# **EJF Investments Limited**

## FACTSHEET

Monthly NAV Performance													
	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2022 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	0.13	1.34	2.22	4.01									7.70
2021 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	1.99	0.15	2.12	0.44	(2.09)	2.80	(0.01)	0.55	3.06	(0.16)	3.25	(1.43)	11.02
2020 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	0.47	0.18	(13.57)	0.58	3.33	0.15	1.25	0.34	0.40	(0.73)	1.16	0.25	(7.02)
2019 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	0.35	0.41	1.77	5.61	0.83	0.26	0.56	0.62	0.21	0.04	0.13	0.63	11.88
2018 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	8.28	0.70	0.12	2.70	2.10	1.62	0.50	2.39	0.08	0.32	0.22	(1.13)	19.08
2017 Monthly Performance (inclusive of dividends) (%)	0.51*	2.96	3.65	0.24	2.85	0.34	0.90	1.37	0.54	4.92	0.59	2.53	23.47

\*This performance reflects the period 1 January through 9 February, the Exchange Offer Completion Date.

EJF Capital LLC AUM<sup>1</sup> \$8.2 Billion

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Manager Monthly Commentary	EJFI Key Facts (at 30 April 2022)			
<b>NAV and Portfolio:</b> EJFI's April 2022 NAV was £111.3 million or GBp182 per share, representing a gain for the month of 4.01% and a year-to-date total return of 7.70%.	Ticker Symbol	EJFILN		
5 . , ,	NAV/Share	GBp182 (\$2.29 equivalent)		
<b>Portfolio Activity:</b> Portfolio returns of 41 bps were driven by interest accruals on securitisations and gains on the MSR investment in Seneca, which benefitted for another month as the U.S. 10-year	Share Price	GBp124		
Treasury bond rates rose, further reducing the probability of repayments of underlying mortgages. Foreign exchange rate movements provided additional gains of 386 bps from USD strengthening against Sterling.	Share Price Premium/(Discount) to NAV	(31.9)%		
During the month, the securitisations and CDO Manager distributed $$4.5$ million and $$0.4$ million to the Company respectively with £2.8 million being deployed into two additional FinTech debt	EJFINAV	£111.3 million		
securities.	Market Cap	£75.8 million		
<b>Market:</b> Market volatility continued through April as banking sector performance was weak due to uncertainty around the path of future monetary policy. At month-end, Fed funds futures priced in	Gross Asset Value	£137.6 million		
around 10 additional 25 basis point interest rate hikes in 2022. Additionally, the U.S. Federal Reserve has indicated that it will sell \$95 billion in Treasuries and MBS securities monthly, and has kept	Target Return	8%-10% total return		
options open for outright sales of longer-dated securities sitting on its \$8 trillion balance sheet.		GBp2.675 per share		

Given the potential for a dramatic tightening of financial conditions over the next twelve months, market-based recession indicators such as high yield spreads widened significantly to a 445 basis points spread on the 5-year High Yield Credit Default Swap Index in recent weeks. Although tangible evidence of some credit stress in the non-prime consumer area is apparent, commercial lending fundamentals remain healthy and both loan growth and convexity to rising rates should allow for outperformance in small and medium sized banking institutions.

U.S. community and regional banks posted strong earnings in the first quarter as loan growth and future pipelines remain robust. Although the capital markets have already assumed economic growth will slow in the future, current business and consumer activity levels continue to normalise post COVID-19. Additionally, as capital markets have slowed, banks are seeing customers re-engage credit facilities for funding. As a result of loan growth and the increase in interest rate expectations, forward guidance for net interest income rose dramatically for most banks in our coverage. We believe the Company's securitisation positions remain well positioned in the current rising interest rate environment

Other: An EGM of the Company was held on 5 May 2022, regarding amongst other things, the 2022 ZDP Rollover Offer and Continuation Resolution, at which each all ordinary and special resolutions put to shareholders were duly passed. Further information can be found at https://www.ejfi.com/media/1589/2022-05-13-result-of-egm-figures-for-website-ejf-approved.docx.

AUM includes \$3.1 billion of CDO managed assets and \$125.3 million of uncalled capital as at 31 March 2022 1.

The Company's base currency is denominated in GBP, though most of the Company's investments are currently in USD. As of 30 April 2022, only USD 39.4m of approximately USD 165.0m exposure is hedged. As detailed in the RNS dated 10 May, additional hedging was put in place and as at 10 May 2022 USD 66.0m of approximately USD 165.0m exposure is hedged.

April 2022

EJFI Annualised Performance since inception <sup>2</sup> 12.50%						
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	Quarterly Dividend <sup>1</sup>	GBp2.675 per share (GBp10.7 per share p.a.)				
	Dividend Yield	8.63% (share price) 5.88% (NAV)				
	Currency <sup>2</sup>	GBP <sup>2</sup>				
loan growth and sumed economic inue to normalise tomers re-engage rate expectations,	2022 ZDP Shares	Ticker: EJFZ LN Shares: 15m, Maturity: 11/2022 Capital Entitlement: GBp132.25 GRY: 5.75% Current NAV: GBp128.0 Current Share Price: GBp127.0				
our coverage. We ent rising interest r things, the 2022 pecial resolutions be found at f-approved.docx.	2025 ZDP Shares	Ticker: EJFo LN Shares: 6m, Maturity: 6/2025 Capital Entitlement: GBp140.0 GRY: 7.00% Current NAV: GBp113.3 Current Share Price: GBp116.5				

<sup>1</sup>The Company targets an annual dividend of 10.7 pence per share for the financial year to 31 December 2022, to be distributed evenly in four quarterly payments.

<sup>2</sup>The Company's base currency is denominated in GBP, though most of the Company's investments are currently in USD. As of 10 May 2022, USD 66.0m of approximately USD 165.0m exposure is hedged.

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### Manager Monthly Commentary (continued)

**Dividend:** The Board has a target dividend of 10.7 pence for the year ending 31 December 2022 and a quarterly dividend of 2.675 pence per ordinary share was declared on 26 April 2022. The dividend has an ex-dividend date of 5 May 2022 and will be paid on or about 31 May 2022.

### Existing Portfolio Description<sup>1</sup>

#### Securitisations & Related Investments

- £90.0 million investment in the equity tranches of seven securitisations sponsored by EJF Capital LLC
- £7.9 million investment in EJF CDO Manager LLC (49% ownership interest)
- £1.5 million investment in portfolio of TruPS CDO securities

## Specialty Finance Investments

- £1.3 million investment in portfolio of high interest rate loans to U.S. law firms engaged in mass tort litigation
- £7.9 million investment in a portfolio of mortgage servicing rights
- £2.9 million investment in liquid UK bank debt securities
- £4.8 million investment in FinTech debt securities

#### Cash

- £19.2 million unrestricted cash
- £1.6 million restricted cash<sup>2</sup>

#### Other Assets

- £0.5 million of other assets
- 1. Based on the Company's 30 April 2022 unaudited financials.
- Net of an unrealised loss on forward currency contracts of £3.0 million.

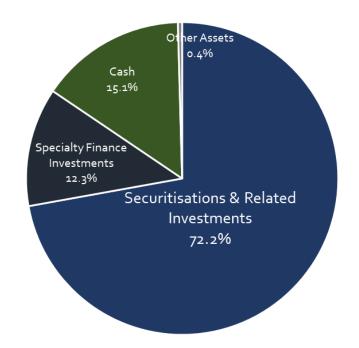
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## Target Investments

The Company seeks to achieve its investment objective primarily by investing in assets that have been impacted by regulatory and structural changes to the finance industry. These target investments consist primarily of: (a) Securitisation and Related Investments; and (b) Specialty Finance Investments.

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