The Opportunity in Private Credit Amidst Slowing Public Markets

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Performance of Markets in 2022/2023 Caught Us Off-Guard

Amidst the AI frenzy in the stock market, the bond market is showing concern with a significantly inverted Yield Curve.

S&P 500 performance outperforms bond returns 1.45x.

S&P 500 to Bonds Ratio



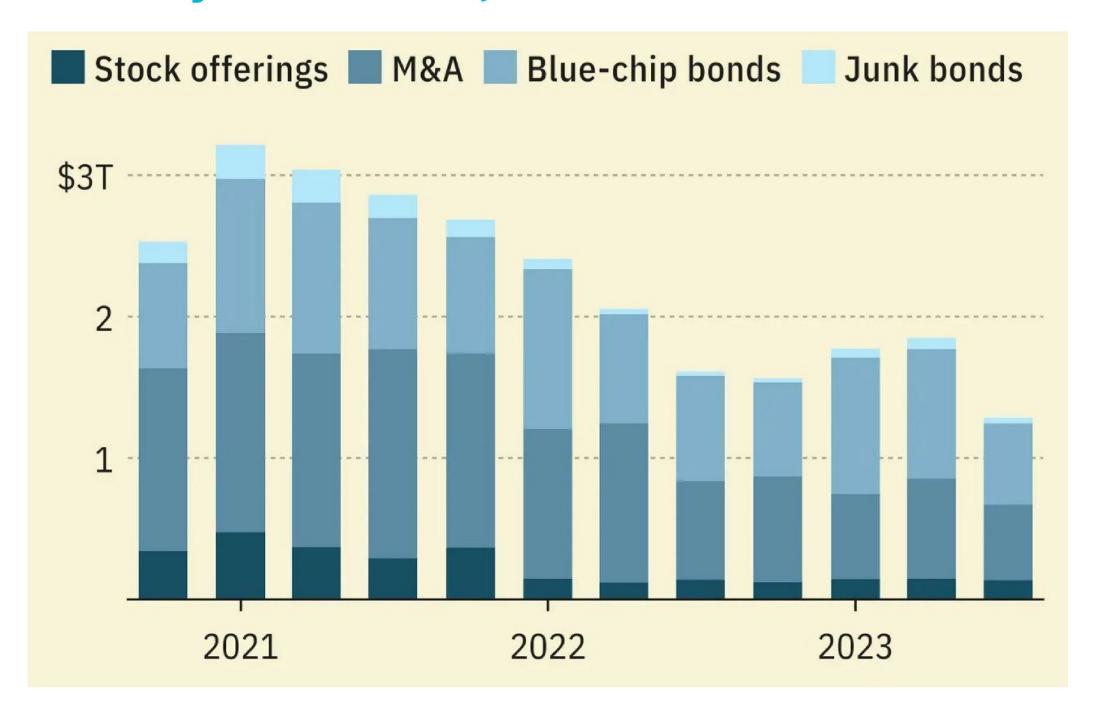
Source: Longtermtrends, Trading View

Deal Making Activity in Public Markets is Slowing Down

M&As have decreased globally by 32% compared to 2022, which is even worse than the pandemic year.

New listings are scarce, and syndicated loans are on track for their slowest quarter since spring 2020.

Deals by dollar value, USD trn



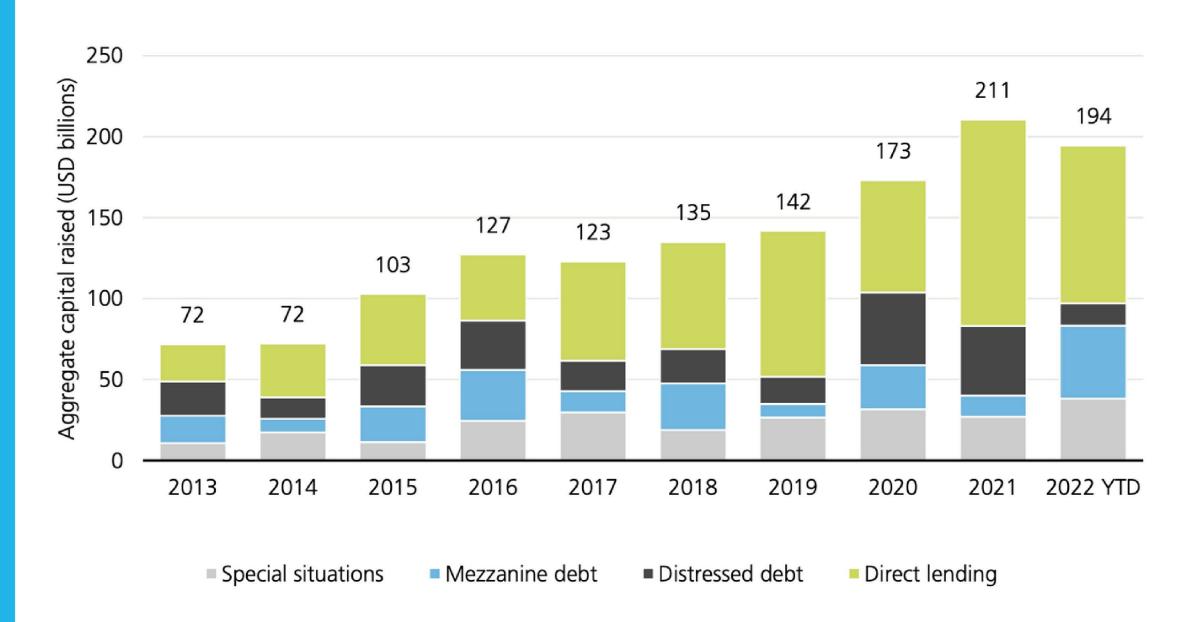
Source: Semafor, Deallogic, Sep 2023

Private Credit Growth established itself as a Recognized Asset Class.

The private credit market has grown more than six-fold since the Global Financial Crisis.

Today, the private credit market stands at \$1.2 trillion.

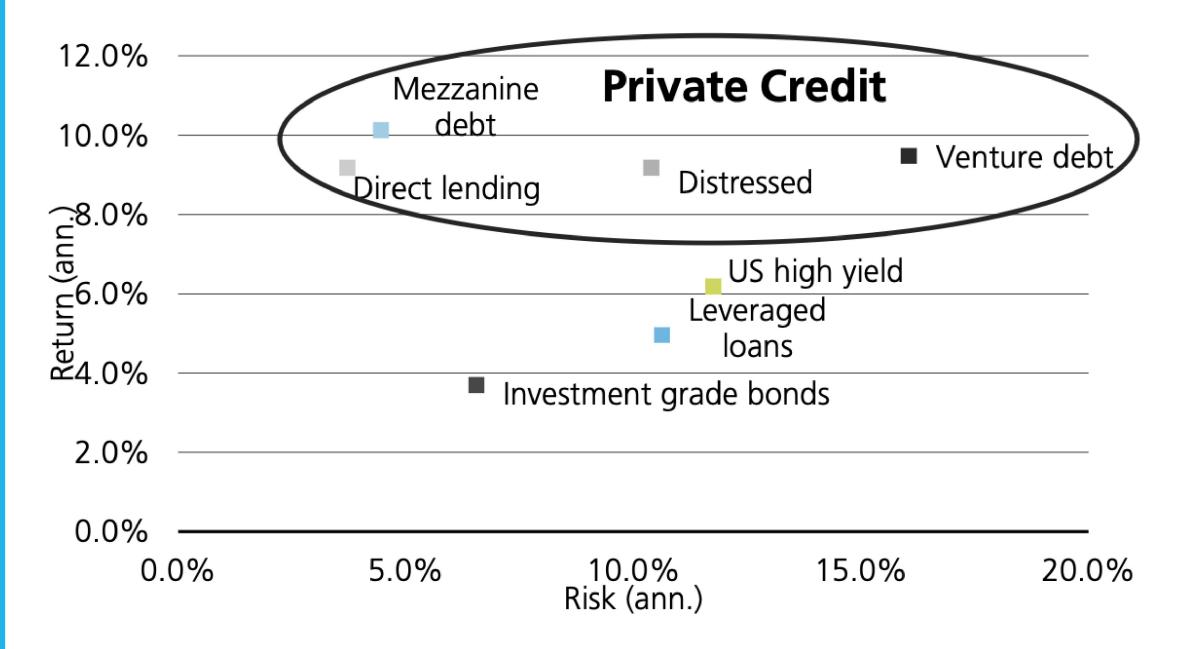
Private credit fundraising, USD bln



Source: Goldman Sachs, Prequin: As of December 31, 2022

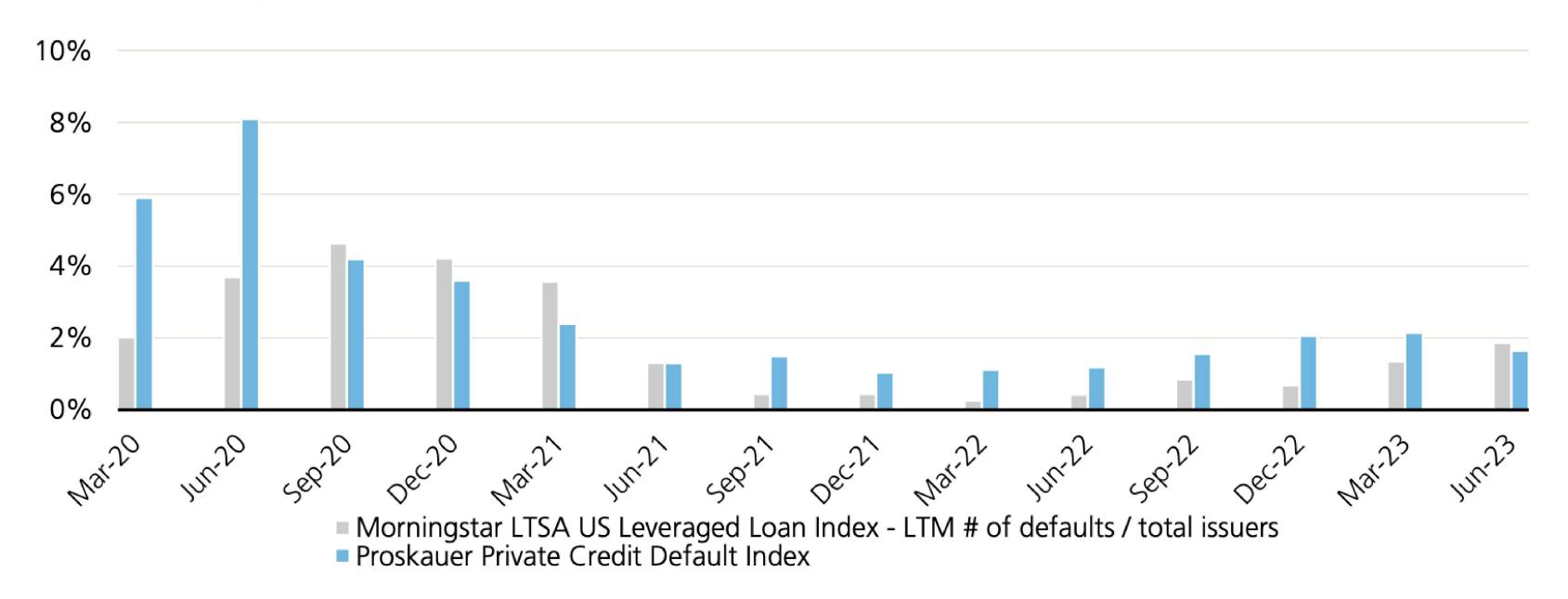
Risk-adjusted returns on private credit are attractive

Private credit risk & returns



Source: UBS, Cliffwater Direct Lending Index, Morningstar Direct, Cambridge Associates, PitchBook, as of 31 Mar 2023.

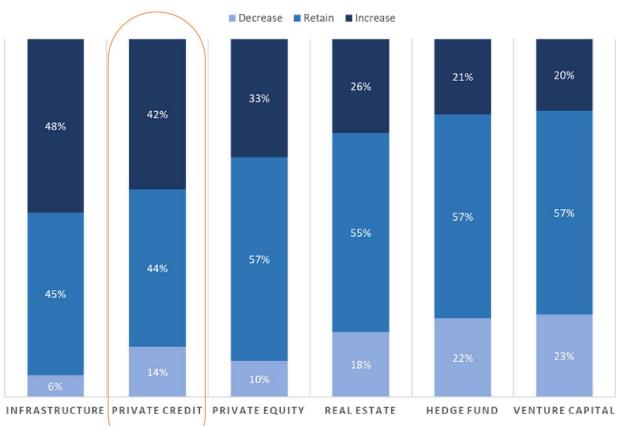
Private vs public credit default index



Family Offices exhibit a strong preference for private markets, with the majority seeking to increase or maintain their allocations.

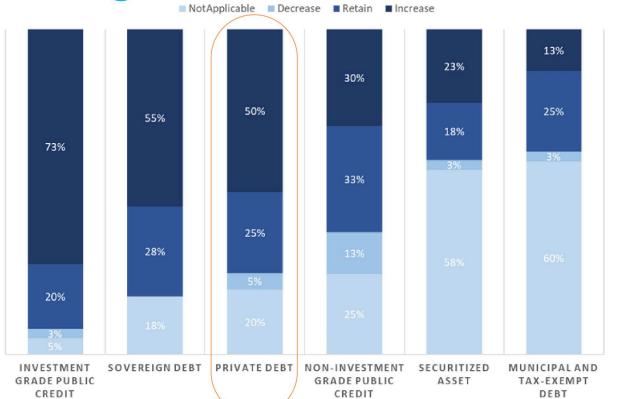
The key challenges that they face are access to the best direct deals, high fees, liquidity constraints, and the lack of transparency.

Expected Changes to Current Alternatives in 2023



Among the family offices surveyed, 86% stated their intention to increase or maintain their exposure to private credit within their alternative investment holdings

Changes to Fixed Income Allocation



In the specific category of fixed income, **75**% of the surveyed family offices indicated their intention to **increase** their allocation or **maintain** current levels.

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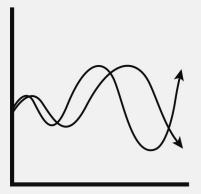
BlackRock Global Family Office Report 2023

Useful Properties of Private Credit



Income generation

The asset class has consistently generated higher yields than most other asset classes, including public high yield bonds.



Resilience

Private credit typically incurs lower losses than high-yield bonds.



Return Enhancement

Private credit instruments typically use floating rates (e.g. SOFR) and may include price floor clauses.



Diversification

Speciality credit strategies are less sensitive to the cycles of the broader economy.

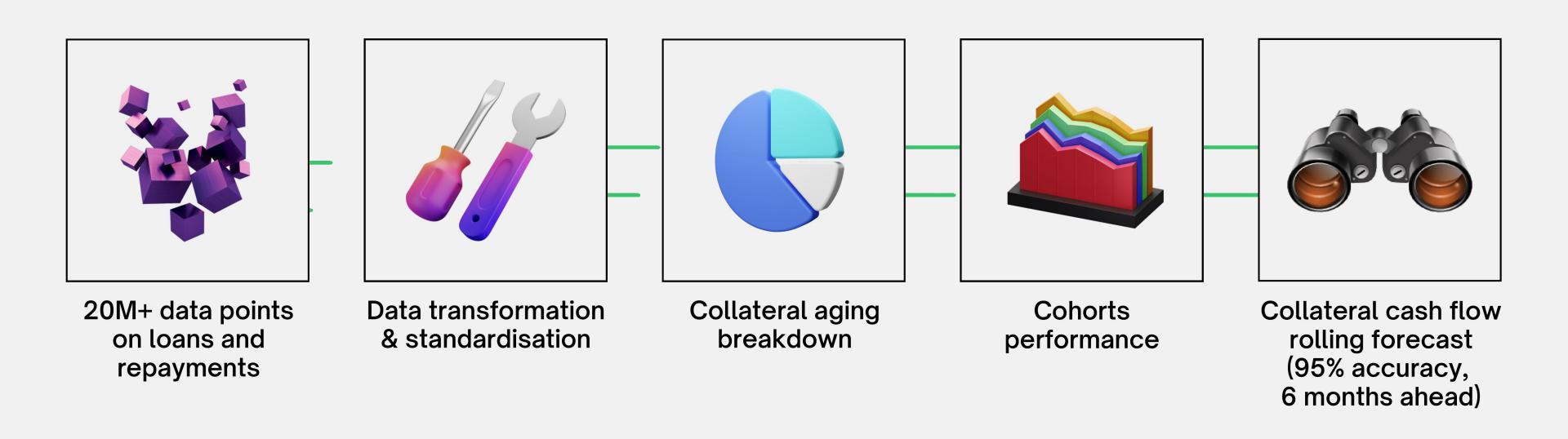
Finding an Experienced Private Credit Manager

- market or specialised assets?
- Capital structure expertise senior to distressed strategies?
- Cycle experience can they weather downturns?
- Deal terms/protections do they negotiate strong lender protections?
- Distressed capabilities can they maximise recoveries when needed?
- Track record what are their returns over time vs benchmarks?

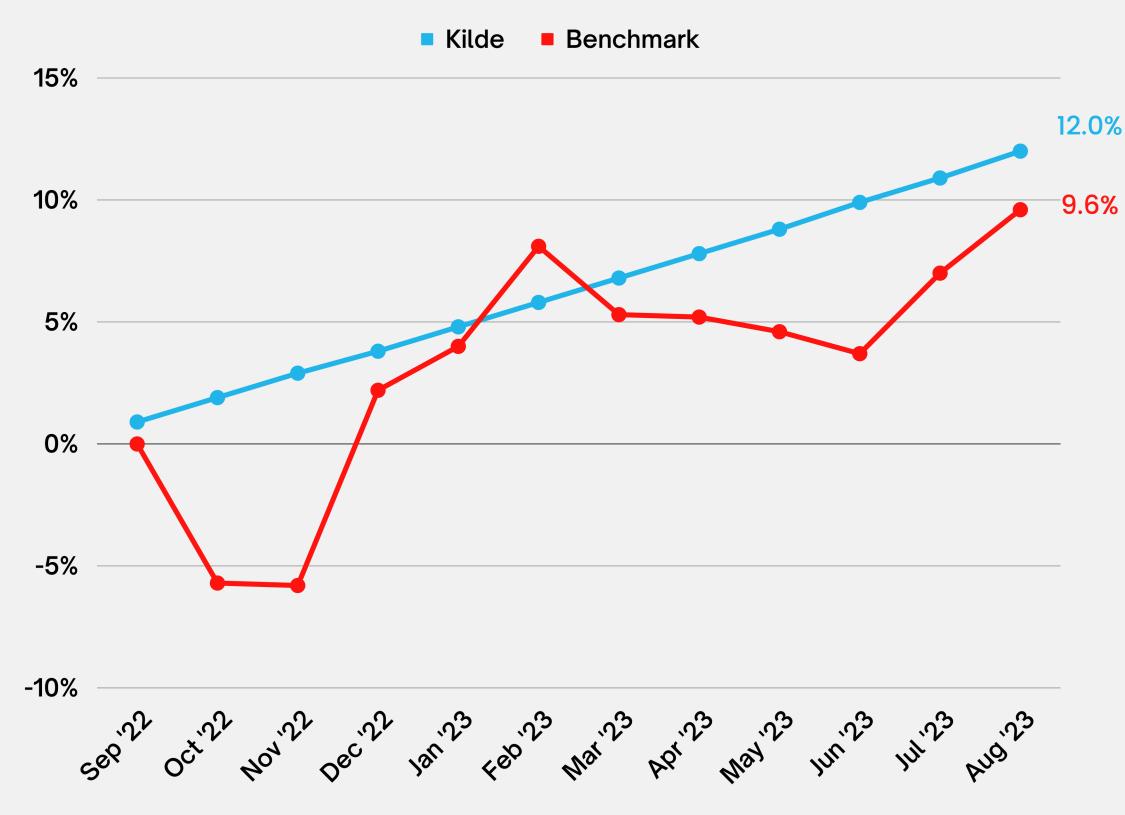


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We have **50,000**+ individual loans as collateral with **160**%+ cash coverage of the investment



Investment Performance





12.0%

Annual return, Aug '23



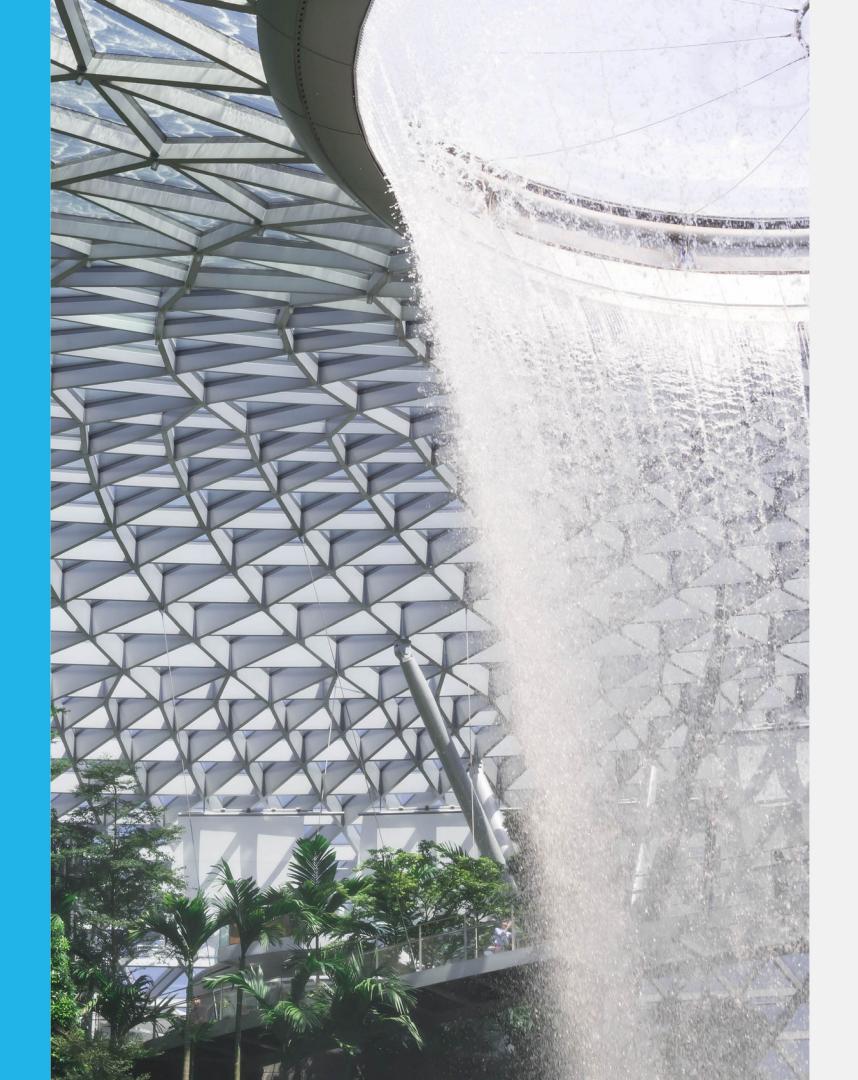
160%

Collaterral cash coverage



0.0%

Defaults



- Historical Returns at 10-13% p.a.
- Monthly Coupons
- 0.0% Default Rate
- Tenure between 3-36 months
- Flexible 3 Month Redemption Cycle

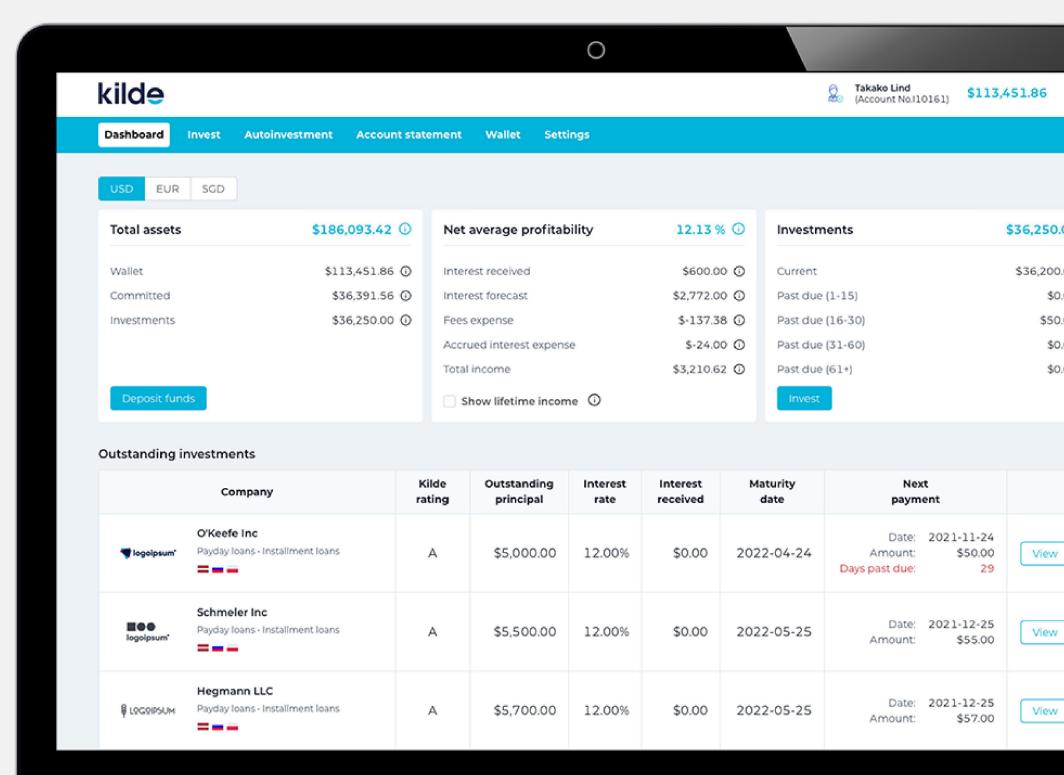


Monitor your investments 24/7

- Detailed NAV Breakdown empowers investors to gain a comprehensive understanding of their portfolio
- AutoInvest function selects deals that best fits investor's mandate based on parameters such as tenure, returns, and sector
- Clear Visualisation of available deals, updated reports that provides investors with an arsenal of tools to facilitate the best investment process

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- Implementation of **covenants**, **assessing** of **financial statements** on a monthly or quarterly-basis

Singapore Law



- Full suite of agreements and contracts drafted in **Singapore legislation**
- Funds are escrowed through DBS, the largest bank in Singapore

[1] Understanding Investors Needs

Speak with Kilde's professionals to understand the deals available and what works best for your investment mandate

[2] Portfolio Construction



Direct subscription on the deals, get access to all legal and contractual documentation, and allocate the funds based on returns or sectors

[3] KYC and Due Diligence



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[4] Deposit into Platform



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[5] Portfolio Management



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