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Blackstone Private Credit Fund (BCRED)

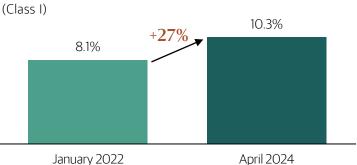
Backed by Blackstone's premier credit platform, BCRED offers an income-focused and defensively positioned private credit solution to investors.

10.3% annualized distribution rate (Class I) ⁽¹⁾	97% senior secured debt ⁽²⁾	\$52.5B total assets ⁽³⁾			
Income-Focused	Defensively Positione	red loans	Premier Platform		
Seeks high current income	Focused on senior secu		Backed by the world's largest		
in all market conditions ⁽⁴⁾	with structural protecti		alternatives asset manager ⁽⁵⁾		

Distributions

Share Class	April Distribution Amount	Annualized Distribution Rate ⁽¹⁾
Class I	\$0.2200	10.3%
Class S	\$0.2020	9.5%
Class D	\$0.2147	10.1%

Annualized Distribution Rate Growth⁽¹⁾⁽⁶⁾



Performance*

Total Net Returns (% Net of Fees, except as noted)⁽⁷⁾

Share Class		March	YTD	1-Year	3-Year	ITD
Class I		1.2%	3.1%	14.1%	9.9%	10.4%
Class 5	No Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions	1.1%	2.9%	13.2%	9.0%	9.4%
Class S	With Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions	-2.4%	-0.7%	9.2%	7.7%	8.2%
Class D	No Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions	1.2%	3.0%	13.9%		9.5%
Class D	With Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions	-0.3%	1.5%	12.1%		9.0%

Note: All figures as of March 31, 2024, unless otherwise noted. Although certain loans in which the Fund may invest will be secured by collateral, there can be no assurance that such collateral could be readily liquidated or that the liquidation of such collateral would satisfy the borrower's obligation in the event of non-payment of scheduled interest or principal. Distribution rates are not performance; details regarding distribution rate calculations can be found in the Endnotes section of this document. Performance shown reflects total return based on changes in net asset value (NAV) per Common Share and assumes reinvested distributions. The NAV of the Fund per Common Share is determined by dividing the total assets of the Fund (the value of the Fund's portfolio investments and other assets, less any liabilities), by the total number of common shares of beneficial interest ("Common Shares") of each share class outstanding, rounded to two decimal places. The Fund's distribution rate may be affected by numerous factors, including, but not limited to, changes in realized and estimated market returns, Fund performance, and other factors. There can be no assurance that a change in market conditions or other factors will not result in a change in the Fund distribution rate at a future time. Distributions may be composed of ordinary income, net capital gains, and/or a return of capital (ROC) of your investment in the Fund. Because the distribution rate may include a ROC, it should not be confused with yield or income. In accordance with generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"), the Fund estimates that 100% of the distribution rate's tax character will be made on Form 1099 DIV sent to shareholders each January. This is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of a distribution with the prospectus in order to understand fully all of the implications and risks of the offering to which this sales and advertising literature relates. **Past performance does not predict future returns, and there can be no assu**

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Portfolio Snapshot

Total Asset Value ⁽³⁾	\$52.5B
Net Asset Value ⁽⁸⁾	\$31.OB
NAV Per Share	\$25.51
Average Monthly Fund Leverage ⁽⁹⁾	0.8x
Inception Date	January 2021

Average Issuer EBITDA ⁽¹⁰⁾	\$223M
Average Issuer Loan-to-Value ⁽¹¹⁾	44%
Number of Positions	501
Number of Industries	51

Asset Allocation⁽¹²⁾

Top 5 Industries (at FMV)⁽¹³⁾



Blackstone Credit & Insurance

Scale is a key factor in Credit

- One of the largest alternative credit managers⁽¹⁴⁾ with a powerful origination platform
- A differentiated lender, providing solutions and expertise beyond capital to create value for companies
- Ability to leverage knowledge and global insights of the Blackstone platform

Proven track record across market cycles

- Highly selective underwriting focused on principal protection⁽¹⁵⁾ and strong risk-adjusted returns
- Extensive experience and focused on sectors with strong tailwinds and larger companies⁽¹⁶⁾
- Strong historical performance of \$100B invested in Direct Lending with 0.09% of realized losses⁽¹⁷⁾

\$330B in AUM⁽¹⁸⁾ ~20 years investing in US direct lending

total illustrative value created across the BXCI portfolio⁽¹⁹⁾ **\$220M**+ revenue⁽²⁰⁾ generated across the BXCI portfolio companies

Blackstone products are subject to the risk of capital loss and investors may not get back the amount originally invested. Some of the investments may be considered to have speculative characteristics. See Summary of Risk Factors for more information.

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Performance Summary*

		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	YTD
	2024	1.0%	0.9%	1.2%										3.1%
Class I	2023	1.9%	0.8%	0.6%	1.2%	0.4%	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	0.7%	1.0%	1.5%	14.4%
	2022	0.7%	0.2%	0.8%	0.4%	-1.2%	-1.2%	1.6%	1.4%	-1.3%	0.7%	1.3%	0.3%	3.6%
	2021	1.5%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	1.4%	1.2%	0.6%	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	0.6%	1.0%	12.6%
	2024	0.9%	0.9%	1.1%										2.9%
Class S	2023	1.8%	0.7%	0.5%	1.2%	0.3%	1.2%	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	0.6%	1.0%	1.4%	13.4%
(No Upfront Placement Fee)	2022	0.6%	0.1%	0.7%	0.4%	-1.3%	-1.3%	1.5%	1.3%	-1.4%	0.6%	1.2%	0.2%	2.7%
	2021	1.4%	0.9%	1.0%	0.9%	1.4%	1.1%	0.6%	0.8%	0.8%	0.7%	0.5%	0.9%	11.6%
	2024	0.9%	0.9%	1.2%										3.0%
Class D	2023	1.9%	0.8%	0.6%	1.2%	0.3%	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	1.6%	0.7%	1.0%	1.5%	14.1%
(No Upfront Placement Fee)	2022	0.7%	0.1%	0.7%	0.4%	-1.2%	-1.2%	1.6%	1.4%	-1.3%	0.7%	1.3%	0.3%	3.3%
	2021	-	-	-	-	1.4%	1.1%	0.6%	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	0.6%	1.0%	7.4%

Fees and Expenses

Share Class Specific Fees	Class I	Class D	Class S
Availability		(wrap) programs, registered and other institutional and	Through transactional / brokerage accounts
Upfront Placement Fee ⁽²¹⁾	None	Up to 1.5%	Up to 3.5%
Distribution / Servicing Fee (per annum, payable monthly)	None	0.25%	0.85%

Advisor Fees	
Management Fee	1.25% per annum of NAV, payable monthly
Incentive Fee	 12.5% of net investment income (subject to 5% hurdle rate and catch-up) paid quarterly 12.5% of realized gains net of realized and unrealized losses

 $^{^{\}ast}$ $\,$ See "Use of Leverage" in the Important Disclosure Information for more information.

End Notes

- Annualized Distribution Rate reflects April's distribution annualized and divided by last reported NAV from March. Distributions are not guaranteed. Past performance does not predict future returns. Distributions have been and may in the future be funded through sources other than cash flow. See BCRED's prospectus. Please visit the Shareholders page on BCRED's website for notices regarding distributions subject to Section 19(a) of the Investment Company Act of 1940. We cannot guarantee that we will make distributions. and if we do we may fund such distributions from sources other than cash flow from operations, including the sale of assets, borrowings, return of capital, or offering proceeds, and although we generally expect to fund distributions from cash flow from operations, we have not established limits on the amounts we may pay from such sources. As of March 31, 2024, 100% of inception to date distributions were funded from cash flows from operations. A return of capital (1) is a return of the original amount invested, (2) does not constitute earnings or profits and (3) will have the effect of reducing the basis such that when a shareholder sells its shares the sale may be subject to taxes even if the shares are sold for less than the original purchase price. Distributions may also be funded in significant part, directly or indirectly, from temporary waivers or expense reimbursements borne by Blackstone Credit BDC Advisors LLC (the "Adviser") or its affiliates, that may be subject to reimbursement to the Adviser or its affiliates. The repayment of any amounts owed to our affiliates will reduce future distributions to which you would otherwise be entitled.
- 2. As a percentage of BCRED's investment portfolio excluding equity investments in joint ventures, which have similar portfolio composition and underlying qualities.
- 3. Measured at fair market value.
- 4. There can be no assurance that any Blackstone fund or investment will achieve its objectives or avoid substantial losses.
- 5. Largest global alternative asset manager reflects Preqin data, as of December 31, 2023.
- 6. January 2022 reflects the period prior to the Federal Reserve's series of rate increases.
- Inception Date: January 7, 2021. Total Net Return is calculated as 7 the change in NAV per share during the period, plus distributions per share (assuming dividends and distributions are reinvested) divided by the beginning NAV per share. Returns greater than one year are annualized. All returns shown are derived from unaudited financial information and are net of all BCRED expenses, including general and administrative expenses, transaction related expenses, management fees, incentive fees, and share class specific fees, but exclude the impact of early repurchase deductions on the repurchase of shares that have been outstanding for less than one year. Past performance does not predict future returns. Class D and Class S listed as (With Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions) reflect the returns after the maximum upfront placement fees. Class D and Class S listed as (No Upfront Placement Fee or Brokerage Commissions) exclude upfront placement fees. Class I does not have upfront placement fees. The returns have been prepared using unaudited data and valuations of the underlying investments in BCRED's portfolio, which are estimates of fair value and form the basis for BCRED's NAV. Valuations based upon unaudited reports from the underlying investments may be subject to later adjustments, may not correspond to realized value and may not accurately reflect the price at which assets could be liquidated.
- Net Asset value is calculated as total assets (e.g., investments at fair market value, cash, trade receivables and other assets) less total liabilities (e.g., drawn leverage, unsettled trade payables and other liabilities) as determined in accordance with US GAAP.
- 9. The leverage has been calculated using the average daily borrowings during the month divided by average net assets.
- 10. As of December 31, 2023. Average LTM ("last-twelve-month") includes all private debt investments for which fair value is determined by BCRED's Board in conjunction with a third-party valuation firm and excludes quoted assets. Amounts are weighted on fair market value of each respective investment. Amounts were

derived from the most recently available portfolio company financial statements, have not been independently verified by BCRED, and may reflect a normalized or adjusted amount. Accordingly, BCRED makes no representation or warranty in respect of this information. EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure. For a particular portfolio company, LTM EBITDA is generally defined as net income before net interest expense, income tax expense, depreciation and amortization. Currency fluctuations may have an adverse effect on the value, price or income and costs of our portfolio companies and investments which may increase or decrease as a result of changes in exchange rates.

- 11. As of December 31, 2023. Average loan-to-value represents the net ratio of loan-to-value for each portfolio company, weighted based on the fair value of total applicable private debt investments. Loan-tovalue is calculated as the current total net debt through each respective loan tranche divided by the estimated enterprise value of the portfolio company as of the most recently available information. Includes all private debt investments for which fair value is determined by the Board of Trustees in conjunction with a thirdparty valuation firm and excludes quoted assets. Amounts are weighted on fair market value of each respective investment. Amounts were derived from the most recently available portfolio company financial statements, have not been independently verified by BCRED, and may reflect a normalized or adjusted amount. Accordingly, BCRED makes no representation or warranty in respect of this information. See BCRED's prospectus.
- 12. Measured as the fair market value of investments for each category against the total fair market value of all investments. Totals may not sum due to rounding. Unsecured debt is not shown and mounts to <0.1%.
- 13. Measured as the fair market value of investments for each category against the total fair market value of all investments. Totals may not sum due to rounding. BCRED's investment in joint ventures are excluded from the industry top 5.
- 14. Based on Blackstone Credit & Insurance analysis of company earnings presentations and calls, as of March 31, 2024, or latest publicly available data published by Blackstone Credit & Insurance's peers.
- 15. Blackstone products are subject to the risk of capital loss and investors may not get back the amount originally invested.
- 16. BCRED will generally invest in securities or loans rated below investment grade or not rated which should be considered to have speculative characteristics.
- As of December 31, 2023. Represents annualized net losses for 17. substantially realized investments. Whether an investment is substantially realized is determined in the manager's discretion. Investments are included in the loss rate if (1) a payment was missed, (2) bankruptcy was declared, (3) there was a restructuring, or (4) it was realized with a total multiple on invested capital less than 1.0x. Net losses include all profits and losses associated with these investments, including interest payments received. Net losses are represented in the year the investment is substantially realized and excludes all losses associated with unrealized investments. The annualized net loss rate is the net losses divided by the average annual remaining invested capital within the platform. Investments sourced by Blackstone Credit & Insurance for the Sub-Advised Investments did, in certain cases, experience defaults and losses after Blackstone Credit & Insurance was no longer sub-adviser, and such defaults and losses are not included in the rates provided. Prior to December 31, 2022, the methodology used by the North America Direct Lending track record for calculating the platform's average annual loss rate was based on net loss of principal resulting only from payment defaults in the year of default which would exclude interest payments. Past performance does not predict future returns, and there can be no assurance that Blackstone Credit & Insurance will achieve comparable results or that any entity or account managed by or advised by Blackstone Credit & Insurance will be able to implement its investment strategy or achieve its investment objectives.

End Notes (Continued)

- 18. As of March 31, 2024. Reflects Blackstone Credit & Insurance segment AUM.
- 19. Represents the sum of (a) estimated identified total cost reduction at the time cost is benchmarked with portfolio companies multiplied by the average enterprise value multiple across the portfolio, by finding the mean of the enterprise values at time of BXCI's initial investments, and (b) total revenue from BX program introductions multiplied by EBITDA margin and multiple at investment of the portfolio company. The number is presented for illustrative purposes and does not reflect actual realized proceeds to BXCI or to the equity sponsor or the company, and there can be no assurance that realized proceeds received by Blackstone or any investor in a Blackstone fund will be increased as a result.
- 20. Numbers presented are since inception of the Value Creation program in 2016. Data presented is based on internal Blackstone data recorded and not from financial statements of portfolio companies. Represents total contract value, including multi-year contracts.
- 21. No upfront sales load will be paid with respect to Class S shares, Class D shares or Class I shares, however, if you buy Class S shares or Class D shares through certain financial intermediaries, they may directly charge you transaction or other fees, including upfront placement fees or brokerage commissions, in such amount as they may determine, provided that selling agents limit such charges to a 1.5% cap on NAV for Class D shares and 3.5% cap on NAV for Class S shares. Selling agents will not charge such fees on Class I shares.

Summary of Risk Factors

Blackstone Private Credit Fund ("BCRED" or the "Fund") is a nonexchange traded business development company ("BDC") that expects to invest at least 80% of its total assets (net assets plus borrowings for investment purposes) in private credit investments (loans, bonds and other credit instruments that are issued in private offerings or issued by private companies). This investment involves a high degree of risk. You should purchase these securities only if you can afford the complete loss of your investment. You should read the prospectus carefully for a description of the risks associated with an investment in BCRED. These risks include, but are not limited to, the following:

- We have limited prior operating history and there is no assurance that we will achieve our investment objectives.
- This is a "blind pool" offering and thus you will not have the opportunity to evaluate our investments before we make them.
- You should not expect to be able to sell your shares regardless of how we perform.
- You should consider that you may not have access to the money you invest for an extended period of time.
- We do not intend to list our shares on any securities exchange, and we do not expect a secondary market in our shares to develop prior to any listing.
- Because you may be unable to sell your shares, you will be unable to reduce your exposure in any market downturn.
- We have implemented a share repurchase program, but only a limited number of shares will be eligible for repurchase and repurchases will be subject to available liquidity and other significant restrictions.
- An investment in our Common Shares is not suitable for you if you need access to the money you invest. See "Suitability Standards" and "Share Repurchase Program" in the prospectus.
- You will bear substantial fees and expenses in connection with your investment. See "Fees and Expenses" in the prospectus.
- We cannot guarantee that we will make distributions, and if we do we may fund such distributions from sources other than cash flow from operations, including the sale of assets, borrowings, return of capital or offering proceeds, and although we generally expect to fund distributions from cash flow from operations, we have not established limits on the amounts we may pay from such sources.
- Distributions may also be funded in significant part, directly or indirectly, from temporary waivers or expense reimbursements borne by Blackstone Credit BDC Advisors LLC ("the Adviser") or its affiliates, that may be subject to reimbursement to the Adviser or its affiliates. The repayment of any amounts owed to our affiliates will reduce future distributions to which you would otherwise be entitled.
- We use and continue to expect to use leverage, which will magnify the potential for loss on amounts invested in us.
- We intend to invest in securities that are rated below investment grade by rating agencies or that would be rated below investment grade if they were rated. Below investment grade securities, which are often referred to as "junk," have predominantly speculative characteristics with respect to the issuer's capacity to pay interest and repay principal. They may also be illiquid and difficult to value.
- We do not own the Blackstone name, but we are permitted to use it as part of our corporate name pursuant to the investment advisory agreement between BCRED and an affiliate of Blackstone Inc. ("Blackstone"). Use of the name by other parties or the termination of the use of the Blackstone name under the investment advisory agreement may harm our business.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities regulator has approved or disapproved of these securities or determined if the prospectus is truthful or complete. Any representation to the contrary is unlawful.

This sales material must be read in conjunction with the BCRED prospectus in order to fully understand all the implications and risks of an investment in BCRED. This sales material is neither an offer to sell nor a solicitation of an offer to buy securities.

An offering is made only by the prospectus, which must be made available to you prior to making a purchase of shares and is available at www.BCRED.com. An investor should consider the investment objectives, risks, and charges and expenses of BCRED carefully before investing. Prior to making an investment, investors should read the prospectus, including the "Risk Factors" section therein, which contains a discussion of the risks and uncertainties that we believe are material to our business, operating results, prospects and financial condition.

Numerical data is approximate and as of March 31, 2024, unless otherwise noted. The words "we", "us", and "our" refer to BCRED, unless the context requires otherwise.

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Although certain loans in which the Fund may invest will be secured by collateral, there can be no assurance that such collateral could be readily liquidated or that the liquidation of such collateral would satisfy the borrower's obligation in the event of non-payment of scheduled interest or principal.

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Blackstone Proprietary Data. Certain information and data provided herein is based on Blackstone proprietary knowledge and data. Portfolio companies may provide proprietary market data to Blackstone, including about local market supply and demand conditions, current market rents and operating expenses, capital expenditures, and valuations for multiple assets. Such proprietary market data is used by Blackstone to evaluate market trends as well as to underwrite potential and existing investments. While Blackstone currently believes that such information is reliable for purposes used herein, it is subject to change, and reflects Blackstone's opinion as to whether the amount, nature and quality of the data is sufficient for the applicable conclusion, and no representations are made as to the accuracy or completeness thereof.

Conflicts of Interest. There may be occasions when a Fund's general partner and/or the investment advisor, and their affiliates will encounter potential conflicts of interest in connection with such Fund's activities including, without limitation, the allocation of investment opportunities, relationships with Blackstone's and its affiliates' investment banking and advisory clients, and the diverse interests of such Fund's limited partner group. There can be no assurance that Blackstone will identify, mitigate, or resolve all conflicts of interest in a manner that is favorable to the Fund.

Exchange Rate. Currency fluctuations may have an adverse effect on the value, price, income or costs of the product which may increase or decrease as a result of changes in exchange rates.

Recent Market Events Risk. Local, regional, or global events such as war (e.g., Russia/Ukraine), acts of terrorism, public health issues like pandemics or (e.g., COVID-19), recessions, or other economic, political and global macro factors and events could lead to a substantial economic downturn or recession in the U.S. and global economies and have a significant impact on the Fund and its investments. The recovery from such downturns is uncertain and may last for an extended period of time or result in significant volatility, and many of the risks discussed herein associated with an investment in the Fund may be increased.

The North America Direct Lending Track Record. Represents U.S. and Canada first lien and unitranche debt or non-U.S. first lien and unitranche debt where >50% of the revenue is generated from the U.S. (which may be secured by the applicable borrower's assets and/or equity) transactions in companies that were originated or anchored by certain Blackstone Credit & Insurance managed, advised or sub-advised funds (including the Fund, Blackstone Credit & Insurance managed mezzanine funds and Blackstone Credit & Insurance sub-advised BDCs, as well as certain other Blackstone Credit & Insurance managed funds and accounts) and, with respect to certain transactions, investments allocated to affiliates of Blackstone Credit & Insurance, which may be sold to Blackstone Credit & Insurance managed funds or accounts in the future (the "North America Direct Lending track record"). The track record includes investments for periods prior to December 31, 2017, in BDCs that were sub-advised by Blackstone Credit & Insurance on a nondiscretionary basis until April 9, 2018 (the "Sub-Advised Investments"). With respect to certain transactions, the North America Direct Lending track record includes free equity and/or warrants that accompanied the debt financings, as well as any loans or securities into which the applicable first lien and unitranche debt may have been restructured subsequent to Blackstone Credit & Insurance's initial investment. The North America Direct Lending track record excludes (i) broadly syndicated, mezzanine, second lien and equity (other than the aforementioned free equity and/or warrants or securities issued upon restructuring) transactions, among others and (ii) transactions where Blackstone Credit & Insurance's invested capital (net of transactions fees) was under \$25 million.

Use of Leverage. The Fund intends to borrow money. If returns on such investment exceed the costs of borrowing, investor returns will be enhanced. However, if returns do not exceed the costs of borrowing, Fund performance will be depressed. This includes the potential for the Underlying Fund to suffer greater losses than it otherwise would have. The effect of leverage is that any losses will be magnified. The use of leverage involves a high degree of financial risk and will increase BCRED's exposure to adverse economic factors such as rising interest rates, downturns in the economy or deteriorations in the condition of the Investments. This leverage may also subject BCRED and its Investments to restrictive financial and operating covenants, which may limit flexibility in responding to changing business and economic conditions. For example, leveraged entities may be subject to restrictions on making interest payments and other distributions.