	497,252
900	Bristol-Myers Squibb Company Trust (CORTS)	6.800%	A+	23,445
	Total Pharmaceuticals			520,697
	Real Estate/Mortgage 13.9%			
153,147	Developers Diversified Realty Corporation, Series H	7.375%	Ba1	3,156,360
80,607	Duke Realty Corporation, Series L	6.600%	Baa3	1,661,310
31,000	Duke Realty Corporation, Series N	7.250%	Baa3	690,060

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3,800	HRPT Properties Trust	7.500%	BBB	75,202
501,339	HRPT Properties Trust, Series B	8.750%	Baa3	12,638,756
18,500	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series F	6.650%	Baa2	436,415
652,387	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series G	7.750%	Baa2	16,590,201
92,378	Prologis Trust, Series G	6.750%	Baa3	1,814,304

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund (continued)

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Shares	Description (1)	Coupon		Ratings (2)	Value
Real Estate/Mortgage (continued)					
11,800	Public Storage, Inc., Series E	6.750%		Baa1	\$ 289,454
3,300	Public Storage, Inc., Series F	6.450%		Baa1	77,121
800	Public Storage, Inc., Series H	6.950%		Baa1	20,016
4,000	Public Storage, Inc., Series K	7.250%		Baa1	101,400
10,000	Public Storage, Inc., Series M	6.625%		Baa1	243,600
2,000	Public Storage, Inc., Series W	6.500%		Baa1	46,920
107,100	Public Storage, Inc., Series Y, (3)	6.850%		Baa1	2,573,752
44,400	Realty Income Corporation	7.375%		Baa2	1,143,744
105,700	Realty Income Corporation, Series E	6.750%		Baa2	2,537,857
10,155	Regency Centers Corporation	7.250%		BBB-	234,378
437,734	Vornado Realty LP	7.875%		BBB	10,995,879
165,282	Wachovia Preferred Funding Corporation	7.250%		A-	3,824,626
299,102	Weingarten Realty Investors, Series F	6.500%		Baa3	6,520,425
34,365	Weingarten Realty Trust	8.100%		BBB	763,590
100	Weingarten Realty Trust, Series E	6.950%		Baa3	2,230
	Total Real Estate/Mortgage				66,437,600
Wireless Telecommunication Services 0.0%					
2,100	United States Cellular Corporation	7.500%		Baa2	52,269
	Total \$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities (cost \$353,208,464)				340,641,953
Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Corporate Bonds 0.7% (0.5% of Total Investments)					
Electric Utilities 0.7%					
\$ 3,400	FPL Group Capital Inc.	6.650%	6/15/17	BBB	\$ 3,115,189
\$ 3,400	Total Corporate Bonds (cost \$3,244,478)				3,115,189
Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Capital Preferred Securities 55.3% (41.7% of Total Investments)					
Capital Markets 0.6%					
900	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	6.345%	2/15/34	A3	\$ 809,879
2,200	UBS Preferred Funding Trust I	8.622%	10/01/51	BBB-	2,148,513
	Total Capital Markets				2,958,392
Commercial Banks 24.6%					
9,600	AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	8.393%	12/15/11	A	9,384,000
2,400	AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	7.300%	12/15/53	A	2,113,783
4,420	Banco Santander Finance	10.500%	9/29/49	A-	4,647,727
2,800	Barclays Bank PLC	6.278%	12/15/34	A-	2,128,000
2,500	BB&T Capital Trust IV	6.820%	6/12/37	A3	2,284,375
2,800	BBVA International Unipersonal	5.919%	4/18/17	A-	2,035,670
1,000	BNP Paribas, 144A	7.195%	12/25/37	A	880,000
408	CBA Capital Trust I, 144A	5.805%	12/30/49	A+	398,125
5,550	Credit Agricole, S.A., 144A	8.375%	12/31/49	A-	5,272,500

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9,550	Credit Agricole, S.A.	9.750%	12/26/54	A-	9,836,500
850	First Union Capital Trust I, Series A	7.935%	1/15/27	A-	863,770
5,400	First Union Institutional Capital Securities I	8.040%	12/01/26	A-	5,543,872
3,500	Fulton Capital Trust I	6.290%	2/01/36	BBB-	2,313,091
11,650	HSBC Capital Funding LP, Debt	10.176%	6/30/50	A-	14,009,125
2,000	KeyCorp Capital III	7.750%	7/15/29	Baa3	1,984,430
2,509	NB Capital Trust II	7.830%	12/15/26	Baa3	2,484,983
5,000	Nordea Bank AB	8.375%	3/25/15	A-	5,300,000
400	Northgroup Preferred Capital Corporation, 144A	6.378%	10/15/57	A	359,955

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Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Commercial Banks (continued)					
\$ 13,100	Rabobank Nederland, 144A	11.000%	6/30/19	AA-	\$ 16,224,009
17,500	Reliance Capital Trust I, Series B	8.170%	5/01/28	N/R	13,562,203
7,000	Societe Generale	8.750%	10/07/49	BBB+	7,065,072
1,600	Sovereign Capital Trust VI	7.908%	6/13/36	BBB+	1,485,760
3,000	Sparebanken Rogaland, Notes, 144A	6.443%	5/01/49	Ba1	2,699,508
2,600	Standard Chartered PLC, 144A	6.409%	1/30/17	BBB	2,274,145
1,550	Standard Chartered PLC, 144A	7.014%	7/30/37	BBB	1,385,071
1,200	Wachovia Capital Trust V, 144A	7.965%	6/01/27	A-	1,200,517
	Total Commercial Banks				117,736,191
Diversified Financial Services 2.6%					
400	Bank One Capital III	8.750%	9/01/30	A2	470,636
2	Citigroup Capital Trust XII	8.500%	3/30/15	Ba1	47,481
4,800	JPMorgan Chase & Company	7.900%	4/30/49	BBB+	4,963,675
4,000	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XXVII	7.000%	11/01/39	A2	4,080,512
1,140	JPMorgan Chase Capital XXV	6.800%	10/01/37	A2	1,130,205
1,800	MBNA Corporation, Capital Trust A	8.278%	12/01/26	Baa3	1,768,500
	Total Diversified Financial Services				12,461,009
Diversified Telecommunication Services 3.3%					
15	Centaur Funding Corporation, Series B	9.080%	4/21/20	BBB	15,898,125
Electric Utilities 0.5%					
2,300	Dominion Resources Inc.	7.500%	6/30/16	BBB	2,268,184
Insurance 17.0%					
3,500	Allstate Corporation	6.125%	5/15/17	Baa1	3,101,875
11,550	AXA S.A., 144A	6.463%	12/14/18	Baa1	9,110,063
3,000	AXA S.A., 144A	6.379%	12/14/36	Baa1	2,381,250
5,500	Great West Life & Annuity Capital I, 144A	6.625%	11/15/34	A-	5,297,738
3,800	Great West Life and Annuity Insurance Company, 144A	7.153%	5/16/16	A-	3,382,000
5,200	Hartford Financial Services Group Inc.	8.125%	6/15/18	BB+	4,758,000
2,500	Lincoln National Corporation	6.050%	4/20/17	BBB	1,900,000
5,100	Lincoln National Corporation	7.000%	5/17/66	BBB	4,296,750
6,300	MetLife Capital Trust IV, 144A	7.875%	12/15/37	BBB	6,079,500
10,150	National Financial Services Inc.	6.750%	5/15/37	Baa2	7,655,739
1,400	Nationwide Financial Services Capital Trust	7.899%	3/01/37	Baa2	902,566
4,700	Oil Insurance Limited, 144A	7.558%	6/30/11	Baa1	4,103,363
7,400	Old Mutual Capital Funding, Notes	8.000%	6/22/53	Baa3	6,475,000
3,200	Prudential Financial Inc.	8.875%	6/15/18	BBB+	3,408,000
2,000	Prudential PLC	6.500%	6/29/49	A-	1,665,000
22,000	XL Capital, Limited	6.500%	10/15/57	BBB-	15,400,000
1,260	ZFS Finance USA Trust V	6.500%	5/09/67	A	1,140,300
	Total Insurance				81,057,144
Real Estate 4.8%					
19	Firststar Realty LLC, 144A	8.875%	12/31/50	A2	22,912,813
Road & Rail 1.5%					
7,600	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Funding Trust I	6.613%	1/15/26	BBB	7,256,685
Thriffs & Mortgage Finance 0.4%					

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2,000	Caisse Nationale Des Caisses d'Epargne et de Prevoyance	6.750%	1/27/49	BBB-	1,600,000
	Total Capital Preferred Securities (cost \$282,677,307)				264,148,543

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund (continued)

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Shares	Description (1)	Value		
	Investment Companies 3.1% (2.4% of Total Investments)			
315,548	BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust II	\$ 3,101,837		
415,561	Flaherty and Crumrine/Claymore Preferred Securities Income Fund Inc.	6,491,063		
352,012	John Hancock Preferred Income Fund III	5,431,545		
	Total Investment Companies (cost \$20,895,950)	15,024,445		
Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Value
	Short-Term Investments 2.1% (1.6% of Total Investments)			
\$ 10,213	Repurchase Agreement with Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, dated 6/30/10, repurchase price \$10,213,203, collateralized by \$10,460,000 U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.500%, due 6/30/17, value \$10,420,775	0.000%	7/01/10	\$ 10,213,203
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$10,213,203)			10,213,203
	Total Investments (cost \$670,239,402) 132.5%			633,143,333
	Borrowings (32.1)% (4), (5)			(153,375,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities (0.4)%			(1,788,117)
	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares 100%			\$ 477,980,216

For Fund portfolio compliance purposes, the Fund's industry classifications refer to any one or more of the industry sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or ratings group indexes, and/or as defined by Fund management. This definition may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine industry sub-classifications into sectors for reporting ease.

(1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to Common shares unless otherwise noted.

(2) Ratings: Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investor Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade.

(3) Non-income producing; issuer has not declared a dividend within the past twelve months.

(4) Borrowings as a percentage of Total Investments is 24.2%.

(5) The Fund may pledge up to 100% of its eligible investments in the Portfolio of Investments as collateral for Borrowings. As of June 30, 2010, investments with a value of \$375,403,323 have been pledged as collateral for Borrowings.

N/R Not rated.

144A Investment is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. These investments may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration, which are normally those transactions with qualified institutional buyers.

CORTS Corporate Backed Trust Securities.

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS

June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	\$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities	70.4% (54.3% of Total Investments)		
	Capital Markets 5.2%			
381,200	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	7.750%	A	\$ 10,124,672
6,400	Credit Suisse	7.900%	A3	162,880
92,800	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust I	7.350%	BBB+	2,092,640
1,253,735	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust II	6.550%	BBB+	25,877,090
40,500	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust V	8.050%	BBB+	1,004,400
95,651	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust VIII	6.375%	BBB+	1,995,280
35,600	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust IX	6.625%	BBB+	758,636
256,400	Deutsche Bank Contingent Capital Trust III	7.600%	BBB+	5,976,684
1,800	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series 2003-11 (SATURNS)	5.625%	A1	36,270
70,214	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSC-3 (PPLUS)	6.000%	A3	1,413,408
2,200	Morgan Stanley Capital Trust III	6.250%	BBB	47,608
2,800	Morgan Stanley Capital Trust V	5.750%	Baa2	56,084
	Total Capital Markets			49,545,652
	Commercial Banks 8.4%			
599,080	Assured Guaranty Municipal Holdings	6.250%	A+	10,711,550
216,324	Banco Santander Finance	10.500%	A-	5,767,198
243,928	BB&T Capital Trust VI	9.600%	A3	6,639,720
66,429	BB&T Capital Trust VII	8.100%	A3	1,729,147
227,100	CoBank ACB, 144A	7.000%	N/R	9,971,121
82,000	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	4,476,692
42,800	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	2,376,740
5,000	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSC-4 Class A (PPLUS)	6.000%	A3	103,450
4,000	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSG-1 (PPLUS)	6.000%	A1	85,640
10,500,000	HSBC Bank PLC	1.000%	A	6,378,750
390,000	HSBC Holdings PLC, (3)	8.000%	A-	9,835,332
102,700	HSBC Holdings PLC	6.200%	A-	2,202,915
7,100,000	National Australia Bank	8.000%	A+	7,357,375
202,101	National City Capital Trust II	6.625%	BBB	4,696,827
289,600	PFCI Capital Corporation	7.750%	BBB+	7,529,600
	Total Commercial Banks			79,862,057
	Consumer Finance 0.1%			
19,700	HSBC USA Inc., Series H	6.500%	A-	475,164

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Diversified Financial Services 3.0%				
799,762	ING Groep N.V.	7.200%	Ba1	14,899,566
729,555	ING Groep N.V.	7.050%	Ba1	13,336,265
23,600	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XI	5.875%	A2	542,328
Total Diversified Financial Services				28,778,159
Diversified Telecommunication Services 0.2%				
6,896	BellSouth Capital Funding (CORTS)	7.120%	A	173,693
43,200	BellSouth Corporation (CORTS)	7.000%	A	1,078,652
4,900	Verizon Communications, Series 2004-1 (SATURNS)	6.125%	A	123,186
Total Diversified Telecommunication Services				1,375,531
Electric Utilities 1.7%				
69,300	Entergy Texas Inc.	7.875%	BBB+	1,930,005
10,942	FPL Group Capital Inc.	6.600%	BBB	278,255
218,000	PPL Capital Funding, Inc.	6.850%	BBB-	5,526,300
319,475	PPL Energy Supply LLC	7.000%	BBB	8,105,081
Total Electric Utilities				15,839,641

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2 (continued)

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	Food Products 0.5%			
53,400	Dairy Farmers of America Inc., 144A	7.875%	BBB-	\$ 4,510,634
	Insurance 19.1%			
1,300	Aegon N.V.	6.875%	BBB	24,323
1,742,889	Aegon N.V.	6.375%	BBB	30,639,989
617,913	Allianz SE	8.375%	A+	15,660,263
963,483	Arch Capital Group Limited	8.000%	BBB-	24,289,406
1,400	Arch Capital Group Limited, Series B	7.875%	BBB-	35,364
558,538	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	8.000%	BBB	14,063,987
404,400	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	7.376%	BB+	7,986,900
301,900	EverestRe Capital Trust II	6.200%	Baa1	6,128,570
485,400	Markel Corporation	7.500%	BBB	12,576,714
604,741	PartnerRe Limited, Series C	6.750%	BBB+	13,697,384
107,300	PLC Capital Trust III	7.500%	BBB	2,566,616
443,898	PLC Capital Trust IV	7.250%	BBB	10,711,259
12,463	Protective Life Corporation	7.250%	BBB	297,866
200,842	Prudential Financial Inc.	9.000%	BBB+	5,458,886
322,005	Prudential PLC	6.750%	A-	7,435,095
139,500	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series B	7.300%	BBB+	3,349,395
410,974	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series D	6.600%	BBB+	8,856,490
4,200	Torchmark Capital Trust III	7.100%	BBB+	104,244
720,846	W. R. Berkley Corporation, Capital Trust II	6.750%	BBB-	17,458,890
	Total Insurance			181,341,641
	IT Services 0.0%			
1,900	Vertex Industries Inc. (PPLUS)	7.625%	A	49,039
	Media 7.8%			
28,163	CBS Corporation	7.250%	BBB-	687,459
746,750	CBS Corporation	6.750%	BBB-	17,802,520
1,084,356	Comcast Corporation	7.000%	BBB+	27,520,955
145,000	Comcast Corporation	6.625%	BBB+	3,545,250
965,340	Viacom Inc.	6.850%	BBB	24,046,619
	Total Media			73,602,803
	Multi-Utilities 4.2%			
543,823	Dominion Resources Inc.	8.375%	BBB	15,118,279
148,500	Scana Corporation	7.700%	BBB-	4,067,415
773,482	Xcel Energy Inc.	7.600%	BBB	20,651,969
	Total Multi-Utilities			39,837,663
	Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels 2.1%			
803,273	Nexen Inc.	7.350%	BB+	19,840,843
	Pharmaceuticals 0.0%			
5,000		6.250%	A+	126,850

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	Bristol Myers Squibb Company (CORTS)			
	Real Estate/Mortgage 18.0%			
268,403	Developers Diversified Realty Corporation, Series G	8.000%	Ba1	6,114,220
19,908	Developers Diversified Realty Corporation, Series H	7.375%	Ba1	410,304
162,167	Duke Realty Corporation, Series L	6.600%	Baa3	3,342,262
8,300	Harris Preferred Capital Corporation, Series A	7.375%	A-	206,504
957,365	HRPT Properties Trust, Series B	8.750%	Baa3	24,135,172
42,480	HRPT Properties Trust, Series C	7.125%	Baa3	967,694
73,300	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series F	6.650%	Baa2	1,729,147
799,689	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series G	7.750%	Baa2	20,336,091
89,050	Prologis Trust, Series G	6.750%	Baa3	1,748,942

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Shares	Description (1)	Coupon		Ratings (2)	Value
Real Estate/Mortgage (continued)					
11,500	Public Storage, Inc., Series C	6.600%		Baa1	\$ 276,460
110,300	Public Storage, Inc., Series E	6.750%		Baa1	2,705,659
10,900	Public Storage, Inc., Series F	6.450%		Baa1	254,733
400	Public Storage, Inc., Series G	7.000%		Baa1	10,072
17,530	Public Storage, Inc., Series H	6.950%		Baa1	438,601
18,000	Public Storage, Inc., Series I	7.250%		Baa1	454,680
40,600	Public Storage, Inc., Series K	7.250%		Baa1	1,029,210
67,600	Public Storage, Inc., Series Y, (3)	6.850%		Baa1	1,624,516
115,100	Realty Income Corporation	7.375%		Baa2	2,964,976
447,758	Realty Income Corporation, Series E	6.750%		Baa2	10,750,670
190,545	Regency Centers Corporation	7.450%		Baa3	4,553,073
221,836	Regency Centers Corporation	7.250%		BBB-	5,119,975
1,079,521	Vornado Realty LP	7.875%		BBB	27,117,568
1,870,792	Wachovia Preferred Funding Corporation	7.250%		A-	43,290,125
198,268	Weingarten Realty Investors, Series F	6.500%		Baa3	4,322,242
160,100	Weingarten Realty Trust	8.100%		BBB	3,557,422
149,245	Weingarten Realty Trust, Series E	6.950%		Baa3	3,328,164
	Total Real Estate/Mortgage				170,788,482
Wireless Telecommunication Services 0.1%					
37,100	Telephone and Data Systems Inc.	7.600%		Baa2	926,387
3,900	United States Cellular Corporation	7.500%		Baa2	97,072
	Total Wireless Telecommunication Services				1,023,459
	Total \$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities (cost \$700,252,738)				666,997,618
Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Corporate Bonds 0.8% (0.6% of Total Investments)					
Commercial Banks 0.0%					
\$ 650	Swedbank ForengingsSparbanken AB, 144A	7.500%	9/11/12	Ba1	\$ 631,338
Electric Utilities 0.8%					
8,000	FPL Group Capital Inc.	6.650%	6/15/17	BBB	7,329,856
\$ 8,650	Total Corporate Bonds (cost \$8,140,963)				7,961,194
Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Capital Preferred Securities 52.3% (40.3% of Total Investments)					
Capital Markets 1.2%					
1,500	Credit Suisse Guernsey	1.126%	5/15/17	A3	\$ 1,068,075
2,700	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	6.345%	2/15/34	A3	2,429,638
7,900	UBS Perferred Funding Trust I	8.622%	10/01/51	BBB-	7,715,116
	Total Capital Markets				11,212,829
Commercial Banks 27.9%					
5,500	AB Svensk Exportkredit, (3)	6.375%	10/27/49	Aa3	4,667,718
20,400	AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	8.393%	12/15/11	A	19,941,000
6,800	AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	7.300%	12/15/53	A	5,989,052
10,724	Banco Santander Finance	10.500%	9/29/49	A-	11,276,522
481	Barclays Bank PLC, 144A	7.434%	12/15/17	A-	432,900
5,000	Barclays Bank PLC	6.278%	12/15/34	A-	3,800,000

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6,353	BB&T Capital Trust IV	6.820%	6/12/37	A3	5,805,054
8,650	BBVA International Unipersonal	5.919%	4/18/17	A-	6,288,766
7,000	BNP Paribas, 144A	7.195%	12/25/37	A	6,160,000
6,475	Credit Agricole, S.A., 144A	8.375%	12/31/49	A-	6,151,250

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Portfolio of INVESTMENTS June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Commercial Banks (continued)					
29,174	Credit Agricole, S.A.	9.750%	12/26/54	A-	\$ 30,049,220
8,500	Credit Suisse thru Claudius Limited	8.250%	6/27/49	A3	8,818,750
1,500	First Empire Capital Trust I	8.234%	2/01/27	Baa2	1,394,702
17,095	First Union Capital Trust II, Series A	7.950%	11/15/29	A-	19,015,948
6,800	Fulton Capital Trust I	6.290%	2/01/36	BBB-	4,494,004
5,500	HSBC Bank PLC	0.850%	6/11/49	A	3,355,000
4,650	HSBC Capital Funding LP, Debt	10.176%	6/30/50	A-	5,591,625
6,000	KeyCorp Capital III	7.750%	7/15/29	Baa3	5,953,290
6,900	LBG Capital I PLC	8.000%	6/15/20	B+	5,416,500
11,900	Nordea Bank AB	8.375%	3/25/15	A-	12,614,000
8,000	North Fork Capital Trust II	8.000%	12/15/27	Baa3	7,840,000
5,600	Northgroup Preferred Capital Corporation, 144A	6.378%	10/15/57	A	5,039,367
24,200	Rabobank Nederland, 144A	11.000%	6/30/19	AA-	29,971,071
8,000	Reliance Capital Trust I, Series B	8.170%	5/01/28	N/R	6,199,864
28,316	Societe Generale	8.750%	10/07/49	BBB+	28,579,226
5,000	Sparebanken Rogaland, Notes, 144A	6.443%	5/01/49	Ba1	4,499,180
650	Standard Chartered PLC, 144A	7.014%	7/30/37	BBB	580,836
(4)	Union Planters Preferred Fund, 144A	7.750%	7/15/53	Ba3	14,527,500
Total Commercial Banks					264,452,345
Consumer Finance 0.4%					
4,819	Capital One Capital IV Corporation	6.745%	2/17/32	Baa3	4,072,055
Diversified Financial Services 3.9%					
5,000	Bank One Capital III	8.750%	9/01/30	A2	5,882,950
12,811	Countrywide Capital Trust III, Series B	8.050%	6/15/27	Baa3	12,743,998
2,500	JPMorgan Chase & Company	7.900%	4/30/49	BBB+	2,585,248
3,000	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XVIII	6.950%	8/17/36	A2	3,007,368
1,775	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XX Series T	6.550%	9/29/36	A2	1,702,213
8,000	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XXVII	7.000%	11/01/39	A2	8,161,024
3,200	MBNA Corporation, Capital Trust A	8.278%	12/01/26	Baa3	3,144,000
Total Diversified Financial Services					37,226,801
Diversified Telecommunication Services 3.4%					
31	Centaur Funding Corporation, Series B	9.080%	4/21/20	BBB	32,578,125
Electric Utilities 0.7%					
6,400	Dominion Resources Inc.	7.500%	6/30/16	BBB	6,311,469
Insurance 14.1%					
2,200	AXA S.A., 144A	6.463%	12/14/18	Baa1	1,735,250
12,680	AXA S.A., 144A	6.379%	12/14/36	Baa1	10,064,750
6,750	AXA-UAP	8.600%	12/15/30	A3	7,643,484

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117	Axis Capital Holdings Limited	7.500%	12/01/15	BBB	9,857,509
7,100	Catlin Insurance Company Limited Great West Life and Annuity Insurance Company, 144A	7.249%	1/19/17	BBB+	5,733,250
6,600	Hartford Financial Services Group Inc.	7.153%	5/16/16	A-	5,874,000
800	Lincoln National Corporation	8.125%	6/15/18	BB+	732,000
2,500	Lincoln National Corporation	6.050%	4/20/17	BBB	1,900,000
3,446	MetLife Capital Trust IV, 144A	7.000%	5/17/66	BBB	2,903,255
14,800	Nationwide Financial Services Capital Trust	7.875%	12/15/37	BBB	14,282,000
1,200	National Financial Services Inc.	7.899%	3/01/37	Baa2	773,628
12,600	Oil Insurance Limited, 144A	6.750%	5/15/37	Baa2	9,503,676
8,800	Old Mutual Capital Funding, Notes	7.558%	6/30/11	Baa1	7,682,893
17,600	Prudential Financial Inc.	8.000%	6/22/53	Baa3	15,400,000
6,600	Prudential PLC	8.875%	6/15/18	BBB+	7,029,000
8,250	Swiss Re Capital I	6.500%	6/29/49	A-	6,868,125
3,300	XL Capital, Limited	6.854%	5/25/16	A-	2,722,500
30,900		6.500%	10/15/57	BBB-	21,630,000

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Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
	Insurance (continued)				
957	ZFS Finance USA Trust V	6.500%	5/09/67	A	\$ 866,085
	Total Insurance				133,201,405
	Road & Rail 0.7%				
6,400	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Funding Trust I	6.613%	1/15/26	BBB	6,110,892
	Total Capital Preferred Securities (cost \$528,274,148)				495,165,921
Shares	Description (1)				Value
	Investment Companies 3.7% (2.9% of Total Investments)				
838,654	BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust II				\$ 8,243,969
1,025,979	Flaherty and Crumrine/Claymore Preferred Securities Income Fund Inc.				16,025,792
728,065	John Hancock Preferred Income Fund III				11,234,043
	Total Investment Companies (cost \$51,111,125)				35,503,804
Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
	Short-Term Investments 2.5% (1.9% of Total Investments)				
	U.S. Government and Agency Obligations 0.7% (0.5% of Total Investments)				
\$ 7,000	U.S. Treasury Notes	1.500%	10/31/10	AAA	\$ 7,031,171
	Repurchase Agreements 1.8% (1.4% of Total Investments)				
	Repurchase Agreement with Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, dated 6/30/10, repurchase price \$16,635,641, collateralized by \$17,035,000 U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.500%, due 6/30/17, value \$16,971,119				
16,636		0.000%	7/01/10	N/A	16,635,641
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$23,650,859)				23,666,812
\$ 23,636	Total Investments (cost \$1,311,429,833) 129.7%				1,229,295,349
	Borrowings (30.6%) (5), (6)				(289,500,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities 0.9%				7,774,016
	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares 100%				\$ 947,569,365

For Fund portfolio compliance purposes, the Fund's industry classifications refer to any one or more of the industry sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or ratings group indexes, and/or as defined by Fund management. This definition may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine industry sub-classifications into sectors for reporting ease.

(1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to Common shares unless otherwise noted.

(2) Ratings: Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investor Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade.

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(3) Non-income producing; issuer has not declared a dividend within the past twelve months.

(4) Principal Amount (000) rounds to less than \$1,000.

(5) Borrowings as a percentage of Total Investments is 23.6%.

(6) The Fund may pledge up to 100% of its eligible investments in the Portfolio of Investments as collateral for Borrowings. As of June 30, 2010, investments with a value of \$925,083,560 have been pledged as collateral for Borrowings.

N/A Not applicable.

N/R Not rated.

144A Investment is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. These investments may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration, which are normally those transactions with qualified institutional buyers.

CORTS Corporate Backed Trust Securities.

PPLUS PreferredPlus Trust.

SATURNS Structured Asset Trust Unit Repackaging.

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS

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Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	\$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities	68.9% (52.9% of Total Investments)		
	Capital Markets 7.4%			
60,600	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	7.750%	A	\$ 1,609,536
136,600	Credit Suisse	7.900%	A3	3,476,470
388,759	Deutsche Bank Capital Funding Trust II	6.550%	BBB+	8,023,986
2,100	Deutsche Bank Contingent Capital Trust III	7.600%	BBB+	48,951
12,200	Goldman Sachs Group Inc., Series GSC-3 (PPLUS)	6.000%	A3	245,586
	Total Capital Markets			13,404,529
	Commercial Banks 11.4%			
142,875	Assured Guaranty Municipal Holdings	6.250%	A+	2,554,605
110,170	Banco Santander Finance	10.500%	A-	2,937,132
37,400	BB&T Capital Trust VI	9.600%	A3	1,018,028
21,200	BB&T Capital Trust VII	8.100%	A3	551,836
44,500	CoBank ACB, 144A	7.000%	N/R	1,953,830
16,000	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	873,501
20,200	CoBank ACB	11.000%	A	1,121,732
1,500,000	HSBC Bank PLC	1.000%	A	911,250
111,802	HSBC Finance Corporation	6.875%	A	2,729,087
20,000	HSBC Holdings PLC, (3)	8.000%	A-	504,376
7,600	Merrill Lynch Capital Trust I	6.450%	Baa3	151,088
2,700,000	National Australia Bank	8.000%	A+	2,797,875
100,278	National City Capital Trust II	6.625%	BBB	2,330,461
	Total Commercial Banks			20,434,801
	Diversified Financial Services 3.2%			
36,800	BAC Capital Trust XII	6.875%	Baa3	812,544
35,700	BAC Capital Trust X	6.250%	Baa3	732,564
53,800	Countrywide Capital Trust IV	6.750%	Baa3	1,129,800
113,800	ING Groep N.V.	7.050%	Ba1	2,080,264
3,300	Merrill Lynch Capital Trust II	6.450%	Baa3	65,373
19,600	Merrill Lynch Capital Trust III	7.375%	Baa3	448,840
19,980	National Rural Utilities Cooperative Finance Corporation	5.950%	A3	490,509
	Total Diversified Financial Services			5,759,894
	Diversified Telecommunication Services 0.7%			
39,609	AT&T Inc.	6.375%	A	1,049,639
600	BellSouth Capital Funding (CORTS)	7.120%	A	15,113
4,600	BellSouth Corporation (CORTS)	7.000%	A	114,856

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	Total Diversified Telecommunication Services			1,179,608
	Electric Utilities 1.6%			
78,100	Entergy Texas Inc.	7.875%	BBB+	2,175,085
28,700	PPL Energy Supply LLC	7.000%	BBB	728,119
	Total Electric Utilities			2,903,204
	Food Products 0.5%			
10,400	Dairy Farmers of America Inc., 144A	7.875%	BBB-	878,476
	Insurance 18.1%			
319,390	Aegon N.V.	6.375%	BBB	5,614,876
75,054	Allianz SE	8.375%	A+	1,902,154
188,583	Arch Capital Group Limited	8.000%	BBB-	4,754,177
92,716	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	8.000%	BBB	2,334,589

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Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Ratings (2)	Value
	Insurance (continued)			
90,100	Delphi Financial Group, Inc.	7.376%	BB+	\$ 1,779,475
108,767	EverestRe Capital Trust II	6.200%	Baa1	2,207,970
170,100	PartnerRe Limited, Series C	6.750%	BBB+	3,852,765
59,843	PLC Capital Trust III	7.500%	BBB	1,431,445
20,500	PLC Capital Trust IV	7.250%	BBB	494,665
8,500	PLC Capital Trust V	6.125%	BBB	175,525
147,963	Protective Life Corporation	7.250%	BBB	3,536,316
63,344	Prudential PLC	6.750%	A-	1,462,613
73,466	RenaissanceRe Holdings Limited, Series B	7.300%	BBB+	1,763,919
53,300	W. R. Berkley Corporation, Capital Trust II	6.750%	BBB-	1,290,926
	Total Insurance			32,601,415
	Media 4.2%			
58,700	CBS Corporation	6.750%	BBB-	1,399,408
247,414	Viacom Inc.	6.850%	BBB	6,163,083
	Total Media			7,562,491
	Multi-Utilities 3.5%			
105,500	Dominion Resources Inc.	8.375%	BBB	2,932,900
128,000	Xcel Energy Inc.	7.600%	BBB	3,417,600
	Total Multi-Utilities			6,350,500
	Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels 2.6%			
192,700	Nexen Inc.	7.350%	BB+	4,759,690
	Pharmaceuticals 0.1%			
6,500	Bristol Myers Squibb Company (CORTS)	6.250%	A+	164,905
	Real Estate/Mortgage 15.6%			
56,000	Developers Diversified Realty Corporation, Series G	8.000%	Ba1	1,275,680
108,611	HRPT Properties Trust, Series B	8.750%	Baa3	2,738,083
48,011	HRPT Properties Trust, Series C	7.125%	Baa3	1,093,691
21,800	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series F	6.650%	Baa2	514,262
122,736	Kimco Realty Corporation, Series G	7.750%	Baa2	3,121,176
11,100	Prologis Trust, Series G	6.750%	Baa3	218,004
109,620	Public Storage, Inc.	6.750%	Baa1	2,686,786
14,000	Public Storage, Inc., Series H	6.950%	Baa1	350,280
26,299	Public Storage, Inc., Series X	6.450%	Baa1	616,975
77,300	Public Storage, Inc., Series Y, (3)	6.850%	Baa1	1,857,619
20,600	Realty Income Corporation	6.750%	Baa2	494,606
18,272	Regency Centers Corporation	7.450%	Baa3	436,609
69,809	Regency Centers Corporation	7.250%	BBB-	1,611,192
31,800	United Dominion Realty Trust	6.750%	Baa3	732,354
150,320	Vornado Realty LP	7.875%	BBB	3,776,038
80,367	Wachovia Preferred Funding Corporation	7.250%	A-	1,859,692
209,635	Weingarten Realty Trust	8.100%	BBB	4,658,090
	Total Real Estate/Mortgage			28,041,137
	Total \$25 Par (or similar) Preferred Securities (cost \$128,708,364)			124,040,650

Principal Amount (000)/ Shares

Description (1) Coupon Maturity Ratings (2) Value

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Capital Preferred Securities 55.0% (42.2% of Total Investments)

Capital Markets 0.2%

500	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	6.345%	2/15/34	A3	\$	449,933
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Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3 (continued)

Portfolio of INVESTMENTS June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
Commercial Banks 27.7%					
2,200	Abbey National Capital Trust I	8.963%	6/30/30	A-	\$ 2,217,068
1,800	AgFirst Farm Credit Bank	7.300%	12/15/53	A	1,585,337
3,300	Barclays Bank PLC, 144A	7.434%	12/15/17	A-	2,970,000
1,000	Barclays Bank PLC	6.278%	12/15/34	A-	760,000
1,800	BB&T Capital Trust IV	6.820%	6/12/37	A3	1,644,750
1,400	BBVA International Unipersonal	5.919%	4/18/17	A-	1,017,835
1,000	BNP Paribas, 144A	7.195%	12/25/37	A	880,000
1,100	Credit Agricole, S.A., 144A	8.375%	12/31/49	A-	1,045,000
5,150	Credit Agricole, S.A.	9.750%	12/26/54	A-	5,304,500
1,000	First Empire Capital Trust I	8.234%	2/01/27	Baa2	929,801
8,485	First Union Capital Trust II, Series A	7.950%	11/15/29	A-	9,438,448
500	Fulton Capital Trust I	6.290%	2/01/36	BBB-	330,442
2,400	HBOS Capital Funding LP, 144A	6.071%	6/30/14	BB-	1,680,000
1,500	HSBC Bank PLC	0.850%	6/11/49	A	915,000
1,900	Nordea Bank AB	8.375%	3/25/15	A-	2,014,000
1,400	Northgroup Preferred Capital Corporation, 144A	6.378%	10/15/57	A	1,259,842
3,000	Rabobank Nederland, 144A	11.000%	6/30/19	AA-	3,715,422
6,800	Societe Generale	8.750%	10/07/49	BBB+	6,863,213
1,200	Standard Chartered PLC, 144A	7.014%	7/30/37	BBB	1,072,313
(4)	Union Planters Preferred Fund, 144A	7.750%	7/15/53	Ba3	4,237,188
Total Commercial Banks					49,880,159
Diversified Financial Services 3.3%					
100	JPMorgan Chase & Company	7.900%	4/30/49	BBB+	103,410
2,000	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XX Series T	6.550%	9/29/36	A2	1,917,986
1,500	JPMorgan Chase Capital Trust XXVII	7.000%	11/01/39	A2	1,530,192
2,340	JPMorgan Chase Capital XXV	6.800%	10/01/37	A2	2,319,895
Total Diversified Financial Services					5,871,483
Diversified Telecommunication Services 3.0%					
5	Centaur Funding Corporation, Series B	9.080%	4/21/20	BBB	5,483,550
Electric Utilities 1.4%					
500	Dominion Resources Inc.	7.500%	6/30/16	BBB	493,084
2,000	FPL Group Capital Inc.	7.300%	9/01/17	BBB	1,972,700
Total Electric Utilities					2,465,784
Insurance 17.9%					
1,300	Allstate Corporation	6.125%	5/15/17	Baa1	1,152,125
2,300	AXA S.A., 144A	6.463%	12/14/18	Baa1	1,814,125
5,000	AXA S.A., 144A	6.379%	12/14/36	Baa1	3,968,750
34	Axis Capital Holdings Limited	7.500%	12/01/15	BBB	2,871,939
1,200	Catlin Insurance Company Limited	7.249%	1/19/17	BBB+	969,000

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1,850	Great West Life and Annuity Insurance Company, 144A	7.153%	5/16/16	A-	1,646,500
1,700	Hartford Financial Services Group Inc.	8.125%	6/15/18	BB+	1,555,500
3,000	Lincoln National Corporation	7.000%	5/17/66	BBB	2,527,500
3,000	MetLife Capital Trust IV, 144A	7.875%	12/15/37	BBB	2,895,000
400	Nationwide Financial Services Capital Trust	7.899%	3/01/37	Baa2	257,876
2,500	National Financial Services Inc.	6.750%	5/15/37	Baa2	1,885,650
1,400	Oil Insurance Limited, 144A	7.558%	6/30/11	Baa1	1,222,278
1,600	Old Mutual Capital Funding, Notes	8.000%	6/22/53	Baa3	1,400,000
1,500	Prudential Financial Inc.	8.875%	6/15/18	BBB+	1,597,500
1,700	Prudential PLC	6.500%	6/29/49	A-	1,415,250
900	Swiss Re Capital I	6.854%	5/25/16	A-	742,500
6,000	XL Capital, Limited	6.500%	10/15/57	BBB-	4,200,000
54	ZFS Finance USA Trust V	6.500%	5/09/67	A	48,870
	Total Insurance				32,170,363

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Principal Amount (000)/ Shares	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Ratings (2)	Value
	Road & Rail - 1.5%				
2,785	Burlington Northern Santa Fe Funding Trust I	6.613%	1/15/26	BBB	\$ 2,659,193
	Total Capital Preferred Securities (cost \$104,652,105)				98,980,465
Shares	Description (1)				Value
	Investment Companies 4.2% (3.2% of Total Investments)				
172,099	BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust II				\$ 1,691,733
215,941	Flaherty and Crumrine/Claymore Preferred Securities Income Fund Inc.				3,372,998
157,399	John Hancock Preferred Income Fund III				2,428,667
	Total Investment Companies (cost \$10,816,114)				7,493,398
Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity		Value
	Short-Term Investments 2.1% (1.7% of Total Investments)				
\$3,815	Repurchase Agreement with Fixed Income Clearing Corporation, dated 6/30/10, repurchase price \$3,815,095, collateralized by \$3,750,000 U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.375%, due 9/30/14, value \$3,895,313	0.000%	7/01/10		\$3,815,095
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$3,815,095)				3,815,095
	Total Investments (cost \$247,991,678) 130.2%				234,329,608
	Borrowings (30.6%) (5), (6)				(55,000,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities 0.4%				637,357
	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares 100%				\$ 179,966,965

For Fund portfolio compliance purposes, the Fund's industry classifications refer to any one or more of the industry sub-classifications used by one or more widely recognized market indexes or ratings group indexes, and/or as defined by Fund management. This definition may not apply for purposes of this report, which may combine industry sub-classifications into sectors for reporting ease.

(1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to Common shares unless otherwise noted.

(2) Ratings: Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investor Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade.

(3) Non-income producing; issuer has not declared a dividend within the past twelve months.

(4) Principal Amount (000) rounds to less than \$1,000.

(5) Borrowings as a percentage of Total Investments is 23.5%.

(6) The Fund may pledge up to 100% of its eligible investments in the Portfolio of Investments as collateral for Borrowings. As of June 30, 2010, investments with a value of \$134,034,448 have been pledged as collateral for Borrowings.

N/R Not rated.

144A Investment is exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. These investments may only be resold in transactions exempt from registration, which are normally those transactions with qualified institutional buyers.

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ASSETS & LIABILITIES

June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

	Quality Preferred Income (JTP)	Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS)	Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP)
Assets			
Investments, at value (cost \$670,239,402, \$1,311,429,833 and \$247,991,678, respectively)	\$ 633,143,333	\$ 1,229,295,349	\$ 234,329,608
Cash	243,503	361,494	86,000
Receivables:			
Dividends	943,061	1,700,207	246,833
Interest	2,566,477	4,817,140	993,938
Investments sold	1,718,214	8,294,485	2,365,323
Other assets	134,401	237,237	48,795
Total assets	638,748,989	1,244,705,912	238,070,497
Liabilities			
Borrowings	153,375,000	289,500,000	55,000,000
Payables:			
Investments purchased	3,636,391		1,644,809
Common share dividends	3,018,179	6,242,266	1,180,488
Accrued expenses:			
Interest on borrowings	12,728	24,375	4,537
Management fees	412,331	794,631	154,491
Other	314,144	575,275	119,207
Total liabilities	160,768,773	297,136,547	58,103,532
Net assets applicable to Common shares	\$ 477,980,216	\$ 947,569,365	\$ 179,966,965
Common shares outstanding	64,632,295	120,321,842	23,714,024
Net asset value per Common share outstanding (net assets applicable to Common shares, divided by Common shares outstanding)	\$ 7.40	\$ 7.88	\$ 7.59
Net assets applicable to Common shares consist of:			
Common shares, \$.01 par value per share	\$ 646,323	\$ 1,203,218	\$ 237,140
Paid-in surplus	893,248,924	1,684,817,813	327,398,615
Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income	7,342,669	3,445,281	1,159,126
Accumulated net realized gain (loss)	(386,161,631)	(659,762,463)	(135,165,846)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)	(37,096,069)	(82,134,484)	(13,662,070)
Net assets applicable to Common shares	\$ 477,980,216	\$ 947,569,365	\$ 179,966,965
Authorized shares:			
Common	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited
FundPreferred	Unlimited	Unlimited	Unlimited

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

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OPERATIONS

Six Months Ended June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

	Quality Preferred Income (JTP)	Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS)	Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP)
Investment Income			
Dividends	\$ 14,803,376	\$ 29,783,915	\$ 5,626,316
Interest	9,620,303	18,516,994	3,298,773
Total investment income	24,423,679	48,300,909	8,925,089
Expenses			
Management fees	2,759,717	5,367,059	1,042,192
Shareholders' servicing agent fees and expenses	3,645	4,773	791
Interest expense on borrowings	1,000,885	1,920,790	356,439
Custodian's fees and expenses	62,268	120,347	28,751
Trustees' fees and expenses	8,811	17,440	3,308
Professional fees	21,522	29,918	5,675
Shareholders' reports printing and mailing expenses	102,029	176,154	36,977
Stock exchange listing fees	10,949	20,884	4,540
Investor relations expense	54,403	97,782	19,486
Other expenses	4,874	5,133	4,584
Total expenses before custodian fee credit and expense reimbursement	4,029,103	7,760,280	1,502,743
Custodian fee credit	(22)	(88)	(15)
Expense reimbursement	(250,465)	(495,399)	(94,032)
Net expenses	3,778,616	7,264,793	1,408,696
Net investment income	20,645,063	41,036,116	7,516,393
Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss)			
Net realized gain (loss) from investments and foreign currency	(3,058,808)	(9,583,248)	79,946
Change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments and foreign currency	22,821,904	32,746,661	2,950,108
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	19,763,096	23,163,413	3,030,054
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares from operations	\$ 40,408,159	\$ 64,199,529	\$ 10,546,447

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CHANGES in NET ASSETS (Unaudited)

	Quality Preferred Income (JTP)		Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS)	
	Six Months Ended 6/30/10	Year Ended 12/31/09	Six Months Ended 6/30/10	Year Ended 12/31/09
Operations				
Net investment income	\$ 20,645,063	\$ 40,511,264	\$ 41,036,116	\$ 82,528,209
Net realized gain (loss) from:				
Investments and foreign currency	(3,058,808)	(138,350,977)	(9,583,248)	(269,653,346)
Interest rate swaps		(2,823,614)		(5,931,494)
Change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of:				
Investments and foreign currency	22,821,904	256,613,684	32,746,661	547,248,464
Interest rate swaps		2,348,600		4,813,203
Distributions to FundPreferred Shareholders:				
From net investment income		(147,774)		(292,317)
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares				
from operations	40,408,159	158,151,183	64,199,529	358,712,719
Distributions to Common Shareholders				
From and in excess of net investment income				
	(18,614,101)		(38,984,277)	
From net investment income		(37,188,166)		(83,758,923)
Return of capital		(4,357,413)		(4,197,409)
Decrease in net assets applicable to Common shares from distributions to Common shareholders				
	(18,614,101)	(41,545,579)	(38,984,277)	(87,956,332)
Capital Share Transactions				
Net proceeds from Common shares issued to shareholders due to reinvestment of distributions				
		310,310		2,220,602
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares from capital share transactions				
		310,310		2,220,602
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares				
	21,794,058	116,915,914	25,215,252	272,976,989
Net assets applicable to Common shares at the beginning of period				
	456,186,158	339,270,244	922,354,113	649,377,124
Net assets applicable to Common shares at the end of period				
	\$ 477,980,216	\$ 456,186,158	\$ 947,569,365	\$ 922,354,113
Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income at the end of period				
	\$ 7,342,669	\$ 5,311,707	\$ 3,445,281	\$ 1,393,442

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CHANGES in NET ASSETS (Unaudited) (continued)

	Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP)	
	Six Months Ended 6/30/10	Year Ended 12/31/09
Operations		
Net investment income	\$ 7,516,393	\$ 14,940,000
Net realized gain (loss) from:		
Investments and foreign currency	79,946	(41,942,712)
Interest rate swaps		(1,522,105)
Change in net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of:		
Investments and foreign currency	2,950,108	97,506,634
Interest rate swaps		1,294,639
Distributions to FundPreferred Shareholders:		
From net investment income		(40,469)
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares		
from operations	10,546,447	70,235,987
Distributions to Common Shareholders		
From and in excess of net investment income	(7,256,491)	
From net investment income		(13,719,498)
Return of capital		(1,810,986)
Decrease in net assets applicable to Common shares from distributions		
to Common shareholders	(7,256,491)	(15,530,484)
Capital Share Transactions		
Net proceeds from Common shares issued to shareholders due to		
reinvestment of distributions		101,319
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares from		
capital share transactions		101,319
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares	3,289,956	54,806,822
Net assets applicable to Common shares at the beginning of period	176,677,009	121,870,187
Net assets applicable to Common shares at the end of period	\$ 179,966,965	\$ 176,677,009
Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income at the end of period	\$ 1,159,126	\$ 899,224

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CASH FLOWS

Six Months Ended June 30, 2010 (Unaudited)

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

	Quality Preferred Income (JTP)	Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS)	Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP)
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:			
Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares from Operations	\$ 40,408,159	\$ 64,199,529	\$ 10,546,447
Adjustments to reconcile the net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to Common shares from operations to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:			
Purchases of investments	(65,269,076)	(182,615,340)	(35,994,575)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	54,525,439	162,241,015	31,236,905
Proceeds from (Purchases of) short-term investments, net	3,756,004	21,293,481	5,794,200
Proceeds from (Payments for) closed foreign currency spot contracts	(11,137)	(30,489)	(5,455)
Amortization (Accretion) of premiums and discounts, net	90,273	155,140	6,301
(Increase) Decrease in receivable for dividends	130,002	263,451	266,595
(Increase) Decrease in receivable for interest	23,434	(531,785)	(197,668)
(Increase) Decrease in receivable for investments sold	(1,706,338)	(8,213,182)	(2,359,385)
(Increase) Decrease in other assets	(20,608)	(40,155)	(7,693)
Increase (Decrease) in payable for investments purchased	3,636,391	(518,383)	(113,062)
Increase (Decrease) in accrued interest on borrowings	(2,733)	(5,334)	(966)
Increase (Decrease) in accrued management fees	2,376	(4,887)	13,801
Increase (Decrease) in accrued other liabilities	36,331	65,851	5,083
Net realized (gain) loss from investments and foreign currency	3,058,808	9,583,248	(79,946)
Change in net unrealized (appreciation) depreciation of investments and foreign currency	(22,821,904)	(32,746,661)	(2,950,108)
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities	15,835,421	33,095,499	6,160,474
Cash Flows from Financing Activities:			
Cash distributions paid to Common shareholders	(15,595,922)	(32,742,011)	(6,076,003)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	(15,595,922)	(32,742,011)	(6,076,003)
Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash	239,499	353,488	84,471
Cash at the beginning of period	4,004	8,006	1,529
Cash at the End of Period	\$ 243,503	\$ 361,494	\$ 86,000

Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information

Cash paid for interest on borrowings was \$1,003,618, \$1,926,124 and \$357,405 for Quality Preferred Income (JTP), Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS) and Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP), respectively.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (Unaudited)

1. General Information and Significant Accounting Policies

The funds covered in this report and their corresponding Common share New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") symbols are Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund (JTP), Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 2 (JPS) and Nuveen Quality Preferred Income Fund 3 (JHP) (collectively, the "Funds"). The Funds are registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, as closed-end management investment companies.

Quality Preferred Income's (JTP) investment objective is high current income consistent with capital preservation. The Fund's secondary investment objective is to enhance portfolio value. The Fund invests at least 80% of its managed assets in taxable preferred securities, that, at the time of investment, are rated investment grade (Baa/BBB or better). The Fund may invest up to 20% of its managed assets in debt securities, including convertibles, rated investment grade at the time of investment.

Quality Preferred Income 2's (JPS) and Quality Preferred Income 3's (JHP) investment objective is high current income consistent with capital preservation. Each Fund's secondary investment objective is to enhance portfolio value. Each Fund invests at least 80% of its net assets in preferred securities; up to 20% of its net assets in debt securities, including convertible debt securities and convertible preferred securities; and 100% of each Fund's total assets in securities that, at the time of investment, are investment grade quality (BBB/Baa or better), which may include up to 10% in securities that are rated investment grade by at least one nationally recognized statistical rating organization and lower by another.

The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Funds in the preparation of their financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States ("U.S. GAAP").

Investment Valuation

Common stocks and other equity-type securities are valued at the last sales price on the securities exchange on which such securities are primarily traded and are generally classified as Level 1. Securities primarily traded on the NASDAQ National Market ("NASDAQ") are valued, except as indicated below, at the NASDAQ Official Closing Price and are generally classified as Level 1. However, securities traded on a securities exchange or NASDAQ for which there were no transactions on a given day or securities not listed on a securities exchange or NASDAQ are valued at the mean between the quoted bid and ask prices.

Prices of fixed-income securities and interest rate swaps are provided by a pricing service approved by the Funds' Board of Trustees. Fixed-income securities are valued by a pricing service that values portfolio securities at the mean between the quoted bid and ask prices or the yield equivalent when quotations are readily available. These securities are generally classified as Level 2. Securities for which quotations are not readily available are valued at fair value as determined by the pricing service using methods that may include consideration of the following: yields or prices of investments of comparable quality, type of issue, coupon, maturity and rating, market quotes or indications of value from security dealers, evaluations of anticipated cash flows or collateral, general market conditions and other information and analysis, including the obligor's credit characteristics considered relevant. The pricing service may employ electronic data processing techniques and/or a matrix system to determine valuations. These securities are generally classified as Level 2. Highly rated zero coupon fixed-income securities, like U.S. Treasury Bills, issued with maturities of one year or less, are valued using the amortized cost method when 60 days or less remain until maturity. With amortized cost, any discount or premium is amortized each day, regardless of the impact of fluctuating rates on the market value of the security. These securities will generally be classified as Level 1 or Level 2.

Temporary investments in securities that have variable rate and demand features qualifying them as short-term investments are valued at amortized cost, which approximates market value. These securities are generally classified as Level 1.

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Certain securities may not be able to be priced by the pre-established pricing methods as described above. Such securities may be valued by the Funds' Board of Trustees or its designee at fair value. These securities generally include, but are not limited to, restricted securities (securities which may not be publicly sold without registration under the Securities Act) for which a pricing service is unable to provide a market price; securities whose trading has been formally suspended; fixed-income securities that have gone into default and for which there is no current market quotation; a security whose market price is not available from a pre-established pricing source; a security with respect to which an event has occurred that is likely to materially affect the value of the security after the market has closed but before the calculation of a Fund's net asset value (as may be the case in non-U.S. markets on which the security is primarily traded) or make it difficult or impossible to obtain a reliable market quotation; and a security whose price, as provided by the pricing service, is not deemed to reflect the security's fair value. As a general principle, the fair value of an issue of securities would appear to be the amount that the owner might reasonably expect to receive for them in a current sale. A variety of factors may be considered in determining the fair value of these securities, which may include consideration of the following: yields or prices of investments of comparable quality, type of issue, coupon, maturity and rating, market quotes or indications of value from security dealers, evaluations of anticipated cash flows or collateral, general market conditions and other information and analysis, including the obligor's credit characteristics considered relevant. These securities are classified as Level 2 or as Level 3 depending on the priority of the significant inputs. Regardless of the method employed to value a particular security, all valuations are subject to review by the Funds' Board of Trustees or its designee.

Refer to Footnote 2 Fair Value Measurements for further details on the leveling of securities held by the Funds as of the end of the reporting period.

Investment Transactions

Investment transactions are recorded on a trade date basis. Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are determined on the specific identification method. Investments purchased on a when-issued/delayed delivery basis may have extended settlement periods. Any investments so purchased are subject to market fluctuation during this period. The Funds have instructed the custodian to segregate assets with a current value at least equal to the amount of the when-issued/delayed delivery purchase commitments. At June 30, 2010, there were no such outstanding purchase commitments in any of the Funds.

Investment Income

Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date or, for foreign securities, when information is available. Interest income, which includes the amortization of premiums and accretion of discounts for financial reporting purposes, is recorded on an accrual basis. Interest income also includes paydown gains and losses, if any.

Income Taxes

Each Fund is a separate taxpayer for federal income tax purposes. Each Fund intends to distribute substantially all of its net investment income and net capital gains to shareholders and to otherwise comply with the requirements of Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to regulated investment companies. Therefore, no federal income tax provision is required.

For all open tax years and all major taxing jurisdictions, management of the Funds has concluded that there are no significant uncertain tax positions that would require recognition in the financial statements. Open tax years are those that are open for examination by taxing authorities (i.e., generally the last four tax year ends and the interim tax period since then). Furthermore, management of the Funds is also not aware of any tax positions for which it is reasonably possible that the total amounts of unrecognized tax benefits will significantly change in the next twelve months.

Dividends and Distributions to Common Shareholders

Dividends to Common shareholders are declared monthly. Net realized capital gains from investment transactions, if any, are declared and distributed to shareholders at least annually. Furthermore, capital gains are distributed only to the extent they exceed available capital loss carryforwards.

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Distributions to Common shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. The amount and timing of distributions are determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations, which may differ from U.S. GAAP.

The final determination of the source and character of all distributions for the fiscal year are made after the end of the fiscal year and are reflected in the financial statements contained in the annual report as of December 31 each year.

The actual character of distributions made by the Fund during the fiscal year December 31, 2009, is reflected in the accompanying financial statements.

The distributions made by the Funds during the six months ended June 30, 2010, are provisionally classified as being "From and in excess of net investment income," and those distributions will be classified as being from net investment income, net realized capital gains and/or a return of capital for tax purposes after the fiscal year end. For purposes of calculating "Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income" as of June 30, 2010, the distribution amounts provisionally classified as "From and in excess of net investment income" were treated as being entirely from net investment income.

FundPreferred Shares

The Funds are authorized to issue FundPreferred Shares. As of December 31, 2009, Quality Preferred Income (JTP), Quality Preferred Income 2 (JPS) and Quality Preferred Income 3 (JHP) redeemed all of their outstanding FundPreferred shares, at liquidation values of \$440,000,000, \$800,000,000 and \$166,000,000, respectively.

Foreign Currency Transactions