

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

Form N-Q

March 23, 2017

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM N-Q**

**QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED**

**MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY**

Investment Company Act file number: 811-21972

Name of Fund: BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

Fund Address: 100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington, DE 19809

Name and address of agent for service: John M. Perlowski, Chief Executive Officer, BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust, 55 East 52<sup>nd</sup> Street, New York, NY 10055

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (800) 882-0052, Option 4

Date of fiscal year end: 10/31/2017

Date of reporting period: 01/31/2017

Item 1 Schedule of Investments

## Schedule of Investments January 31, 2017 (Unaudited)

## BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

(Percentages shown are based on Net Assets)

Common Stocks	0.0%	Shares	Value
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 0.0%</b>			
Ovation Acquisition I LLC, (Acquired 12/28/15, cost \$45,445) (a)		2,951	\$ 2,951
<b>Asset-Backed Securities</b>			
<b>Asset-Backed Securities 4.4%</b>			
		<b>Par</b>	<b>(000)</b>
ACAS CLO Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class C, 3.92%, 7/18/26 (b)(c)	USD	750	751,265
ALM Loan Funding, Series 2012-5A, Class BR, 4.02%, 10/18/27 (b)(c)		1,000	1,002,126
ALM XII Ltd., Series 2015-12A, Class B, 4.27%, 4/16/27 (b)(c)		1,000	1,002,441
ALM XIV Ltd., Series 2014-14A, Class C, 4.34%, 7/28/26 (b)(c)		4,500	4,440,240
ALM XVII Ltd., Series 2015-17A, Class B1, 4.43%, 1/15/28 (b)(c)		1,400	1,406,583
AMMC CLO Ltd., Series 2015-17A, Class C, 4.15%, 11/15/27 (b)(c)		1,000	1,002,519
Anchorage Capital CLO 3, Ltd., Series 2014-3A, Class C, 4.54%, 4/28/26 (b)(c)		1,000	985,812
Apidos CDO, Series 2012-9AR, Class CR, 3.78%, 7/15/23 (b)(c)		1,000	1,001,035
Apidos CLO XVIII, Series 2014-18A, Class C, 4.69%, 7/22/26 (b)(c)		1,300	1,294,473
Ares CLO Ltd., Series 2012-2A, Class CR, 3.72%, 10/12/23 (b)(c)		1,000	1,001,201
Atlas Senior Loan Fund II, Ltd., Series 2012-2A, Class DR, 4.79%, 1/30/24 (b)(c)		750	749,343
Atlas Senior Loan Fund Ltd. (b)(c)			
Series 2014-6A, Class D, 4.72%, 10/15/26		3,000	2,991,608
Series 2012-1A, Class B1LR, 4.81%, 8/15/24		2,000	1,998,784
Atrium CDO Corp., Series 9A, Class D, 4.44%, 2/28/24 (b)(c)		1,000	995,600
Benefit Street Partners CLO VI Ltd., Series 2015-VIA, Class B, 4.07%, 4/18/27 (b)(c)		1,000	1,000,003
Bowman Park CLO Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class D2, 4.87%, 11/23/25 (b)(c)		1,000	989,949
Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO Ltd. (b)(c):			
Series 2012-2A, Class C1R, 3.93%, 7/20/23		1,000	1,000,976
		<b>Par</b>	
		<b>(000)</b>	<b>Value</b>
<b>Asset-Backed Securities (continued)</b>			
Carlyle Global Market Strategies CLO Ltd. (b)(c) (continued):			
Series 2013-3A, Class C, 4.42%, 7/15/25	USD	1,000	\$ 991,027
Series 2014-5A, Class C, 5.17%, 10/16/25		1,000	994,197
Series 2015-1A, Class C, 4.18%, 4/20/27		500	500,625
Series 2016-1A, Class C, 5.93%, 4/20/27		1,000	1,007,694
Series 2016-3A, Class C, 4.79%, 10/20/29		1,000	980,993
CIFC Funding Ltd., Series 2014-3A, Class C1, 3.84%, 7/22/26 (b)(c)		1,500	1,504,321
Dryden 34 Senior Loan Fund, Series 2014-34A, Class C, 3.82%, 10/15/26 (b)(c)		250	250,740
GoldenTree Loan Opportunities IX Ltd., Series 2014-9A, Class D, 4.54%, 10/29/26 (c)		1,000	982,298
Highbridge Loan Management Ltd. (b)(c):			
Series 4A-2014, Class B, 4.04%, 7/28/25		750	750,841
Series 6A-2015, Class C, 3.95%, 5/05/27		1,500	1,500,042
Series 8A-2016, Class D, 5.88%, 4/20/27		500	500,163
ING IM CLO Ltd., Series 2013-2A, Class C, 4.54%, 4/25/25 (b)(c)		1,000	987,635
LCM XVIII LP, Series 18A, Class C1, 4.18%, 4/20/27 (b)(c)		1,000	1,001,340
Limerock CLO III LLC, Series 2014-3A, Class C, 4.63%, 10/20/26 (b)(c)		1,000	985,993
Madison Park Funding IX Ltd., Series 2012-9AR, Class C1R, 3.76%, 8/15/22 (b)(c)		2,000	2,001,577
Madison Park Funding XIII Ltd., Series 2014-13A, Class C, 3.77%, 1/19/25 (b)(c)		1,000	1,002,830
Madison Park Funding XIV, Ltd., Series 2014-14A, Class C1, 4.13%, 7/20/26 (b)(c)		1,250	1,253,256
Madison Park Funding XV Ltd., Series 2014-15A, Class B1, 4.29%, 1/27/26 (b)(c)		2,400	2,406,591
Mill Creek II CLO, Ltd., Series 2016-1A, Class D, 5.88%, 4/20/28 (b)(c)		1,000	1,008,374

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par		
	(000)	Value	
<b>Asset-Backed Securities</b>			
<b>Asset-Backed Securities (continued)</b>			
Oak Hill Credit Partners XII Ltd., Series 2015-12A, Class C2, 4.29%, 1/23/27 (b)(c)	USD 1,600	\$ 1,605,600	
Octagon Investment Partners 26 Ltd., Series 2016-1A, Class D, 5.97%, 4/15/27 (b)(c)	500	507,468	
Octagon Investment Partners XX Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class C, 3.70%, 8/12/26 (b)(c)	750	752,137	
Octagon Loan Funding Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class D, 4.56%, 11/18/26 (b)(c)	1,500	1,494,360	
OZLM XI Ltd., Series 2015-11A, Class B, 4.04%, 1/30/27 (b)(c)	2,750	2,747,200	
Regatta IV Funding Ltd., Series 2014-1A, Class C, 3.99%, 7/25/26 (b)(c)	1,500	1,502,450	
Regatta V Funding Ltd., Series 2014-1A (b)(c): Class B, 4.04%, 10/25/26	1,000	1,001,591	
Class C, 4.49%, 10/25/26	1,000	978,103	
SLM Private Credit Student Loan Trust, Series 2004-B, Class A2, 1.16%, 6/15/21 (b)	240	239,882	
Symphony CLO Ltd., Series 2016-17A, Class D, 5.82%, 4/15/28 (b)(c)	1,000	1,007,356	
Symphony CLO XV Ltd., Series 2014-15A (b)(c): Class C, 4.22%, 10/17/26	2,500	2,502,979	
Class D, 4.77%, 10/17/26	1,000	994,328	
Venture XIII CLO Ltd., Series 2013-13A, Class D, 4.50%, 6/10/25 (b)(c)	800	796,519	
Vibrant CLO II, Ltd., Series 2013-2A, Class C, 4.64%, 7/24/24 (b)(c)	1,000	996,124	
Voya CLO Ltd., Series 2014-4A, Class C, 5.02%, 10/14/26 (b)(c)	1,000	1,001,721	
Webster Park CLO Ltd., Series 2015-1A, Class B1, 4.13%, 1/20/27 (b)(c)	4,000	4,006,964	
<b>Total Asset-Backed Securities 4.4%</b>		<b>68,350,921</b>	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Aerospace &amp; Defense 0.6%</b>			
Huntington Ingalls Industries, Inc., 5.00%, 12/15/21 (c)	536	559,450	
KLX, Inc., 5.88%, 12/01/22 (c)	725	759,437	
	<b>Par</b>		
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Aerospace &amp; Defense (continued)</b>			
Mexico City Airport Trust, 4.25%, 10/31/26 (c)	USD 1,350	\$ 1,320,705	
TransDigm, Inc.: 6.00%, 7/15/22	4,360	4,392,700	
6.50%, 7/15/24	1,560	1,561,950	
		8,594,242	
<b>Air Freight &amp; Logistics 0.1%</b>			
XPO Logistics, Inc. (c): 6.50%, 6/15/22	1,421	1,481,393	
6.13%, 9/01/23	496	512,120	
		1,993,513	
<b>Airlines 0.9%</b>			
American Airlines Group, Inc., 4.63%, 3/01/20 (c)	692	698,090	
Continental Airlines Pass-Through Trust: Series 2009-2, Class B, 9.25%, 11/10/18	1,278	1,302,612	
Series 2012-3, Class C, 6.13%, 4/29/18	2,040	2,124,660	
Delta Air Lines Pass-Through Trust, Series 2002-1, Class G-1, 6.72%, 7/02/24	2,885	3,274,528	
Turkish Airlines Pass-Through Trust, Series 2015-1 Class A, 4.20%, 9/15/28 (c)	2,807	2,747,219	
United Airlines Pass-Through Trust, Series 2014-1, Class B, 4.75%, 10/11/23	3,616	3,678,875	
Virgin Australia Trust, Series 2013-1, Class B, 6.00%, 4/23/22 (c)	916	929,746	
		14,755,730	
<b>Auto Components 0.5%</b>			
Allison Transmission, Inc., 5.00%, 10/01/24 (c)	734	739,505	
Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., 5.00%, 5/31/26	535	539,013	
Icahn Enterprises LP/Icahn Enterprises Finance Corp.: 4.88%, 3/15/19	3,950	3,994,437	

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

6.00%, 8/01/20

3,108

3,184,146

8,457,101

2

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

## BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par	
		(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Automobiles 0.5%</b>			
Ford Motor Co., 7.45%, 7/16/31	USD	3,660	\$ 4,582,170
General Motors Co.:			
4.88%, 10/02/23		1,875	1,987,635
6.25%, 10/02/43		940	1,042,471
			7,612,276
<b>Banks 4.3%</b>			
CIT Group, Inc.:			
4.25%, 8/15/17		4,600	4,646,000
5.25%, 3/15/18		4,030	4,165,005
5.50%, 2/15/19 (c)		3,967	4,173,601
5.00%, 8/01/23		660	688,050
City National Corp., 5.25%, 9/15/20 (d)		2,900	3,181,576
Cooperatieve Rabobank UA, 3.95%, 11/09/22 (d)		3,775	3,862,603
Credit Suisse Group AG, 6.50%, 8/08/23 (c)		6,000	6,429,228
Discover Bank/Greenwood, 8.70%, 11/18/19		748	847,622
Fifth Third Bancorp, 5.10% (b)(e)		5,000	4,777,500
HSBC Finance Corp., 6.68%, 1/15/21 (d)		5,150	5,797,839
Intesa Sanpaolo SpA, 5.71%, 1/15/26 (c)		5,840	5,535,859
Lloyds Banking Group PLC, 4.65%, 3/24/26		1,076	1,088,124
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, 6.00%, 12/19/23		10,080	10,599,160
Wells Fargo & Co.:			
3.45%, 2/13/23		2,325	2,347,692
4.13%, 8/15/23 (d)		4,000	4,170,016
5.61%, 1/15/44 (d)		4,119	4,706,600
			67,016,475
<b>Beverages 0.5%</b>			
Anheuser-Busch InBev Finance, Inc., 4.90%, 2/01/46 (d)		6,170	6,602,548
Molson Coors Brewing Co., 4.20%, 7/15/46		1,665	1,545,185
			8,147,733
<b>Biotechnology 0.4%</b>			
Amgen, Inc., 4.66%, 6/15/51 (d)		6,709	6,521,215
<b>Building Products 0.3%</b>			
American Builders & Contractors Supply Co., Inc., 5.75%, 12/15/23 (c)		424	440,960
Builders FirstSource, Inc., 5.63%, 9/01/24 (c)		586	602,115
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Building Products (continued)</b>			
Building Materials Corp. of America, 6.00%, 10/15/25 (c)	USD	1,832	\$ 1,932,760
Masonite International Corp., 5.63%, 3/15/23 (c)		610	631,350
Standard Industries, Inc., 5.13%, 2/15/21 (c)		420	438,900
			4,046,085
<b>Capital Markets 3.9%</b>			
E*Trade Financial Corp., 5.38%, 11/15/22		1,348	1,429,197
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.:			
6.25%, 9/01/17		625	641,937
7.50%, 2/15/19 (d)		5,165	5,711,323
5.25%, 7/27/21		1,175	1,288,540
5.75%, 1/24/22		5,500	6,174,498
6.25%, 2/01/41 (d)		15,000	18,701,220
Morgan Stanley (d):			
5.63%, 9/23/19		6,770	7,333,846
5.50%, 7/28/21		2,695	2,987,017
State Street Corp., 1.96%, 6/01/77 (b)		17,845	15,721,445

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

		59,989,023
<b>Chemicals 1.1%</b>		
Axalta Coating Systems LLC, 4.88%, 8/15/24 (c)	715	723,938
Basell Finance Co. BV, 8.10%, 3/15/27 (c)(d)	6,000	7,890,312
CF Industries, Inc., 5.38%, 3/15/44	3,625	3,171,875
Huntsman International LLC:		
4.88%, 11/15/20	72	74,340
5.13%, 11/15/22	2,495	2,577,659
NOVA Chemicals Corp., 5.25%, 8/01/23 (c)	772	799,020
Platform Specialty Products Corp. (c):		
10.38%, 5/01/21	165	183,150
6.50%, 2/01/22	1,372	1,399,440
PQ Corp., 6.75%, 11/15/22 (c)	935	1,012,137
		17,831,871
<b>Commercial Services &amp; Supplies 3.2%</b>		
AerCap Global Aviation Trust, 6.50%, 6/15/45 (b)(c)	5,000	5,150,000
Aviation Capital Group Corp. (c):		
7.13%, 10/15/20	31,000	35,650,000
6.75%, 4/06/21	7,850	9,017,687

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

3

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par		
	(000)	Value	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Commercial Services &amp; Supplies (continued)</b>			
United Rentals North America, Inc., 7.63%, 4/15/22	USD 664	\$ 695,540	
			50,513,227
<b>Communications Equipment 0.4%</b>			
CommScope Technologies Finance LLC, 6.00%, 6/15/25 (c)	2,242	2,389,143	
CommScope, Inc., 5.50%, 6/15/24 (c)	254	261,938	
Zayo Group LLC/Zayo Capital, Inc.:			
6.38%, 5/15/25	2,126	2,249,584	
5.75%, 1/15/27 (c)	593	607,113	
			5,507,778
<b>Construction &amp; Engineering 0.1%</b>			
AECOM Co., 5.75%, 10/15/22	333	350,899	
BlueLine Rental Finance Corp., 7.00%, 2/01/19 (c)	413	407,837	
Weekley Homes LLC/Weekley Finance Corp., 6.00%, 2/01/23	825	783,750	
			1,542,486
<b>Construction Materials 0.5%</b>			
Allegion US Holding Co., Inc., 5.75%, 10/01/21	1,907	1,988,047	
HD Supply, Inc. (c):			
5.25%, 12/15/21	3,278	3,454,192	
5.75%, 4/15/24	1,701	1,790,303	
PulteGroup, Inc., 5.50%, 3/01/26	926	946,835	
			8,179,377
<b>Consumer Finance 1.2%</b>			
Ally Financial, Inc.:			
5.13%, 9/30/24	590	606,048	
4.63%, 3/30/25	136	134,300	
8.00%, 11/01/31	5,795	6,881,562	
Capital One Bank USA NA, 3.38%, 2/15/23 (d)	2,000	2,000,386	
Discover Financial Services, 3.85%, 11/21/22	3,252	3,319,687	
Experian Finance PLC, 2.38%, 6/15/17 (c)(d)	2,550	2,557,344	
Navient Corp.:			
6.63%, 7/26/21	461	469,068	
7.25%, 9/25/23	996	1,003,470	
Total System Services, Inc., 3.80%, 4/01/21	1,630	1,681,585	
			18,653,450
	<b>Par</b>		
	<b>(000)</b>	<b>Value</b>	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Containers &amp; Packaging 0.4%</b>			
Ardagh Packaging Finance PLC/Ardagh MP Holdings USA, Inc., 6.25%, 1/31/19 (c)	USD 400	\$ 407,400	
Ball Corp., 4.38%, 12/15/20	681	715,476	
Reynolds Group Issuer, Inc.:			
5.75%, 10/15/20	2,866	2,950,776	
6.88%, 2/15/21	68	69,777	
7.00%, 7/15/24 (c)	1,247	1,328,678	
Sealed Air Corp., 6.88%, 7/15/33 (c)	182	191,100	
			5,663,207
<b>Diversified Consumer Services 0.4%</b>			
Prime Security Services Borrower LLC/Prime Finance, Inc., 9.25%, 5/15/23 (c)	1,295	1,403,456	
Service Corp. International, 4.50%, 11/15/20	4,382	4,480,595	



Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

		5,884,051
<b>Diversified Financial Services 7.9%</b>		
<b>AerCap Ireland Capital Ltd./AerCap Global Aviation Trust:</b>		
4.63%, 10/30/20	961	1,009,396
4.63%, 7/01/22	518	543,335
Air Lease Corp., 3.75%, 2/01/22	5,000	5,132,285
Aircastle Ltd., 6.25%, 12/01/19	3,937	4,271,645
<b>Bank of America Corp.:</b>		
5.00%, 5/13/21 (d)	17,100	18,549,362
5.70%, 1/24/22	2,590	2,904,082
4.45%, 3/03/26	1,765	1,801,308
Bank of America NA, 5.30%, 3/15/17 (d)	13,440	13,504,243
BNP Paribas SA, 6.75% (b)(c)(e)	5,000	4,975,000
Citigroup, Inc., 6.68%, 9/13/43 (d)	4,125	5,245,515
Credit Suisse Group Funding Guernsey Ltd., 4.55%, 4/17/26 (d)	5,000	5,137,440
Ford Motor Credit Co. LLC, 5.88%, 8/02/21	9,420	10,478,544
<b>General Motors Financial Co., Inc.:</b>		
6.75%, 6/01/18	1,700	1,802,819
4.38%, 9/25/21	2,260	2,359,989
4.25%, 5/15/23	1,681	1,722,522
ING Bank NV, 5.00%, 6/09/21 (c)(d)	8,000	8,733,520
Jefferies Finance LLC/JFIN Co-Issuer Corp., 7.38%, 4/01/20 (c)	1,705	1,722,050
Leucadia National Corp., 5.50%, 10/18/23	4,000	4,254,100
Moody s Corp., 6.06%, 9/07/17	20,000	20,221,040

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par	
		(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Diversified Financial Services (continued)</b>			
Resparcs Funding LP I, 8.00% (e)(f)(g)	USD	4,000	\$ 860,000
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC:			
6.10%, 6/10/23		2,500	2,643,023
5.13%, 5/28/24		5,250	5,234,644
			123,105,862
<b>Diversified Telecommunication Services 6.0%</b>			
AT&T, Inc.:			
5.00%, 3/01/21 (d)		8,575	9,240,326
6.30%, 1/15/38 (d)		12,000	13,596,492
4.30%, 12/15/42		265	233,465
4.35%, 6/15/45		367	315,053
CenturyLink, Inc.:			
6.45%, 6/15/21		1,660	1,763,750
Series Y, 7.50%, 4/01/24		150	158,813
Frontier Communications Corp.:			
6.25%, 9/15/21		980	916,300
7.13%, 1/15/23		55	49,225
7.63%, 4/15/24		1,309	1,155,193
6.88%, 1/15/25		3,964	3,324,805
Level 3 Financing, Inc.:			
5.38%, 8/15/22		2,095	2,163,087
5.13%, 5/01/23		1,183	1,191,872
5.38%, 1/15/24		754	762,483
5.38%, 5/01/25		2,003	2,044,322
SBA Communications Corp., 4.88%, 9/01/24 (c)		1,658	1,618,374
Telefonica Emisiones SAU, 3.19%, 4/27/18		6,550	6,643,979
Verizon Communications, Inc. (d):			
5.15%, 9/15/23		8,775	9,690,250
6.40%, 9/15/33		9,475	11,488,437
7.35%, 4/01/39		7,825	10,182,046
6.55%, 9/15/43		13,225	16,311,477
			92,849,749
<b>Electric Utilities 4.7%</b>			
CMS Energy Corp., 5.05%, 3/15/22		9,900	10,845,628
Duke Energy Corp., 3.55%, 9/15/21 (d)		3,650	3,788,737
Emera, Inc., Series 16-A, 6.75%, 6/15/76 (b)		7,500	8,175,000
Great Plains Energy, Inc., 5.29%, 6/15/22 (h)		5,550	6,025,929
Midland Cogeneration Venture LP, 5.25%, 3/15/25 (c)		4,102	4,245,656
NiSource Finance Corp., 6.80%, 1/15/19 (d)		3,075	3,352,651
		Par	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Electric Utilities (continued)</b>			
Oncor Electric Delivery Co. LLC (d):			
4.10%, 6/01/22	USD	4,150	\$ 4,426,755
5.30%, 6/01/42		2,750	3,251,529
Progress Energy, Inc., 7.00%, 10/30/31 (d)		12,000	15,852,900
Puget Energy, Inc.:			
6.00%, 9/01/21		275	307,898
5.63%, 7/15/22		5,550	6,139,343
Southern Co., 4.40%, 7/01/46		7,500	7,421,572
			73,833,598
<b>Electronic Equipment, Instruments &amp; Components 0.5%</b>			
CDW LLC/CDW Finance Corp.:			
6.00%, 8/15/22		1,050	1,107,750

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

5.00%, 9/01/23	306	312,120
5.50%, 12/01/24	2,458	2,559,392
Jabil Circuit, Inc., 8.25%, 3/15/18	2,600	2,770,976
Sanmina Corp., 4.38%, 6/01/19 (c)	1,415	1,457,450
		8,207,688
<b>Energy Equipment &amp; Services 0.7%</b>		
Genesis Energy LP/Genesis Energy Finance Corp.:		
5.75%, 2/15/21	473	485,416
6.75%, 8/01/22	1,175	1,242,563
GrafTech International Ltd., 6.38%, 11/15/20	890	732,025
Halliburton Co., 5.00%, 11/15/45	6,615	7,082,892
Noble Holding International Ltd., 4.63%, 3/01/21	34	32,470
Transocean, Inc., 6.00%, 3/15/18 (d)	880	898,700
		10,474,066
<b>Food &amp; Staples Retailing 1.7%</b>		
Albertsons Cos. LLC/Safeway, Inc./New Albertson s, Inc./Albertson s LLC (c):		
6.63%, 6/15/24	775	807,705
5.75%, 3/15/25	1,120	1,113,000
CVS Health Corp.:		
4.75%, 12/01/22	289	314,046
5.00%, 12/01/24	183	199,120
5.13%, 7/20/45 (d)	3,879	4,266,244
Dollar Tree, Inc.:		
5.25%, 3/01/20	105	107,888
5.75%, 3/01/23	3,938	4,170,342
H.J. Heinz Finance Co., 7.13%, 8/01/39 (c)	4,415	5,732,485

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

5

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

## BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par	
		(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Food &amp; Staples Retailing (continued)</b>			
Pinnacle Foods Finance LLC/Pinnacle Foods Finance Corp., 5.88%, 1/15/24	USD	191	\$ 201,946
Rite Aid Corp.:			
6.75%, 6/15/21		541	562,640
6.13%, 4/01/23 (c)		2,974	3,096,678
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., 5.25%, 9/01/35 (d)		5,150	6,054,628
			26,626,722
<b>Food Products 1.2%</b>			
Aramark Services, Inc., 5.13%, 1/15/24 (c)		815	846,915
FAGE International SA/FAGE USA Dairy Industry, Inc., 5.63%, 8/15/26 (c)		830	840,889
Kraft Foods, Inc.:			
6.50%, 8/11/17 (d)		4,450	4,564,868
6.13%, 8/23/18		4,840	5,164,711
Kraft Heinz Foods Co., 4.38%, 6/01/46		2,475	2,313,833
Post Holdings, Inc. (c):			
7.75%, 3/15/24		1,502	1,662,534
8.00%, 7/15/25		743	835,875
5.00%, 8/15/26		1,349	1,304,308
Smithfield Foods, Inc., 5.88%, 8/01/21 (c)		715	746,396
TreeHouse Foods, Inc., 6.00%, 2/15/24 (c)		431	452,011
			18,732,340
<b>Health Care Equipment &amp; Supplies 0.6%</b>			
DJO Finco, Inc./DJO Finance LLC/DJO Finance Corp., 8.13%, 6/15/21 (c)		2,065	1,786,225
Mallinckrodt International Finance SA/Mallinckrodt CB LLC (c):			
4.88%, 4/15/20		517	509,245
5.75%, 8/01/22		1,370	1,270,675
5.63%, 10/15/23		506	448,442
Medtronic, Inc., 4.63%, 3/15/45 (d)		4,565	4,865,409
			8,879,996
<b>Health Care Providers &amp; Services 3.6%</b>			
Acadia Healthcare Co., Inc., 5.13%, 7/01/22		191	191,478
Amsurg Corp., 5.63%, 7/15/22		1,466	1,509,980
Centene Corp.:			
5.63%, 2/15/21		875	918,575
6.13%, 2/15/24		645	685,313
		Par	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Health Care Providers &amp; Services (continued)</b>			
CHS/Community Health Systems, Inc.:			
5.13%, 8/15/18	USD	1,620	\$ 1,625,062
6.88%, 2/01/22		1,111	808,253
DaVita HealthCare Partners, Inc., 5.13%, 7/15/24		1,990	1,965,125
HCA, Inc.:			
3.75%, 3/15/19		4,364	4,440,370
6.50%, 2/15/20		10,421	11,384,942
7.50%, 2/15/22		2,214	2,518,425
5.88%, 3/15/22		340	369,325
4.75%, 5/01/23		236	244,555
5.38%, 2/01/25		440	448,800
5.88%, 2/15/26		1,297	1,348,880
HealthSouth Corp.:			
5.13%, 3/15/23		512	509,440
5.75%, 11/01/24		637	647,351
Hologic, Inc., 5.25%, 7/15/22 (c)		742	773,535
MEDNAX, Inc., 5.25%, 12/01/23 (c)		587	606,078

## Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

MPH Acquisition Holdings LLC, 7.13%, 6/01/24 (c)	829	879,776
RegionalCare Hospital Partners Holdings, Inc., 8.25%, 5/01/23 (c)	1,109	1,145,042
<b>Tenet Healthcare Corp.:</b>		
6.25%, 11/01/18	736	773,720
4.75%, 6/01/20	1,450	1,471,750
6.00%, 10/01/20	3,645	3,845,475
4.50%, 4/01/21	73	73,365
7.50%, 1/01/22 (c)	394	422,565
8.13%, 4/01/22	1,907	1,926,070
6.75%, 6/15/23	1,758	1,661,310
UnitedHealth Group, Inc., 6.88%, 2/15/38 (d)	10,000	13,639,860
		56,834,420
<b>Hotels, Restaurants &amp; Leisure 0.6%</b>		
Boyd Gaming Corp., 6.38%, 4/01/26 (c)	71	76,148
ESH Hospitality, Inc., 5.25%, 5/01/25 (c)	1,970	1,977,387
GLP Capital LP / GLP Financing II, Inc., 4.38%, 4/15/21	143	148,720
<b>KFC Holding Co/Pizza Hut Holdings LLC/Taco Bell of America LLC (c):</b>		
5.00%, 6/01/24	600	611,250
5.25%, 6/01/26	650	657,579
MGM Resorts International, 6.75%, 10/01/20	214	237,005

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par	
		(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Hotels, Restaurants &amp; Leisure (continued)</b>			
MGP Escrow Issuer LLC/MGP Escrow Co-Issuer, Inc., 5.63%, 5/01/24 (c)	USD	627	\$ 654,431
New Red Finance, Inc., 6.00%, 4/01/22 (c)		2,215	2,307,853
Sabre GLBL, Inc. (c):			
5.38%, 4/15/23		594	604,210
5.25%, 11/15/23		294	297,675
Six Flags Entertainment Corp., 5.25%, 1/15/21 (c)		1,718	1,765,245
			9,337,503
<b>Household Durables 0.8%</b>			
Brookfield Residential Properties, Inc./Brookfield Residential US Corp., 6.13%, 7/01/22 (c)		1,647	1,671,705
CalAtlantic Group, Inc., 8.38%, 1/15/21		3,015	3,512,475
Lennar Corp.:			
4.75%, 11/15/22		1,805	1,851,262
4.88%, 12/15/23		466	474,155
Newell Brands, Inc.:			
3.85%, 4/01/23		2,585	2,664,804
4.20%, 4/01/26		955	989,245
TRI Pointe Group, Inc.:			
4.38%, 6/15/19		920	936,100
5.88%, 6/15/24		625	646,875
			12,746,621
<b>Household Products 0.2%</b>			
Spectrum Brands, Inc.:			
6.63%, 11/15/22		1,110	1,176,600
6.13%, 12/15/24		231	244,283
5.75%, 7/15/25		1,002	1,047,090
			2,467,973
<b>Independent Power and Renewable Electricity Producers 0.8%</b>			
Calpine Corp.:			
6.00%, 1/15/22 (c)		1,548	1,619,595
5.88%, 1/15/24 (c)		823	862,093
5.75%, 1/15/25		1,064	1,040,060
Dynegy, Inc., 6.75%, 11/01/19		1,945	1,996,056
NRG Energy, Inc.:			
6.25%, 5/01/24		135	137,363
7.25%, 5/15/26 (c)		1,581	1,654,121
6.63%, 1/15/27 (c)		2,521	2,502,092
QEP Resources, Inc., 5.38%, 10/01/22		1,927	1,946,270
			11,757,650
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Industrial Conglomerates 0.0%</b>			
Cortes NP Acquisition Corp., 9.25%, 10/15/24 (c)	USD	623	\$ 658,430
<b>Insurance 3.1%</b>			
American International Group, Inc., 6.40%, 12/15/20 (d)		8,710	9,915,891
Aon Corp., 5.00%, 9/30/20 (d)		7,700	8,309,817
Aon PLC, 4.25%, 12/12/42 (d)		6,500	6,044,012
Forethought Financial Group, Inc., 8.63%, 4/15/21 (c)		3,400	3,777,842
MetLife, Inc., 6.40%, 12/15/66		5,000	5,425,000
Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co., 6.06%, 3/30/40 (c)(d)		12,000	14,904,048
			48,376,610
<b>Internet Software &amp; Services 0.1%</b>			

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

Equinix, Inc., 5.88%, 1/15/26	1,061	1,127,312
Netflix, Inc., 5.50%, 2/15/22	563	603,114
		1,730,426
<b>IT Services 0.8%</b>		
Ceridian HCM Holding, Inc., 11.00%, 3/15/21 (c)	1,755	1,825,200
Fidelity National Information Services, Inc., 5.00%, 10/15/25	1,935	2,103,409
First Data Corp. (c):		
6.75%, 11/01/20	503	519,976
5.38%, 8/15/23	764	786,920
7.00%, 12/01/23	5,218	5,533,689
5.75%, 1/15/24	410	422,813
Western Digital Corp., 10.50%, 4/01/24 (c)	584	687,660
		11,879,667
<b>Life Sciences Tools &amp; Services 0.8%</b>		
Life Technologies Corp., 6.00%, 3/01/20 (d)	12,000	13,109,040
<b>Media 7.2%</b>		
21st Century Fox America, Inc., 6.15%, 3/01/37 (d)	9,575	11,244,171
A&E Television Networks LLC, 3.11%, 8/22/19	5,000	5,035,500
Altice Financing SA, 7.50%, 5/15/26 (c)	2,172	2,291,460
Altice Luxembourg SA (c):		
7.75%, 5/15/22	2,362	2,506,672
7.63%, 2/15/25	1,752	1,852,740
Altice US Finance I Corp. (c):		
5.38%, 7/15/23	2,919	3,039,409
5.50%, 5/15/26	1,211	1,241,275

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

7

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par		Value
		(000)		Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>				
<b>Media (continued)</b>				
AMC Networks, Inc.:				
4.75%, 12/15/22	USD	685	\$	698,700
5.00%, 4/01/24		432		440,640
CCO Holdings LLC/CCO Holdings Capital Corp. (c):				
5.88%, 4/01/24		1,759		1,887,636
5.75%, 2/15/26		499		528,784
5.50%, 5/01/26		1,219		1,276,903
Charter Communications Operating LLC/Charter Communications Operating Capital:				
4.91%, 7/23/25		5,000		5,257,550
6.38%, 10/23/35		479		540,097
6.48%, 10/23/45		4,584		5,210,853
6.83%, 10/23/55		3,540		4,157,886
Cinemark USA, Inc., 5.13%, 12/15/22		349		358,598
Clear Channel Worldwide Holdings, Inc., 6.50%, 11/15/22		11,711		12,129,754
Cox Communications, Inc., 8.38%, 3/01/39 (c)(d)		5,000		6,221,635
CSC Holdings LLC:				
8.63%, 2/15/19		4,005		4,445,550
6.63%, 10/15/25 (c)		832		907,920
DISH DBS Corp., 7.75%, 7/01/26		1,901		2,127,941
Grupo Televisa SAB, 5.00%, 5/13/45 (d)		3,345		2,861,055
Hughes Satellite Systems Corp. (c):				
5.25%, 8/01/26		1,017		1,017,000
6.63%, 8/01/26		685		707,263
Intelsat Jackson Holdings SA:				
7.25%, 4/01/19		1,107		951,328
5.50%, 8/01/23 (d)		1,127		788,900
Interpublic Group of Cos., Inc., 3.75%, 2/15/23		6,025		6,121,816
MDC Partners, Inc., 6.50%, 5/01/24 (c)		1,036		901,320
NAI Entertainment Holdings/NAI Entertainment Holdings Finance Corp., 5.00%, 8/01/18 (c)		1,471		1,483,871
Nexstar Escrow Corp., 5.63%, 8/01/24 (c)		495		494,381
Nielsen Finance LLC/Nielsen Finance Co., 5.00%, 4/15/22 (c)		475		485,094
Outfront Media Capital LLC/Outfront Media Capital Corp.:				
5.25%, 2/15/22		249		257,715
5.63%, 2/15/24		122		127,338
		<b>Par</b>		
		<b>(000)</b>		<b>Value</b>
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>				
<b>Media (continued)</b>				
SFR Group SA (c):				
6.00%, 5/15/22	USD	4,544	\$	4,674,640
7.38%, 5/01/26		5,843		5,996,379
Time Warner Cable, Inc., 6.55%, 5/01/37		3,519		4,026,383
Time Warner, Inc.:				
4.65%, 6/01/44		28		26,873
4.85%, 7/15/45		97		94,918
Tribune Media Co., 5.88%, 7/15/22		1,308		1,321,080
Univision Communications, Inc. (c):				
5.13%, 5/15/23		5,293		5,256,584
5.13%, 2/15/25		999		953,426
Virgin Media Secured Finance PLC,				
5.50%, 8/15/26 (c)		487		494,305
				112,443,343
<b>Metals &amp; Mining 3.4%</b>				
Alcoa Nederland Holding BV, 7.00%, 9/30/26 (c)		291		318,645
Alcoa, Inc., 5.13%, 10/01/24		1,903		1,974,077
Anglo American Capital PLC, 4.45%, 9/27/20 (c)		136		140,760
AngloGold Ashanti Holdings PLC, 5.13%, 8/01/22		5,000		5,173,750
ArcelorMittal:				



Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

6.13%, 6/01/18		2,575	2,700,531
7.75%, 3/01/41		455	494,813
Commercial Metals Co., 4.88%, 5/15/23		2,194	2,237,880
Constellium NV:			
4.63%, 5/15/21	EUR	490	521,285
5.75%, 5/15/24 (c)	USD	1,728	1,663,200
First Quantum Minerals Ltd. (c):			
7.00%, 2/15/21		303	310,575
7.25%, 5/15/22		912	930,240
FMG Resources August 2006 Property Ltd.,			
9.75%, 3/01/22 (c)		826	958,160
Freeport-McMoRan, Inc.:			
2.38%, 3/15/18		4,664	4,650,008
4.00%, 11/14/21		500	487,500
3.55%, 3/01/22		1,251	1,169,685
3.88%, 3/15/23		5,360	4,944,600
5.40%, 11/14/34		2,250	1,965,240
5.45%, 3/15/43		1,542	1,326,120
Novelis Corp. (c):			
6.25%, 8/15/24		2,862	3,012,255
5.88%, 9/30/26		2,060	2,090,900
Southern Copper Corp., 5.88%, 4/23/45		3,870	3,943,909

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par	
	(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Metals &amp; Mining (continued)</b>		
Steel Dynamics, Inc.:		
5.13%, 10/01/21	USD 1,105	\$ 1,143,675
6.38%, 8/15/22	1,430	1,496,138
5.25%, 4/15/23	309	321,746
5.50%, 10/01/24	240	254,700
5.00%, 12/15/26 (c)	35	35,613
Teck Resources Ltd.:		
3.00%, 3/01/19	119	119,595
8.00%, 6/01/21 (c)	1,202	1,325,205
8.50%, 6/01/24 (c)	799	929,836
6.00%, 8/15/40	1,861	1,865,652
6.25%, 7/15/41	721	740,828
5.20%, 3/01/42	640	595,200
United States Steel Corp., 8.38%, 7/01/21 (c)	944	1,047,840
Wise Metals Group LLC/Wise Alloys Finance Corp., 8.75%, 12/15/18 (c)	1,472	1,522,107
		52,412,268
<b>Multi-Utilities 0.6%</b>		
CenterPoint Energy, Inc., 5.95%, 2/01/17 (d)	9,000	9,000,000
<b>Offshore Drilling &amp; Other Services 0.0%</b>		
Sensata Technologies BV, 5.63%, 11/01/24 (c)	695	729,312
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels 15.0%</b>		
Access Midstream Partners LP/ACMP Finance Corp.:		
6.13%, 7/15/22	1,668	1,722,220
4.88%, 5/15/23	343	353,776
California Resources Corp., 8.00%, 12/15/22 (c)	1,492	1,327,880
Cheniere Corpus Christi Holdings LLC, 7.00%, 6/30/24 (c)	1,231	1,374,104
CONSOL Energy, Inc., 5.88%, 4/15/22	7,210	6,975,675
Continental Resources, Inc.:		
5.00%, 9/15/22	7,519	7,669,380
4.50%, 4/15/23	469	463,138
DCP Midstream LLC, 6.75%, 9/15/37 (c)	1,527	1,588,080
Denbury Resources, Inc., 9.00%, 5/15/21 (c)	182	198,835
Devon Energy Corp., 5.85%, 12/15/25	4,000	4,589,356
El Paso LLC:		
7.80%, 8/01/31	197	246,663
7.75%, 1/15/32	4,586	5,724,731
El Paso Natural Gas Co. LLC, 8.63%, 1/15/22	2,345	2,880,514
	<b>Par</b>	
	(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels (continued)</b>		
El Paso Pipeline Partners Operating Co. LLC, 6.50%, 4/01/20	USD 5,075	\$ 5,665,608
Enbridge Energy Partners LP, 9.88%, 3/01/19 (d)	6,000	6,915,930
Enbridge, Inc., Series 16-A, 6.00%, 1/15/77 (b)	3,880	3,928,500
Energy Transfer Equity LP:		
7.50%, 10/15/20	598	671,255
5.88%, 1/15/24	5,241	5,594,767
5.50%, 6/01/27	870	900,450
Energy Transfer Partners LP:		
5.20%, 2/01/22	10,200	11,007,687
6.13%, 12/15/45	3,579	3,902,334
Enterprise Products Operating LLC:		
4.90%, 5/15/46	5,375	5,541,286
Series N, 6.50%, 1/31/19 (d)	12,000	13,060,584
EP Energy LLC/Everest Acquisition Finance, Inc., 8.00%, 11/29/24 (c)	415	448,200
Gulfport Energy Corp. (c):		
6.00%, 10/15/24	444	452,325
6.38%, 5/15/25	558	571,950

## Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

Hilcorp Energy I LP/Hilcorp Finance Co., 5.00%, 12/01/24 (c)	3,666	3,611,010
Kinder Morgan Energy Partners LP:		
6.85%, 2/15/20	12,000	13,457,292
4.25%, 9/01/24	2,170	2,217,918
5.40%, 9/01/44	3,615	3,750,172
MEG Energy Corp. (c):		
6.50%, 3/15/21	3,839	3,941,501
7.00%, 3/31/24	3,100	2,914,000
6.50%, 1/15/25	2,021	2,041,210
Midcontinent Express Pipeline LLC, 6.70%, 9/15/19 (c)	3,500	3,692,500
Murphy Oil Corp., 6.88%, 8/15/24	752	806,520
Nexen Energy ULC, 6.40%, 5/15/37	2,000	2,416,870
NGPL PipeCo LLC (c):		
7.12%, 12/15/17	2,859	2,944,770
9.63%, 6/01/19	257	268,244
7.77%, 12/15/37	690	762,450
Noble Energy, Inc.:		
5.63%, 5/01/21	1,784	1,851,280
5.05%, 11/15/44	3,500	3,561,960
Noble Holding International, Ltd., 7.75%, 1/15/24	1,112	1,105,050
ONEOK Partners LP, 8.63%, 3/01/19 (d)	10,000	11,246,820
PDC Energy, Inc., 7.75%, 10/15/22	1,225	1,300,031

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

9

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par	
	(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels (continued)</b>		
Petroleos Mexicanos:		
3.50%, 1/30/23 (d)	USD 5,000	\$ 4,606,150
4.63%, 9/21/23	3,965	3,865,875
4.88%, 1/18/24 (d)	2,000	1,930,000
Pioneer Natural Resources Co., 6.88%, 5/01/18	1,665	1,763,734
Plains All American Pipeline LP/PAA Finance Corp.:		
4.70%, 6/15/44	1,498	1,346,193
4.90%, 2/15/45	2,102	1,961,843
Range Resources Corp., 5.00%, 8/15/22 (c)	32	32,192
Rockies Express Pipeline LLC (c):		
5.63%, 4/15/20	295	312,700
6.88%, 4/15/40	580	595,950
RSP Permian, Inc., 6.63%, 10/01/22	789	833,381
Ruby Pipeline LLC, 6.00%, 4/01/22 (c)	10,000	10,596,240
Sabine Pass Liquefaction LLC:		
5.63%, 2/01/21	405	437,400
5.63%, 4/15/23	10,510	11,403,350
5.75%, 5/15/24	2,575	2,803,531
5.88%, 6/30/26 (c)	1,481	1,642,059
Sanchez Energy Corp.:		
7.75%, 6/15/21	153	156,060
6.13%, 1/15/23	2,119	2,034,240
SM Energy Co.:		
6.50%, 1/01/23	177	182,310
5.00%, 1/15/24	181	172,403
Southwestern Energy Co.:		
7.50%, 2/01/18	63	65,678
5.80%, 1/23/20	1,166	1,203,895
4.10%, 3/15/22	710	658,525
6.70%, 1/23/25	169	169,845
Targa Resources Partners LP/Targa Resources Partners Finance Corp.:		
6.38%, 8/01/22	255	263,670
5.25%, 5/01/23	37	37,925
6.75%, 3/15/24	184	201,020
Tesoro Corp. (c):		
4.75%, 12/15/23	1,230	1,263,825
5.13%, 12/15/26	937	976,823
Tesoro Logistics LP/Tesoro Logistics Finance Corp.:		
6.13%, 10/15/21	125	130,781
6.25%, 10/15/22	1,519	1,617,735
TransCanada PipeLines Ltd., 4.88%, 1/15/26	4,485	4,987,594
Weatherford International Ltd.:		
4.50%, 4/15/22	75	66,750
	<b>Par</b>	
	<b>(000)</b>	<b>Value</b>
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels (continued)</b>		
Weatherford International Ltd. (continued):		
6.50%, 8/01/36	USD 45	\$ 38,138
Western Gas Partners LP, 5.38%, 6/01/21	5,125	5,547,961
Whiting Petroleum Corp., 6.25%, 4/01/23 (d)	1,697	1,713,970
Williams Cos., Inc.:		
3.70%, 1/15/23	2,245	2,205,712
4.55%, 6/24/24	1,253	1,268,662
8.75%, 3/15/32	2,478	3,168,742
5.75%, 6/24/44	685	693,563
Williams Partners LP, 5.10%, 9/15/45	5,075	5,069,154
WPX Energy, Inc., 6.00%, 1/15/22	164	170,560

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

		233,860,965
<b>Paper &amp; Forest Products</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	
International Paper Co. (d):		
7.50%, 8/15/21	9,675	11,574,735
8.70%, 6/15/38	4,000	5,750,684
7.30%, 11/15/39	10,000	12,992,000
		30,317,419
<b>Pharmaceuticals</b>	<b>3.6%</b>	
AbbVie, Inc. (d):		
2.90%, 11/06/22	5,675	5,612,314
4.70%, 5/14/45	3,255	3,167,825
Actavis Funding SCS:		
3.45%, 3/15/22	7,335	7,424,245
3.85%, 6/15/24	6,000	6,037,356
4.75%, 3/15/45	1,450	1,429,925
Endo Finance LLC/Endo Finco, Inc. (c):		
6.00%, 7/15/23	1,514	1,290,685
6.00%, 2/01/25	530	431,287
Forest Laboratories LLC, 5.00%, 12/15/21 (c)	1,631	1,764,388
Forest Laboratories, Inc., 4.38%, 2/01/19 (c)	2,924	3,036,331
Grifols Worldwide Operations Ltd., 5.25%, 4/01/22	1,613	1,673,875
inVentiv Group Holdings, Inc./inVentiv Health, Inc./inVentiv Health Clinical, Inc., 7.50%, 10/01/24 (c)	739	774,102
Merck & Co., Inc., 6.50%, 12/01/33	6,420	8,322,631
Mylan NV, 3.95%, 6/15/26 (i)	7,500	7,099,410

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

		Par	
		(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Pharmaceuticals (continued)</b>			
Valeant Pharmaceuticals International, Inc. (c):			
6.75%, 8/15/18 (d)	USD	6,135	\$ 6,050,644
5.38%, 3/15/20		62	53,320
7.00%, 10/01/20		447	404,535
7.50%, 7/15/21		273	237,169
5.63%, 12/01/21		1,137	898,230
5.50%, 3/01/23		31	23,483
5.88%, 5/15/23		665	506,231
6.13%, 4/15/25		116	86,855
			56,324,841
<b>Professional Services 0.4%</b>			
Dun & Bradstreet Corp., 3.25%, 12/01/17		5,750	5,823,715
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 3.2%</b>			
American Tower Corp.:			
4.50%, 1/15/18		6,500	6,664,879
5.05%, 9/01/20		500	538,523
5.90%, 11/01/21 (d)		3,770	4,213,356
AvalonBay Communities, Inc., 6.10%, 3/15/20		10,000	11,101,100
DDR Corp.:			
4.75%, 4/15/18		2,140	2,194,987
7.88%, 9/01/20		2,650	3,084,409
ERP Operating LP, 5.75%, 6/15/17 (d)		10,000	10,159,330
Hilton Domestic Operating Co., Inc., 4.25%, 9/01/24 (c)		881	864,481
Host Hotels & Resorts LP, 3.75%, 10/15/23 (d)		3,600	3,582,004
iStar, Inc., 4.00%, 11/01/17		825	829,125
MGM Growth Properties Operating Partnership LP/MGP Finance Co-Issuer, Inc., 4.50%, 9/01/26 (c)		740	708,550
Starwood Property Trust, Inc., 5.00%, 12/15/21 (c)		627	637,189
UDR, Inc., 4.25%, 6/01/18 (d)		5,225	5,384,477
			49,962,410
<b>Real Estate Management &amp; Development 0.4%</b>			
Northwest Florida Timber Finance LLC, 4.75%, 3/04/29 (c)(d)		4,485	4,180,379
Realogy Group LLC/Realogy Co-Issuer Corp. (c):			
4.50%, 4/15/19		803	829,097
5.25%, 12/01/21		344	354,320
4.88%, 6/01/23		1,332	1,298,700
			6,662,496
		<b>Par</b>	
		<b>(000)</b>	<b>Value</b>
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>			
<b>Road &amp; Rail 1.2%</b>			
Hertz Corp.:			
6.75%, 4/15/19	USD	420	\$ 417,900
5.88%, 10/15/20		925	874,125
7.38%, 1/15/21		310	299,925
5.50%, 10/15/24 (c)		764	641,760
Norfolk Southern Corp., 6.00%, 3/15/05		12,700	14,765,503
Penske Automotive Group, Inc., 5.38%, 12/01/24		1,951	1,960,755
			18,959,968
<b>Semiconductors &amp; Semiconductor Equipment 0.3%</b>			
Micron Technology, Inc., 5.50%, 2/01/25		150	150,750
NXP BV/NXP Funding LLC (c):			
4.13%, 6/15/20		951	984,285
4.13%, 6/01/21		1,461	1,508,336

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

4.63%, 6/15/22	490	515,725
4.63%, 6/01/23	204	215,730
Sensata Technologies BV, 5.00%, 10/01/25 (c)	1,418	1,417,291
		4,792,117
<b>Software 0.8%</b>		
Inception Merger Sub, Inc./Rackspace Hosting, Inc., 8.63%, 11/15/24 (c)	2,034	2,110,275
Infor US, Inc., 6.50%, 5/15/22	2,425	2,488,656
Informatica LLC, 7.13%, 7/15/23 (c)	477	459,112
Nuance Communications, Inc., 5.38%, 8/15/20 (c)	1,901	1,948,525
Oracle Corp., 2.65%, 7/15/26 (d)	4,890	4,596,170
PTC, Inc., 6.00%, 5/15/24	313	333,336
		11,936,074
<b>Specialty Retail 0.6%</b>		
L Brands, Inc.:		
7.00%, 5/01/20	3,050	3,362,625
6.88%, 11/01/35	1,119	1,091,025
VF Corp., 5.95%, 11/01/17 (d)	5,000	5,168,015
		9,621,665
<b>Technology Hardware, Storage &amp; Peripherals 0.7%</b>		
Diamond 1 Finance Corp./Diamond 2 Finance Corp. (c):		
5.88%, 6/15/21	615	648,741
7.13%, 6/15/24	747	817,874
8.35%, 7/15/46	6,005	7,497,819

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

11

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par	
	(000)	Value
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Technology Hardware, Storage &amp; Peripherals (continued)</b>		
Western Digital Corp., 7.38%, 4/01/23 (c)	USD 1,199	\$ 1,318,900
		10,283,334
<b>Textiles, Apparel &amp; Luxury Goods 0.2%</b>		
Levi Strauss & Co., 5.00%, 5/01/25	699	702,058
Springs Industries, Inc., 6.25%, 6/01/21	304	314,640
William Carter Co., 5.25%, 8/15/21	1,406	1,455,210
		2,471,908
<b>Thrifts &amp; Mortgage Finance 0.1%</b>		
Radian Group, Inc., 5.25%, 6/15/20	1,045	1,092,025
<b>Tobacco 1.7%</b>		
Altria Group, Inc., 10.20%, 2/06/39 (d)	13,392	23,093,379
Reynolds American, Inc.:		
4.85%, 9/15/23	1,120	1,214,886
5.85%, 8/15/45	2,335	2,713,041
		27,021,306
<b>Trading Companies &amp; Distributors 0.3%</b>		
Doric Nimrod Air Alpha Ltd. Pass-Through Trust, Series 2013-1, Class A, 5.25%, 5/30/25 (c)	2,182	2,274,871
Doric Nimrod Air Alpha Pass-Through Trust, Series 2013-1, Class B, 6.13%, 11/30/21 (c)	2,159	2,245,138
		4,520,009
<b>Transportation Infrastructure 0.8%</b>		
CEVA Group PLC, 4.00%, 5/01/18 (c)	1,800	1,723,500
Penske Truck Leasing Co. LP/PTL Finance Corp., 4.88%, 7/11/22 (c)	10,500	11,301,423
		13,024,923
<b>Wireless Telecommunication Services 1.5%</b>		
America Movil SAB de CV, 3.13%, 7/16/22 (d)	1,275	1,254,822
Crown Castle International Corp., 5.25%, 1/15/23	1,380	1,499,094
Crown Castle Towers LLC, 6.11%, 1/15/40 (c)	4,555	4,942,433
Digicel Group Ltd., 7.13%, 4/01/22 (c)	370	295,837
Digicel Ltd., 6.00%, 4/15/21 (c)	1,285	1,198,005
	<b>Par</b>	
<b>Corporate Bonds</b>		
<b>Wireless Telecommunication Services (continued)</b>		
Sprint Communications, Inc., 9.00%, 11/15/18 (c)	USD 5,290	\$ 5,792,550
Sprint Corp., 7.13%, 6/15/24	1,755	1,833,975
T-Mobile USA, Inc.:		
6.63%, 4/28/21	2,680	2,793,900
6.73%, 4/28/22	2,495	2,594,800
6.84%, 4/28/23	645	688,538
		22,893,954
<b>Total Corporate Bonds - 97.3%</b>		<b>1,516,671,253</b>
<b>Foreign Agency Obligations</b>		
Brazilian Government International Bond, 5.00%, 1/27/45	4,525	3,868,875
Indonesia Government International Bond, 5.88%, 1/15/24 (c)	4,400	4,909,617
Mexico Government International Bond,		
4.75%, 3/08/44	2,300	2,110,250
Republic of Argentina, 5.63%, 1/26/22 (c)	6,485	6,497,970
<b>Total Foreign Agency Obligations 1.1%</b>		<b>17,386,712</b>



Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

**Municipal Bonds**

City of Chicago Illinois, Refunding ARB, O Hare International Airport, General 3rd Lien, Build America Bonds, Series B, 6.85%, 1/01/38	5,000	5,596,800
Metropolitan Transportation Authority, RB, Build America Bonds, Series B-1, 6.55%, 11/15/31	10,000	12,882,200
<b>Total Municipal Bonds 1.2%</b>		<b>18,479,000</b>

**Preferred Securities**

**Capital Trusts**

**Banks 3.5%**

BNP Paribas SA (b)(c)(e)		
7.20%	5,000	5,418,750
7.38%	4,535	4,591,688
Capital One Financial Corp., Series E, 5.55% (b)(e)	5,000	5,099,400

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par		Value
	(000)		
<b>Preferred Securities</b>			
<b>Banks (continued)</b>			
Citigroup, Inc. (b)(e)			
5.90%	USD	2,210	\$ 2,286,245
5.95%		7,000	7,120,750
Credit Suisse Group AG, 7.50% (b)(c)(e)		3,250	3,438,045
HSBC Capital Funding LP, 10.18% (b)(c)(e)		11,835	17,574,975
Nordea Bank AB, 6.13% (b)(c)(e)		5,540	5,380,725
Wells Fargo & Co., (b)(e)			
Series K, 7.98%		809	849,450
Series S, 5.90%		281	288,924
Series U, 5.88%		2,655	2,822,597
			54,871,549
<b>Capital Markets 1.6%</b>			
Charles Schwab Corp., Series E, 4.63% (b)(e)		6,805	6,549,812
Credit Suisse Group AG, 6.25% (b)(c)(e)		5,000	4,931,250
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., Series L, 5.70% (b)(e)		2,950	3,044,843
Morgan Stanley, Series H, 5.45% (b)(e)		8,675	8,805,125
State Street Corp., Series F, 5.25% (b)(e)		1,855	1,917,606
			25,248,636
<b>Consumer Finance 0.3%</b>			
American Express Co., Series C, 4.90% (b)(e)		4,510	4,415,570
<b>Diversified Financial Services 4.3%</b>			
Bank of America Corp., (b)(e)			
Series AA, 6.10%		6,630	6,911,775
Series K, 8.00%		2,420	2,502,341
Series U, 5.20% (d)		5,785	5,676,531
Barclays PLC, 6.63% (b)(e)		7,385	7,098,831
Credit Agricole SA, 8.13% (b)(c)(e)		5,000	5,315,500
JPMorgan Chase & Co., (b)(e)			
6.75%		7,775	8,509,038
Series 1, 7.90%		3,650	3,759,500
Series Q, 5.15%		4,000	3,915,000
Series R, 6.00% (d)		14,130	14,518,575
Royal Bank of Scotland Group PLC, (b)(e)			
8.00%		970	941,026
8.63%		5,135	5,301,887
	<b>Par</b>		
<b>Capital Trusts</b>			
<b>Diversified Financial Services (continued)</b>			
Societe Generale SA, 7.38% (b)(c)(e)	USD	1,980	\$ 1,983,663
			66,433,667
<b>Electric Utilities 0.5%</b>			
PPL Capital Funding, Inc., Series A, 6.70% (b)		8,300	7,636,000
<b>Industrial Conglomerates 0.7%</b>			
General Electric Co., Series D, 5.00% (b)(e)		10,777	11,208,080
<b>Insurance 4.4%</b>			
ACE Capital Trust II, 9.70% (d)		7,000	10,360,000
Allstate Corp, 6.50% (b)		10,400	11,882,000
American International Group, Inc., 8.18% (b)		3,755	4,806,400
Bank One Capital III, 8.75%		2,000	2,807,444
Chubb Corp., 6.38% (b)(d)		7,400	7,218,700
Equitable of Iowa Cos. Capital Trust II, Series B, 8.42%		5,000	5,655,455
Farmers Exchange Capital II, 6.15% (b)(c)		4,890	5,128,387
Great-West Life & Annuity Insurance Capital LP II, 3.45% (b)(c)		500	440,000

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc., 8.13% (b)	5,050	5,403,500
Principal Financial Group, Inc., 4.70% (b)	5,000	4,983,750
Reinsurance Group of America, Inc., 3.63% (b)	12,000	10,788,000
		69,473,636
<b>Media 0.4%</b>		
NBCUniversal Enterprise, Inc., 5.25% (c)(e)	5,600	5,866,000
<b>Oil, Gas &amp; Consumable Fuels 1.5%</b>		
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, 7.00% (b)	2,500	2,262,500
Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Series A, 4.59% (b)	9,325	9,092,807
TransCanada PipeLines Ltd., 6.35% (b)	9,400	8,624,500
TransCanada Trust, 5.63% (b)	2,755	2,823,875
		22,803,682
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 0.6%</b>		
Sovereign Real Estate Investment Trust, 0.00% (c)(e)	7	8,680,000

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

13

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

	Par	
	(000)	Value
<b>Capital Trusts</b>		
<b>Road &amp; Rail 0.4%</b>		
BNSF Funding Trust I, 6.61% (b)	6,125	6,997,813
		283,634,633
<b>Preferred Stocks</b>		
<b>Banks 1.8%</b>		
<b>Shares</b>		
Citigroup, Inc., Series K, 6.88% (b)(e)	488,320	13,580,179
Wells Fargo & Co., 5.85% (b)	550,500	14,296,485
		27,876,664
<b>Capital Markets 0.7%</b>		
Goldman Sachs Group, Inc., Series J, 5.50% (b)(e)	162,450	4,160,344
SCE Trust III, 5.75% (b)(e)	31,650	827,964
State Street Corp., Series D, 5.90% (b)	220,495	5,794,609
		10,782,917
<b>Electric Utilities 0.1%</b>		
Entergy Louisiana LLC, 5.25%	90,000	2,195,100
<b>Real Estate Investment Trusts (REITs) 0.2%</b>		
Ventas Realty LP/Ventas Capital Corp., 5.45%	75,000	1,933,500
Vornado Realty Trust, Series K, 5.70%	50,000	1,209,500
		3,143,000
<b>Wireless Telecommunication Services 1.2%</b>		
Centaur Funding Corp., 9.08% (c)	15,143	17,868,740
<b>Total Preferred Stocks 1.2%</b>		61,866,421
<b>Trust Preferred 0.5%</b>		
<b>Diversified Financial Services 0.5%</b>		
GMAC Capital Trust I, Series 2, 8.13%, 2/15/40 (b)	7,503,525	7,612,067
<b>Total Preferred Securities 22.7%</b>		353,113,121
<b>Par</b>		
<b>U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities 0.2%</b>		
<b>(000)</b>		
<b>Value</b>		
<b>Agency Obligations 0.2%</b>		
Fannie Mae, 0.00%, 10/09/19 (d)(j)	USD 3,945	\$ 3,750,938
<b>Investment Companies</b>		
<b>U.S. Treasury Obligations</b>		
<b>Shares</b>		
U.S. Treasury Bonds:		
2.88%, 8/15/45	400	385,547
2.25%, 8/15/46 (d)	49,480	41,617,331
U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.63%, 2/15/26 (d)	18,325	17,115,257
<b>Total U.S. Treasury Obligations 3.8%</b>		59,118,135
<b>Total Long-Term Investments</b>		
<b>(Cost \$1,931,662,344) 130.7%</b>		2,036,873,031
<b>Short-Term Securities 1.1%</b>		
<b>Shares</b>		
BlackRock Liquidity Funds, T-Fund, Institutional Class, 0.40% (k)(l)	17,041,419	17,041,419
<b>Total Short-Term Securities</b>		17,041,419

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

(Cost \$17,041,419) 1.1%	
<b>Total Investments Before Options Written</b>	
(Cost \$1,948,703,763) 131.8%	2,053,914,450
<b>Options Written (Premiums Received \$437,313) (0.1)%</b>	(1,372,866)
<b>Total Investments, Net of Options Written</b>	
(Cost \$1,948,266,450*) 131.7%	2,052,541,584
<b>Liabilities in Excess of Other Assets (31.7)%</b>	(493,455,938)
<b>Net Assets 100.0%</b>	<b>\$ 1,559,085,646</b>

\* As of January 31, 2017, gross unrealized appreciation and depreciation based on cost for federal income tax purposes were as follows:

Tax cost	\$ 1,948,922,489
Gross unrealized appreciation	\$ 124,431,530
Gross unrealized depreciation	(19,439,569)
Net unrealized appreciation	\$ 104,991,961

**Notes to Schedule of Investments**

\* Cost for federal income tax purposes.

(a) Restricted security as to resale, excluding 144A securities. As of period end, the Trust held restricted securities with a current value of \$2,951 and an original cost of \$45,445, which was less than 0.05% of its net assets.

(b) Variable rate security. Rate as of period end.

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

- (c) Security exempt from registration pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. These securities may be resold in transactions exempt from registration to qualified institutional investors.
- (d) All or a portion of security has been pledged as collateral in connection with outstanding reverse repurchase agreements.
- (e) Perpetual security with no stated maturity date.
- (f) Issuer filed for bankruptcy and/or is in default.
- (g) Non-income producing security.
- (h) Step-up bond that pays an initial coupon rate for the first period and then a higher coupon rate for the following periods. Rate as of period end.
- (i) When-issued security.
- (j) Zero-coupon bond.
- (k) During the period ended January 31, 2017, investments in issuers considered to be affiliates of the Trust for purposes of Section 2(a)(3) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, were as follows:

Affiliate	Shares Held at October 31, 2016	Net Activity	Shares Held at January 31, 2017	Value at January 31, 2017	Income	Net Realized Gain (Loss)	Change in Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
BlackRock Liquidity Funds, T-Fund, Institutional Class	9,872,272	7,169,147	\$ 17,041,419	\$ 17,041,419	\$ 12,483		

- (l) Current yield as of period end.

## Portfolio Abbreviations

<b>ARB</b>	Airport Revenue Bonds
<b>CLO</b>	Collateralized Loan Obligation
<b>CR</b>	Custodian Receipt
<b>EUR</b>	Euro

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

**FKA** Formerly Known As  
**FNMA** Federal National Mortgage Association  
**OTC** Over-the-Counter  
**RB** Revenue Bonds  
**USD** United States Dollar

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

15

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

## Reverse Repurchase Agreements

Counterparty	Interest Rate	Trade Date	Maturity Date <sup>1</sup>	Face Value	Face Value Including Accrued Interest	Type of Non-Cash Underlying Collateral	Remaining
							Contractual Maturity of the Agreements <sup>1</sup>
Deutsche Bank Securities, Inc.	0.19%	3/05/15	Open	\$ 3,570,225	\$ 3,583,377	U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	0.64%	7/11/16	Open	7,404,000	7,433,486	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	0.70%	10/06/16	Open	4,645,500	4,656,069	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	0.64%	11/10/16	Open	8,920,000	8,933,162	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	0.64%	11/18/16	Open	5,005,778	5,012,452	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	0.50%	12/15/16	Open	492,075	492,396	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	10,088,750	10,105,214	Capital Trusts	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	2,452,813	2,456,815	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	4,606,313	4,613,830	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	1,192,188	1,194,133	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	10,425,000	10,442,013	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	6,156,250	6,166,297	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	6,826,500	6,837,640	Capital Trusts	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	4,415,250	4,422,455	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	4,778,713	4,786,511	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	715,313	716,480	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Barclays Capital, Inc.	1.25%	12/15/16	Open	2,793,219	2,797,777	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/15/16	Open	1,208,063	1,209,640	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
HSBC Securities (USA), Inc.	1.00%	12/15/16	Open	10,000,000	10,013,056	Capital Trusts	Open/Demand
UBS Securities LLC	1.00%	12/16/16	Open	8,210,000	8,220,034	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
UBS Securities LLC	1.00%	12/16/16	Open	3,155,313	3,159,169	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
UBS Securities LLC	1.00%	12/16/16	Open	5,552,375	5,559,161	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	1,852,000	1,854,455	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	5,404,000	5,411,165	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	3,007,000	3,010,987	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	5,297,000	5,304,023	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	2,888,000	2,891,829	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	5,873,000	5,880,787	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	4,905,000	4,911,503	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	3,204,000	3,208,248	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	7,060,000	7,069,360	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	4,369,000	4,374,793	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand



## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

## Reverse Repurchase Agreements

Counterparty	Interest Rate	Trade Date	Maturity Date <sup>1</sup>	Face Value	Face Value Including Accrued Interest	Type of Non-Cash Underlying Collateral	Remaining Contractual Maturity of the Agreements <sup>1</sup>
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	\$ 15,728,000	\$ 15,748,853	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	2,752,000	2,755,649	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	4,585,000	4,591,079	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	9,483,000	9,495,573	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	4,950,000	4,956,563	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	9,266,000	9,278,285	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	4,976,000	4,982,597	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
BNP Paribas Securities Corp.	1.11%	12/19/16	Open	10,976,000	10,990,552	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	0.50%	12/19/16	Open	4,685,850	4,683,117	Capital Trusts	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	0.95%	12/19/16	Open	2,935,625	2,938,879	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	0.95%	12/19/16	Open	2,229,563	2,232,034	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/19/16	Open	525,938	526,551	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/19/16	Open	6,304,656	6,312,012	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/19/16	Open	5,055,188	5,061,085	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/19/16	Open	4,973,063	4,978,864	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	12/19/16	Open	2,919,531	2,922,937	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	4,150,000	4,155,155	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	5,606,250	5,613,214	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	4,565,000	4,570,671	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	8,685,000	8,695,789	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,244,125	3,248,155	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,294,000	3,298,092	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	7,834,750	7,844,483	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	13,740,000	13,757,068	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,509,513	3,513,872	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	7,425,000	7,434,224	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

17

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

## Reverse Repurchase Agreements

Counterparty	Interest Rate	Trade Date	Maturity Date <sup>1</sup>	Face Value	Face Value	Type of Non-Cash Underlying Collateral	Remaining
					Including Accrued Interest		Contractual Maturity of the Agreements <sup>1</sup>
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	\$ 3,900,000	\$ 3,904,845	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	9,825,000	9,837,205	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,311,650	3,315,764	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	4,405,500	4,410,973	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	6,450,000	6,458,012	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	12,570,000	12,585,615	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	5,260,000	5,266,534	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,225,000	3,229,006	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	17,356,500	17,378,061	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,633,438	3,637,951	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	21,996,360	22,023,684	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	4,034,160	4,039,171	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	3,225,000	3,229,006	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	17,512,500	17,534,254	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	6,961,875	6,970,523	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/19/16	Open	6,630,000	6,638,236	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	0.25%	12/21/16	Open	715,645	715,849	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	12/21/16	Open	8,789,375	8,799,786	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Deutsche Bank Securities, Inc.	1.74%	12/29/16	Open	41,996,150	41,990,271	U.S. Treasury Obligations	Open/Demand
RBC Capital Markets LLC	0.45%	12/30/16	Open	17,133,875	17,140,943	U.S. Treasury Obligations	Open/Demand
Citigroup Global Markets, Inc.	2.00%	1/04/17	Open	1,391,540	1,389,453	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC	1.00%	1/11/17	Open	3,391,090	3,393,074	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
Citigroup Global Markets, Inc.	0.25%	1/12/17	Open	4,908,000	4,907,318	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

## Reverse Repurchase Agreements

Counterparty	Interest Rate	Trade Date	Maturity Date <sup>1</sup>	Face Value	Face Value Including Accrued Interest	Type of Non-Cash Underlying Collateral	Remaining Contractual Maturity of the Agreements <sup>1</sup>
RBC Capital Markets LLC	1.04%	1/18/17	Open	\$ 1,898,800	\$ 1,899,458	Corporate Bonds	Open/Demand
<b>Total</b>				\$ 521,393,148	\$ 522,008,662		

<sup>1</sup> Certain agreements have no stated maturity and can be terminated by either party at any time.

## Derivative Financial Instruments Outstanding as of Period End

## Futures Contracts

Contracts	Issue	Expiration	Notional Value	Unrealized Appreciation (Depreciation)
Long				
(Short)				
54	2-Year U.S. Treasury Note	March 2017	USD 11,707,031	\$ (2,006)
758	5-Year U.S. Treasury Note	March 2017	USD 89,343,329	(159,172)
(1,429)	10-Year U.S. Treasury Note	March 2017	USD 177,865,844	(1,813,150)
(244)	Ultra U.S. Treasury Bond	March 2017	USD 39,207,750	224,879
<b>Total</b>				\$ (1,749,449)

## OTC Interest Rate Swaptions Written

Description	Counterparty	Put/Call	Exercise Rate	Pay/Receive	Exercise Rate	Floating Rate Index	Expiration Date	Notional Amount (000)	Value
2-Year Interest Rate Swap	Bank of America N.A.	Put	1.70%	Receive	6-month LIBOR	3/15/18	USD 77,900	\$ (682,880)	
2-Year Interest Rate Swap	Bank of America N.A.	Put	1.70%	Receive	6-month LIBOR	3/19/18	USD 77,900	(689,986)	
<b>Total</b>								\$ (1,372,866)	

## OTC Credit Default Swaps Buy Protection

Issuer/Index	Pay Fixed Rate	Counterparty	Expiration Date	Notional Amount (000)	Value	Premiums Paid (Received)	Unrealized Depreciation
STMicro Electronics	1.00%	Barclays Bank PLC	6/20/17	EUR 1,500	\$ (7,549)	\$ 8,351	\$ (15,900)
Cigna Corp.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs Bank USA	9/20/17	USD 4,500	(32,333)	(1,388)	(30,945)
Cigna Corp.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs International	9/20/17	USD 2,800	(20,118)	(929)	(19,190)
General Dynamics Corp.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	9/20/17	USD 5,585	(40,751)	(18,635)	(22,116)
Humana, Inc.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs Bank USA	9/20/17	USD 4,500	(31,763)	9,549	(41,312)
Humana, Inc.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs International	9/20/17	USD 2,800	(19,764)	6,390	(26,154)
Lockheed Martin Corp.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	9/20/17	USD 5,585	(40,461)	(6,410)	(34,052)
Northrop Grumman Corp.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	9/20/17	USD 4,715	(34,605)	(14,481)	(20,124)
Raytheon Co.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	9/20/17	USD 4,715	(34,497)	(14,869)	(19,627)
Citigroup, Inc.	1.00%	Deutsche Bank AG	3/20/19	USD 16,700	(229,992)	(31,279)	(198,713)



## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

## OTC Credit Default Swaps Buy Protection

Issuer/Index	Pay Fixed Rate	Counterparty	Expiration Date	Notional Amount (000)	Value	Premiums Paid (Received)	Unrealized Depreciation
Prudential Financial, Inc.	1.00%	JPMorgan Chase Bank N.A.	6/20/21	USD 9,500	\$ (124,207)	\$ 105,601	\$ (229,808)
Prudential Financial, Inc.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs International	6/20/21	USD 1,155	(15,101)	15,602	(30,703)
Prudential Financial, Inc.	1.00%	Citibank N.A.	6/20/21	USD 1,920	(25,104)	24,386	(49,489)
<b>Total</b>					\$ (656,245)	81,888	(738,133)

## OTC Credit Default Swaps Sell Protection

Issuer/Index	Receive Fixed Rate	Counterparty	Expiration Date	Credit Rating <sup>1</sup>	Notional Amount (000) <sup>2</sup>	Value	Premiums Paid (Received)	Unrealized Depreciation
Anadarko Petroleum Corp.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	6/20/17	BBB	USD 2,425	\$ 10,820	(9,779)	\$ 20,600
Anadarko Petroleum Corp.	1.00%	Morgan Stanley Capital Services LLC	6/20/17	BBB	USD 10	45	(48)	92
Anadarko Petroleum Corp.	1.00%	UBS AG	6/20/17	BBB	USD 994	4,435	(4,645)	9,080
Athem, Inc. (FKA WellPoint, Inc.)	1.00%	Goldman Sachs Bank USA	9/20/17	N/R	USD 4,500	30,878	(5,492)	36,370
Athem, Inc. (FKA WellPoint, Inc.)	1.00%	Goldman Sachs International	9/20/17	N/R	USD 2,800	19,213	(3,675)	22,888
Comcast Corp.	1.00%	Credit Suisse International	9/20/17	N/R	USD 12,200	86,040	7,047	78,993
United Health Group, Inc.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs Bank USA	9/20/17	A-	USD 4,500	32,421	(1,382)	33,803
United Health Group, Inc.	1.00%	Goldman Sachs International	9/20/17	A-	USD 2,800	20,173	(925)	21,098
MetLife, Inc.	1.00%	Deutsche Bank AG	3/20/18	N/R	USD 3,025	30,657	(29,731)	60,388
Bank of America Corp.	1.00%	Deutsche Bank AG	3/20/19	BBB+	USD 16,700	232,744	55,771	176,973
American Tower Corp.	1.00%	Morgan Stanley Capital Services LLC	6/20/21	BBB-	USD 10,000	(185,970)	(359,849)	173,879
<b>Total</b>						\$ 281,456	\$ (352,708)	\$ 634,164

<sup>1</sup> Using Standard & Poor's rating of the issuer or the underlying securities of the index, as applicable.

<sup>2</sup> The maximum potential amount the Trust may pay should a negative credit event take place as defined under the terms of the agreement.

## Schedule of Investments (continued)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

**Fair Value Hierarchy as of Period End**

Various inputs are used in determining the fair value of investments and derivative financial instruments. These inputs to valuation techniques are categorized into a fair value hierarchy consisting of three broad levels for financial reporting purposes as follows:

Level 1 unadjusted price quotations in active markets/exchanges for identical assets or liabilities that the Trust has the ability to access

Level 2 other observable inputs (including, but not limited to, quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in markets that are active, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the assets or liabilities (such as interest rates, yield curves, volatilities, prepayment speeds, loss severities, credit risks and default rates) or other market corroborated inputs)

Level 3 unobservable inputs based on the best information available in the circumstances, to the extent observable inputs are not available (including the Trust's own assumptions used in determining the fair value of investments and derivative financial instruments)

The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). Accordingly, the degree of judgment exercised in determining fair value is greatest for instruments categorized in Level 3. The inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, for disclosure purposes, the fair value hierarchy classification is determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. Investments classified within Level 3 have significant unobservable inputs used by the BlackRock Global Valuation Methodologies Committee (the Global Valuation Committee) in determining the price for Fair Valued Investments. Level 3 Investments include equity or debt issued by Private Companies. There may not be a secondary market, and/or there are a limited number of investors. Level 3 investments may also be adjusted to reflect illiquidity and/or non-transferability, with the amount of such discount estimated by the Global Valuation Committee in the absence of market information.

Changes in valuation techniques may result in transfers into or out of an assigned level within the hierarchy. In accordance with the Trust's policy, transfers between different levels of the fair value hierarchy are deemed to have occurred as of the beginning of the reporting period. The categorization of a value determined for investments and derivative financial instruments is based on the pricing transparency of the investments and derivative financial instruments and is not necessarily an indication of the risks associated with investing in those securities. For information about the Trust's policy regarding valuation of investments and derivative financial instruments, refer to the Trust's most recent financial statements as contained in its annual report.

The following tables summarize the Trust's investments and derivative financial instruments categorized in the disclosure hierarchy:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<b>Assets:</b>				
Investments:				
Long-Term Investments:				
Asset-Backed Securities		\$ 66,745,321	\$ 1,605,600	\$ 68,350,921
Common Stocks			2,951	2,951
Corporate Bonds		1,511,635,753	5,035,500	1,516,671,253
Foreign Agency Obligations		17,386,712		17,386,712
Municipal Bonds		18,479,000		18,479,000
Preferred Securities	\$ 43,997,681	301,503,373		345,501,054
Trust Preferred	7,612,067			7,612,067
U.S. Government Sponsored Agency Securities		3,750,938		3,750,938
U.S. Treasury Obligations		59,118,135		59,118,135
Short-Term Securities	17,041,419			17,041,419

Edgar Filing: BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST - Form N-Q

<b>Total</b>	\$ 68,651,167	\$ 1,978,619,232	\$ 6,644,051	\$ 2,053,914,450
--------------	---------------	------------------	--------------	------------------

BLACKROCK CREDIT ALLOCATION INCOME TRUST

JANUARY 31, 2017

21

## Schedule of Investments (concluded)

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust (BTZ)

Derivative Financial Instruments <sup>1</sup>			
<b>Assets:</b>			
Credit contracts		\$ 634,164	\$ 634,164
Interest rate contracts	\$ 224,879		224,879
<b>Liabilities:</b>			
Credit contracts		(738,133)	(738,133)
Interest rate contracts	(1,974,328)	(1,372,866)	(3,347,194)
<b>Total</b>	\$ (1,749,449)	\$ (1,476,835)	\$ (3,226,284)

<sup>1</sup> Derivative financial instruments are swaps, futures contracts, forward foreign currency exchange contracts, and options written. Swaps, futures contracts and forward foreign currency exchange contracts are valued at the unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on the instrument and options written are shown at value.

The Trust may hold assets and/or liabilities in which the fair value approximates the carrying amount or face value, including accrued interest, for financial reporting purposes. As of period end, reverse repurchase agreements of \$(522,008,662) were categorized as Level 2 within the disclosure hierarchy.

During the period ended January 31, 2017, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2.

A reconciliation of Level 3 investments is presented when the Trust had a significant amount of Level 3 investments at the beginning and/or end of the period in relation to net assets. The following table is a reconciliation of Level 3 investments for which significant unobservable inputs were used in determining fair value:

	Asset-Backed Securities	Corporate Bonds	Common Stocks	Total
<b>Assets:</b>				
Opening Balance, as of October 31, 2016	\$ 15,186,952	\$ 5,113,500	2,951	\$ 20,303,403
Transfers into Level 3				
Transfers out of Level 3 <sup>1</sup>	(11,331,752)			(11,331,752)
Accrued discounts/premiums	591			591
Net realized gain (loss)	58,188			58,188
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) <sup>2</sup>	(58,379)	(78,000)		(136,379)
Purchases				
Sales	(2,250,000)			(2,250,000)
<b>Closing Balance, as of January 31, 2017</b>	\$ 1,605,600	\$ 5,035,500	\$ 2,951	\$ 6,644,051
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments still held at January 31, 2017 <sup>2</sup>	\$ 3,200	\$ (78,000)		\$ (74,800)

<sup>1</sup> As of October 31, 2016, the Trust used significant unobservable inputs in determining the value of certain investments. As January 31, 2017, the Trust used observable inputs in determining the value of the same investments. As a result, investments at beginning of period value were transferred from Level 3 to Level 2 in the disclosure hierarchy.

<sup>2</sup> Any difference between net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) and net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments still held at January 31, 2017 is generally due to investments no longer held or categorized as Level 3 at period end. The Trust's investments that are categorized as Level 3 were valued utilizing third party pricing information without adjustment. Such valuations are based on unobservable inputs. A significant change in third party information could result in a significantly lower or higher value of such Level 3 investments.



Item 2 Controls and Procedures

- 2(a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act")) are effective as of a date within 90 days of the filing of this report based on the evaluation of these controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act and Rule 13a-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.
- 2(b) There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Item 3 Exhibits

Certifications Attached hereto

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

BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust

By: /s/ John M. Perlowski  
John M. Perlowski  
Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer) of  
BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust

Date: March 23, 2017

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

By: /s/ John M. Perlowski  
John M. Perlowski  
Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer) of  
BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust

Date: March 23, 2017

By: /s/ Neal J. Andrews  
Neal J. Andrews  
Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer) of  
BlackRock Credit Allocation Income Trust

Date: March 23, 2017