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Nuveen Build America Bond Fund (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

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Date of reporting period: March 31, 2011

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INVESTMENT ADVISER NAME CHANGE

Effective January 1, 2011, Nuveen Asset Management, the Funds' investment adviser, changed its name to Nuveen Fund Advisors, Inc. ("Nuveen Fund Advisors"). Concurrently, Nuveen Fund Advisors formed a wholly-owned subsidiary, Nuveen Asset Management, LLC, to house its portfolio management capabilities.

NUVEEN INVESTMENTS COMPLETES STRATEGIC COMBINATION WITH FAF ADVISORS

On December 31, 2010, Nuveen Investments completed the strategic combination between Nuveen Asset Management, LLC, the largest investment affiliate of Nuveen Investments, and FAF Advisors. As part of this transaction, U.S. Bancorp – the parent of FAF Advisors – received cash consideration and a 9.5% stake in Nuveen Investments in exchange for the long term investment business of FAF Advisors, including investment management responsibilities for the non-money market mutual funds of the First American Funds family.

The approximately \$27 billion of mutual fund and institutional assets managed by FAF Advisors, along with the investment professionals managing these assets and other key personnel, have become part of Nuveen Asset Management, LLC. With these additions to Nuveen Asset Management, LLC, this affiliate now manages more than \$100 billion of assets across a broad range of strategies from municipal and taxable fixed income to traditional and specialized equity investments.

This combination does not affect the investment objectives or strategies of the Funds in this report. Over time, Nuveen Investments expects that the combination will provide even more ways to meet the needs of investors who work with financial advisors and consultants by enhancing the multi-boutique model of Nuveen Investments, which also includes highly respected investment teams at HydePark, NWQ Investment Management, Santa Barbara Asset Management, Symphony Asset Management, Tradewinds Global Investors and Winslow Capital. Nuveen Investments managed approximately \$206 billion of assets as of March 31, 2011.

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Chairman's Letter to Shareholders

Dear Shareholders,

In 2010, the global economy recorded another year of recovery from the financial and economic crises of 2008, but many of the factors that caused the downturn still weigh on the prospects for continued improvement. In the U.S., ongoing weakness in housing values has put pressure on homeowners and mortgage lenders. Similarly, the strong earnings recovery for corporations and banks is only slowly being translated into increased hiring or more active lending. Globally, deleveraging by private and public borrowers has inhibited economic growth and that process is far from complete.

Encouragingly, constructive actions are being taken by governments around the world to deal with economic issues. In the U.S., the recent passage of a stimulatory tax bill relieved some of the pressure on the Federal Reserve to promote economic expansion through quantitative easing and offers the promise of sustained economic growth. A number of European governments are undertaking programs that could significantly reduce their budget deficits. Governments across the emerging markets are implementing various steps to deal with global capital flows without undermining international trade and investment.

The success of these government actions could determine whether 2011 brings further economic recovery and financial market progress. One risk associated with the extraordinary efforts to strengthen U.S. economic growth is that the debt of the U.S. government will continue to grow to unprecedented levels. Another risk is that over time there could be inflationary pressures on asset values in the U.S. and abroad, because what happens in the U.S. impacts the rest of the world economy. Also, these various actions are being taken in a setting of heightened global economic uncertainty, primarily about the supplies of energy and other critical commodities. In this challenging environment, your Nuveen investment team continues to seek sustainable investment opportunities and to remain alert to potential risks in a recovery still facing many headwinds. On your behalf, we monitor their activities to assure they maintain their investment disciplines.

As you will note elsewhere in this report, on December 31, 2010, Nuveen Investments completed a strategic combination with FAF Advisors, Inc., the manager of the First American Funds. The combination adds highly respected and distinct investment teams to meet the needs of investors and their advisors and is designed to benefit all fund shareholders by creating a fund organization with the potential for further economies of scale and the ability to draw from even greater talent and expertise to meet those investor needs.

As of the end of April, 2011, Nuveen Investments had completed the refinancing of all of the Auction Rate Preferred Securities issued by its taxable closed-end funds and 89% of the MuniPreferred shares issued by its tax-exempt closed-end funds. Please consult the Nuveen Investments web site, www.Nuveen.com, for the current status of this important refinancing program.

As always, I encourage you to contact your financial consultant if you have any questions about your investment in a Nuveen Fund. On behalf of the other members of your Fund Board, we look forward to continuing to earn your trust in the months and years ahead.

Sincerely,

Robert P. Bremner		
Chairman of the Board		
May 19, 2011		
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Portfolio Manager's Comments

Nuveen Build America Bond Fund (NBB) Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund (NBD)

Portfolio manager Daniel Close discusses U.S. economic and municipal market conditions, key investment strategies and the performance of the Nuveen Build America Bond Fund (NBB) and the Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund (NBD). Dan, who joined Nuveen in 2000, has managed NBB since its inception in April 2010 and NBD since its inception in November 2010.

What factors affected the U.S. economy and municipal market during the reporting period ended March 31, 2011?

During this period, the U.S. economy demonstrated some signs of improvement, supported by the efforts of both the Federal Reserve (Fed) and the federal government. For its part, the Fed continued to hold the benchmark fed funds rate in a target range of zero to 0.25% since cutting it to this record low level in December 2008. At its April 2011 meeting (following the end of this reporting period), the central bank renewed its commitment to keeping the fed funds rate at "exceptionally low levels" for an "extended period." The Fed also left unchanged its second round of quantitative easing, which calls for purchasing \$600 billion in longer-term U.S. Treasury bonds by June 30, 2011. The goal of this plan is to lower long-term interest rates and thereby stimulate economic activity and create jobs. The federal government continued to focus on implementing the economic stimulus package passed in early 2009 aimed at providing job creation, tax relief, fiscal assistance to state and local governments and expansion of unemployment benefits and other federal social welfare programs.

In the first quarter of 2011, the U.S. economy, as measured by the U.S. gross domestic product (GDP), grew at an annualized rate of 1.8%, marking the seventh consecutive quarter of positive growth. The employment picture continued to improve gradually, with the national jobless rate registering 8.8% in March 2011, its lowest level since March 2009 and down from 9.7% a year earlier. While the Fed's longer-term inflation expectations remained stable, inflation posted its largest twelve month gain since December 2009, as the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rose 2.7% year-over-year as of March 2011, driven mainly by increased prices for energy. The core CPI (which excludes food and energy) increased 1.2% over this period, staying within the Fed's unofficial objective of 2.0% or lower for this measure. The housing market continued to be a weak spot in the economy. For the twelve months ended February 2011 (most recent data available at the time this report was prepared), the average home price in the Standard & Poor's (S&P) Case-Shiller index of 20 major metropolitan areas lost 3.3%, with 10 of the 20 metropolitan areas hitting their lowest levels since housing prices peaked in 2006.

Certain statements in this report are forward-looking statements. Discussions of specific investments are for illustration only and are not intended as recommendations of individual investments. The forward-looking statements and other views expressed herein are those of the portfolio manager as of the date of this report. Actual future results or occurrences may differ significantly from those anticipated in any forward-looking statements and the views expressed herein are subject to change at any time, due to numerous market and other factors. The Funds disclaim any obligation to update publicly or revise any forward-looking statements or views expressed herein.

Any reference to credit ratings for portfolio holdings denotes the highest rating assigned by a Nationally Recognized Statistical Rating Organization (NRSRO) such as Standard & Poor's (S&P), Moody's or Fitch. AAA, AA, A and BBB ratings are investment grade; BB, B, CCC, CC, C and D ratings are below investment grade. Holdings and ratings

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Looking at the overall municipal market, bond prices generally rose during this period, as the combination of strong demand and tight supply of new tax-exempt issuance created favorable market conditions. After rallying strongly over most of the period, the municipal market suffered a reversal in mid-November 2010, due largely to investor concerns about inflation, the federal deficit and the deficit's impact on demand for U.S. Treasuries. Adding to this situation was media coverage of the strained finances of many state and local governments, which often failed to differentiate between gaps in these governments' operating budgets and their ability to meet their debt service obligation. Toward the end of this period, we saw the environment in the municipal market improve, as crossover buyers—including hedge funds and life insurance companies—were attracted by municipal bond prices and tax-exempt yields, resulting in decreased outflows, declining yields and rising valuations.

What key strategies were used to manage NBB and NBD during this period?

The inception date for NBB was April 27, 2010, and for NBD it was November 23, 2010. Both NBB and NBD are designed to invest primarily in Build America Bonds (BABs) and other taxable municipal bonds. Bonds issued under the Build America Bond program, which ended December 31, 2010, offered municipal issuers a federal subsidy equal to 35% of a bond's interest payments, often providing issuers with a lower-cost alternative to traditional tax-exempt debt.

The primary investment objective of these two Funds is to provide current income through investments in taxable municipal securities. Their secondary objective is to seek enhanced portfolio value and total return. The Funds offer strategic portfolio diversification opportunities for traditional municipal bond investors, while broadening participation to investors that have not traditionally purchased municipal bonds, including public and corporate retirement plans, endowments, life insurance companies, and sovereign wealth funds. For these investors, these Funds can offer investment-grade municipal credit, current income, and strong call protection.

Both NBB and NBD completed their initial investment process during this reporting period. Between April 2010, when NBB was introduced, and the end of the BAB program in December 2010, BAB issuance totaled \$90.5 billion. Issuance was particularly heavy during the fourth quarter of 2010, as issuers uncertain about the extension of the BAB program sought to take advantage of the program's terms before it expired. During this period, \$44.1 billion in BABs were issued, accounting for 33% of new bonds issued in the municipal market. Within the 21 months between the first BAB issue in April 2009 and the last BAB issue in December 2010, \$181.4 billion of Build America Bonds were issued. The secondary market for BABs continues to be active.

The ample supply of BAB issuance during the invest-up enabled us to purchase a good balance of BABs in both the primary (new issue) and secondary markets. Under the provisions of the Build America Bond program, only governmental entities could issue BABs. Issuance was heaviest in the general purpose/public improvement, education, transportation, and utilities sectors. Nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations such as hospitals generally did not qualify as BABs issuers, limiting the availability of these bonds. Bonds with proceeds

earmarked for refundings, working capital and private activities also were not covered by the BAB program. By the end of the program, all states except Montana and Rhode Island had issued BABs, with California, New York, Texas, Illinois and Ohio at the forefront in terms of issuance, followed by New Jersey, Washington, Pennsylvania, Florida and Georgia. This enabled us to add geographic diversity to the Funds. The majority of our purchases were at the long end of the yield curve.

During NBB's invest-up period, we purchased a good mix of benchmark and non-benchmark BAB issues. Benchmark BAB issues are bonds whose cusip is over \$250 million in size and therefore eligible for inclusion in the Barclays Capital Build America Bond (BAB) Index. Non-benchmark BAB issues are smaller, generally lower-profile issuers that can offer the same credit quality as benchmark issues, but may require a more detailed credit review before purchase. As part of its investment strategies, NBB uses an integrated leverage and hedging strategy to seek to enhance current income and total return, while working to maintain a level of interest rate risk similar to that of the Barclays Capital BAB Index. To implement leverage, NBB uses both bank borrowings and inverse floating rate securities. Duration shortening hedges, which can include shorting U.S. Treasury futures or long LIBOR swaps, were used to reduce the leverage-adjusted portfolio duration to a level close to that of the index. NBB's integrated leverage strategy is discussed further on page nine.

After the completion of NBB's invest-up period, we focused primarily on improving the Fund's liquidity profile by purchasing additional benchmark, or index-eligible, BAB issues. These bonds, which were in good supply in the primary market during the fourth quarter of 2010, are currently in greater demand than non-benchmark issues and should be more liquid on a going-forward basis. Purchases were funded with the proceeds from sales of non-benchmark issues. Following the end of new issue BABs, we continued to sell non-benchmark and other non-BAB bonds and purchase BABs in the secondary market, focusing on adding benchmark issues where we had favorable credit opinions while these bonds were still readily available in the market.

During the last half of this period, we also shifted more of NBB's leverage from bank borrowings to inverse floating rate securities. In our opinion, these securities currently offer a less expensive form of financing. NBB's leverage, originally implemented as approximately 65% through borrowings and 35% through inverse floaters1, was approximately 80% funded by inverse floaters as of the end of this period.

In NBD, the heavy supply of new BABs during the last part of 2010 enabled us to complete the invest-up of this Fund primarily with purchases of BABs, with an emphasis on benchmark issues, and also to diversify NBD in terms of sector and credit. Shortly after the invest-up period began, we bought a number of long U.S. Treasury bonds to help bring NBD's duration profile in line with that of the Fund's benchmark, the Barclays Capital BAB Index. Toward the end of this period, we sold most of these non-BAB holdings and reinvested the proceeds in BABs. NBD uses a leverage strategy similar to that used in NBB using inverse floating rate securities only. Following the end of the new issue calendar, we continued to make small trades in the secondary market and worked to increase NBD's liquidity. In early 2011, following a decline in the tax-exempt municipal market, both NBB and NBD purchased tax-exempt municipal bonds at attractive prices.

1 Inverse floating rate securities, also known as inverse floaters, are created by depositing a municipal bond, typically with a fixed interest rate, into a special purpose trust created by a broker-dealer. This trust, in turn, (a) issues floating rate certificates typically paying short-term tax-exempt interest rates to third parties in amounts equal to some fraction of the deposited bond's par amount or market value, and (b) issues an inverse floating rate certificate (sometimes referred to as an "inverse floater") to an investor (such as a Fund) interested in gaining investment

exposure to a long-term municipal bond. The income received by the holder of the inverse floater varies inversely with the short-term rate paid to the floating rate certificates' holders, and in most circumstances the holder of the inverse floater bears substantially all of the underlying bond's downside investment risk. The holder of the inverse floater typically also benefits disproportionately from any potential appreciation of the underlying bond's value. Hence, an inverse floater essentially represents an investment in the underlying bond on a leveraged basis.

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As the valuations on these bonds approached more appropriate levels near the end of this period, we sold these non-BABs at higher prices, thus benefiting the Funds.

During the period, the Funds also entered into interest rate and forward interest rate swap contracts to reduce the duration of each Fund's portfolio, as well as to partially fix its interest cost of leverage.

Because the BAB program was not renewed at the end of December 2010, shareholders should note that both NBB and NBD have contingent term provisions stating that if there are no new issuances of BABs or similarly U.S. Treasury-subsidized taxable municipal bonds for any 24-month period ending on or before December 31, 2014, NBB and NBD will terminate on or around June 30, 2020, and December 31, 2020, respectively.

How did these Funds perform over this period?

Results for NBB and NBD, as well as relevant index information, are presented in the accompanying table.

Cumulative Total Returns on Net Asset Value For periods ended 3/31/11

Since Inception		4/27/10	11/23/10
NBB*		4.90%	N/A
NBD**		N/A	3.73%
Barclays Capital Build America Bond (BAB) Index2	2.88%*	1.27	7%**

For the period between their respective inceptions and March 31, 2011, the cumulative returns on net asset value (NAV) for NBB and NBD exceeded the returns for the Barclays Capital Build America Bond (BAB) Index, which reflect the same time periods.

Key management factors that influenced the Funds' returns during this period included duration and yield curve positioning, credit exposure and sector allocation. In addition, individual security selection was positive for both NBB and NBD, as heavy issuance of BABs during the fourth quarter of 2010 gave us access to a robust array of bonds with attractive features from which to choose. The Funds' use of leverage was an important factor affecting the Funds' performance for this period. The impact of leverage is discussed in more detail on page nine.

During this period, bonds with intermediate and longer maturities generally performed well. Overall, duration was a positive contributor to NBB's performance and a negative factor in NBD. This difference can be attributed to NBB's overweighting of an intermediate segment of the yield curve that performed particularly well during this period.

Both NBB and NBD were similarly weighted among the credit quality sectors, with their largest allocation in bonds rated AA, followed by A, AAA, BBB and non-rated bonds. On the whole, this credit rating exposure was negative for performance during this period.

The overall impact of sector exposure was positive in both NBB and NBD. The Funds' sector allocations were well diversified, with the heaviest weightings in limited and general tax obligation bonds, utilities, transportation and water and sewer credits.

- * The returns shown for NBB and the index represent the period from April 27, 2010 (NBB's inception date), through March 31, 2011.
- ** The returns shown for NBD and the index represent the period from November 23, 2010 (NBD's inception date), through March 31, 2011.

Past performance is not predictive of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than the data shown. Returns do not reflect the deduction of taxes that shareholders may have to pay on Fund distributions or upon the sale of Fund shares.

For additional information, see the Performance Overview pages for NBB and NBD in this report.

2 The Barclays Capital Build America Bond (BAB) Index is an unleveraged index that comprises all direct pay Build America Bonds that are SEC-regulated, taxable, dollar-denominated, and have at least one year to final maturity, at least \$250 million par amount outstanding, and are determined to be investment grade by Barclays Capital. This index does not reflect any initial or ongoing expenses and is not available for direct investment.

IMPACT OF THE FUNDS' LEVERAGE STRATEGIES ON PERFORMANCE

One important factor impacting the returns of these Funds relative to the comparative index was the Funds' use of leverage. These Funds use leverage because their managers believe that, over time, leveraging provides opportunities for additional income and total return for shareholders. However, use of leverage also can expose shareholders to additional volatility. For example, as the prices of securities held by a Fund decline, the negative impact of these valuation changes on net asset value and total return is magnified by the use of leverage. Conversely, leverage may enhance returns during periods when the prices of securities held by the Funds' generally are rising. Leverage made a positive contribution to the Funds' performance over the reporting period.

Dividend and Share Price Information

Introduced in April 2010, NBB declared its initial monthly distribution in June 2010 and maintained a stable monthly dividend throughout the remainder of the reporting period ended March 31, 2011. NBD, which was introduced in November 2010, declared its initial monthly dividend distribution in January 2011 and maintained a stable monthly dividend over the remainder of the period.

NBB and NBD seek to pay stable dividends at rates that reflect the Funds' past results and projected future performance. During certain periods, the Funds may pay dividends at a rate that may be more or less than the amount of net investment income actually earned by the Funds during the period. If a Fund has cumulatively earned more than it has paid in dividends, it holds the excess in reserve as undistributed net investment income (UNII) as part of the Fund's NAV. Conversely, if a Fund has cumulatively paid dividends in excess of its earnings, the excess constitutes negative UNII that is likewise reflected in the Fund's NAV. The Funds will, over time, pay all of their net investment income as dividends to shareholders. As of March 31, 2011, both NBB and NBD had positive UNII balances for both tax and financial reporting purposes.

SHARE REPURCHASES AND PRICE INFORMATION

Since the inception of NBB's repurchase program, NBB has not repurchased any of its outstanding shares. As of March 31, 2011, NBD is not authorized to repurchase its outstanding shares.

As of March 31, 2011, and during the reporting period, the Funds' share prices were trading at (+) premiums/(-) discounts to their NAVs as shown in the accompanying table.

		Average
		(+) Premium/(-)
	3/31/11	Discount
Fund	(-) Discount	Since Inception
NBB	(-)4.24%	(+)0.29%
NBD	(-)4.12%	(-)0.50%

NBB Nuveen Build

America Bond

Performance Fund

OVERVIEW

as of March 31, 2011

Fund Snapshot	
Share Price	\$18.06
Net Asset Value (NAV)	\$18.86
Premium/(Discount) to NAV	-4.24%
Market Yield	7.77%
Net Assets (\$000)	\$499,020
Cumulative Total Return	
(Inception 4/27/10)	
(F)	On Share Price On NAV
Since Inception	-3.99% 4.90%
States2	
(as a % of total municipal bonds)	
California	18.5%
New York	10.7%
Illinois	10.4%
Texas	5.6%
Ohio	4.8%
Georgia	4.3%
Washington	4.2%
Louisiana	3.6%
Michigan	3.4%
Indiana	3.2%
Florida	3.1%
Tennessee	2.9%
Oregon	2.7%
Virgin Islands	2.4%
Arizona	2.3%
New Jersey	2.3%
Virginia	2.2%
Other	13.4%
Portfolio Composition2,3	
(as a % of total investments)	
Tax Obligation/Limited	24.0%
Tax Obligation/General	23.0%
Utilities	21.0%

Transportation	13.1%
Water and Sewer	12.7%
Education and Civic Organizations	4.9%
Short-Term Investments	0.1%
Other	1.2%
Build America Bond Allocation2	
(as a % of total municipal bonds)	
Build America Bonds	93.7%
Non-Build America Bonds	6.3%

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- 2 Holdings are subject to change.
- 3 Excluding investments in derivatives.

NBD Nuveen Build

America Bond

Performance Opportunity Fund

OVERVIEW

as of March 31, 2011

Fund Snapshot		
Share Price		\$18.63
Net Asset Value (NAV)		\$19.43
Premium/(Discount) to NAV		-4.12%
Market Yield		8.12%
Net Assets (\$000)		\$139,972
Cumulative Total Return		
(Inception 11/23/10)		
	On Share Price	On NAV
Since Inception	-4.96%	3.73%
States2,3		
(as a % of total investments)		
Illinois		12.7%
California		12.5%
New York		9.9%
Texas		7.6%
South Carolina		6.9%
New Jersey		5.4%
Michigan		5.2%
Colorado		4.3%
Pennsylvania		4.0%
Ohio		3.9%
Georgia		3.3%
Missouri		2.7%
Nevada		2.7%
District of Columbia		2.7%
Kentucky		2.1%
Other		14.1%
Portfolio Composition2,3		
(as a % of total investments)		
Tax Obligation/Limited		31.1%
Utilities		17.7%
Tax Obligation/General		16.3%
Water and Sewer		13.2%
Transportation		10.8%

Education and Civic Organizations	6.4%
Other	4.5%
Build America Bond Allocation2,3	
(as a % of total investments)	
Build America Bonds	96.5%
Non-Build America Bonds	3.5%

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Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

The Board of Trustees and Shareholders Nuveen Build America Bond Fund Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund

We have audited the accompanying statements of assets and liabilities, including the portfolios of investments, of Nuveen Build America Bond Fund and Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund (the "Funds") as of March 31, 2011, and the related statements of operations, changes in net assets, cash flows (Nuveen Build America Bond Fund only), and the financial highlights for the periods indicated therein. These financial statements and financial highlights are the responsibility of the Funds' management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements and financial highlights based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements and financial highlights are free of material misstatement. We were not engaged to perform an audit of the Funds' internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Funds' internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements and financial highlights, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. Our procedures included confirmation of securities owned as of March 31, 2011, by correspondence with the custodian and brokers or by other appropriate auditing procedures where replies from brokers were not received. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the financial statements and financial highlights referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial positions of Nuveen Build America Bond Fund and Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund at March 31, 2011, and the results of their operations, changes in their net assets, their cash flows (Nuveen Build American Bond Fund only), and the financial highlights for the periods indicated therein in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Chicago, Illinois May 25, 2011

Nuveen Build America Bond Fund NBB Portfolio of Investments March 31, 2011

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2) Ra	atings (3)	Value
, ,	Municipal Bonds	` ,	U , ,	
	Arizona – 2.5% (2.3% of Total Investments)			
	Arizona Board of Regents, University of Arizona, System Revenue	8/20 at		\$
\$ 3,000	Bonds, Build America Taxable	100.00	AA-	3,006,540
	Bonds, Series 2010A, 6.423%, 8/01/35			
	Mesa, Arizona, Utility System Revenue Bonds, Series 2010,	No Opt.		
10,000	6.100%, 7/01/34	Call	Aa2	9,580,200
13,000	Total Arizona			12,586,740
	California – 20.3% (18.5% of Total Investments)			
	California Infrastructure Economic Development Bond Bank,	No Opt.		
500	Revenue Bonds, University of	Call	Aa2	498,620
	California San Francisco Neurosciences Building, Build America			
	Taxable Bond Series 2010B,			
	6.486%, 5/15/49			
	California State Public Works Board, Lease Revenue Bonds,	No Opt.		
3,000	Various Capital Projects, Build	Call	A2	3,184,410
	America Taxable Bond Series 2009G-2, 8.361%, 10/01/34			
	California State Public Works Board, Lease Revenue Bonds,	3/20 at		
4,000	Various Capital Projects, Build	100.00	A2	3,975,560
	America Taxable Bond Series 2010A-2, 8.000%, 3/01/35			
	California State University, Systemwide Revenue Bonds, Build	No Opt.		
7,000	America Taxable Bond Series	Call	Aa2	6,920,550
	2010B, 6.484%, 11/01/41	- 1- 0		
	California State, General Obligation Bonds, Various Purpose Build	3/20 at		
4,500	America Taxable Bond Series	100.00	A1	4,845,735
	2010, 7.950%, 3/01/36	N. O.		
5 500	City and County of San Francisco Redevelopment Financing	No Opt.		7.662.600
5,500	Authority, California, Taxable Tax	Call	A1	5,663,680
	Allocation Revenue Bonds, San Francisco Redevelopment Projects, Series 2009F, 8.406%, 8/01/39			
	Hayward Unified School District, Alameda County, California,	8/20 at		
5,000	General Obligation Bonds, Build	100.00	AA+	5,046,250
	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B, 7.350%, 8/01/43 – AGM			
	Insured Los Alamitos Unified School District, Orange County, California,	No Opt.		
050	General Obligation Bonds,	No Opt. Call	Aa2	900,268
930	Ocheral Obligation Dollus,	Cali	MaZ	900,200

School Facilities Improvement, Build America Taxable Bond Series $2010C,\,6.210\%,\,8/01/35$

	2010C, 0.210%, 8/01/33		
	Los Angeles Community College District, California, General	No Opt.	
15,000	Obligation Bonds, Build America	Call	Aa1 15,716,250
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010, 6.600%, 8/01/42		
	Los Angeles Community College District, Los Angeles County,	No Opt.	
10.000	California, General Obligation	Call	Aa1 10,477,500
-,	Bonds, Series 2010, 6.600%, 8/01/42 (UB) (4)		
	Los Angeles County Public Works Financing Authority, California,	No Opt.	
11 000	Lease Revenue Bonds, Multiple	Call	A+ 10,843,580
11,000	Capital Projects I, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B,	Can	111 10,043,300
	7.618%, 8/01/40		
		No Ont	
2 000	Los Angeles Department of Water and Power, California, Water	No Opt.	A - 1 2 512 100
2,000	System Revenue Bonds, Tender	Call	Aa1 2,513,100
	Option Bond Trust T0003, 29.995%, 7/01/42 (IF) (4)	N. O.	
	Napa Valley Unified School District, Napa County, California,	No Opt.	
9,520		Call	Aa2 9,558,651
	America Taxable Bond Series 2010B, 6.507%, 8/01/43		
	Oakland Redevelopment Agency, California, Subordinated Housing	No Opt.	
3,000	Set Aside Revenue Bonds,	Call	A 2,946,720
	Federally Taxable Series 2011A-T, 7.500%, 9/01/19		
	Orange County Sanitation District, California, Wastewater Revenue	No Opt.	
5,000	Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	AAA 4,719,700
	Bond Series 2010A, 5.580%, 2/01/40		
	San Bernardino Community College District, California, General	No Opt.	
2,355	Obligation Bonds, Election of	Call	AA- 2,491,307
	2008, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2009C, 7.630%, 8/01/44		
	San Francisco City and County, California, Certificates of	No Opt.	
4,000	Participation, 525 Golden Gate	Call	AA- 2,783,000
,	Avenue, San Francisco Public Utilities Commission Office Project,		
	Tender Option Bond Trust		
	B001, 29.243%, 11/01/30 (IF)		
	Santa Barbara County, California, Certificates of Participation,	No Opt.	
1,000	Recovery Zone Economic	Call	AA+ 973,600
1,000	Development Taxable Bonds, Series 2010A-2, 6.250%, 12/01/40	Cun	7111 773,000
	Stanton Redevelopment Agency, California, Consolidated Project		
	Tax Allocation Bonds,		
	Series 2011A:		
	OCIO 2011A.	No Opt.	
275	6.500%, 12/01/17	No Opt. Call	A- 272,440
275	0.300%, 12/01/17		A- 272,440
205	6 750% 12/01/19	No Opt.	A 200 072
293	6.750%, 12/01/18 Welnut Engagy Conton Authority Colifornia Floatria Payanua	Call No Ont	A- 289,873
2.500	Walnut Energy Center Authority, California, Electric Revenue	No Opt.	
2,500	Bonds, Turlock Irrigation	Call	A+ 2,465,425
	District, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B, 6.230%,		
	1/01/29		
	West Kern Water District, California, Certificates of Participation,	No Opt.	
4,000	Land Acquisition Project,	Call	AA- 4,044,680
	Build America Bonds, Series 10B, 6.720%, 6/01/40		
100,395	Total California		101,130,899

Principal Amount	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions	Datings (2)	Value
(000)	Description (1) Colorado – 1.9% (1.8% of Total Investments)	(2) I	Ratings (3)	value
	East Cherry Creek Valley Water and Sanitation District, Arapahoe	11/20 at		\$
\$ 1,000	County, Colorado, Water	100.00	A+	897,330
Ψ 1,000	Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B,	100.00	711	071,330
	5.820%, 11/15/40			
	Mesa State College, Colorado, Auxiliary Facilities Enterprise	No Opt.		
3,000	Revenue Bonds, Build America	Call	Aa2	3,052,080
	Taxable Bond Series 2010B, 6.746%, 5/15/42			
	Metropolitan State College of Denver, Colorado, Institutional	No Opt.		
1,000	Enterprise Revenue Bonds,	Call	Aa2	952,130
	Federally Taxable Build America Bonds, Recovery Zone Economic			
	Development Project, Series 2010,			
	6.000%, 12/01/40			
	St. Vrain Valley School District RE-1J, Boulder, Larimer and Weld	12/20 at		
5,000	Counties, Colorado, General	100.00	Aa2	4,776,050
	Obligation Bonds, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B,			
	5.790%, 12/15/33			
10,000				9,677,590
	Connecticut – 1.3% (1.2% of Total Investments)			
	Harbor Point Infrastructure Improvement District, Connecticut,	4/20 at		
6,000	Special Obligation Revenue	100.00	N/R	6,417,720
	Bonds, Harbor Point Project, Federally Taxable – Issuer Subsidy –			
	Recovery Zone Economic			
	Development Bond Series 2010B, 12.500%, 4/01/39			
	Florida – 3.4% (3.1% of Total Investments)	10/00		
5,000	Florida Governmental Utilities Authority, North Fort Myers Utility	10/20 at	4.2	5 001 200
5,000	Revenue Bonds, Federally	100.00	A2	5,091,200
	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010B, 7.084%, 10/01/40	6/10 **		
6 105	Florida State Board of Education, Public Education Capital Outlay	6/19 at 100.00	A A A	6 114 927
0,193	Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010G, 5.750%, 6/01/35	100.00	AAA	6,114,837
	Lake City, Florida, Utility System Revenue Bonds, Build America	7/20 at		
500	Taxable Bonds Series 2010B,	100.00	AA+	497,765
300	6.175%, 7/01/35 – AGC Insured	100.00	1111	471,103
	Orlando Community Redevelopment Agency, Florida, Tax Increment	9/20 at		
4 975	Revenue Bonds, Downtown	100.00	A1	5,295,639
1,575	District, Direct Subsidy Build America Table Bond Series 2010B,	100.00	111	3,273,037
	7.784%, 9/01/40			
16,670	Total Florida			16,999,441
,	Georgia – 4.7% (4.3% of Total Investments)			, ,
	Georgia Municipal Electric Authority, Plant Vogtle Units 3 & 4	No Opt.		
10,000	Project J Bonds, Taxable Build	Call	A+	9,549,300

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America Bonds Series 2010A, 6.637%, 4/01/57 Georgia Municipal Electric Authority, Plant Vogtle Units 3 & 4 No Opt. Project P Bonds, Refunding Call 15,000 A-14,032,800 Taxable Build America Bonds Series 2010A, 7.055%, 4/01/57 25,000 Total Georgia 23,582,100 Illinois – 11.4% (10.4% of Total Investments) Chicago Transit Authority, Illinois, Sales and Transfer Tax Receipts No Opt. 5,000 Revenue Bonds, Pension Call AA 4,938,400 Funding Taxable Series 2008A, 6.899%, 12/01/40 Chicago, Illinois, General Airport Revenue Bonds, O'Hare 1/20 at 10,000 International Airport, Third Lien, 100.00 A1 9,859,800 Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B, 6.845%, 1/01/38 Chicago, Illinois, Wastewater Transmission Revenue Bonds, Build No Opt. 10,000 America Taxable Bond Series Call Aa3 10,278,100 2010B, 6.900%, 1/01/40 Chicago, Illinois, Water Revenue Bonds, Taxable Second Lien Series No Opt. 10,000 2010B, 6.742%, 11/01/40 Call AA-10,262,100 Cook County, Illinois, General Obligation Bonds, Build America No Opt. 5,610 Taxable Bonds, Series 2010D, Call AA 5,394,520 6.229%, 11/15/34 Illinois Finance Authority, Revenue Bonds, Illinois Institute of 4/11 at 436,985 500 Technology, Refunding Series 100.00 Baa3 2006A, 6.100%, 4/01/15 No Opt. Illinois State, General Obligation Bonds, Taxable Build America 13,875 Bonds, Series 2010-3, Call A+ 13,325,689 6.725%, 4/01/35 Illinois Toll Highway Authority, Toll Highway Revenue Bonds, No Opt. 2,680 Build America Taxable Bonds, Call AA - 2,601,449Senior Lien Series 2009A, 6.184%, 1/01/34 57,665 Total Illinois 57,097,043 Indiana – 3.5% (3.2% of Total Investments) Evansville Redevelopment Authority, Indiana, Lease Rental Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B: 8/20 at 1,250 6.960%, 2/01/34 100.00 Aa3 1,262,638 8/20 at 9,440 7.210%, 2/01/39 100.00 Aa3 9,585,848

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Principal		Optional Call		
Amount	Description (1)	Provisions	Datings (2)	Value
(000)	Description (1) Indiana (continued)	(2)	Ratings (3)	v arue
\$ 5,000	Indiana University, Consolidated Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B,	6/20 at 100.00	Aaa \$	4,893,700
	5.636%, 6/01/35			
1,725	Speedway Redevelopment Authority, Indiana, Lease Rental Revenue Bonds, Federally Taxable Build	No Opt. Call	A+	1,695,917
	America Bonds, Series 2010A, 6.512%, 2/01/35			
17,415	Total Indiana			17,438,103
	Kentucky – 1.0% (0.9% of Total Investments)	0.100		
5,000	Kentucky Municipal Power Agency, Power Supply System	9/20 at		5 200 250
5,000	Revenue Bonds, Prairie State Project, Tender Option Bond Trust B002, 28 02867, 0/01/27, ACM Incured	100.00	AA+	5,208,250
	Tender Option Bond Trust B002, 28.928%, 9/01/37 – AGM Insured (IF)			
	Louisiana – 4.0% (3.6% of Total Investments)			
	East Baton Rouge Sewage Commission, Louisiana, Revenue	2/20 at		
20,000	Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds,	100.00	Aa2	19,961,000
20,000	Series 2010B, 6.087%, 2/01/45	100.00	1142	17,701,000
	Massachusetts – 0.5% (0.4% of Total Investments)			
	Massachusetts, Transportation Fund Revenue Bonds, Accelerated	No Opt.		
2,000	Bridge Program, Tender Option	Call	AAA	2,318,000
	Bond Trust T0004, 25.436%, 6/01/40 (IF) (4)			
	Michigan – 3.8% (3.4% of Total Investments)			
	Detroit City School District, Wayne County, Michigan, General	No Opt.		
14,650	Obligation Bonds, Build America	Call	Aa2	15,335,620
	Taxable Bond Series 2009B, 7.747%, 5/01/39			
	Jackson Public Schools, Jackson County, Michigan, General	5/20 at		
1,720	Obligation Bonds, Qualified School	100.00	Aa2	1,722,219
	Construction Bonds – Taxable Direct Payment, Series 2010B, 6.450%, 5/01/27			
	Michigan Tobacco Settlement Finance Authority, Tobacco	6/22 at		
1,000	Settlement Asset-Backed Revenue Bonds,	100.00	Baa3	748,140
	Taxable Turbo Series 2006A, 7.309%, 6/01/34			
0.70	Monroe, Michigan, Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds,	5/20 at		
950	Taxable Recovery Zone Economic	100.00	A+	971,347
10.000	Development Bonds, Series 2010, 6.650%, 5/01/27			10 777 226
18,320	Total Michigan			18,777,326
	Missouri – 0.4% (0.3% of Total Investments)			

4 000	Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission, Prairie State	1/19 at		106660
1,900	Power Project Revenue	100.00	A3	1,866,636
	Bond, Federally Taxable Build America Bonds – Direct Pay, Series 2009A, 6.890%, 1/01/42			
	Nebraska – 0.3% (0.3% of Total Investments)			
	District Energy Corporation, Nebraska, Facility Revenue Bonds,	7/20 at		
1,670	Build America Taxable Bonds,	100.00	Aa1	1,631,690
	Series 2010B, 5.901%, 7/01/32			
	Nevada – 2.3% (2.1% of Total Investments)			
	Clark County, Nevada, Airport Revenue Bonds, Senior Lien Series	7/19 at		
6,000	2009B, 6.881%, 7/01/42	100.00	Aa2	5,999,880
	Las Vegas, Nevada, Certificates of Participation, City Hall Project,	9/19 at		
1,315	Build America Federally	100.00	AA-	1,388,298
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2009B, 7.800%, 9/01/39			
	North Las Vegas, Nevada, General Obligation Water and	No Opt.		
4,000	Wastewater Improvement Bonds, Build	Call	Aa2	3,991,800
	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010A, 6.572%, 6/01/40			
11,315	Total Nevada			11,379,978
	New Jersey – 2.5% (2.3% of Total Investments)			
	New Jersey Turnpike Authority, Revenue Bonds, Build America	No Opt.		
11,500	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010A,	Call	A+	12,501,190
	7.102%, 1/01/41			
	New York – 11.8% (10.7% of Total Investments)			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal	No Opt.		
15,000	Income Tax Revenue Bonds, Build	Call	AAA	14,160,450
	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010D, 5.600%, 3/15/40			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal	No Opt.		
10,000	Income Tax Revenue Bonds,	Call	AAA	9,440,300
	Series 2010D, 5.600%, 3/15/40 (UB)			
	Long Island Power Authority, New York, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		
10,000	Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	A-	9,130,600
	Bond Series 2010B, 5.850%, 5/01/41			
	Metropolitan Transportation Authority, New York, Transportation	No Opt.		
4,750	Revenue Bonds, Build America	Call	A	4,450,560
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2009A-1, 5.871%, 11/15/39			

Principal		Optional Call		
Amount		Provisions		
	Description (1)		ings (3)	Value
(000)	New York (continued)	(=)	8- (-)	, 33-57-5
	New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York, Water and Sewer System Revenue			
	Bonds, Second Generation Resolution, Build America Taxable			
	Bonds, Series 2010DD:			
\$ 2,025	5.952%, 6/15/42 (UB)	No Opt. Call	AA+ \$	2,080,809
2,595	5.952%, 6/15/42	No Opt. Call	AA+	2,666,518
1,595	New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York, Water and Sewer System Revenue	No Opt. Call	AA+	1,654,733
	Bonds, Second Generation Resolution, Taxable Tender Option Bonds Trust T30001-2,			
	26.399%, 6/15/44 (IF)			
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York,	No Opt.		
5,500	Building Aid Revenue Bonds, Build	Call	AA-	5,883,790
	America Taxable Bond Fiscal 2011 Series 2010S-1B, 6.828%, 7/15/40			
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future	No Opt.		
10,000	Tax Secured Bonds, Build	Call	AAA	9,374,500
	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010G-1, 5.467%, 5/01/40			
61,465				58,842,260
	Ohio – 5.3% (4.8% of Total Investments)	N. O.		
500	American Municipal Power Inc., Ohio, Combined Hydroelectric	No Opt.		506 400
500	Projects Revenue Bonds, Federally Tayahla Build America Bonds, Series 2000B, 6 4246/, 2/15/22	Call	A	506,400
	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2009B, 6.424%, 2/15/32 American Municipal Power Inc., Ohio, Combined Hydroelectric	No Opt.		
10 000	Projects Revenue Bonds, Federally	Call	A	11,219,500
10,000	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010B, 7.834%, 2/15/41	Can	11	11,217,500
	Circleville City School District, Pickaway County, Ohio, General	5/20 at		
3,000	Obligation School Facilities	100.00	Aa2	3,072,660
	Construction and Improvement Bonds, Build America Taxable Series 2010C, 6.300%, 11/01/40			, ,
	Franklin County Convention Facilities Authority, Ohio, Lease			
	Revenue Anticipation Bonds,			
	Federally Taxable Direct Payment Build America Bonds, Series 2010:			
		No Opt.		
570	6.540%, 12/01/36	Call	AA	547,388
		No Opt.		
	6.640%, 12/01/42	Call	AA	4,361,317
5,000			Aa2	4,822,300

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	Lucas County, Ohio, General Obligation Bonds, Taxable Arena	10/20 at		
	improvement Series 2010,	100.00		
	6.150%, 10/01/40			
	Madison Local School District, Lake & Geauga Counties, Ohio,	9/20 at		
1,760		100.00	Aa2	1,659,381
	America Taxable Bond Series 2010C, 6.050%, 4/01/42			
25,320	Total Ohio			26,188,946
	Oregon – 2.9% (2.7% of Total Investments)			
	Oregon Department of Administrative Services, Certificates of	5/20 at		
4,000	Participation, Federally Taxable	100.00	Aa2	3,776,400
	Build America Bonds, Tender Option Bond Trust TN-011,			
	27.474%, 5/01/35 (IF) (4)	N. O.		
0.050	Warm Springs Reservation Confederated Tribes, Oregon, Tribal	No Opt.		10.004.004
9,950	Economic Development	Call	A3	10,804,904
	Bonds, Hydroelectric Revenue Bonds, Pelton Round Butte Project,			
	Refunding Series 2009A,			
12.050	8.250%, 11/01/19			14 501 204
13,930	Total Oregon Pannaylyania 1 40/ (1 20/ of Total Investments)			14,581,304
	Pennsylvania – 1.4% (1.3% of Total Investments)	3/20 at		
3,000	Haverford Township School District, Delaware County, Pennsylvania, General Obligation Bonds,	100.00	AA+	2,937,960
3,000	Federally Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010, 6.004%,	100.00	AA+	2,937,900
	3/01/35 – AGC Insured			
	New Castle Sanitation Authority, Lawrence County, Pennsylvania,	6/20 at		
1,500	Sewer Revenue Bonds, Build	100.00	AA+	1,506,600
1,500	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010A, 6.506%, 6/01/41 – AGM	100.00	7 1 1	1,500,000
	Insured			
	Uniontown Area School District, Fayette County, Pennsylvania,	10/20 at		
2,800	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	100.00	Aa3	2,781,968
	Federally Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010, 6.261%,			, ,
	10/01/39			
7,300	Total Pennsylvania			7,226,528
	South Carolina – 2.0% (1.8% of Total Investments)			
	South Carolina Public Service Authority, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		
205	Bonds, Santee Cooper,	Call	Aa2	281,106
	Federally Taxable Build America Tender Option Bond Trust			
	T30002, 29.430%, 1/01/50 (IF)			
	South Carolina Public Service Authority, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		
8,985	Bonds, Santee Cooper,	Call	Aa2	9,652,316
	Series 2010A, 6.454%, 1/01/50 (UB)			
9,190				9,933,422
	Tennessee – 3.2% (2.9% of Total Investments)			
4 = 00-	Metropolitan Government Nashville & Davidson County	No Opt.		4 - 0
15,000		Call	A1	15,856,800
	Tourism Tax Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds,			
	Series 2010A-2, 7.431%, 7/01/43			

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Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions	Ratings (3)	Value
	Texas – 6.1% (5.6% of Total Investments)	()		
\$ 10,000	North Texas Tollway Authority, System Revenue Bonds,	2/20 at 100.00	Baa3	\$ 10,387,300
	Federally Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010-B2, 8.910%, 2/01/30			
15,000	North Texas Tollway Authority, System Revenue Bonds, Taxable Build America Bond Series 2009B, 6.718%, 1/01/49	No Opt. Call	A2	14,957,100
5,000	San Antonio, Texas, General Obligation Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B,	8/20 at 100.00	AAA	5,109,650
30,000	6.038%, 8/01/40 Total Texas			30,454,050
30,000	Utah – 2.1% (1.9% of Total Investments)			30,434,030
5,000	Central Utah Water Conservancy District, Utah, Revenue Bonds, Federally Taxable Build America	4/20 at 100.00	AA+	4,587,750
	Bonds, Series 2010A, 5.700%, 10/01/40			
5,415	Midvale Redevelopment Agency, Utah, Tax Increment and Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Federally	5/20 at 100.00	AA+	5,210,205
	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010, 6.250%, 5/01/34 – AGM Insured			
775	North Salt Lake, Utah, Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010,	12/19 at 100.00	AA-	741,900
	5.800%, 6/15/30			
11,190	Total Utah			10,539,855
	Vermont – 1.0% (0.9% of Total Investments)	N. O.		
5,000	University of Vermont and State Agricultural College, Revenue Bonds, Build America Bonds	No Opt. Call	Aa3	4,904,350
	Series 2010, 6.428%, 10/01/44 Virgin Islands – 2.6% (2.4% of Total Investments)			
	Virgin Islands Water and Power Authority, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		
12.500	Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	AA+	12,946,250
12,000	Bonds Series 2010C, 6.850%, 7/01/35 – AGM Insured	Cum		12,7 10,200
	Virginia – 2.4% (2.2% of Total Investments)			
	Metropolitan Washington DC Airports Authority, Virginia, Dulles	No Opt.		
1,135	Toll Road Revenue Bonds,	Call	BBB+	1,114,888
10,000	Series 2009D, 7.462%, 10/01/46 – AGC Insured		BBB	9,682,700
10,000			מממ	2,002,700

	Metropolitan Washington DC Airports Authority, Virginia, Dulles	No Opt.		
	Toll Road Revenue Bonds,	Call		
	Dulles Metrorail Capital Improvement Project, Build America			
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010D,			
	8.000%, 10/01/47			
	Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation of Virginia, Tobacco	6/12 at		
1,705	Settlement Asset Backed Bonds,	100.00	Baa3	1,049,155
	Refunding Senior Lien Series 2007A1, 6.706%, 6/01/46			
12,840	Total Virginia			11,846,743
	Washington – 4.6% (4.2% of Total Investments)			
	Auburn, Washington, Limited Tax General Obligation Bonds,	6/20 at		
2,465	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series	100.00	AA	2,484,054
	2010B, 6.243%, 12/01/39			
	Grays Harbor County Public Utility District 1, Washington, Electric	No Opt.		
5,000	System Revenue Bonds,	Call	A1	5,214,800
	Taxable Build America Bonds – Direct Payment, Series 2010A,			
	6.707%, 7/01/40			
	King County Public Hospital District 1, Washington, Hospital	6/20 at		
5,000	Facilities Revenue Bonds, Valley	100.00	BBB+	5,090,150
	Medical Center, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B,			
	8.000%, 6/15/40			
	Mason County Public Utility District 3, Washington, Electric	6/20 at		
5,000	Revenue Bonds, Build America	100.00	Aa3	4,823,100
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B, 6.347%, 12/01/40			
	Okanogan County Public Utility District 1, Washington, Electric	No Opt.		
2,505	System Revenue Bonds, Build	Call	A1	2,374,840
,	America Taxable Bonds – Direct Payment, Series 2010B, 6.046%,			, ,
	12/01/40			
	Seattle, Washington, Municipal Light and Power Revenue Bonds,	No Opt.		
4.000	Federally Taxable Build America	Call	Aa2	2,903,800
,	Bonds, Tender Option Bond Trust T0001, 24.589%, 2/01/40 (IF) (4)			, ,
23,970	Total Washington			22,890,744

Principal		Optional Call Provisions		
Amount	Description (1)		Datings (2)	Value
(000)	Description (1) Wyoming 0.4% (0.4% of Total Investments)	(2)	Ratings (3)	Value
\$	Wyoming – 0.4% (0.4% of Total Investments) University of Wyoming, Facilities Improvement Revenue Bonds,	6/20 at		¢
			A = 2	1 040 027
2,000	Build America Taxable Bond Series	100.00	Aa2	1,949,937
ф	2010C, 5.800%, 6/01/30			
\$ 547,575	Total Municipal Bonds (cost \$560,917,578) – 109.6%			546,734,895
547,575	Total Mainerpar Bonds (cost \$500,717,570) 107.070			5-10,75-1,075
Principal				
Amount				
(000)	Description (1)	Coupon	Maturity	Value
	Short-Term Investments – 0.1% (0.1% of Total Investments)			
\$	Repurchase Agreement with State Street Bank, dated 3/31/11,			
545	repurchase price \$545,330,	0.010%	4/01/11	545,330
	collateralized by \$555,000 U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.000%, due			
	4/30/12, value \$561,196			
	Total Short-Term Investments (cost \$545,330)			545,330
	Total Investments (cost \$561,462,908) – 109.7%			547,280,225
	Borrowings – $(8.8)\%$ (5)			(44,000,000)
	Floating Rate Obligations – (5.0)%			(24,810,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities – 4.1% (6)			20,549,743
				\$
	Net Assets – 100%			499,019,968

Investments in Derivatives

Swaps outstanding at March 31, 2011:

		Fund		Fixed Rate			Unrealized
	Notional Pa	y/Receive	Floating RateFixed Rate	Payment	Effective T	ermination	Appreciation
		Floating					
Counterparty	y Amount	Rate	Index(Annualized	f) Frequency	Date (7)	Date1	Depreciation)
Barclays			3-Month				
Bank PLC	\$94,000,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 3.778	% Semi-Annually	2/17/12	2/17/40	\$10,738,776
			1-Month				
JPMorgan	19,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 0.360	Monthly	3/21/11	3/21/12	2,508
			1-Month				
JPMorgan	19,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 1.193	Monthly	3/21/11	3/21/14	129,393
Morgan			1-Month				
Stanley	19,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 2.064	Monthly	3/21/11	3/21/16	248,022
·	26,000,000	Receive	4.435	Semi-Annually	2/24/12	2/24/40	238,354
·	26,000,000	Receive	4.435	Semi-Annually	2/24/12	2/24/40	238,354

Morgan	3-Month
Stanley	USD-LIBOR

\$11,357,053

All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets unless

- (1) otherwise noted.
 - Optional Call Provisions (not covered by the report of independent registered public
- (2) accounting firm): Dates (month and year) and prices of the earliest optional call or redemption. There may be other call provisions at varying prices at later dates. Certain mortgage-backed securities may be subject to periodic principal paydowns.
 - Ratings (not covered by the report of independent registered public accounting
- (3) firm): Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investor Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade. Holdings designated N/R are not rated by any of these national rating agencies.
 - Investment, or portion of investment, has been pledged to collateralize the net
- (4) payment obligations for investments in derivatives and/or inverse floating rate transactions.
- (5) Borrowings as a percentage of Total Investments is 8.0%.

 Other Assets Less Liabilities includes the Value and/or the Net Unrealized
- (6) Appreciation (Depreciation) of derivative instruments as listed within Investments in Derivatives.
 - Effective date represents the date on which both the Fund and Counterparty
- (7) commence interest payment accruals on each swap contract.

N/R Not rated.

- (IF) Inverse floating rate investment.

 Underlying bond of an inverse floating rate trust reflect
 - Underlying bond of an inverse floating rate trust reflected as a financing
- (UB) transaction. See Notes to Financial Statements, Footnote 1 General Information and Significant Accounting Policies, Inverse Floating Rate Securities for more information.

USD-LIBOR United States Dollar-London Inter-Bank Offered Rate.

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund NBD Portfolio of Investments March 31, 2011

	incipal mount		Optional Call		
Л		Description (1)	Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	(000)	California – 12.9% (12.5% of Total	110,1510115 (2)	ruungs (e)	, ara-c
		Investments)			
		Bay Area Toll Authority, California,			
		Revenue Bonds, San Francisco Bay Area			
\$	1,030	Toll Bridge,	No Opt. Call	A+	\$ 1,065,535
		Subordinate Lien, Build America Federally			
		Taxable Bond Series 2010S-1, 7.043%, 4/01/50			
		California State Public Works Board, Lease	<u>, </u>		
		Revenue Bonds, Various Capital Projects,			
	1,500		No Opt. Call	A2	1,592,205
		America Taxable Bond Series 2009G-2,			
		8.361%, 10/01/34			
		Hayward Unified School District, Alameda			
	2 000	County, California, General Obligation Bonds, Build	8/20 at 100.00	AA+	2.019.500
	2,000	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010B,	6/20 at 100.00	AA+	2,018,500
		7.350%, 8/01/43 – AGM Insured			
		Los Angeles Community College District,			
		Los Angeles County, California, General			
	2,000	Obligation	No Opt. Call	Aa1	2,668,200
		Bonds, Tender Option Bond Trust TN027,			
		29.966%, 8/01/49 (IF) (4)			
		Los Angeles County Public Works			
	1 000	Financing Authority, California, Lease Revenue Bonds, Multiple	No Opt. Call	A+	985,780
	1,000	Capital Projects I, Build America Taxable	No Opt. Can	Ат	705,700
		Bond Series 2010B, 7.618%, 8/01/40			
		Los Angeles Department of Water and			
		Power, California, Water System Revenue			
	2,000	Bonds, Tender	No Opt. Call	AA	2,513,100
		Option Bond Trust T0003, 29.995%,			
		7/01/42 (IF)			
		Oakland Redevelopment Agency, California, Subordinated Housing Set Aside	2		
	1 000	Revenue Bonds,	No Opt. Call	A	982,240
	1,000	Federally Taxable Series 2011A-T,	110 Opt. Can	A	702,270
		7.500%, 9/01/19			
	1,500		No Opt. Call	AAA	1,486,410

	San Diego County Regional Transportation Commission, California, Sales Tax			
	Revenue Bonds,			
	Build America Taxable Bonds Series			
	2010A, 5.911%, 4/01/48			
	San Francisco City and County, California,			
	Certificates of Participation, 525 Golden			
2,000	-	No Opt. Call	AA-	1,391,500
	Avenue, San Francisco Public Utilities			
	Commission Office Project, Tender Option			
	Bond Trust			
	B001, 29.243%, 11/01/30 (IF)			
	Stanton Redevelopment Agency,			
21.7	California, Consolidated Project Tax	,, o o o		200.455
315	Allocation Bonds, Series	No Opt. Call	A–	308,177
	2011A, 7.000%, 12/01/19			
	The Regents of the University of			
2 000	California, Medical Center Pooled Revenue Bonds, Build	No Ont Coll	Aa2	2,976,540
3,000	America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010H,	No Opt. Call	Aaz	2,970,340
	6.548%, 5/15/48			
17.345	Total California			17,988,187
,	Colorado – 4.4% (4.3% of Total			
	Investments)			
	Colorado State Bridge Enterprise Revenue			
	Bonds, Federally Taxable Build America			
4,000	Series 2010A,	No Opt. Call	AA	4,173,640
	6.078%, 12/01/40			
	Regional Transportation District, Colorado,			
• • • • •	Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, FasTracks	,, o o o		4 0 5 0 0 0 0
2,000	Project, Build	No Opt. Call	AA+	1,958,800
6,000	America Series 2010B, 5.844%, 11/01/50			6 122 440
0,000	Total Colorado Connecticut – 1.1% (1.1% of Total			6,132,440
	Investments)			
	Harbor Point Infrastructure Improvement			
	District, Connecticut, Special Obligation			
1,500	Revenue	4/20 at 100.00	N/R	1,604,430
,	Bonds, Harbor Point Project, Federally			, ,
	Taxable – Issuer Subsidy – Recovery Zone			
	Economic			
	Development Bond Series 2010B,			
	12.500%, 4/01/39			
	District of Columbia – 2.7% (2.7% of Total			
	Investments)			
	District of Columbia, Income Tax Secured			
800	Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series	No Opt. Call	AAA	808,024
800	2009E, 5.591%, 12/01/34	No Opt. Call	AAA	000,024
3.000	District of Columbia, Income Tax Secured	No Opt. Call	AAA	3,012,570
5,000	Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable	110 Opt. Call	7 11 11	5,012,570
	To remain Delias, Duna I illicited Taxable			

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	Bonds, Series			
	2010F, 5.582%, 12/01/35			
3,800	Total District of Columbia			3,820,594
	Georgia – 3.4% (3.3% of Total Investments)			
	Georgia Municipal Electric Authority, Plant			
	Vogtle Units 3 & 4 Project J Bonds,			
2,000	Taxable Build	No Opt. Call	A+	1,909,860
	America Bonds Series 2010A, 6.637%,			
	4/01/57			
	Georgia Municipal Electric Authority, Plant			
	Vogtle Units 3 & 4 Project P Bonds,			
3,000	Refunding	No Opt. Call	A–	2,806,560
	Taxable Build America Bonds Series			
	2010A, 7.055%, 4/01/57			
5,000	Total Georgia			4,716,420

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions	Ratings (3)	Value
	Illinois – 13.1% (12.7% of Total Investments)	()		
\$ 3,375	Chicago Transit Authority, Illinois, Sales Tax Receipts Revenue Bonds, Federally Taxable Build	No Opt. Call	AA	\$ 3,007,598
	America Bonds, Series 2010B, 6.200%, 12/01/40	N. 0		
4,350	Chicago, Illinois, Wastewater Transmission Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bond Series	No Opt. Call	Aa3	4,470,974
	2010B, 6.900%, 1/01/40			
500	Cook County, Illinois, General Obligation Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds, Series 2010D,	No Opt. Call	AA	480,795
	6.229%, 11/15/34			
	Illinois Finance Authority, Revenue Bonds, Illinois Institute of	4/11 at		
500	Technology, Refunding Series	100.00	Baa3	436,985
	2006A, 6.100%, 4/01/15			
	Illinois State, General Obligation Bonds, Build America Taxable	No Opt.		
2,000	Bonds, Series 2010-5,	Call	A+	2,064,200
	7.350%, 7/01/35			
	Illinois Toll Highway Authority, Toll Highway Revenue Bonds,	No Opt.		
3,000	Build America Taxable Bonds,	Call	AA-	2,912,070
	Senior Lien Series 2009A, 6.184%, 1/01/34			
	Northern Illinois Municipal Power Agency, Power Project Revenue	No Opt.		
2,500	Bonds, Prairie State Project,	Call	A2	2,776,725
	Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010A, 7.820%, 1/01/40	4120		
2 000	The Board of Trustee of Northern Illinois University, Auxiliary	4/20 at	A 2	0 1 40 000
2,000	Facilities System Revenue	100.00	Aa3	2,148,920
	Bonds Federally Taxable Build America Series 2010, 7.947%,			
10 225	4/01/35 – AGM Insured			10 200 267
18,223	Total Illinois Indiana – 1.8% (1.8% of Total Investments)			18,298,267
	Indianapolis Local Public Improvement Bond Bank, Indiana, Build	No Opt.		
2 500	America Taxable Bonds, Series	Call	ΛΛ⊥	2,563,225
2,300	2010B-2, 6.116%, 1/15/40	Can	ЛЛТ	2,303,223
	Kentucky – 2.2% (2.1% of Total Investments)			
	Louisville and Jefferson County Metropolitan Sewer District,	No Opt.		
3.000	Kentucky, Sewer and Drainage	Call	AA-	3,079,980
2,000	System Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds Series	Cull	1111	2,077,700
	2010A, 6.250%, 5/15/43			
	Massachusetts – 1.7% (1.6% of Total Investments)			
	Massachusetts, Transportation Fund Revenue Bonds, Accelerated	No Opt.		
2,000	Bridge Program, Tender Option	Call	AAA	2,318,000
	Bond Trust T0004, 25.436%, 6/01/40 (IF)			
	Michigan – 5.4% (5.2% of Total Investments)			
3,000			Aa2	2,870,730

	Detroit City School District, Wayne County, Michigan, General	5/20 at	
	Obligation Bonds, Build America	100.00	
	Taxable Bond Series 2010B, 6.845%, 5/01/40		
	Grand Rapids, Michigan, Sanitary Sewer System Revenue Bonds,	No Opt.	
1,000	Build America Taxable Bond Series	Call	AA+ 1,023,330
	2010A, 6.720%, 1/01/41		
	Michigan Tobacco Settlement Finance Authority, Tobacco	6/22 at	
2,000	Settlement Asset-Backed Revenue Bonds,	100.00	Baa3 1,496,280
	Taxable Turbo Series 2006A, 7.309%, 6/01/34		
	Wayne County Building Authority, Michigan, General Obligation	12/20 at	
2,000	Bonds, Jail Facilities,	100.00	A- 2,097,900
	Federally Taxable Recovery Zone Economic Development Series		
	2010, 10.000%, 12/01/40		
8,000	Total Michigan		7,488,240
	Minnesota – 1.9% (1.8% of Total Investments)		
	Western Minnesota Municipal Power Agency, Power Supply	No Opt.	
2,500	Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	A1 2,609,675
	Bond Series 2010C, 6.770%, 1/01/46		
	Mississippi – 1.7% (1.7% of Total Investments)		
	Mississippi State, General Obligation Bonds, Build America Taxable	No Opt.	
2,500	Bond Series 2010F,	Call	AA 2,425,850
	5.245%, 11/01/34		
	Missouri – 2.8% (2.7% of Total Investments)		
	Curators of the University of Missouri, System Facilities Revenue	No Opt.	
1,150	Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	AA+ 1,202,877
	Bonds, Series 2010, 5.792%, 11/01/41		
	Missouri Joint Municipal Electric Utility Commission, Prairie State	No Opt.	
2,500	Power Project Revenue	Call	A3 2,750,400
	Bond, Federally Taxable Build America Bonds – Direct Pay, Series 2010A, 7.897%, 1/01/42		
3,650	Total Missouri		3,953,277
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Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund (continued) NBDPortfolio of Investments March 31, 2011

	rincipal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2) R	eatings (3)	Value
		Nevada – 2.8% (2.7% of Total Investments) Clark County, Nevada, Airport Revenue Bonds, Senior Lien Series	7/19 at		\$
\$	1 615	2009B, 6.881%, 7/01/42	100.00	Aa2	1,614,968
Ψ	1,015	Washoe County, Nevada, Highway Revenue, Motor Vehicle Fuel	No Opt.	1 Iu2	1,011,700
	2,000	Tax Bonds, Federally Taxable Direct	Call	A+	2,235,240
	,	Pay Build America Bonds, Series 2010E, 7.969%, 2/01/40			, ,
	3,615	Total Nevada			3,850,208
		New Jersey – 5.5% (5.4% of Total Investments)			
		New Jersey Transportation Trust Fund Authority, Transportation	No Opt.		
	3,000	System Bonds, Build America	Call	Aa3	2,929,470
		Bonds Issuer Subsidy Program, Series 2010C, 5.754%, 12/15/28			
		New Jersey Turnpike Authority, Revenue Bonds, Build America	No Opt.		
	2,500	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010A,	Call	A+	2,717,650
		7.102%, 1/01/41			
		Rutgers State University, New Jersey, Revenue Bonds, Build	No Opt.		
	2,050	America Taxable Bond Series 2010H,	Call	AA	2,057,175
		5.665%, 5/01/40			
	7,550	Total New Jersey			7,704,295
		New York – 10.1% (9.9% of Total Investments)			
		Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal	No Opt.		
	2,000	Income Tax Revenue Bonds, Tender	Call	AAA	1,440,300
		Option Bond Trust B004, 24.523%, 3/15/40 (IF)			
	2 000	Metropolitan Transportation Authority, New York, Transportation	No Opt.		0.051.100
	2,000	Revenue Bonds, Federally	Call	Α	2,051,120
		Taxable Issuer Subsidy Build America Bonds, Series 2010A,			
		6.668%, 11/15/39	N. O.4		
	2 000	New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York,	No Opt.	A A .	2.050.010
	3,000	Water and Sewer System Revenue Bonds, Second Generation Resolution, Build America Taxable	Call	AA+	2,859,810
		Bonds, Fiscal 2011 Series 2010AA,			
		5.440%, 6/15/43			
		New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York,	No Opt.		
	2 000	Water and Sewer System Revenue	Call	$\Delta \Delta \perp$	2,074,900
	2,000	Bonds, Second Generation Resolution, Taxable Tender Option Bonds	Can	ЛЛТ	2,074,700
		Trust T30001-2,			
		26.399%, 6/15/44 (IF)			
	2,955	20.000 (ii) (ii)		AA-	3,161,200
	2,755			7 17 1	2,101,200

	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Building	No Opt.	
	Aid Revenue Bonds, Build	Call	
	America Taxable Bond Fiscal 2011 Series 2010S-1B, 6.828%, 7/15/40		
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, Federally	12/20 at	
2,500	Taxable Build America Bonds,	100.00	AA 2,596,450
	Series 2010-F1, 6.646%, 12/01/31		
14,455			14,183,780
	North Carolina – 1.0% (1.0% of Total Investments)		
	North Carolina Turnpike Authority, Triangle Expressway System	1/19 at	
1,400		100.00	AA 1,446,732
	Revenue Bonds, Federally Taxable Issuer Subsidy Build America		
	Bonds, Series 2009B,		
	6.700%, 1/01/39		
	Ohio – 4.0% (3.9% of Total Investments)		
	American Municipal Power Inc., Ohio, Meldahl Hydroelectric	No Opt.	
2,500	Projects Revenue Bonds, Federally	Call	A 2,603,600
	Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010B, 7.499%, 2/15/50		
	Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District, Wastewater Improvement	11/20 at	
3,000	Revenue Bonds, Build America	100.00	AA+ 2,958,210
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2010, 6.038%, 11/15/40		
5,500	Total Ohio		5,561,810
	Pennsylvania – 4.1% (4.0% of Total Investments)		
	Kiski Area School District, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania,	9/20 at	
1,000	General Obligation Bonds, Build	100.00	Aa3 1,030,690
	America Taxable Bond Series 2010, 6.626%, 9/01/35 – AGM Insured		
	Pennsylvania State, General Obligation Bonds, Build America	7/20 at	
2,500	Taxable Bonds, Third Series 2010B,	100.00	Aa1 2,515,950
	5.850%, 7/15/30		
	Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission, Turnpike Revenue Bonds,	No Opt.	
2,500	Build America Taxable Bonds, Series	Call	Aa3 2,210,425
	2010B, 5.511%, 12/01/45		
6,000	Total Pennsylvania		5,757,065

Principal		Optional Call		
Amount		Provisions		
(000)	Description (1)	(2) Ra	tings (3)	Value
	South Carolina – 7.1% (6.9% of Total Investments)			
	South Carolina Public Service Authority, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		\$
\$ 205	Bonds, Santee Cooper,	Call	Aa2	281,106
	Federally Taxable Build America Tender Option Bond Trust T30002, 29.430%, 1/01/50 (IF)			
	South Carolina Public Service Authority, Electric System Revenue	No Opt.		
8,985	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Call	Aa2	9,652,316
	Series 2010A, 6.454%, 1/01/50 (UB)			
9,190				9,933,422
	Tennessee – 2.1% (2.1% of Total Investments)			
	Metropolitan Government Nashville & Davidson County	No Opt.		
3,000	- ·	Call	Aa2	2,947,650
	Tourism Tax Revenue Bonds, Build America Taxable Bonds,			
	Subordinate Lien Series 2010B,			
	6.731%, 7/01/43			
	Texas – 7.8% (7.6% of Total Investments)			
	Board of Regents, University of Texas System, Financing System	8/19 at		
1,810	Revenue Bonds, Build America	100.00	AAA	1,866,345
	Taxable Bonds, Series 2009B, 6.276%, 8/15/41			
	Dallas Area Rapid Transit, Texas, Senior Lien Sales Tax Revenue	No Opt.		
2,705	Bonds, Build America Taxable	Call	AA+	2,800,811
	Bonds, Series 2009B, 5.999%, 12/01/44			
	Dallas Convention Center Hotel Development Corporation, Texas,	No Opt.		
2,000	Hotel Revenue Bonds, Build	Call	A+	2,015,980
	America Taxable Bonds, Series 09B, 7.088%, 1/01/42			
	Dallas Independent School District, Dallas County, Texas, General	2/21 at		
2,500	· ·	100.00	AAA	2,676,900
	Building, Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010C, 6.450%, 2/15/35			
	North Texas Tollway Authority, System Revenue Bonds,	2/20 at		
1,500	Subordinate Lien Taxable Revenue Bonds,	100.00	Baa3	1,558,095
	Federally Taxable Build America Bonds, Series 2010-B2, 8.910%, 2/01/30			
10,515				10,918,131
10,515	Virginia – 1.3% (1.3% of Total Investments)			10,710,131
	Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation of Virginia, Tobacco	6/12 at		
3,000		100.00	Baa3	1,846,020
5,000	Refunding Senior Lien Series 2007A1, 6.706%, 6/01/46	100.00	Buus	1,010,020
	Washington – 1.7% (1.7% of Total Investments)			
	Washington State Convention Center Public Facilities District,	No Opt.		
1,000		Call	Aa3	981,180
1,000	Build America Taxable Bond Series 2010B, 6.790%, 7/01/40		- 100	, , , , , , ,
	, ,			

	Washington State Economic Development Finance Authority,	No Opt.		
1,500	Biomedical Research Properties Lease	Call	AA+	1,466,159
	Revenue Bonds, Build America Series 2010, 6.516%, 7/01/42			
2,500	Total Washington			2,447,339
\$ 142,745	Total Investments (cost \$140,941,211) – 102.6%			143,595,037
	Floating Rate Obligations – (5.1)%			(7,190,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities – 2.5% (5)			3,567,299
				\$
	Net Assets – 100%			139,972,336

Nuveen Build America Bond Opportunity Fund (continued) NBDPortfolio of Investments March 31, 2011

Investments in Derivatives

Swaps outstanding at March 31, 2011:

,	NotionalPa	•	Floating RateFixed R	ate	Fixed Rate Payment		Γerminatio A	Unrealized Appreciation	
Counterpart	y Amount	Floating Rate		ized)	Frequency	Date (6)	Dalbe	epreciation	1)
Barclays	,		1-Month		1,1	(1)	(***		
Bank PLC	\$11,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 2.240	%	Monthly	12/17/10	12/17/15	\$(6,786)
Morgan			1-Month						
Stanley	11,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 0.496		Monthly	12/17/10	12/17/11	(15,271)
Morgan			1-Month						
Stanley	11,200,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 1.295		Monthly	12/17/10	12/17/13	(4,663)
Morgan			3-Month						
Stanley	20,000,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 4.334		Semi-Annually	1/12/12	1/12/40	417,800	,
Morgan			3-Month						
Stanley	12,000,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 4.435		Semi-Annually	2/24/12	2/24/40	110,009	,
Morgan			3-Month						
Stanley	17,000,000	Receive	USD-LIBOR 4.600		Semi-Annually	1/27/12	1/27/40	(348,172	2)
								\$152,917	

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- (2) accounting firm): Dates (month and year) and prices of the earliest optional call or redemption. There may be other call provisions at varying prices at later dates. Certain mortgage-backed securities may be subject to periodic principal paydowns.
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- (3) firm): Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investor Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade. Holdings designated N/R are not rated by any of these national rating agencies.
 - Investment, or portion of investment, has been pledged to collateralize the net
- (4) payment obligations for investments in inverse floating rate transactions. Other Assets Less Liabilities includes the Value and/or the Net Unrealized
- (5) Appreciation (Depreciation) of derivative instruments as listed within Investments

in Derivatives.

Effective date represents the date on which both the Fund and Counterparty

- (6) commence interest payment accruals on each swap contract.
- N/R Not rated.
- (IF) Inverse floating rate investment.

 Underlying bond of an inverse floating rate trust reflected as a financing
- (UB) transaction. See Notes to Financial Statements, Footnote 1 General Information and Significant Accounting Policies, Inverse Floating Rate Securities for more information.

USD-LIBOR United States Dollar-London Inter-Bank Offered Rate.

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Statement of Assets & Liabilities

March 31, 2011

	I	Build America Bond (NBB)	Build America ad Opportunity (NBD)
Assets			
Investments, at value (cost \$561,462,908 and \$140,941,211, respectively)	\$	547,280,225	\$ 143,595,037
Cash		_	513,632
Unrealized appreciation on swaps		11,357,053	159,703
Receivables:			
From Adviser		_	154,853
Interest		12,437,254	3,592,050
Other assets		32,783	
Total assets		571,107,315	148,015,275
Liabilities			
Borrowings		44,000,000	
Floating rate obligations		24,810,000	7,190,000
Unrealized depreciation on swaps		_	6,786
Dividends payable		2,722,509	677,393
Accrued expenses:			
Interest on borrowings		46,172	
Management fees		341,352	104,262
Other		167,314	64,498
Total liabilities		72,087,347	8,042,939
Net assets	5	499,019,968	\$ 139,972,336
Shares outstanding		26,461,985	7,205,250
Net asset value per share outstanding	5	18.86	\$ 19.43
Net assets consist of:			
Shares, \$.01 par value per share	5	264,620	\$ 72,053
Paid-in surplus		504,161,092	137,260,222
Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income		547,329	545,608
Accumulated net realized gain (loss)		(3,127,443)	(712,290)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation)		(2,825,630)	2,806,743
Net assets	5	499,019,968	\$ 139,972,336
Authorized shares		Unlimited	Unlimited

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Statement of Operations

	Build America Bond (NBB)*	Bu (NBI	ca nd ity **	
Investment Income	\$ ` '	\$	3,785,559	
Expenses				
Management fees	3,669,718		332,078	
Shareholders' servicing agent fees and expenses	239		319	
Interest expense	1,166,818		14,723	
Custodian's fees and expenses	91,419		8,395	
Trustees' fees and expenses	14,871		7,444	
Professional fees	83,090		32,759	
Shareholders' reports – printing and mailing expenses	90,806		19,745	
Investor relations expense	36,708		5,348	
Other expenses	16,877		4,993	
Total expenses before custodian fee credit	5,170,546		425,804	
Custodian fee credit	(24,258)		(39)
Net expenses	5,146,288		425,765	
Net investment income (loss)	31,317,016		3,359,794	
Realized and Unrealized Gain (Loss)				
Net realized gain (loss) from:				
Investments	8,023,380		(712,015)
Swaps	(11,126,000)		(90,877)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of:				
Investments	(14,182,683)		2,653,826	
Swaps	11,357,053		152,917	
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss)	(5,928,250)		2,003,851	
Net increase (decrease) in net assets from operations	\$ 25,388,766	\$	5,363,645	

^{*} For the period April 27, 2010 (commencement of operations) through March 31, 2011.

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets

	Build America Bond I (NBB)* (Bond Opportun		
Operations				
Net investment income	\$ 31,317,016 \$	3	3,359,794	
Net realized gain (loss) from:				
Investments	8,023,380		(712,015)
Swaps	(11,126,000)		(90,877)
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of:				
Investments	(14,182,683)		2,653,826	
Swaps	11,357,053		152,917	
Net increase (decrease) in net assets from operations	25,388,766		5,363,645	
Distributions to Shareholders				
From net investment income	(30,794,510)		(2,723,584)
Decrease in net assets from distributions to shareholders	(30,794,510)		(2,723,584)
Capital Share Transactions				
Proceeds from sale of shares, net of offering costs	502,469,250		137,232,00	0
Net proceeds from shares issued to shareholders due to reinvestment of				
distributions	1,856,187		_	
Net increase (decrease) in net assets applicable to shares from capital share				
transactions	504,325,437		137,232,00	0
Net increase (decrease) in net assets	498,919,693		139,872,06	1
Net assets at the beginning of period	100,275		100,275	
Net assets at the end of period	\$ 499,019,968	3	139,972,33	6
Undistributed (Over-distribution of) net investment income at the end of				
period	\$ 547,329	6	545,608	

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Statement of Cash Flows

	Build America
	Bond
	(NBB)*
Cash Flows from Operating Activities:	
Net Increase (Decrease) in Net Assets from Operations	\$25,388,766
Adjustments to reconcile the net increase (decrease) in net assets from operations to net cash	
provided by (used in) operating activities:	
Purchases of investments	(1,120,458,403)
Proceeds from sales and maturities of investments	567,409,551