Eaton Vance Floating-Rate Income Trust Form N-Q October 29, 2004

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED

MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number

811-21574

Eaton Vance Floating Rate Income Trust (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

The Eaton Vance Building, 255 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts

(Address of principal executive offices)

Eaton Vance Management, 255 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02109

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code:

(617) 482-8260

02109

(Zip code)

Date of fiscal year end: No

November 30

Date of reporting period: August 31, 2004

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Eaton Vance Floating-Rate Income Trust PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (Unaudited)

as of August 31, 2004

Senior, Floating Rate Interests 76.7% (1)

Principal Amount			Borrower/Tranche Description	Value
Advertising 0.49	%			
Auverusing 0.47	70		Adams Outdoor Advertising, L.P.	
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing October 15, 2011 (1)	2,024,166
		_,,,,,,,,,	Lamar Media Corp.	_, ,,
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	1,010,000
		, ,	, ,	\$ 3,034,166
Aerospace and De	fense 1.2	%		
			ARINC, Inc.	
		2,992,500	Term Loan, Maturing March 10, 2010	3,037,387
			DRS Technologies, Inc.	
		3,844,814	Term Loan, Maturing November 4, 2010	3,880,859
			Standard Aero Holdings, Inc.	
		844,848	Term Loan, Maturing August 24, 2012	844,848
			Transdigm, Inc.	
		995,006	Term Loan, Maturing July 22, 2010	1,010,243
				\$ 8,773,337
Auto Components	7.3%			
			Dayco Products, LLC	
		1,550,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2011	1,575,673
			Exide Technologies	
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 5, 2010	1,004,375
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 5, 2010	1,005,000
			Federal-Mogul Corp.	
		2,852,861	Revolving Loan, Maturing December 31, 2004	2,654,944
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	1,869,376
		563,750	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	567,978
		4,366,382	Revolving Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	4,355,466
			Gleason Corp.	
		585,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 27, 2011	592,312
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		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 31, 2012	1,010,000
			HLI Operating Co., Inc.	
		1,345,781	Term Loan, Maturing June 3, 2009	1,373,537
			Key Automotive Group	
		3,750,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 29, 2010	3,796,875
			Metaldyne, Inc.	
		6,271,519	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	6,288,502
			Plastech Engineered Products, Inc.	
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	1,015,000
			R.J. Tower Corp.	
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 29, 2010	2,042,500
			The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	
		5,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2006	5,572,187
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2007	2,023,750
			TI Automotive, Ltd.	
		9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011	9,030,942
			TRW Automotive, Inc.	
		3,990,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 28, 2011	4,062,319
			United Components, Inc.	
		1,870,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	1,896,881
				\$ 51,737,617
Broadcast Media	2.8%			
			CanWest Media, Inc.	
		3,004,375	Term Loan, Maturing August 15, 2009	3,043,807
			Cumulus Media, Inc.	
		1,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 28, 2009	1,107,562
		3,300,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 28, 2010	3,327,845
			Emmis Operating Co.	
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 10, 2011	2,016,250
			NEP Supershooters, L.P.	
		1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 3, 2011	1,507,500
			Rainbow National Services, LLC	
			2	

		3,600,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2012	3,646,800
			Sinclair Television Group, Inc.	
		1,900,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2009	1,911,875
		3,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	3,135,520
			•	\$ 19,697,159
Cable Television	3.6%			
			Atlantic Broadband Finance, LLC	
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 10, 2011	2,027,500
			Bresnan Communications, LLC	
		1,884,762	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2010	1,912,446
			Canadian Cable Acquisition Company, Inc.	
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 27, 2011	1,009,688
			Charter Communications Operating, LLC	
		5,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2010	4,884,260
		10,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2011	10,376,404
			Insight Midwest Holdings, LLC	
		1,880,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	1,881,645
		995,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	1,010,547
			MCC Iowa, LLC	
		2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	2,495,702
				\$ 25,598,192
Casinos and Gam	ing 0.9%			
			Alliance Gaming Corp.	
		1,819,326	Term Loan, Maturing September 5, 2009	1,843,583
			Marina District Finance Co.	
		769,717	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2007	774,207
		3,853,979	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	3,875,658
				\$ 6,493,448
Chemicals 5.5%	,			
			Brenntag AG	
		2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2012	2,532,812
			3	

	Celanese AG	
3,104,170	Term Loan, Maturing June 4, 2011	3,146,368
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 8, 2011	2,042,084
	Hercules, Inc.	
3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing October 8, 2010	3,025,314
	Huntsman International, LLC	
921,129	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2010	934,946
	Huntsman, LLC	
322,380	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007	324,049
2,032,948	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007	2,043,477
	Innophos, Inc.	
461,182	Term Loan, Maturing August 13, 2010	464,929
	Kosa B.V.	
9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 29, 2010	9,000,000
	Kraton Polymers, LLC	
980,834	Term Loan, Maturing December 5, 2008	982,060
	Nalco Co.	
2,701,282	Term Loan, Maturing November 4, 2010	2,745,902
	Polymer Group, Inc.	
3,914,286	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2010	3,942,829
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2011	2,509,375
	Ripplewood Phosphorus, LLC	
575,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 20, 2011	580,750
	Rockwood Specialties Group, Inc.	
3,590,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2012	3,619,811
	VWR International, Inc.	
1,246,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011	1,266,092
		\$ 39,160,798
Coal 0.6%		
	Foundation Coal Corp.	
2,065,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	2,087,973
	Peabody Energy Corp.	
1,975,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	1,998,145
		\$ 4,086,118

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ets Holdings, Inc.	
	2,404,815
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, 2007	459,296
	1,161,500
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	449,888		T	erm Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	456,636
	1,310,491		T	erm Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	1,330,149
			P	ly Gem Industries, Inc.	
	1,700,000		T	Ferm Loan, Maturing February 12, 2011	1,706,907
	300,000		T	erm Loan, Maturing February 12, 2011	301,219
					\$ 5,053,126
Containers and Packa	ging - Metal a	and Glass 1	.8%		
			В	SWAY Corp.	
	6,810,000		T	erm Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011	6,912,150
			K	Kranson Industries, Inc.	
	860,000		Т	Ferm Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	869,137
				Owens-Illinois, Inc.	
	2,000,000		Т	erm Loan, Maturing April 1, 2007	2,023,542
			S	ilgan Holdings, Inc.	
	2,727,506		Т	Ferm Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	2,756,060
				<u> </u>	\$ 12,560,889
Containers and Packa	ging - Paper	1.1%			
			G	Graham Packaging Co.	
	1,497,355			Ferm Loan, Maturing February 16, 2010	1,508,585
			G	Graphic Packaging International, Inc.	
	1,960,101		T	Ferm Loan, Maturing August 8, 2009	1,989,502
				olo Cup Co.	
	3,989,975		T	Ferm Loan, Maturing February 27, 2011	4,035,692
					\$ 7,533,779
Educational Services	0.4%				
			J	ostens, Inc.	
	909,633		T	erm Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010	923,277
			K	Knowledge Learning Corp.	
	1,000,000		T	erm Loan, Maturing May 15, 2010	1,007,500
			V	Veekly Reader Corp.	
	1,000,000			Ferm Loan, Maturing March 18, 2009	1,000,625
					\$ 2,931,402

Electronic Equi	ipment & Instruments	1 30/	
Electronic Equ	ipment & instruments		tulos Inc
	1 002 500	Communications & Power Indus	
	1,992,500	Term Loan, Maturing July 23, 2010	
	2 402 720	Invensys International Holdings,	
	3,492,730	Term Loan, Maturing September 5	2009 3,540,755
		SecurityCo, Inc.	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 201	
	3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 201	
			\$ 9,589,369
Entertainment	2.8%		
		Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios,	
	12,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 26, 201	1 12,058,500
		Six Flags Theme Parks, Inc.	
	4,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 200	9 4,021,252
		WMG Acquisition Corp.	
	3,989,975	Term Loan, Maturing February 28,	2011 4,046,976
			\$ 20,126,728
Environmental	Services 0.6%		
		Allied Waste Industries, Inc.	
	714,286	Term Loan, Maturing January 15, 2	2009 725,179
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 5, 20	
	2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010	
	2,000,000	Ionics, Inc.	2,000,070
	797,144	Term Loan, Maturing February 13,	2011 809,599
	777,111	Torm Boan, Macaring Poordary 13,	\$ 4,583,479
			Ψ 4,505,477
Financials 0.6	50%		
rmanciais 0.0	7 / 0	Refco Group Ltd., LLC	
	4,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 5, 20	3,992,916
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			\$ 3,992,910
Food, Beverage	a and Tahaasa		
2.2%	s and Todacco		
2.2%		Constellation Duon de Inc	
	2 125 000	Constellation Brands, Inc.	2.140.001
	3,125,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 30	
	2.007.754	Dr. Pepper/Seven Up Bottling Gr	
	3,087,754	Term Loan, Maturing December 19	3,122,973
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	Michael Foods, Inc.		
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 20, 2011		1,029,375
	Pierre Merger Corp.		
720,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010		725,850
	Reddy Ice Group, Inc.		
2,588,750	Term Loan, Maturing July 31, 2009		2,623,807
	Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc.		
1,282,989	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2009		1,302,234
	Southern Wine & Spirits of America, Inc.		
1,994,839	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2008		2,019,152
1,55,1,565	Sunny Delight		2,012,102
745,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 20, 2010		752,450
600,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 20, 2010		606,000
000,000	Term Loan, Waturing August 20, 2010	\$	15,322,832
		Ψ	13,322,032
Funeral Service 0.1%			
runeral Service 0.1%	Aldamus ada Cuarra		
574.406	Alderwoods Group		501 400
574,496	Term Loan, Maturing August 19, 2010	ф	581,408
		\$	581,408
Health Care - Equipment & Supplies 1.1%			
	Hanger Orthopedic Group, Inc.		
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2009		2,503,125
	Leiner Health Products, Inc.		
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 27, 2011		2,025,000
	Sola International, Inc.		
2,962,500	Term Loan, Maturing December 11, 2009		3,003,234
		\$	7,531,359
Health Care - Providers & Services 2.5%			
	Accredo Health, Inc.		
2,300,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 30, 2011		2,314,375
2,500,000	DaVita, Inc.		2,51.,576
4,973,750	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2009		5,023,931
1,273,730	Express Scripts, Inc.		5,025,751
3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 13, 2010		3,029,376
3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing Peoruary 13, 2010		3,023,370
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		Fresenius Medical Care Holdings, Inc.	
	1,496,250	Term Loan, Maturing February 21, 2010	1,508,718
		Iasis Healthcare, LLC	
	4,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 16, 2011	4,054,376
		Medcath Holdings Corp.	
	1,565,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 2, 2011	1,587,497
			\$ 17,518,273
Hotels 0.9%			
		Boca Resorts, Inc.	
	2,200,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 22, 2009	2,200,000
		Wyndham International, Inc.	
	1,861,771	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2004	1,824,149
	2,328,197	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2006	2,281,149
			\$ 6,305,298
Household Furnishi	ing & Appliances 1.2%		
		Home Interiors & Gifts, Inc.	
	3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,775,000
		Sealy Mattress Co.	
	1,963,303	Term Loan, Maturing April 6, 2012	1,985,798
		Simmons Co.	
	3,917,038	Term Loan, Maturing December 19, 2011	3,953,149
		·	\$ 8,713,947
Household Products	s 0.5%		
		United Industries Corp.	
	1,200,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 29, 2011	1,215,750
	2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing October 31, 2011	2,542,187
		•	\$ 3,757,937
Insurance 1.8%			
		Conseco, Inc.	
	12,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 22, 2010	12,690,100
		, <u> </u>	\$ 12,690,100
			, ,
Leisure Equipment	& Products 0.6%		
		Bombardier Recreational Products, Inc.	
	2,933,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 18, 2010	2,979,746
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		1,257,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 18, 2010		1,277,034
				\$	4,256,780
Machinery 0.	1%				
			Bucyrus International, Inc.		
		750,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 28, 2010		757,031
				\$	757,031
Manufacturing	2.6%				
			Dresser, Inc.		
		570,732	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007		579,382
			Enersys Holdings, Inc.		
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 17, 2011		1,012,500
			Harbor Freight Tools USA, Inc.		
		3,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010		3,519,687
			IPG (US), Inc.		
		800,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 28, 2011		809,000
			Mueller Group, Inc.		
		2,834,862	Term Loan, Maturing April 23, 2011		2,849,037
			Polypore, Inc.		
		500,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 12, 2011		504,063
			St. Marys Cement, Inc.		
		3,984,987	Term Loan, Maturing December 4, 2010		4,019,856
			Synthetic Industries, Inc.		
		4,981,916	Term Loan, Maturing December 30, 2007		4,944,551
			•	\$	18,238,076
					, i
Miscellaneous	1.8%				
			Coinstar, Inc.		
		6,075,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011		6,177,516
		, ,	Laidlaw International, Inc.		, ,
		6,524,929	Term Loan, Maturing June 19, 2009		6,635,037
		- /- /-	, g	\$	12,812,553
				,	,,
Office Equipme	ent and Supplies	0.2%			
			Buhrmann US, Inc.		
		1,478,711	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2010		1,498,735
		-,,.		\$	1,498,735
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Oil & Gas 1.4	1%				
On to Gas 1	1 /0		Beldon & Blake Corp.		
		2,520,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 21, 2011		2,543,625
		2,020,000	BPL Acquisition, L.P.		2,0 10,020
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 4, 2010		2,025,000
		, ,	La Grange Acquisition, L.P.		, ,
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 18, 2008		2,030,000
			Pride Offshore, Inc.		
		2,630,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011		2,663,422
			Williams Production RMT Co.		
		497,500	Term Loan, Maturing May 30, 2007		505,170
				\$	9,767,217
Paper and Fore	est Products	1.8%			
			Appleton Papers, Inc.		
		3,900,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 11, 2010		3,946,313
			Buckeye Technologies, Inc.		
		1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 15, 2008		1,013,333
			Koch Cellulose, LLC		
		1,088,377	Term Loan, Maturing May 7, 2011		1,098,580
		4,404,605	Term Loan, Maturing May 7, 2011		4,445,898
		• 000 000	RLC Industries Co.		• 0•0 000
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2010	ф	2,020,000
				\$	12,524,124
D 1 D 1	0.66				
Personal Produ	icts 0.6%		Ducation Duou de Inc		
		1,496,250	Prestige Brands, Inc. Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011		1,501,237
		2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011 Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011		2,050,834
		2,000,000	Revlon Consumer Products Corp.		2,030,634
		625,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 9, 2010		635,938
		023,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 9, 2010	\$	4,188,009
				Ψ	4,100,000
Publishing & P	rinting 3.59	76			
Tublishing & T	Tillening Ole		CBD Media, LLC		
		918,367	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009		930,612
		,	Dex Media East, LLC		
		4,873,104	Term Loan, Maturing May 8, 2009		4,941,123
			Dex Media West, LLC		
		4,569,618	Term Loan, Maturing March 9, 2010		4,640,068
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		Freedom Communications Holdings, Inc.	
	3,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 18, 2012	3,554,142
	, ,	Herald Media, Inc.	, ,
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 22, 2012	1,013,750
		Merrill Communications, LLC	
	1,550,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 9, 2009	1,565,500
		Morris Publishing Group, LLC	
	2,950,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,985,031
		Newspaper Holdings, Inc.	
	2,400,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 24, 2011	2,392,800
		R.H. Donnelley, Inc.	
	985,259	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	993,880
		Transwestern Publishing Co., LLC	
	1,995,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 25, 2011	2,009,651
			\$ 25,026,557
Restaurants 0.9%			
		Buffets, Inc.	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2009	1,011,250
	1,477,881	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2009	1,494,507
		CKE Restaurants, Inc.	
	2,535,357	Term Loan, Maturing July 2, 2008	2,573,388
		Jack in the Box, Inc.	
	997,494	Term Loan, Maturing January 8, 2011	 1,011,209
			\$ 6,090,354
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Retail - Food and Drug	2.0%	D	
	1 072 222	Domino s, Inc.	2 006 020
	1,973,232	Term Loan, Maturing June 25, 2010	2,006,838
	2 005 000	General Nutrition Centers, Inc.	2 010 220
	2,985,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 5, 2009	3,019,328
	4 (2)(521	Giant Eagle, Inc.	4 (01 4(1
	4,626,521		4,681,461
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	1,511,021	• •	1,551,167
		The Jean Could Group (FJC), Inc.	
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		12	
	4,626,521 1,511,021	Term Loan, Maturing August 6, 2009 Pathmark Stores, Inc. Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2007 The Jean Coutu Group (PJC), Inc.	4,681,461 1,531,167

	3,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	3,130,296
			\$ 14,369,090
Retail - Specialty	1.7%		
		FTD, Inc.	
	1,988,753	Term Loan, Maturing February 28, 2011	2,008,641
		Getty Petroleum Marketing, Inc.	
	4,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 19, 2010	4,574,534
		Oriental Trading Co.	
	2,348,459	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2010	2,381,730
		Savers, Inc.	
	875,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2009	880,469
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2010	1,512,188
		Travelcenters of America, Inc.	
	500,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 30, 2008	506,667
			\$ 11,864,229
Road & Rail 0.4	.%		
		NFIL Holdings Corp.	
	238,095	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2010	241,518
	729,762	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2010	739,568
		RailAmerica, Inc.	
	209,262	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2009	212,375
	1,426,233	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2009	1,447,448
			\$ 2,640,909
Semiconductor Ed	quipment and Products 0.2%		
		Memec Group, Ltd.	
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 15, 2009	1,490,625
		The state of the s	\$ 1,490,625
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Services 0.1%			
		Allied Security Holdings, LLC	
	880,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	888,800
			\$ 888,800
Telecommunication	ons - Wireless 5.5%		
		American Tower, L.P.	
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 31, 2011	1,522,734
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		Cellular South, Inc.	
	500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 4, 2011	506,250
		Centennial Cellular Operating Co., LLC	
	4,987,469	Term Loan, Maturing February 9, 2011	5,005,005
		Dobson Cellular Systems, Inc.	
	5,972,462	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	5,970,223
		Nextel Finance Co.	
	9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 15, 2010	9,057,636
		Nextel Partners Operating Corp.	
	6,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2011	6,591,813
		SBA Senior Finance, Inc.	
	2,230,769	Term Loan, Maturing October 31, 2008	2,250,636
		Western Wireless Corp.	
	8,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 28, 2011	8,121,432
		\$	39,025,729
Telecommunication	ons - Wireline 2.1%		
		Consolidated Communications, Inc.	
	2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 14, 2012	2,027,500
		NTELOS, Inc.	
	4,721,709	Term Loan, Maturing July 25, 2008	4,674,491
		Qwest Corp.	
	8,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2007	8,278,000
		\$	14,979,991
Theaters 2.1%			
		Cinemark, Inc.	
	1,992,500	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,007,444
		Loews Cineplex Entertainment Corp.	
	4,325,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	4,362,394
		Regal Cinemas Corp.	
	8,704,773	Term Loan, Maturing November 10, 2010	8,813,582
		\$	15,183,420
Transportation	0.4%		
		Horizon Lines, LLC	
	3,025,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011	3,076,676
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			\$ 3,076,676
Utility 3.	3%		
		Allegheny Energy Supply Company, LLC	
	2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 8, 2011	2,031,750
	1,995,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 8, 2011	2,029,705
		CenterPoint Energy, Inc.	
	7,486,413	Term Loan, Maturing October 7, 2006	7,522,909
		Coleto Creek WLE, L.P.	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011	1,015,625
	670,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2012	680,888
		Dynegy Holdings, Inc.	
	6,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 28, 2010	6,114,378
		NRG Energy, Inc.	
	1,483,040	Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2010	1,533,093
	2,664,419	Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2010	2,755,009
			\$ 23,683,357
Total Senio	or, Floating Rate Interests		
(identifie	ed cost \$545,496,693)		\$ 544,187,241

Corporate Bonds & Notes 10.5%

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(000 s omitted)		Security	Va	alue
Aerospace and Defense	0.2%			
		Argo Tech Corp., Sr. Notes		
	50	0 9.25%, 6/1/11 (2)		530,000
		Sequa Corp.		
	50	0 8.875%, 4/1/08		541,250
		Standard Aero Holdings, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
	10	0 8.25%, 9/1/14 (2)		103,250
			\$	1,174,500
Apparel 0.1%				
		J Crew Operating Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes		
	1	0 10.375%, 10/15/07		112,750
		Levi Strauss & Co.		
	5:	0 7.00%, 11/1/06		524,700
			\$	637,450

Auto Components	0.2%			
			Collins and Aikman Prodcts Co., Sr. Sub. Notes	
		70	12.875%, 8/24/12 (2)	70,175
			Keystone Automotive Operations, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	,
		500	9.75%, 11/1/13	541,250
			Metaldyne Corp., Sr. Notes	,
		500	10.00%, 11/1/13	496,250
			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	\$ 1,107,675
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Banks and Money	Services	0.1%		
·			Refco Finance Holdings LLC, Sr. Sub. Notes	
		770	9.00%, 8/1/12 (2)	800,800
				\$ 800,800
Broadcast Media	0.2%			
			CCO Holdings LLC / CCO Capital Corp., Senior Notes	
		1,000	8.75%, 11/15/13	990,000
			Insight Communications, Sr. Disc. Notes	
		20	12.25%, 2/15/11	18,050
			Rainbow National Services LLC, Sr. Notes	
		115	8.75%, 9/1/12 (2)	118,737
			Rainbow National Services LLC, Sr. Sub. Notes	
		255	10.375%, 9/1/14 (2)	265,200
				\$ 1,391,987
Cable Television	0.1%			
			Cablevision Systems Corp., Sr. Notes	
		70	8.00%, 4/15/12 (2)	72,100
			Kabel Deutschland GMBH	
		870	10.625%, 7/1/14 (2)	896,100
				\$ 968,200
Casinos and Gami	ing 0.3%	,		
			Inn of the Mountain Gods, Sr. Notes	
		1,000	12.00%, 11/15/10	1,135,000
			Majestic Star Casino LLC	
		500	9.50%, 10/15/10	513,750
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		Waterford Gaming LLC, Sr. Notes		
	423	8.625%, 9/15/12 (2)		452,610
	123	0.023 70, 7713/12 (2)	\$	2,101,360
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Chemicals 1.0%				
		BCP Caylux Holdings, Sr. Sub. Notes		
	815	9.625%, 6/15/14 (2)		879,182
		Borden U.S. Finance/Nova Scotia Finance, Sr. Note		·
	1,115	9.00%, 7/15/14 (2)		1,154,025
		Innophos, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
	1,070	8.875%, 8/15/14 (2)		1,118,150
		Lyondell Chemical Co.		
	1,005	9.50%, 12/15/08		1,079,119
		OM Group, Inc.		
	1,010	9.25%, 12/15/11		1,045,350
		Polyone Corp.		
	750	10.625%, 5/15/10		819,375
		Rhodia SA, Sr. Notes		,
	780	10.25%, 6/1/10		799,500
		Rockwood Specialties Group, Sr. Sub. Notes		
	450	10.625%, 5/15/11		492,750
			\$	7,387,451
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Coal 0.0%				
		Alpha Natural Resources, Sr. Notes		
	90	10.00%, 6/1/12 (2)		99,000
			\$	99,000
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Commercial Services	0.6%			
		Advanstar Communications, Inc.		
	1,000	10.75%, 8/15/10		1,107,500
	·	Affinity Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
	500	9.00%, 2/15/12		525,000
		Amerco, Inc.		
	1,000	9.00%, 3/15/09		1,045,000
		Norcross Safety Products LLC/Norcross Capital Corp.,		, , ,
		Sr. Sub. Notes, Series B		
	1,000	9.875%, 8/15/11		1,100,000
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	United Rentals North America, Inc., Sr. Sub.		
	Notes		
145	7.00%, 2/15/14		129,050
	Waste Services, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
635	9.50%, 4/15/14 (2)		565,150
		\$	4,471,700
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Communications Services 0.2%			
	US Oncology, Inc., Sr. Notes		
390	9.00%, 8/15/12 (2)		410,475
	US Oncology, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		120,170
700	10.75%, 8/15/14 (2)		740,250
700		\$	1,150,725
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Computer Software & Services 0.2%			
0.2 /0	UGS Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes		
1,055	10.00%, 6/1/12 (2)		1,155,225
1,033		\$	1,155,225
		Ψ	1,133,223
Construction Materials 0.1%			
	Collins & Aikman Floor Cover		
400	9.75%, 2/15/10		412,000
	Ply Gem Industries, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
115	9.00%, 2/15/12 (2)		116,150
	THL Buildco (Nortek, Inc.), Sr. Sub. Notes		
210	8.50%, 9/1/14 (2)		219,975
		\$	748,125
Consumer Products 0.2%			
	Amscan Holdings, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
1,030	8.75%, 5/1/14 (2)		1,031,287
	Fedders North America, Inc., Sr. Notes		
15	9.875%, 3/1/14		12,075
	Samsonite Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes		,
500	8.875%, 6/1/11 (2)		517,500
		\$	1,560,862
Containers and Packaging - Paper 0.2%		Ψ	1,000,002
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950	8.50%, 8/1/14 (2)		959,500
	Solo Cup Co., Sr. Sub. Notes		
120	8.50%, 2/15/14		117,000
		\$	1,076,500
Containers and Packaging - Plastics			
500	Plastipak Holdings, Inc.		542.500
500	10.75%, 9/1/11		542,500
750	Pliant Corp.		000 125
750	11.125%, 9/1/09	φ	808,125
		\$	1,350,625
Engineering 0.0%			
Engineering 0.0 %	Shaw Group, Inc., Sr. Notes		
45	10.75%, 3/15/10		45,394
	20110 7-7, 27-20120	\$	45,394
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Entertainment 0.2%			
	LCE Acquisition Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes		
790	9.00%, 8/1/14 (2)		805,800
	Marquee Holdings, Inc., Sr. Disc. Notes		
385	0.00%, 8/15/14 (2)		227,631
	Marquee, Inc., Sr. Notes		
215	8.625%, 8/15/12 (2)		225,750
		\$	1,259,181
Financials 0.6%	Demonstration Com		
4.500	Paxson Communications Corp.		4 500 000
4,500	4.35%, 1/15/10 (2)	\$	4,500,000 4,500,000
		Ф	4,500,000
Food, Beverages and Tobacco			
0.1%			
	WH Holdings Ltd. and WH Capital Corp., Sr. Notes		
500	9.50%, 4/1/11		537,500
300	7,0000, 111111	\$	537,500
		•	221,222
Funeral Service 0.0%			
	Alderwoods Group, Inc., Sr. Notes		
70	7.75%, 9/15/12 (2)		73,150
		\$	73,150

Health Care - Equipment & Supplies	0.1%		
		Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc., Sr. Sub.	
		Notes	
530		8.75%, 2/15/12 (2)	511,450
		Medical Device Manufacturing, Inc., Sr. Sub.	
		Notes	
230		10.00%, 7/15/12 (2)	243,800
			\$ 755,250
Health Care - Providers & Services	0.2%		
		Healthsouth Corp.	
50		7.625%, 6/1/12	48,125
		Healthsouth Corp., Sr. Notes	
1,050		8.375%, 10/1/11	1,034,250
		Tenet Healthcare Corp., Sr. Notes	
490		9.875%, 7/1/14 (2)	513,275
			\$ 1,595,650
Investment Services 0.1%			
		First CLO, Ltd., Sr. Sub. Notes	
1,000		Variable Rate, 3.96%, 7/27/16 (2)	1,000,000
			\$ 1,000,000
Machinery 0.1%			
		Blount Inc.	
45		8.875%, 8/1/12	47,250
		Thermadyne Holdings Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
750		9.25%, 2/1/14	738,750
			\$ 786,000
Manufacturing 0.5%			
-		Amsted Industries, Inc., Sr. Notes	
1,000		10.25%, 10/15/11 (2)	1,085,000
		MAAX Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
750		9.75%, 6/15/12 (2)	795,000
		Mueller Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
600		10.00%, 5/1/12 (2)	649,500
		Oxford Industries, Inc., Sr. Notes	
1,000		8.875%, 6/1/11 (2)	1,075,000
			\$ 3,604,500
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Miscellaneous 2.8%			
	Dow Jones CDX HY		
20,000	8.00%, 12/29/09 (2)		19,762,500
·	·	\$	19,762,500
Oil & Gas 0.1%			
	Belden & Blake Corp., Sr. Notes		
45	8.75%, 7/15/12 (2)		47,137
	Transmontaigne, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
515	9.125%, 6/1/10		574,225
		\$	621,362
Domestical Educate Disabilities (1.20)			
Paper and Forest Products 0.2%	Caraustar Industries, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
855	9.875%, 4/1/11		908,438
833	Newark Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		900,430
500	9.75%, 3/15/14 (2)		487,500
300	9.73%, 3/13/14 (2)	\$	1,395,938
		Ψ	1,575,750
Publishing and Printing 0.1%			
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500	9.875%, 2/1/13		524,375
300	7.07570, 211115	\$	524,375
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Retail - Food and Drug 0.1%			
8	Jean Coutu Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
815	8.50%, 8/1/14 (2)		825,188
	, , ,	\$	825,188
Retail - Specialty 0.1%			
	Petro Stopping Centers LP/Petro Financial		
	Corp., Sr. Notes		
500	9.00%, 2/15/12		522,500
		\$	522,500
Semiconductor Equipment and Products 0.0%			
	Amkor Technologies, Inc.		
315	5.75%, 6/1/06		293,344
	Freescale Semiconductor, Sr. Notes		0 5 5 5 5
35	6.875%, 7/15/11 (2)	ф	35,831
		\$	329,175
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Services 0.0%			
Services 0.0%	Allied Cognity Economy Cn. Sub. Notes		
45	Allied Security Escrow, Sr. Sub. Notes		47,700
43	11.375%, 7/15/11 (2)	\$	47,700
Telecommunications - Wireless 0.6%		3	47,700
Telecommunications - Wireless 0.6%	Alaman Dalaman Inc		
1.5	Alamosa Delaware, Inc.		15.000
15	0.00%, 7/31/09		15,000
35	11.00%, 7/31/10		38,500
1,045	8.50%, 1/31/12		1,045,000
	Centennial Cellular Operating Co./Centennial		
	Communications Corp., Sr. Notes		
500	10.125%, 6/15/13		516,250
	Inmarsat Finance PLC		
145	7.625%, 6/30/12 (2)		142,825
	PanAmSat Corp.		
170	9.00%, 8/15/14 (2)		178,075
	Rural Cellular Corp.		
1,000	5.61%, 3/15/10 (2)		1,020,000
	UbiquiTel Operating Co., Sr. Notes		
1,075	9.875%, 3/1/11		1,107,250
	Western Wireless Corp., Sr. Notes		
30	9.25%, 7/15/13		30,975
	, 	\$	4,093,875
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Telecommunications - Wireline 0.2%			
7 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 - 1 -	Qwest Capital Funding, Inc.		
70	7.75%, 8/15/06		70,350
70	Qwest Services Corp.		70,330
1,000	13.00%, 12/15/07 (2)		1,137,500
170	14.00%, 12/15/14 (2)		202,725
170	14.00 %, 12/13/14 (2)	\$	1,410,575
		Ф	1,410,575
Transportation 0.3%			
Transportation 0.5%	Harinan Linas III C		
1.170	Horizon Lines, LLC		1 212 250
1,150	9.00%, 11/1/12 (2)		1,213,250
	OMI Corp., Sr. Notes		
65	7.625%, 12/1/13		65,650
	Quality Distribution LLC/QD Capital Corp.		
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Utility 0.2%	750	9.00%, 11/15/10 (2)	\$ 698,438 1,977,338
0.12 /c		NRG Energy, Inc., Sr. Notes	
	1,250	8.00%, 12/15/13 (2)	1,318,750
			\$ 1,318,750
Total Corporate Bonds & Notes (identified cost \$73,645,435)			\$ 74,168,086

Commercial Paper 6.8%

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Amount			
(000 s omitted)		Security	Value
		CRC Funding, LLC	
14	4,000	1.50%, 9/1/04	14,000,000
		Kitty Hawk Funding Corp.	
10	0,000	1.52%, 9/22/04	9,991,133
		Receivables Capital Corp., LLC	
10	0,000	1.53%, 9/20/04	9,991,925
		Yorktown Capital, LLC	
14	4,000	1.52%, 9/2/04	13,999,409
			\$ 47,982,467
Total Commercial Paper			
(identified cost \$47,982,467)			\$ 47,982,467

Short-Term Investments 3.0%

Principal Amount		Maturity Date	Borrower	Rate	Amount
. 21110 (4110	21,492,000	09/01/04	Investors Bank and Trust Time Deposit	1.58%	21,492,000
Total Short-Term In (at amortized cos	- , - , - , - , - , - , - , - , - , - ,			\$	21,492,000
Total Investments (identified cost \$				\$	687,829,794

Other Assets, Less Liabilities 3.0%	\$ 21,539,478
Net Assets 100.0%	\$ 709,369,272

Note: The Trust has made commitments to fund specified amounts under certain existing credit arrangements. Pursuant to the terms of these arrangements, the Trust had unfunded loan commitments of \$2,152,221 as of August 31, 2004.

⁽¹⁾ Senior floating-rate interests often require prepayments from excess cash flows or permit the borrower to repay at its election. The degree to which borrowers repay, whether as a contractual requirement or at their election, cannot be predicted with accuracy. As a result, the actual remaining maturity may be substantially less than the stated maturities shown. However, it is anticipated that the senior floating-rate interests will have an expected average life of approximately two to three years.

⁽²⁾ Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be sold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At August 31, 2004, the aggregate value of the securities is \$51,097,616 or 7.2% of the Trust s net assets.

The Trust did not have any open financial instruments at August 31, 2004.

The cost and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in value of the investments owned at August 31, 2004, as computed on a federal income tax basis, were as follows:

Aggregate cost	\$	688,631,188
Gross unrealized appreciation	\$	1,563,365
Gross unrealized depreciation		(2,364,759)
Net unrealized depreciation	\$	(801,394)
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Item 2. Controls and Procedures

(a) It is the conclusion of the registrant s principal executive officer and principal financial officer that the effectiveness of the registrant s current
disclosure controls and procedures (such disclosure controls and procedures having been evaluated within 90 days of the date of this filing)
provide reasonable assurance that the information required to be disclosed by the registrant on this Form N-Q has been recorded, processed,
summarized and reported within the time period specified in the Commission s rules and forms and that the information required to be disclosed
by the registrant on this Form N-Q has been accumulated and communicated to the registrant s principal executive officer and principal financial
officer in order to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

(b) There have been no changes in the registrant s internal controls over financial reporting during the fiscal quarter for which the report is being filed that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect the registrant s internal control over financial reporting.

Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Eaton Vance Floating Rate Income Trust

By: /s/ Payson F. Swaffield

Payson F. Swaffield

President and Principal Executive Officer

Date: October 22, 2004

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

By: /s/ Payson F. Swaffield

Payson F. Swaffield

President and Principal Executive Officer

Date: October 22, 2004

By: /s/ Barbara E. Campbell

Barbara E. Campbell

Treasurer and Principal Financial Officer

Date: October 22, 2004