VPC Specialty Lending Investments PLC



Monthly Report - March 2021

Monthly Investment Highlights

- Total NAV return generated for the month was -0.18% and was primarily impacted by the change in the share price of VPC Impact Acquisition Holdings (NASDAQ: "VIH") and one-time expenses relating to the closing of the Company's new gearing facility. Excluding VIH and closing expenses on the new gearing facility, the total return for the month would have been 1.88%;
- The return consisted of gross revenue returns of 0.97% and gross capital returns of -0.63%. These returns were offset by expenses and fees of -0.54% and other capital returns were 0.02%; and
- The one-year NAV Return for the period from 1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021 is 24.08% and, as a result, there will be no continuation vote proposal at the upcoming AGM.

The Company's Performance (As at 31 March 2021)1

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Ordinary Share Return Statistics (As at 31 March 2021)1

NAV Returns (Total Returns)	Month To Date	Last Three Months	Last Twelve Months
Gross Revenue Returns	0.97%	2.91%	13.70%
Gross Capital Returns	-0.63%	9.08%	16.74%
Expenses and Fees	-0.54%	-2.70%	-7.24%
F/X and Other Capital Returns	0.02%	-0.32%	0.89%
Total NAV Return	-0.18%	8.97%	24.08%

Monthly Commentary

The Company delivered strong returns during Q1 2021, generating an 8.97% return for the quarter. These returns were driven by strong performance in both the Company's balance sheet investments and equity investments. As disclosed above, the returns of the Company from 1 April 2020 through 31 March 2021 outperformed the continuation vote condition test of 4% set out by the Board on 10 June 2020.

During the month, the Company fully exited its equity investment in Elevate Credit, Inc. (NYSE: ELVT) and funded equity investments in VPC Impact Acquisition Holdings II (NASDAQ: VPCB) and VPC Impact Acquisition Holdings III (NYSE: VPCC) for USD 1.3 million each. Additionally, the unrealised value of VPC Impact Acquisition Holdings (NASDAQ: "VIH") decreased by 1.72% of NAV as the traded share price decreased during the month. The Company continues to expect that the transaction will close during Q2 2021.

The Company closed on a USD 200 million gearing facility with Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, which was used to repay the Company's previous gearing facility with Pacific Western Bank and the first-out participation facility on Avant, held with Axos Bank. There were one-time fees of -0.34% of NAV recognised during the month with the change in gearing facilities.

The Company repurchased 1,587,507 ordinary shares during the month at an average price of 84.01 pence per share and an average discount to NAV of 16.45%³. The Investment Manager purchased 57,508 shares of the Company with 20.0% of its monthly management fee.

Events Subsequent to 31 March 2021

During April, the Company received a full repayment of its investment in ATA-KS Holdings, LLC which generated a gross IRR of 18.13% and represented 9.96% of the Company's NAV as at 31 March 2021. The proceeds were utilised to repay the Company's gearing facility and deployed into new investments. As with a majority of the debt investments, the paydown included a one-time prepayment fee generating a return of 0.19% of the March NAV that will be recognised in April.

From 1 April 2021 to 27 April 2021, the Company repurchased 550,000 ordinary shares at an average price of 85.56 pence per share and an average discount to NAV of 16.51%³. Following the announcement of the February NAV, the Investment Manager purchased 57,116 shares of the Company with 20.0% of its monthly management fee.

¹Please refer to the Glossary of Terms posted on the Company's website.

²Based on total shares outstanding, less shares held in treasury.

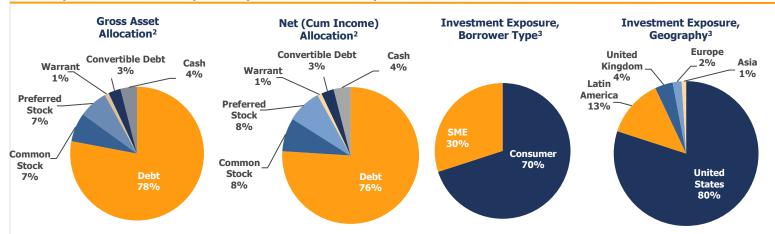
³Calculated as the weighted average repurchase price of the shares less the latest announced NAV as at the date of the repurchase divided by the latest announced NAV as at the date of the repurchase.

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Ordinary Share Portfolio Composition (As at 31 March 2021)¹



Ordinary Share Performance and Dividend Summary (As at 31 March 2021)1

NAV Return	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2021	7.14%	1.89%	-0.18%										8.97%
2020	0.89%	0.08%	-3.55%	0.91%	1.26%	1.08%	1.30%	1.25%	2.29%	2.16%	1.73%	2.09%	11.12%
2019	0.58%	0.46%	0.73%	1.03%	0.56%	2.39%	1.04%	0.84%	0.98%	0.95%	0.96%	0.73%	11.34%
2018	-0.17% ⁴	0.49%	0.62%	0.95%	1.03%	1.38%	1.15%	1.01%	1.03%	0.51%	0.52%	0.46%	8.96% ⁴
Share Price													
Performance ⁵	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2021	9.78%	3.01%	-5.84%										6.48%
2020	3.32%	-4.70%	-29.87%	-12.59%	35.81%	2.96%	0.00%	-5.15%	2.24%	0.00%	12.19%	9.61%	0.64%
2019	1.56%	-0.77%	-6.46%	-1.38%	-2.24%	3.44%	8.03%	-3.46%	5.44%	-4.53%	0.00%	3.17%	1.82%
2018	3.85%	-3.70%	-0.51%	0.52%	0.26%	1.02%	5.05%	-4.33%	1.01%	-1.50%	-2.78%	0.00%	-1.54%
Dividend Per													
Share	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2021	-	-	2.00p										2.00p
2020	-	-	2.00p	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	8.00p
2019	-	-	2.00p	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	8.00p
2018	-	-	1.80p	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	-	2.00p	-	7.80p

Performance Fee Attribution (As at 31 March 2021)¹

Month to Date	Revenue Return	Capital Return	Total Return
NAV Return before Performance Fee	0.42%	-0.65%	-0.23%
Performance Fee	-0.06%	0.11%	0.05%
Total Return	0.36%	-0.54%	-0.18%

Portfolio Statistics^{1,6}

	Balance Sheet Loans
Weighted Average Coupon	10.68%
Weighted Average Remaining Life (months)	29.06

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Percentages calculated on a look-through basis to the Company's investee entities and SPVs.

*Calculations using gross asset exposure and not reduced for gearing. Excludes cash.

*This return excludes the effect of the initial recognition of IFRS 9 disclosed in the Company's Annual Report of 1.11% as at 31 December 2017 which is brought forward through capital as it impacts the inception to date returns. 5Based on issue price of 100p.

⁶Underlying portfolio data as of most recent available reporting period.

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Company Overview

VPC Specialty Lending Investments PLC ("VSL" or the "Company") is a UK-listed investment trust focused on asset-backed lending to emerging and established businesses ("Portfolio Companies") with the goal of building long-term, sustainable income generation. VSL identifies investment opportunities across various industries and geographies to offer shareholders access to a diversified portfolio of opportunistic credit investments, originated by non-bank lenders with a focus on the rapidly developing technology-enabled lending sector. The Company completed its IPO on 17 March 2015 with a premium listing on the Official List of the U.K. Listing Authority and trading on the Main Market of the London Stock Exchange. The Company's trading symbol is VSL for the Ordinary Shares.

The Company's investment manager is Victory Park Capital Advisors, LLC ("VPC" or the "Investment Manager"). VPC is an SEC-registered investment adviser and acts as the AIFM of the Company.

Since 2010, the Investment Manager has been actively involved in the specialty lending marketplace and has made more than \$8.8 billion of investments and commitments across various financial technology Portfolio Companies, spanning multiple geographies, products and structures and continues to deploy capital into existing and new Portfolio Companies.

The Company's Investment Objective

The Company's investment objectives are to:

- generate an attractive total return for shareholders of consistent distributable income and capital growth through asset-backed lending;
- achieve portfolio diversification to emerging and established businesses across different industries and geographies with the goal of building long-term, sustainable value; and
- enable shareholders to benefit from equity upside through equity-linked securities issued in conjunction asset-backed lending.

VPC identifies and finances emerging and established businesses globally and seeks to provide the Company with attractive yields on its portfolio of credit investments. VPC offers a differentiated private lending approach by financing Portfolio Companies through asset-backed delayed draw term loans, which is referred to as "Balance Sheet Lending." Balance Sheet Lending affords various structural protections and covenants which are designed to limit downside risk while providing shareholders with strong income returns.

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