

Global Structured Products



April 2005

Final Information

Jupiter High Grade CDO II, Ltd.

THE OFFERING:

\$1,004.5 million Collateralized Debt Obligation ("CDO") Notes and Preferred Shares issued by Jupiter High Grade CDO II, Ltd.

**COLLATERAL MANAGER:**

Maxim Advisory LLC ("Maxim"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maxim Partners LLC

	CLASS A-1 NOTES ⁽¹⁾⁽³⁾	CLASS A-2 NOTES ⁽¹⁾	CLASS B NOTES ⁽¹⁾	CLASS C-1A NOTES ⁽¹⁾	CLASS C-1B NOTES ⁽¹⁾	CLASS C-1C NOTES ⁽¹⁾	PREFERRED SHARES ⁽¹⁾
Principal	\$880,000,000	\$40,000,000	\$46,000,000	\$11,500,000	\$4,000,000	\$7,500,000	\$15,500,000
Percentage	87.6%	4.0%	4.6%	1.15%	0.4%	0.75%	1.5%
Coupon Type	Floating	Floating	Floating	Floating	Fixed	Fixed	Residual
Expected Rating	Aaa/AAA/AAA	Aaa/AAA/AAA	Aa2/AA/AA	Baa2/BBB/BBB	Baa2/BBB/BBB	Baa2/BBB/BBB	NR
Spread / Coupon	L + 0.27%	L + 0.50%	L + 0.73%	L + 2.95%	7.067%	7.265%	NR
Average Life ⁽²⁾	5.9	6.1	6.1	5.7	5.7	6.0	NR
Rating Agency	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	Moody's/S&P/Fitch	NR
Stated Maturity	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041	May 5, 2041
Denomination	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum \$1,000 increments	\$250,000 minimum ⁽⁴⁾ \$1,000 increments

- (1) Payments on the Notes and Preferred Shares will be made quarterly.
(2) Based on a 8 year auction call, WAS of 0.73%, WAC of 5.5%, and Forward LIBOR
(3) The Class A-1 Notes will not be fully funded at Closing
(4) With some limited exceptions

STRUCTURE

Issuer:	Jupiter High Grade CDO II, Ltd.
Collateral Manager:	Maxim Advisory LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maxim Partners LLC
Anticipated Closing Date:	March 29, 2005
Coupon Payment Dates:	Quarterly, beginning August 5, 2005
Ramp-Up Period:	120 days. At least 70 % of the Collateral Portfolio is expected to be purchased or identified at closing.
Non-Call Period:	4 years (thereafter, all of the Notes and Preferred Shares may be called by a majority vote of the Preferred Shares)
Reinvestment Period:	None. Immediate Principal Amortization
OC and IC Test Cures:	If the Class A/B IC or Class A/B OC test is breached, interest will be used to pay down the principal of the Class A-1, Class A-2, and then the Class B Notes. If the Class C IC or Class C OC test is breached, interest will be used to pay down the principal of the Class C Notes on a pro rata basis.
"RAPID" Features:	I. Principal amortization will be used to pay down the Notes on a pro rata basis until either 50% of the collateral has amortized or if a coverage test is not in compliance. II. Until the Class C-1A and Class C-1B Notes are fully paid down, the dividend on the Preferred Shares payable on each payment date will be capped at an annualized dividend yield of 13.0% and the excess cashflows will be used to pay down the Class C-1A and Class C-1B Notes.
Mandatory Auction Call:	8 years

COVERAGE TESTS

	O/C Tests	Initial O/C	I/C Tests	Initial I/C
Class A/B	102.5%	103.5%	102.0%	109.4%
Class C	100.4%	101.1%	100.0%	104.7%

FEES AND EXPENSES

Senior Management Fee:	8 bps per annum
Subordinate Management Fee:	4 bps per annum
Closing Fees and Expenses ⁽¹⁾	***

- (1) On the Closing Date, the Co-Issuer will use a portion of the gross proceeds from the offering to pay various fees and expenses, including expenses, fees and commissions incurred in connection with the acquisition of the Collateral, structuring and placement agency fees payable to Merrill Lynch and legal, accounting, rating agency and other fees. Fees payable to Merrill Lynch and others will be determined on an arms' length basis. Closing fees and expenses reduce the amount of the gross proceeds of the offering available to purchase Collateral and, therefore, the return to purchasers of the Securities. Rating agencies will consider the amount of net proceeds available to purchase Collateral in determining any ratings assigned by them to the Securities. For information about the amount of such fees and expenses, please review the final Offering Circular before investing.

COLLATERAL CHARACTERISTICS

• Weighted Average Fixed Coupon:	5.45%	• Maximum CDOs: ⁽³⁾	25%
• Weighted Average Floating Spread:	0.72%	• Maximum Weighted Average Life:	6.75 Years
• Maximum Weighted Average Rating: ⁽¹⁾	55 (Aa3/A1)	• Maximum Single Issuer Concentration:	2.00%
• Minimum Diversity Score: ⁽¹⁾	>=17	• Minimum Number of Obligors:	105
• Minimum Initial Rating at Purchase:	A3	• Maximum Obligations Rated Below Aaa:	65.0%
• Maximum Single Servicer Concentration:	7.5% ⁽²⁾	• Maximum Fixed Collateral:	20.0%
• Maximum Obligations rated "A1", "A2", "A3":	30.0%	• Maximum "A" Rated Issuer Concentration:	1.00%

- (1) Based on a WARF-Diversity Score matrix
(2) With some exceptions (yet to be determined)
(3) Minimum CDO rating is Aa3

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Why Invest in Structured Finance Securities?

Structured Finance Securities (including ABS, RMBS and CDOs) have historically exhibited lower default rates, higher recovery upon default and better rating stability than comparably rated corporate bonds. Consequently, CDOs consisting of Structured Finance Securities have outperformed other CDO types.⁽¹⁾

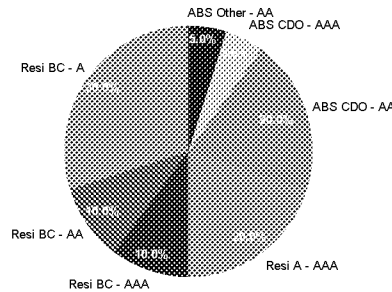
According to a recent Moody's study, the long-term historical average (1983-2003) of unchanged ratings of Structured Finance Securities and CDOs was 92.3%, which compares favorably to the 76.6% average of unchanged ratings of corporate bonds for the same period.⁽¹⁾

A Moody's study on recovery rates of Structured Finance Securities (including ABS, RMBS and CDOs) has concluded the following:⁽²⁾⁽³⁾

- Aa and A rated Structured Finance Securities have historically had an average recovery rate of 91% for bonds that have not matured⁽⁴⁾
- Aaa rated Structured Finance Securities have historically had an average recovery rate of 99% for bonds that have not matured⁽⁴⁾

(1) Structured Finance Rating Transitions, 1983-2003, Moody's Investors Service, February 2004
 (2) Moody's Investor Service, "Payment Defaults and Material Impairments of U.S. Structured Finance Securities, 1993-2002, December 2002."
 (3) Because losses on defaulted structured finance securities accumulate gradually over time, complete information about lifetime losses on defaulted securities is available only for those few (84 in total) defaults in the sample that have caused making their payments (i.e. paid down or written down defaults). Among the 84 defaults that have had zero outstanding balances, four were from CDOs, all of which were cured before their last payment date, and hence suffered zero lifetime cumulative losses.
 (4) Data for recovery rates as of December 31, 2002. Structured Finance Securities in this sample include securities that have not yet matured. These numbers are not intended to represent lifetime recovery rates. Cumulative recovery rates may decrease over time since losses on Structured Finance Securities accumulate gradually over time. Recovery rates computed by examining defaulted Structured Finance Securities that originated on or after January 1, 1993.

REPRESENTATIVE PORTFOLIO*



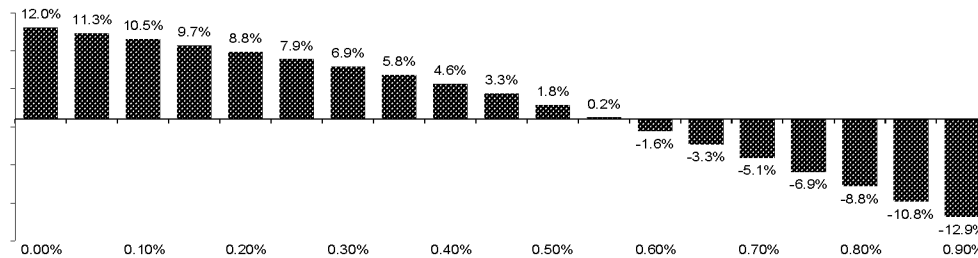
* For illustrative purposes only. Subject to change.

About Maxim Advisory LLC⁽¹⁾

- Maxim Advisory LLC ("Maxim"), has recently entered the Structured Finance asset management business focusing on Mortgage-backed securities ("MBS"), Asset-backed securities ("ABS"), and Collateralized Debt Obligations ("CDO"). Maxim is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Maxim Partners LLC and is a registered investment advisor under the Investment Advisers Act of 1940.
- Maxim intends to become an industry leader in the management of structured finance CDOs.
- Maxim employs investment professionals with extensive backgrounds and experience in Structured Finance. Their portfolio management and credit experience includes investing in the ABS/MBS/CDO sectors.
 - Jupiter High Grade CDO, Maxim's first CDO closed in December of 2004 for \$750MM
 - Jupiter High Grade CDO II, the second CDO advised by Maxim, will benefit from the expertise afforded by the entire Maxim Family.
- Maxim Group LLC ("MG"), a sister affiliate of Maxim Advisory LLC, will provide a wide range of financial expertise and services to enhance Maxim's management capabilities.
- MG will provide support services to Maxim in a variety of areas including operations, systems, control, and risk management.

(1) Source: Maxim, As of January 2005

PROJECTED IRR ON PREFERRED SHARES⁽²⁾⁽³⁾



BREAKEVEN DEFAULT RATES⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾⁽³⁾⁽⁴⁾

Class Description (Moody's/S&P/Fitch)	Based on a Break in Yield		Based on 0% Yield	
	Annual Default Rate	Cumulative Gross Defaults	Annual Default Rate	Cumulative Gross Defaults
Class A-1 First Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Delayed Draw Notes Aaa/AAA/AAA	8.6%	39.4%	24.8%	74.3%
Class A-2 Second Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Notes Aaa/AAA/AAA	5.6%	27.9%	6.7%	32.7%
Class B Third Priority Senior Secured Floating Rate Notes Aa2/AJAA	2.9%	15.9%	4.0%	21.1%
Class C Fourth Priority Mezzanine Notes Baa2/BBB/BBB	1.1%	6.2%	1.8%	9.9%

(1) Break in yield is the default rate at which the first dollar loss occurs, and 0% yield is the default rate at which the cashflows over the life of the bond equal the initial investment.
 (2) Assumes no default lockout, 70% immediate recoveries, 0.73% WAS, 5.5% WAC and forward LIBOR.
 (3) Based on an auction call in 8 years.
 (4) Definitions and other terms will be fully described in the Offering Circular

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