

ABOUT THE FUND

Storm Bond Fund (UCITS) is a Nordic corporate bond fund inceptioned in September 2008. The fund holds a diversified portfolio of quality issuers in the Nordic region. The investment process is based on a top-down market screening of the universe based on relative pricing and a detailed fundamental bottom-up analysis of the individual issuers. The fund is classified as Article 8 under SFDR (ESG). The management team has extensive experience in the Nordic corporate bond market and is among the largest investors in the fund.

NET MONTHLY RETURN HISTORY (INSTITUTIONAL IC NOK SHARECLASS³, NET OF FEES)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
2024	1.0%	0.6%	1.0%										2.6%
2023	1.8%	1.0%	-0.3%	1.5%	0.5%	0.2%	1.2%	1.2%	0.6%	0.3%	0.8%	1.3%	10.4%
2022	0.8%	-1.0%	1.8%	1.2%	-0.0%	-1.3%	0.4%	2.5%	-0.2%	0.3%	1.2%	1.3%	7.1%
2021	3.2%	2.3%	1.1%	0.8%	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	1.0%	0.3%	0.5%	0.2%	0.7%	13.6%
2020	0.7%	-0.4%	-21.3%	4.8%	4.0%	4.1%	0.9%	1.8%	0.5%	-0.2%	2.9%	2.3%	-3.0%
2019	1.0%	0.9%	0.8%	0.9%	-0.1%	0.1%	0.7%	-0.2%	-0.1%	0.3%	0.4%	0.9%	5.9%
2018	1.0%	0.5%	-0.4%	0.4%	0.7%	0.7%	0.1%	0.6%	0.4%	0.5%	-0.4%	-1.1%	3.1%
2017	3.4%	3.0%	2.1%	1.3%	0.6%	-1.0%	0.8%	1.2%	1.1%	0.3%	-0.2%	0.4%	13.6%
2016	-1.8%	-3.1%	6.0%	4.1%	-0.4%	0.6%	1.8%	3.3%	-0.4%	1.2%	0.1%	5.8%	18.1%
2015	-2.7%	-1.2%	-0.1%	1.5%	2.2%	0.4%	0.4%	-3.7%	-2.7%	1.3%	-0.7%	-4.2%	-9.4%
2014	1.2%	1.0%	1.0%	0.7%	0.7%	0.9%	0.7%	0.1%	-1.3%	-5.5%	-0.3%	-11.2%	-12.4%
2013	1.5% ³	0.6%	1.0%	1.0%	1.6%	0.2%	1.1%	1.0%	1.2%	0.1%	1.4%	0.9%	12.1%
2012	2.7% ²	1.7%	1.1%	1.0%	0.2%	1.0%	0.8%	1.2%	0.7%	-1.0%	1.5%	1.6%	13.0%
2011	1.9%	2.3%	2.0%	1.4%	-1.7%	-2.4%	1.0%	-2.3%	-2.6%	1.4%	0.0%	0.6%	1.5%
2010	6.2% ¹	0.8%	2.0%	3.8%	-3.4%	1.3%	1.4%	2.2%	2.8%	1.5%	1.1%	-1.0%	19.9%

Annualised returns (net of fees)	
1-year	10.5%
3-years	8.9%
5-years	6.6%
Since inception of fund	6.2%

- 1) From 1 Jan 2010, base currency EUR (hedged).
 - 2) From 1 Jan 2012, base currency NOK (hedged).
 - 3) From 1 Jan 2013, base currency NOK (hedged), based on institutional IC NOK share class (LU0840158496).
- Past performance is no guarantee for future performance.

COMMENT BY PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

Dear investor,

Storm Bond Fund posted a positive return of 1.0% in March and is up 2.6% YTD (institutional IC NOK share class: LU0840158496).

The positive market sentiment continued through March. Equities moved higher with the Nasdaq, S&P 500 and Stoxx 600 gaining +1.8%, +3.1% and +3.7%, respectively. Long term interest rates were range bound in the US and ~10bps lower in Europe. At the time of writing, markets expect less than 3 cuts from the FED and less than 4 cuts from the ECB this year. Credit spreads were mixed, with US HY decreasing ~15bps to ~300bps and EUR HY increasing ~10bps to ~350bps. On a total return basis, US HY returned +1.2% and EUR HY +0.4%. Both underperforming their IG counterparts.

The Nordic high yield market delivered solid returns in March and Storm Bond Fund generated +1.0%. The performance was largely driven by attractive coupon carry and some spread tightening across our portfolio. During the month, we saw a sharp increase in primary activity in the Nordics with NOK ~28bn in HY deals priced during the month, which corresponds to nearly 3x the average monthly volume in the past year. Of the 20 deals priced during March, we participated in four.

During the month, we took a position in Saxo Bank's Inaugural EUR 150m Tier 3 bond. The bond was priced at +275bps, which is attractive considering the bond's position in the cap stack and Saxo Bank's capital position. Shortly after issuance, Saxo Bank issuer rating was upgraded to A- from BBB. Further, we participated in Shearwater's USD 300m 5Y secured notes at 9.5%. The bond share 1st lien security in 23 seismic vessels. We deem the credit story attractive due to 1) strong cash flow generation, 2) well capitalized balance sheet and 3) strong market position in a consolidated seismic vessel market.

Furthermore, Fortaco increased its outstanding senior secured bond maturing in July 2027 from EUR 102.5m to EUR 127.5m. The price was set at 100.25%, and the bonds carry a coupon of Euribor + 700bps, resulting in a yield to maturity of 10.8%. The Finnish-based company holds a market-leading position within the global steel fabrication and cabin markets for heavy off-highway equipment. The company is backed by One Equity Partners, which has injected EUR ~75m of equity since the acquisition in 2022. Fortaco is well capitalized, with a net leverage of approximately 2.3x. Furthermore, the credit is supported by a highly flexible cost base, a significant portion of PPE being unencumbered, and a favorable net working capital position.

Moreover, Ocean Yield issued USD 75 million of perpetual bonds callable in March 2029 at SOFR + 535bps. The bonds' coupon steps up by 500bps after 5.5 years if not called. This marks our second Ocean Yield perpetual bond, and we find the significant step-up in credit spread compared to unsecured bonds, in exchange for limited subordination measured as a percentage of EV, to be attractive. Ocean Yield owns and leases out maritime assets to a diverse client base and was taken private by KKR in 2021 in a transaction valuing the equity at approximately USD 830m (with the estimated equity value today at around USD 1.2bn). Furthermore, the credit profile is supported by a USD 4.2bn EBITDA backlog with an average contract duration of approximately ~10 years.

During the month, we exited two positions. Firstly, we took profit in Boliden, as spreads have compressed from 250bps to 180bps since issuance. At that level we find better risk-reward elsewhere. Secondly, we have exited our position in Foxway. This decision reflects our view of the company's future potential, and we lack visibility that credit metrics will meaningfully improve going forward.

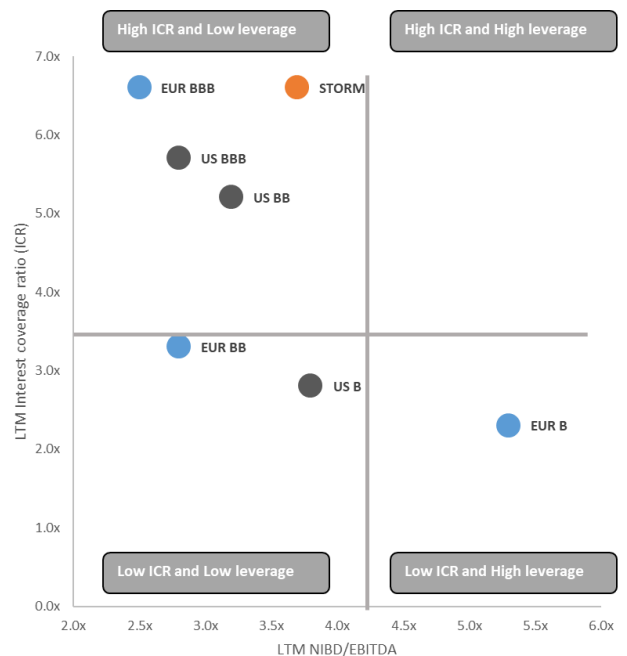
We continue as per usual with our focus on bottom-up fundamental credit analysis coupled with a prudent risk management approach targeting issuers with attractive implied valuations, sound balance sheets and solid interest coverage ratios. As a result, we have consistently high graded the portfolio, ensuring it's well diversified across industries with quality Nordic issuers that are resilient to shifts in inflation and interest rate expectations. The current yield in the portfolio stands at 7.9% in NOK (incl. 8% cash), and we consider the risk/reward to be attractive, given that the portfolio's weighted average credit metrics align with BB/BBB credits. This, along with maintaining a prudent cash position between 5-10%, enables us to navigate unforeseen volatility and seize attractive investment opportunities. Furthermore, Nordic HY currently offers a spread premium of 160-200 bps compared to European/US high yield.

CREDIT SPREAD DEVELOPMENT (LAST 2-YEARS)



Source: Bloomberg, as of 28/03/2024.
 Nordic HY (DNB's High Yield Index, Bloomberg ticker: DNBHYH Index).
 European HY (Bloomberg Pan-European High Yield Index, Bloomberg ticker: LP02OAS Index).
 US HY (Bloomberg US Corporate High Yield Index, Bloomberg ticker: LF98OAS Index).

LEVERAGE (LTM NIBD/EBITDA) VS. INTEREST COVERAGE RATIOS (ICR)

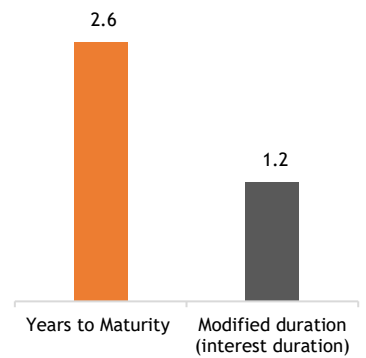
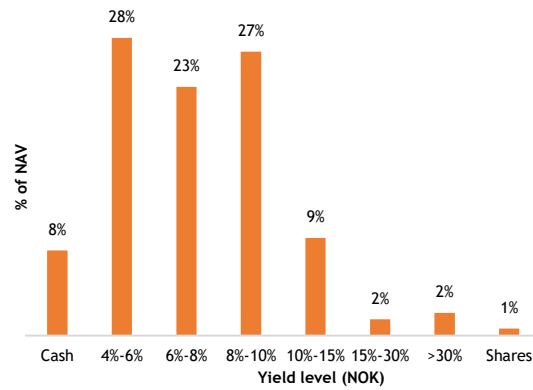
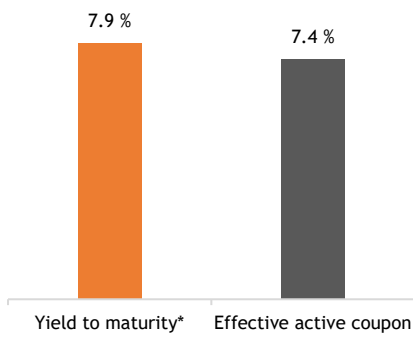


Source: Bloomberg, Storm Capital Management as of 30/09/2023.

YIELD & COUPON (NOK)

YIELD DISTRIBUTION (NOK)

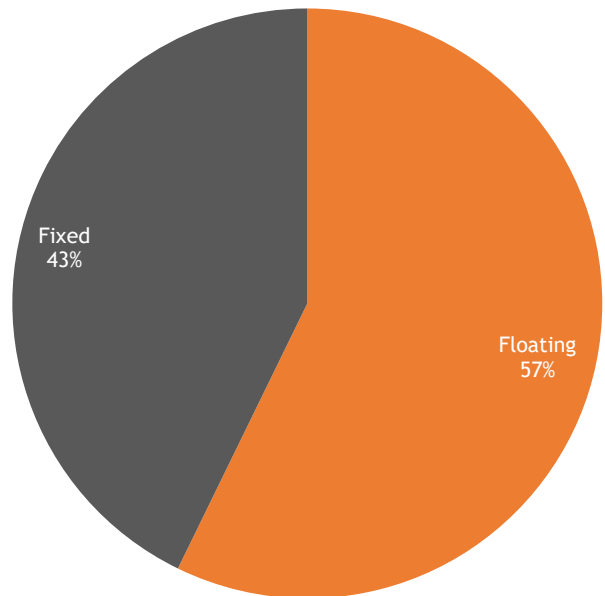
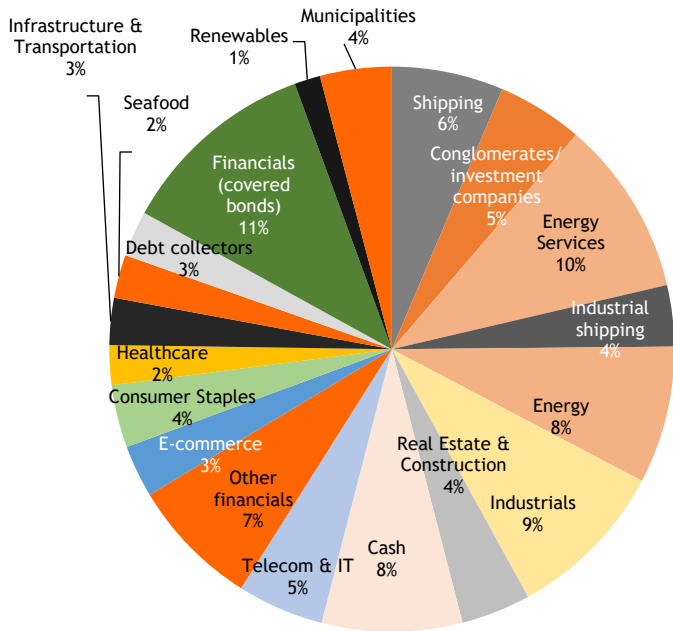
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* individual bond spreads capped at 30% in calculation.

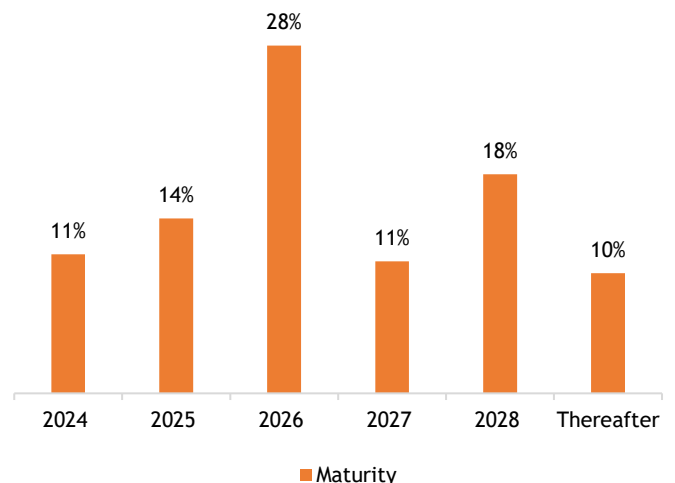
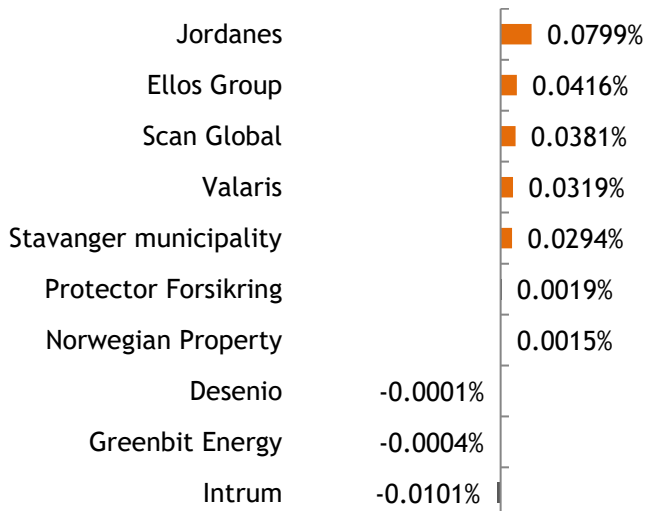
SECTOR ALLOCATION

FLOATING VS. FIXED RATES



CONTRIBUTION ANALYSIS (top 5 / bottom 5)

MATURITY PROFILE



TOTAL RETURN - STORM BOND FUND VS. US, EUROPEAN & ASIAN HIGH YIELD (LAST 5-YEARS)



Performance	Storm HY	European HY	US HY	Asian HY
YTD	2.6%	0.4%	1.1%	6.5%
3-months	2.6%	0.4%	1.1%	6.5%
6-months	5.1%	6.4%	7.6%	13.1%
1-year	10.5%	8.6%	7.9%	1.5%
3-year (ann.)	8.9%	1.8%	1.4%	-11.6%
5-years (ann.)	6.6%	2.8%	2.9%	-4.5%

Risk	Storm HY	European HY	US HY	Asian HY
1 yr - vol. (std dev.)	1.0%	4.4%	6.3%	5.4%
1 yr - sharpe	6.0x	0.9x	0.5x	n.m.
3 yr - vol. (std dev.)	1.6%	6.9%	7.8%	9.6%
3 yr - sharpe	3.9x	n.m.	n.m.	n.m.
5 yr - vol. (std dev.)	4.0%	9.4%	9.8%	9.7%
5 yr - sharpe	1.2x	0.1x	0.1x	n.m.

Source: Bloomberg as of 28/03/2024.
 Storm Bond Fund IC NOK (ISIN: LU0840158496).
 European HY ETF (hedged to NOK) (iShares European HY ETF, Bloomberg ticker: HIGEUR EU equity).
 US HY ETF (hedged to NOK) (iShares US HY ETF, Bloomberg ticker: IHYA LN equity).
 Asia HY ETF (hedged to NOK) (Blackrock Asian High Yield Bond Fund, Bloomberg ticker: BGAHA2U equity).
 Sharpe calculated as: (annualised return - average 3m interest rates) / vol. (std dev.).
 Past performance is no guarantee of future results.

PRICES FOR DIFFERENT SHARE CLASSES

SHARE CLASSES	ISIN	PRICE
ACCUMULATION SHARE CLASSES*		
Institutional NOK (ICN)	LU1382364716	175.11
Institutional NOK	LU0840158496	174.20
Institutional USD	LU0840159387	160.22
Institutional EUR	LU0840158900	138.95
Institutional SEK	LU0840159544	148.61
Institutional CHF	LU1076701652	126.95
Retail NOK (RCN)	LU1382364633	182.20
Retail NOK	LU0740578702	182.01
Retail SEK	LU0840159460	148.55
Retail GBP	LU0840159890	152.66
Retail EUR	LU0840158819	139.62

DISTRIBUTION SHARE CLASSES*		
Institutional NOK	LU1915698069	109.96

OTHER INFORMATION

Share classes	NOK, SEK, EUR, USD, GBP, CHF (all hedged)
Domicile	Luxembourg
Investment Manager	Storm Capital Management AS
Administrator	Hauck & Aufhäuser Fund Services S.A.
Custodian Bank	Hauck Aufhäuser Lampe Privatbank AG
Management Fee	Retail: 0.75% Institutional: 0.5%
Performance Fee	10% (high water mark)
Redemption Fee	0.25% (accrues to the fund)
Minimum Investment	Institutional (NOK 15m)
Liquidity	Daily
Auditor	KPMG
VPS-registered	For Norwegian clients
ESG classification (SFDR)	Article 8
AUM (NOKm)	8 001

* share classes in other currencies to be opened on demand from investors.

BOND PORTFOLIO - TOP 20

NAME	ISIN	PRICE	YIELD %	NAV %	SHORT DESCRIPTION
1 SGL (Skill Bidco) 23-28	N00012826033	105.0	10.0%	2.3%	Scan Global Logistics (Skill Bid Co) is a full-service global freight forwarding provider with over 3,300 employees globally formed in its current shape in 2016 with HQ in Denmark. SGL generates EUR ~200m of annual EBITDA through its loyal and diversified customer base, and its business model has proven to be more resilient than peers. The credit further benefits from 1) modest leverage, 2) low LTV, 3) high cash conversion and debt service capabilities and 4) strong equity sponsors coupled with aligned management interests.
2 Shearwater GeoServices AS 24-29	N00013182766	100.0	9.4%	2.3%	Shearwater is a global provider of marine geophysical services. The company owns and operates a fleet of 23 vessels making them the largest seismic operator in the world. We deem the credit story attractive due to 1) strong cash flow generation, 2) well capitalized balance sheet and 3) strong market position in a consolidated seismic vessel market.
3 NES Firecroft AS	N00012554692	105.8	9.0%	2.1%	Nes Firecroft is a global workforce provider specializing in engineering staffing and solution provider for highly technical industries. The credit case is supported by 1) robust balance sheet with leverage now at -2.5x, 2) modest LTV at ~50%, 3) robust cash flow generation and 4) the net working capital position adds a large cushion for bonds.
4 Tidewater Inc. 23-28	N00012952227	107.0	8.3%	2.1%	Tidewater is one of the largest providers of offshore supply vessels and marine support services globally with a market cap. of ~USD 4.3bn. The credit benefits from the company's strong market position paired with solid free cash flow visibility and low loan-to-value in an improving market.
5 International Petroleum Corp 22-27	N00012423476	97.9	8.0%	2.0%	International Petroleum Corporation (IPC) is an international energy company with a portfolio of production assets. The company is listed in Sweden with a market cap. of ~SEK 15bn. IPC is part of the Lundin Group of companies and the Lundin Family and management owns in excess of 30%. The bond is officially rated a B+ by S&P. The credit benefits from modest leverage levels, strong asset backing and free cash flow generation.
6 Bluewater Holding B.V. 22-26	N00012740234	99.2	12.5%	1.9%	Bluewater is a fully integrated FPSO provider and developer of SPM systems with operations dating back to the early 80s. Today, the company owns 5x FPSO, of which 3x are currently operating on firm contracts. The credit benefits from having strong cash flow visibility, solid operational track-record and a well structured bond agreement which limits residual value risk for bondholders.
7 Norske Skog ASA FRN 21-26	N00010936065	102.4	8.9%	1.9%	Norske Skog is one of the leading global producers of newsprint and magazine paper. The group has about 8% market share for newsprint and ~3-5% for magazine paper. The Company is listed on the Oslo Stock Exchange with a market cap. of ~NOK 3.5bn. Norske Skog has one EUR 150m senior secured bond outstanding maturing in 2026 which is carrying a coupon of EURIBOR + 550bps. The credit benefits from having low leverage and solid cash conversion.
8 GN Store Nord AS 21-24	XS2412258522	96.9	7.1%	1.8%	GN is a leading global player in the hearing aid and audio industry. The company was founded in 1869 and has a market cap of DKK ~25n (USD ~2.6bn). After a period with soft financial performance GN initiated a new financing plan to push DKK ~7bn of debt maturities from 2023 to 2026. GN has since the initiation of the capital plan raised DKK 2.75bn in rights issue, received commitment from its banks to upsize loan facilities by DKK 3.4bn and improved free cash flow. We see NIBD/EBITDA approaching 3x by end-24e (company targets 2x), which together with delivering on its capital plan and having a substantial and proven adaptable capital structure that 2024 maturity risk is exceedingly low. Furthermore, GN's largest competitor William Demant has flagged more than 10% holding which has increased likelihood of takeover.
9 Odfjell Drilling 23-28	N00012921172	105.0	7.7%	1.8%	Odfjell Drilling is a leading provider of energy services in the North Sea and is listed on Oslo Stock Exchange with a mcap of ~NOK 10.2bn. The credit benefit from a strong collateral package comprised of two high spec rigs under long term contracts with Equinor. Further, the current EBITDA backlog of the collateral rigs covers the bond by more than 100%, resulting in strong cash flow visibility and debt service capabilities. We estimate 60% LTV at issuance, which will decline towards 35% at maturity through scheduled amortization. This combined with a strong ownership base, long track-record, ESG focus and strong outlook, is deemed to make the credit story attractive.
10 Ellos Group AB 19-24	SE0012827996	84.4	30.7%	1.6%	Ellos Group is a Swedish e-commerce company. The bond structure is ring-fenced with no leakage. The credit story is deemed to be attractive due to the company's solid market position, strong cash generation, sound LTV levels and tight bond structure.
11 B2 Holding ASA FRN 22-26	N00012704107	105.9	9.0%	1.6%	B2 is a leading Nordic debt collector with a market cap. of ~NOK 3.0bn. The credit case is backed by i) strong balance sheet with 2.4x leverage and a robust liquidity position exceeding NOK 3bn, ii) significant debt service capacity with ICR at ~7x and iii) Nordic exposure and industry leading cash EBITDA margins of ~70%.
12 DNB Bank ASA 19-24	XS2075280995	99.1	6.1%	1.6%	DNB is Norway's largest bank with a market capitalization of NOK ~322bn and a CET1 ratio per end-Q1/23 of 18.76%. The AT1 bonds are subordinated with call date on November 11th, 2024. We see limited call risk on the back of the strong balance sheet, robust underlying profitability, and a well-diversified lending book.
13 Norwegian Energy Co. ASA 19-26	N00010870900	108.7	4.6%	1.6%	BlueNord (formerly named: Norwegian Energy Company) is a listed company with a market cap NOK ~14.3bn. The company operates producing oil and gas assets in the North Sea. The company is well capitalized with strong cash flow and has high gas exposure.
14 Torm 24-29	N00013132134	102.8	7.3%	1.5%	Torm was founded in 1889 and is among the largest product tanker companies globally with a fleet of ~90 vessels. The company is dual listed on NYSE and Copenhagen Stock Exchange with a market cap of approx. USD 3.0bn. The credit is supported by strong asset backing, attractive market fundamentals and a solid market capitalization.
15 Scatec ASA 24-28	N00013144964	101.0	8.7%	1.5%	Scatec is a leading renewable energy company with a market cap of NOK ~10.7bn. The company develops, owning and operating renewable energy plants with 4.2 GW in operation and under construction across four continents. Equinor owns ~16% of the company and increased its stake during Q1 2023.
16 EnQuest PLC 22-27	USG315APAG37	99.1	11.7%	1.4%	EnQuest is an energy company listed in the UK with a market cap ~ USD 328m. The company focus on production from mature fields in the North Sea. The credit benefit from low leverage and strong debt service, high FCF and de-leveraging capabilities. Further, EnQuest's carry-forward losses reduces the impact of windfall tax, and the company has a high degree of cost flexibility due that it operates ~80% of its barrels.
17 Jordanes Investments AS 22-26 FRN	N00012433301	94.5	13.8%	1.4%	Jordanes Investments is a consumer focused investment firm with exposure to robust and resilient non-discretionary consumer products. The company has a diversified portfolio of well-recognised consumer brands and restaurants in the Scandinavian market. The credit benefits from a strong and proven management team, resilient cash flow and strong cash conversion.
18 Fiven ASA 23-26	SE0021148764	103.3	10.0%	1.4%	Fiven is a global leader-within production of silicon carbide grains and powders (performance materials). We deem the credit story to be attractive due to 1) low leverage of 2.2x, 2) modest LTV of ~45%, 3) high margins and cash conversion and 4) strong market position with good operational track-record.
19 Fortaco Oyj 22-27	N00012547274	100.8	11.5%	1.3%	Fortaco is a finished-based company with a market-leading position within the global steel fabrication and cabin markets for heavy off-highway equipment. The credit is supported by a highly flexible cost base, a significant portion of PPE being unencumbered, and a favorable net working capital position.
20 Chip Bidco (Cegal) AS 24-27	N00013150276	101.9	9.0%	1.3%	Cegal is the leading provider of cloud services to the oil & gas sector. The credit benefits from having strong backlog protection, low churn and solid cash conversion. The bond is secured and implied valuation offers bondholders with substantial asset backing.
Sum				34.6 %	

Total number of issuers: 68.

TEAM

PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT



MORTEN E. ASTRUP

Chief Investment Officer & Founding Partner

- Founded Storm in 2006 and has over 25 years of financial and asset management experience including several board positions
- Morten is responsible for:
 - Portfolio management
 - Restructuring processes
- He holds a Master in Business and Economics from the Norwegian School of Management/City University London and is authorised and regulated by the FCA



MORTEN VENOLD

Portfolio Manager & Partner

- Joined Storm in 2015 and has over 15 years of experience from asset management and credit research
- Before Storm he worked as a credit research analyst, covering the Nordic high yield market at Arctic Securities in Oslo and before that he worked at ABG Sundal Collier and DNB in London
- Morten is responsible for:
 - Portfolio management
 - Research and daily monitoring of investment universe
- He holds a BSc in Business & Economics from the Norwegian School of Management and a MSc in Finance from Cass Business School in London



GUSTAF AMLE

Portfolio Manager

- Joined Storm in 2022 and has 7 years of experience from investment banking and credit research
- Previous experience as a partner and credit research analyst at Fearnley Securities
- Gustaf is responsible for:
 - Portfolio management
 - Research and daily monitoring of investment universe
- Gustaf holds a BSc in Business and Economics from Lancaster University and a MSc in Economics from Imperial College London

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT / SALES



MARCUS S. MOHR

Business Development & Partner

- Joined Storm in 2012 and has over 14 years of experience from investment banking and business development. Before Storm, he worked in the investment banking division at Citigroup in London
- Marcus is responsible for:
 - Business development/sales
 - Investor relations
- Marcus holds a Master in Finance and Economics from the University of Strathclyde (Scotland) with distinction

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TORE ANDERSEN

CEO & Partner

- Joined Storm in 2012 and has over 25 years of experience in financial advisory and sales. Before Storm, he founded Axir ASA (1995), which was sold in 2010
- Tore is responsible for:
 - Sales and marketing activity
 - Investor relations
- Tore holds a bachelor in Business and Economics from the Norwegian School of Management and is authorized as a financial advisor, AFR and is also authorized through Norwegian Securities Dealers Association

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COMPLIANCE / OPERATIONS



DAGFINN SUNDAL

Compliance / CFO / Risk Management

- 10 years of auditing, compliance and controlling experience
- Previous experience from Schibsted and Ernst & Young
- Dagfinn is responsible for:
 - Compliance
 - Administration
 - Risk management
- Dagfinn holds a MSc in Business and Economics, and a MSc in Professional Accountancy from the Norwegian Business School (BI)



BERIT M. ISHAUG

Accounting / Back-office

- 25+ years of accounting and admin experience
- Previous experience from Arctic Securities
- Berit is responsible for:
 - Accounting
 - Back office
- Berit holds a BSc in Business and Economics from the Norwegian Business School (BI)

INDUSTRY AWARDS



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