ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND INC

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[LOGO]<br>Aberdeen<br>Global Income<br>Fund, Inc.<br>[GRAPHIC OMITTED]<br>Invests primarily in global fixed-income securities<br>Quarterly Report<br>July 31, 2002

Letter to Shareholders

September 13, 2002
Dear Shareholder,

We present this Quarterly Report which covers the activities of Aberdeen Global Income Fund, Inc. (formerly known as Aberdeen Commonwealth Income Fund, Inc.) (the "Fund") for the quarter ended July 31, 2002. Included in this report is a review of the Australian, Canadian, New Zealand, United Kingdom and selected Asian economies and investment markets, together with an overview of the Fund's investments prepared by Aberdeen Asset Managers (C.I.) Limited (the "Investment Manager").

High Credit Quality: 81.2\% of Securities Rated or Deemed Equivalent to AA/Aa or better

The Fund's high credit quality has been maintained. Over $81.2 \%$ of assets are rated AA/Aa or better, or are considered of equivalent quality by the Investment Manager. An additional $10.6 \%$ is held in A rated securities.

Distributions

Distributions to common shareholders for the 12 months ended July 31, 2002 totaled 78 cents per share. Based on the share price of $\$ 9.75$ on July 31,2002 , the cash distribution rate over the 12 months then ended was $8.0 \%$. Since all distributions are paid after deducting applicable withholding taxes, the effective distribution rate may be higher for those U.S. investors who are able to claim a tax credit.

On September 12, 2002 the Board of Directors declared a monthly distribution of 6 cents per share payable on October 11,2002 to all shareholders of record as of September 30, 2002.

The Board's policy is to provide investors with a stable monthly distribution out of current income, supplemented by realized capital gains and, to the extent necessary, paid-in capital. It is the Board's intention that the monthly distribution of 6 cents per share be maintained for 12 months, having begun with the February 2002 distribution payment. This policy is subject to regular review at the Board's quarterly meetings, unless market conditions require an earlier evaluation. The next review is scheduled to take place in December 2002.

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Net Asset Value Performance: 6.1\% Per Annum Return Since Inception

The Fund's total return based on Net Asset Value ("NAV") was 7.1\% over the quarter ended July 31, 2002. Since inception, the Fund's total return based on NAV has increased to 6.1\% per annum to July 31, 2002.

Share Price Performance

The Fund's share price rose $9.8 \%$ over the quarter, from $\$ 8.88$ on April 30, 2002 to $\$ 9.75$ on July 31, 2002. The Fund's share price on July 31, 2002 represented a discount of $4.2 \%$ to the NAV per share of $\$ 10.18$ on that date. This represents a narrowing of the discount to NAV of 8.3\% on April 30, 2002.

Implementation of Global Investment Strategy

In March 1999 the Fund's shareholders approved amendments to the Fund's principal investment objective, investment policies and investment restrictions to enable the Fund to invest up to $35 \%$ of its total assets in Global Debt Securities. The term "Global Debt Securities" includes securities of issuers located in, or securities denominated in the currency of, countries other than Australia, Canada, New Zealand or the United Kingdom. This strategy was proposed to be implemented in two phases. The first phase involved the immediate investment of up to $20 \%$ of the Fund's assets in Asian debt markets. On September 3, 2001 the Board of Directors authorized the Investment Manager, in its discretion, to implement the second phase of the global investment strategy. This allows the Fund to invest up to $35 \%$ of its total assets in Global Debt Securities, with a view to enhancing yield.

Global Debt: 12.2\% of Total Assets Invested in Global Debt Securities

As of July 31, 2002, 12.2\% of the Fund's total assets were held in Global Debt Securities. This included 7.9\% in Asian debt securities. During the quarter ended July 31, 2002, the Fund began to invest in regions other than Asia and as at July $31,2002,2.2 \%$ of the Fund's total assets were invested in Eastern Europe, 1.4\% in Latin America and 0.7\% in Western Europe. Although these Global Debt Securities present attractive opportunities, the Fund's ability to increase its investments in Global Debt Securities remains constrained by the potential realization of foreign exchange losses.

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Letter to Shareholders (concluded)

For information about the Fund, including weekly updates of share price, NAV, and details of recent distributions, contact Aberdeen Asset Management, Investor Relations, by:

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o calling toll free on 1-800-522-5465 or 1-212-968-8800 in the United
    States,
o emailing to InvestorRelations@aberdeen-asset.com, or
o visiting the website at www.aberdeen-asset.us
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For information about the Aberdeen group, visit the Aberdeen website at www. aberdeen-asset.com

Yours sincerely,
/s/ Martin J. Gilbert

Martin J. Gilbert
Chairman

All amounts are U.S. dollars unless otherwise stated.

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Your Board's policy is to provide investors with a stable monthly distribution out of current income, supplemented by realized capital gains and, to the extent necessary, paid-in capital.

The Fund is subject to U.S. corporate, tax and securities laws. Under U.S. tax accounting rules, the amount of distributable income for each fiscal period depends on the actual exchange rates during the entire year between the U.S. dollar and the currencies in which Fund assets are denominated and on the aggregate gains and losses realized by the Fund during the entire year.

Therefore the exact amount of distributable income for each fiscal year can only be determined as at the end of the Fund's fiscal year, October 31. However, under the U.S. Investment Company Act of 1940, the Fund is required to indicate the source of each distribution to shareholders. The Fund estimates that distributions for the fiscal year commencing November 1, 2001, including the distribution paid on September 6, 2002, are comprised of $3 \%$ net investment income and 97\% return of paid in capital.

This estimated distribution composition may vary from month to month because it may be materially impacted by future realized gains and losses on securities and fluctuations in the value of the currencies in which Fund assets are denominated.

In January 2003, a Form 1099 DIV will be sent to shareholders, which will state the amount and composition of distributions and provide information with respect to their appropriate tax treatment.

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Dividend Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan
We invite you to participate in the Fund's Dividend Reinvestment and Cash
Purchase Plan ("the Plan") which allows you to automatically reinvest your distributions in shares of the Fund's common stock at favorable commission rates. Distributions made under the Plan are taxable to the same extent as are cash distributions. The Plan also enables you to make additional cash investments in shares of at least $\$ 100$ per month. Under this arrangement State Street Bank \& Trust Company (the "Plan Agent") will purchase shares for you on the stock exchange or otherwise on the open market on or about the 15 th of each month, unless shares of the Fund are trading at a premium, in which case the Fund will issue additional shares. As a participant in the Plan you will have the convenience of:

Automatic reinvestment--the Plan Agent will automatically reinvest your distributions, allowing you to gradually grow your holdings in the Fund;

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Lower costs--shares purchased on your behalf under the Plan will be at reduced brokerage rates. Brokerage on share purchases is currently 2 cents per share;

Convenience--the Plan Agent will hold your shares in non-certificated form and will provide a detailed record of your holdings at the end of each distribution period.

To request a brochure containing information on the Plan, together with an authorization form, please contact the Plan Agent, State Street Bank \& Trust Company, P.O. Box 8200, Boston, MA 02266 or call toll free on 1-800-426-5523.

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Report of the Investment Manager

Share Price Performance

On July 31, 2002, the Fund's share price was $\$ 9.75$, which represented a discount of $4.2 \%$ to the NAV of $\$ 10.18$. At the date of this report, the share price was $\$ 10.12$ representing a discount of $3.4 \%$ to the NAV of $\$ 10.48$.
[A line graph depicting the Net Asset Value vs Share Price. The values are from February 1992 through July 2002]

|  | Feb-92 | Jul-92 | Jan-93 | Jul-93 | Jan-94 | Jul-94 | Jan-95 | Jul |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Aberdeen Global |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Income Fund NAV |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |$\quad$ \$13.89

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Income Fund
Share Price $\$ 9.46$ \$ 8.81 \$ 8.74 \$ 9.75

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Report of the Investment Manager (continued)

Distributions

The Board reduced the Fund's monthly distribution from 7.0 cents per share to 6.0 cents per share beginning with the distribution paid on February 8, 2002. The Investment Manager continues its efforts to reallocate the portfolio toward higher yielding Global Debt Securities, in addition to fixed income securities denominated in the Commonwealth Currencies. Further, with the expectation for an improving global economy in late 2002, the Investment Manager anticipates improvement in the value of non-U.S. dollar currencies. Together, these factors may enhance the Fund's net investment income and ability to realize capital gains. There can, however, be no assurance that the Investment Manager's expectations will be met.

Auction Market Preferred Stock (AMPS)

The Fund's $\$ 30$ million of $A M P S$ continued to be well bid at the weekly auctions. The average interest rate paid was $1.94 \%$ over the quarter ended July 31, 2002, compared with $1.75 \%$ for 30 -day U.S. commercial paper over the same period. These rates have remained broadly unchanged over the period as the U.S. Federal Reserve has kept interest rates on hold. The rates paid to preferred shareholders have decreased since July 31, 2002 to a level of $1.70 \%$ as of the date of this report.

Over the past year, the impact of AMPS has been positive, as the key currencies of the Fund--the Australian dollar, British pound, New Zealand dollar--strengthened against the U.S. dollar over the period. Most Asian currencies followed a similar trend, with only the Canadian dollar losing ground over the period. In addition, the fact that U.S. interest rates have remained at historic lows has meant that the differential between AMPS funding rates and the yields at which the Fund invests remains positive. These effects have to some extent been offset by capital losses as bond yields have risen in line with signs of global recovery. Overall, the outlook over the medium-term for investment markets and the portfolio in respect of these factors is considered by the Investment Manager to be favorable and AMPS are therefore seen as having the potential to enhance total shareholder returns in the medium term.

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## Portfolio Composition

## Geographic Composition

The table below shows the geographic composition of the Fund's total investments as of July 31, 2002, compared with the previous quarter and twelve months:

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TABLE 1: ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.-GEOGRAPHIC ASSET ALLOCATION
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|  | July 31, 2002 | $\begin{gathered} \text { April 30, } 2002 \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | July 31, 2001 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australia | 20.0 | 23.3 | 22.1 |
| Canada | 17.9 | 21.5 | 34.7 |
| New Zealand | 11.0 | 10.4 | 4.8 |
| United Kingdom | 30.8 | 30.4 | 29.2 |
| United States* | 8.1 | 7.4 | 3.7 |
| Asia | 7.9 | 7.0 | 5.5 |
| Eastern Europe | 2.2 | -- | -- |
| Latin America | 1.4 | -- | -- |
| Western Europe | 0.7 | -- | -- |
| Total Portfolio | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

* It is a policy of the Investment Manager to maintain a portion of the Fund's investments in U.S. short-term securities to cover distributions and expenses.


## Geographic Composition

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Portfolio Composition (continued)

Currency Composition

The table below shows the currency composition of the Fund's total investments as of July 31, 2002, compared with the previous quarter and twelve months:

> TABLE 2: ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.-CURRENCY ALLOCATION

|  | July 31, 2002 | April 30, 2002 $\%$ | July 31, 2001 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australian Dollar | 19.9 | 23.2 | 22.1 |
| Canadian Dollar | 17.6 | 21.2 | 34.7 |
| New Zealand Dollar | 12.2 | 11.7 | 4.8 |
| British Pound | 30.0 | 29.5 | 29.2 |
| United States Dollar* | 13.8 | 8.1 | 3.7 |
| Asia Currencies | 6.5 | 6.3 | 5.5 |
| Total Portfolio | 100.0 | 100.0 | 100.0 |

* Includes Yankee bond investments.

Maturity Composition

As of July 31, 2002, the average maturity of the Fund's assets was 8.6 years, compared with 7.4 years on April 30, 2002. The Fund's modified duration was 5.3 years for the quarter ended July 31, 2002, compared with 4.7 years on April 30, 2002. The table below shows the maturity composition of the Fund's investments as of July 31, 2002:

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TABLE 3: ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.-MATURITY ANALYSIS

|  | Less than 1 year \% | $\begin{gathered} 1--5 \text { years } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 5-10 \text { years } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | Over 10 years |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australia | 24.0 | 21.5 | 40.9 | 13.6 |
| Canada | 31.4 | 16.9 | 10.9 | 40.8 |
| New Zealand | 14.2 | 56.9 | 13.1 | 15.8 |
| United Kingdom | 15.5 | 18.8 | 18.4 | 47.3 |
| United States | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Asia | 1.9 | 46.9 | 32.5 | 18.7 |
| Eastern Europe | -- | 30.6 | -- | 69.4 |
| Latin America | -- | -- | 48.6 | 51.4 |
| Western Europe | -- | 100.0 | -- | -- |
| Total Portfolio | 19.0 | 25.9 | 21.9 | 33.2 |

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Portfolio Composition (continued)

Sectoral Composition
The table below shows the sectoral composition of the Fund's total investments as of July 31, 2002:

TABLE 4: ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.-SECTORAL COMPOSITION

|  | Sovereign Gov't. Bonds \% | Provincial/ <br> State <br> Bonds <br> \% | Utilities/ Supranational Bonds \% | Corporate Bonds \% | Cash or Equivalent \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australia | 6.2 | 8.4 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 1.7 |
| Canada | 7.8 | 4.5 | -- | 0.5 | 5.1 |
| New Zealand | 1.7 | -- | 0.4 | 7.7 | 1.2 |
| United Kingdom | 21.8 | -- | 1.9 | 5.0 | 2.1 |
| United States | -- | -- | -- | -- | 8.1 |
| Asia | 3.8 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 3.2 |
| Eastern Europe | 2.2 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Latin America | 1.4 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Western Europe | -- | -- | -- | 0.7 | -- |
| Total Portfolio | 44.9 | 13.2 | 4.2 | 16.3 | 21.4 |

Sectoral Composition as of July 31, 2002
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Portfolio Composition (concluded)

Quality of Investments

As of July 31, 2002, $81.2 \%$ of the Fund's assets were invested in securities where either the issue or the issuer was rated at least "AA" by Standard \& Poor's Corporation or "Aa" by Moody's Investors Service, Inc. or, if unrated, were judged to be of equivalent quality by the Investment Manager. The table below shows the asset quality of the Fund's portfolio as of July 31, 2002:

TABLE 5: ABERDEEN GLOBAL INCOME FUND, INC.-ASSET QUALITY

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { AAA/Aaa } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { AA / Aa } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { A } \\ & \% \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{BBB} / \mathrm{Baa} \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{BB} / \mathrm{Ba}{ }^{*} \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { B* } \\ & \% \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australia | 80.4 | 19.2 | 0.4 | -- | -- | -- |
| Canada | 67.9 | 18.1 | 14.0 | -- | -- | -- |
| New Zealand | 60.4 | 4.9 | 23.4 | 11.3 | -- | -- |
| United Kingdom | 67.8 | 21.6 | 10.6 | -- | -- | -- |
| United States | 100.0 | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Asia | 14.2 | -- | 37.7 | 28.7 | 19.4 | -- |
| Eastern Europe | -- | -- | -- | -- | 69.4 | 30.6 |
| Latin America | -- | -- | -- | 100.0 | -- | -- |
| Western Europe | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | 100.0 |
| Total Portfolio | 66.5 | 14.7 | 10.6 | 4.2 | 2.6 | 1.4 |

* Below investment grade.

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Market Review and Outlook

## AUSTRALIA

The benchmark 10-year bond yield fell to 5.95\% from $6.08 \%$ over the quarter ended July 31, 2002. Economic releases issued during the quarter by the Australian Bureau of Statistics confirmed the relative resilience of the Australian economy. The housing market displayed continued strength and business confidence remained remarkably upbeat in the face of Reserve Bank of Australia ("RBA") rate hikes. The budget released by the Federal Government in May had little impact on financial markets.

The Federal Budget announced a return to sustained surpluses over coming fiscal years, reflecting the Government's intention to save rather than spend the growth dividend--the revenue benefits of better than expected economic growth.

Following monetary policy tightenings of $0.25 \%$ in both May and June, the RBA opted to leave interest rates unchanged at their July meeting. Their decision was likely to have been influenced by the recent U.S. corporate turmoil and equity market weakness, as well as uncertainty about the strength of the global recovery and concerns about the outlook for the rural sector domestically due to current dry weather conditions. From a domestic perspective, the case for rates moving higher is still in place while data in the U.S. points to an economic recovery. However, the significant weakness in U.S. equity markets and some initial signs of moderation in the domestic economy's growth pace would seem to indicate that some downside risks are beginning to emerge.

The Australian dollar fluctuated slightly during the quarter, closing at $\$ 0.54$ on July 31, 2002.

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Market Review and Outlook (continued)

CANADA

During the quarter, the Bank of Canada ("BoC") increased interest rates for the third time since April, in order to prevent a surge in inflation. The BoC raised its benchmark overnight rate to $2.75 \%$, full percentage point higher than the comparable U.S. rate. The economy grew at a $6 \%$ pace in the first quarter, and continued to expand at a rate of $4.3 \%$ through the second quarter of 2002 . The core rate of inflation was at $2.1 \%$ during July 2002. Canada's economic recovery, which began in the last quarter of 2001, gathered momentum in the first half of 2002. As expected, the BoC acted in April and June to raise interest rates and the Investment Manager expects the BoC to continue gradually removing the monetary stimulus in coming months.

The Canadian dollar fell slightly over the quarter, closing at \$0.63.

NEW ZEALAND

The New Zealand economy started 2002 strongly, with GDP expanding by $1.1 \%$ in the March quarter. The economy has grown over the last four quarters and as a result is $4.0 \%$ higher when compared with the same period in 2001. Despite global uncertainty, the confidence of New Zealand's consumers has remained relatively robust, providing a solid base for retail spending in the near term. Despite three interest rate hikes this year by the Reserve Bank of New Zealand, consumer confidence rose in the June quarter, boosted by strong employment growth, higher wages and rising house prices. However, although business confidence has also held up relatively well, there has been a clear moderation in sentiment in more recent surveys. Business confidence acts as a leading indicator of GDP growth and is consistent with the Investment Manager's moderating growth profile into 2003.

The New Zealand dollar rose over the quarter, closing at \$0.47.

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Market Review and Outlook (continued)

## UNITED KINGDOM

In the United Kingdom, conditions for consumers were favorable during the quarter. Consumer confidence remained positive, underpinned by unemployment rates at 26 -year lows. The outlook for the manufacturing sector also looked more positive, with actual activity data beginning to reflect the improvement seen in recent sentiment surveys. Industrial production rose for the first time in 8 months, aided by a sharp jump in exports. The improved strength of the domestic consumer and the brighter global economic outlook has led to growth upgrades, and the Investment Manager anticipates an initial tightening of monetary policy in the September quarter.

The pound rose over the quarter, closing at \$1.56.

## EASTERN EUROPE

Eastern Europe is benefiting from strong positive credit events and fiscal out performance, as large trade surpluses are adding to impressive reserves in Russia, Romania and Bulgaria. This is also being helped by a lack of asset supply and a shift of money from Latin America into Eastern Europe. The Investment Manager remains extremely positive on Eastern Europe, while remaining very cautious on Latin America, being aware that any double-dip scenario in developed markets could undermine the fragile risk appetite in this market.

## LATIN AMERICA

Events in Latin America have been dominated by decreasing confidence in Brazil ahead of elections in October and the Brazilian currency has suffered as investors look to withdraw their money. The government is rolling over its financing requirements and is looking to the International Monetary Fund and U.S. Treasury for fiscal and moral support. Elsewhere in the region, political developments and shortfalls in fiscal targets are undermining the risk appetite of foreign investors. At present, the Fund's exposure to Latin America is limited to Mexico and Colombia. Mexico's investment grade status means that it is best placed in Latin America to benefit from a recovery in the U.S. and to avoid the credit problems engulfing much of the region. In Colombia the new administration has stated that it hopes to introduce fiscal and pension reform in the fourth quarter of 2002. The Investment Manager believes that, although short-term news headlines may appear somewhat negative, the underlying momentum is actually far more positive than in the last two years.

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Market Review and Outlook (concluded)

## ASIA

Economies

Despite rising uncertainty about the strength of U.S. economic recovery, the economies in Asia remain well supported. The Investment Manager believes that aggressive rate hikes are not expected in the region this year. A number of central banks have still been able to ease monetary policy further into 2002 , as economic conditions remain soft.

Domestic demand is recovering at a faster pace than previously expected, reflecting the easier fiscal and monetary policy settings prevailing in the economies, as well as a better structural environment. Investor interest in the region is also on the rise, leading to significant capital inflows, which in turn provide a boost to local currencies' strength.

Domestic Bond and Currency Markets

Asian domestic bond prices were higher over the quarter, with yield curves flattening in Malaysia, Thailand and the Philippines. The strong performance was due in part to the rally in U.S. bonds. The Fund's total Asian currency exposure was increased slightly during the quarter ended July 31, 2002 to 6.5\%.

Asian Yankee (U.S.\$ denominated) Bond Market

Reduced confidence in Latin America and an oversupply of Malaysian paper affected Asian Yankee bonds during the period. In particular, Philippine sovereign bonds gave up a significant portion of the sizeable gains garnered in the first quarter of the year due to added domestic concerns of a ballooning
fiscal deficit and political uncertainties.

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Summary of Key Rates

The following table summarizes the movements of key interest rates and currencies over the last three and twelve month periods.

|  | July 31, 2002 |  | April 30, 2002 |  | July 31, 2001 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australia |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day bank bills |  | 4.95\% |  | 4.63\% |  | 5.06\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 5.95\% |  | 6.08\% |  | 6.09\% |
| Australian Dollar | \$ | \$ 0.54 | \$ | 0.54 | \$ | 0.51 |
| Canada |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day bank bills |  | 2.82\% |  | 2.40\% |  | 4.03\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 5.22\% |  | 5.62\% |  | 5.66\% |
| Canadian Dollar | \$ | \$ 0.63 | \$ | 0.64 | \$ | 0.65 |
| New Zealand |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day bank bills |  | 5.94\% |  | 5.73\% |  | 5.81\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 6.53\% |  | 6.72\% |  | 6.69\% |
| NZ Dollar | \$ | \$ 0.47 | \$ | 0.45 | \$ | 0.41 |
| United Kingdom |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day bank bills |  | 3.90\% |  | 4.05\% |  | 4.95\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 4.86\% |  | 5.19\% |  | 5.01\% |
| British Pound |  | \$ 1.56 | \$ | 1.46 | \$ | 1.43 |
| South Korea |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day T-bills |  | 4.74\% |  | 4.53\% |  | 5.04\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 6.46\% |  | 7.23\% |  | 6.78\% |
| South Korean Won* | (Won) 11 | 1188.09 | (Won) 12 | 94.05 | (Won) 12 | 98.00 |
| Thailand |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day deposits |  | 2.00\% |  | 2.00\% |  | 2.50\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 5.00\% |  | 5.62\% |  | 6.30\% |
| Thai Baht* | (Baht) | 42.02 | (Baht) | 43.26 | (Baht) | 45.70 |
| Philippines |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day T-bills |  | 5.59\% |  | 4.72\% |  | 9.78\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 12.78\% |  | 13.38\% |  | 15.99\% |
| Philippines Peso* | (Peso) | 51.28 | (Peso) | 50.63 | (Peso) | 53.55 |
| Malaysia |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day T-bills |  | 2.73\% |  | 2.73\% |  | 2.80\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 3.97\% |  | 4.70\% |  | 4.17\% |
| Malaysian Ringgit* | (Ringgit) | ) 3.80 | (Ringgit) | 3.80 | (Ringgit) | 3.80 |
| Singapore |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 90 day T-bills |  | 0.70\% |  | $0.78 \%$ |  | 2.13\% |
| 10 year bonds |  | 3.72\% |  | 3.91\% |  | 3.62\% |
| Singapore Dollar* | S\$ | 1.76 | S\$ | 1.81 | S\$ | 1.80 |
| US\$ Yankee Bonds** |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| South Korea |  | 4.80\% |  | 5.52\% |  | 6.40\% |
| Malaysia |  | 5.61\% |  | 6.18\% |  | 7.19\% |



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                                    3,983,825
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Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) (continued)
As of July 31, 2002
Principal
Amount
Local
Currency (a) Value
(000) Description (US$)
CANADA--17.7%
Government Bonds--10.6%
C$
    Canadian Government,
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    Total Canadian
        government bonds
        (cost US$10,711,162) . . ............................ 9,942,620
Semi-Government Bonds--6.4%
British Columbia--1.7%
    Province of British Columbia,
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Ontario--1.1%
    Ontario Hydro,
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    1,061,611
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Quebec--3.6%
    Quebec Hydro,
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    3,387,393
    Total Canadian
    semi-government bonds
    (cost US$6,396,462)
    6,072,724
Banking and Finance--0.7%
    Credit Local de France,
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    Total Canadian banking
    and finance bonds
    (cost US$711,636) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 675,852
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Total Canadian
long-term investments
(cost US$17,819,260)
16,691,196
MALAYSIA--0.8%
Government Bonds--0.3%
MYR
    Malaysian Government
1,200 3.833%, 9/28/11
    311,122
    Total government bonds
    (cost US$313,205)
    311,122
Semi-Government Bonds--0.5%
    Danamodal Nasional Berhad,
1,800 0.00%, 10/21/03
    456,774
    Total Malaysian
    semi-government bonds
    (cost US$445,997)
    456,774
    Total Malaysia
    long-term investments
    (cost US$759,202)
    767,896
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Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) (continued)
As of July 31, 2002
Principal
Amount
Local
Currency (a) Value
(000) Description (US$)
NEW ZEALAND--15.4%
Government Bonds--3.0%
NZ $
    Canadian Government,
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    Total New Zealand
    government bonds
    (cost US$2,737,754) ............................... 2,791,806
Utilities--0.5%
    Electricity Corporation of
    New Zealand Ltd.,
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    Total New Zealand
    utility bonds
    (cost US$582,583)
    473,434
Banking and Finance--11.1%
            Bayerische Hypo- und
            Vereinsbank AG,
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    Commerzbank AG,
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    GMAC INTL Finance BV,
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        Landesbank
        Baden-Wuerttemberg,
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        Landesbank
        Hessen-Thueringen
        Girozentrale,
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        Transpower Finance Ltd.,
        8.00%, 6/15/05
        242,727
        WestPac Trust Securities
    2,500 6.00%, 4/28/04 ..................................... 1, 1, 163,810
    Total New Zealand
        banking and finance bonds
        (cost US$9,838,391)
        10,535,604
Corporate Non-Banks--0.8%
    Housing New Zealand,
    1,500 8.00%, 11/15/06
        737,610
    Total New Zealand
    corporate non-bank bonds
    (cost US$797,126)
        737,610
    Total New Zealand
    long-term investments
    (cost US$13,955,854)
        14,538,454
PHILIPPINES--0.4%
Government Bonds--0.4%
PHP
    Philippine Government,
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    Total Philippine
    long-term investments
    (cost US$409,004)
        362,468
SINGAPORE--0.7%
Government Bonds--0.5%
SG$
    Singapore Government,
    100 3.00%, 11/01/02
        57,072
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Utilities--0.1%
                Eastern Water Resources
        Development and Management
        Company Limited,
    5,000
        9.00%, 7/22/04 (d)
        131,684
        Total Thailand utility bonds
        (cost US$126,542)
        131,684
Corporate Non-Banks--0.1%
        Advanced Info Service
        Public Company Limited,
        2,600 6.50%, 3/20/03 (d)
        Total Thailand
        corporate non-bank bonds
        (cost US$68,911)
        63,277
        Total Thailand
        long-term investments
        (cost US$984,679) . ............................................... 1,009,826
UNITED KINGDOM--39.8%
Government Bonds--31.2%
(pound)
    United Kingdom Treasury,
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    Republic of Finland,
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    Total United Kingdom
    government bonds
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20 Aberdeen Global Income Fund, Inc.
Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) (continued)
As of July 31, 2002
Principal
Amount
Local
Currency (a) Value
(000) Description (US$)
Utilities--2.7%
(pound)
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an states
8.30%, 8/15/31
933,000
Total United States
long-term bonds
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Total long-term investments
(cost US$106,792,026) .............................. 105,296,067
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Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) (concluded)

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Portfolio of Investments (unaudited) (concluded)
As of July 31, 2002
As of July 31, 2002
Principal
Principal
Amount
Amount
Local
Local
Currency (a) Value
Currency (a) Value
(000) Description (US$)
(000) Description (US$)
SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS--14.5%
Australia--2.4%
A$
    Banque Nationale de Paris
    Fixed Deposit,
    4,055 4.25%, 8/01/02
    (cost US$2,207,202) ................................ 2,207,203
Canada--7.4%
C$
    State Street Bank and
    Trust Company Time Deposit,
11,060 2.00%, 8/07/02
    (cost US$7,033,834) ............................... 6, 681,001
New Zealand--1.7%
NZ $
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    State Street Bank and
    Trust Company Fixed Deposit,
    3.467 4.25\%, 8/07/02
    (cost US\$1,631,570) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1, 625, 676
    United Kingdom--3.0\%
(pound)
State Street Bank and
Trust Company Fixed Deposit,
$1,790 \quad 3.81 \%$, 8/07/02

Total short-term investments
(cost US\$13,688,944)
$13,610,218$
Total Investments--126.2\% (cost US\$120,480,970)
$118,906,285$
Net unrealized appreciation on forward foreign currency
exchange contracts--0.0\% (e)
21,393



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Capital Structure

SHARE CAPITAL

| Authorized | Issued |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 300,000,000 | 9,266,209 | Common stock, \$0.001 par value per share |
| 100,000,000 | 30,000,000 | Preferred stock, \$25,000 liquidation value per share |


| February 20, 1992 | 7,857,120 | Initial public offering (including seed shares) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| April 15, 1992 | 1,159,200 | Exercise of over-allotment on initial public offering |
| April 15, 1992 | 26,778 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| May 15, 1992 | 27,795 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| June 15, 1992 | 27,928 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| August 14, 1992 | 25,905 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| September 15, 1992 | 25,391 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| October 15, 1992 | 26,273 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| November 16, 1992 | 26,911 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| December 15, 1992 | 28,946 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| February 16, 1993 | 17,183 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |
| March 11, 1994 | 16,779 | Shares issued through dividend reinvestment program |



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