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Value Line Fund, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

7 Times Square, New York, N.Y. 10036 (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 212-907-1900

Date of fiscal year end: December 31, 2013

Date of reporting period: December 31, 2013

### Item I Reports to Stockholders

A copy of the Annual Report to Stockholders for the period ended 12/31/13 is included with this Form.

Annual Report December 31, 2013

Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. (VALSX)

The Value Line Fund, Inc. (VLIFX)

Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. (VALIX)

Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. (VALLX)

Value Line Core Bond Fund (VAGIX)

This audited report is issued for information to shareholders. It is not authorized for distribution to prospective investors unless preceded or accompanied by a currently effective prospectus of the Fund (obtainable from the Distributor).

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#### President's Letter (unaudited)

#### Dear Fellow Shareholders:

We are pleased to present you with this annual report for Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. and Value Line Core Bond Fund (individually, a "Fund" and collectively, the "Funds") for the 12 months ended December 31, 2013. We are especially excited to present this annual report in its new format, revised to be more informative, more useful and more reader-friendly.

The 12 months ended December 31, 2013 were rewarding ones for the equity and hybrid Value Line Funds but challenging ones for the fixed income Value Line Funds, as investors generally focused on the economic recovery despite persistent volatility. At the same time, the annual period was highlighted by several of the Funds being recognized for their long-term performance.

Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. outpaced its peers for the three-, five- and ten-year periods ended December 31, 2013, as noted by leading independent mutual fund advisory service Lipper Inc.1 (multi-cap growth category). Lipper also awarded its top Lipper Leader rating of 5 to the Fund for Preservationi versus its peers as of December 31, 2013. Additionally, the Fund earned an Overall four-star rating from Morningstar2 in the mid-cap growth category among 638 funds as of December 31, 2013 based on risk-adjusted returns. Morningstar gave the Fund a Risk rating of Below Average.ii

The Value Line Fund, Inc. was named a Lipper Leader1 for overall Preservation versus its peers as of December 2013.iii

Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. outpaced its peers for the three-, five- and ten-year periods ended December 31, 2013, as noted by Lipper Inc.1 (mixed-asset target allocation moderate category). The Fund also earned an Overall four- star rating from Morningstar2 in the moderate allocation category among 739 funds as of December 31, 2013 based on risk- adjusted returns.iv The Fund, along with Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., was featured in various national publications for its consistent performance over multiple time periods.

Also a highlight of the annual period was Value Line Core Bond Fund transitioning to a new, more efficient strategy. Value Line Core Bond Fund, having changed its strategy to be a broad-based intermediate-term investment grade bond fund in December 2012, enjoyed significantly increased assets with the merger of the Value Line U.S. Government Securities Fund, Inc. into the Fund in March 2013. The Fund has already begun to realize the benefits of a larger, more efficiently managed fund, and the investment adviser, EULAV Asset Management (the "Adviser") permanently reduced the management fee in February 2013.

On the following pages, the Funds' portfolio managers discuss the management of their respective Funds over the annual period. The discussions highlight key factors influencing recent performance of the Funds. You will also find a schedule of investments and financial statements for each of the Funds.

Before reviewing the performance of your individual mutual fund investment, we encourage you to take a brief look at the major factors affecting the financial markets over the 12 months ended December 31, 2013, especially given the newsworthy events of the year. With the exciting developments and performance results of the Funds during 2013, we also invite you to take this time to consider a broader diversification strategy by including additional Value Line

Funds, which you can read about on the following pages, in your investment portfolio.

#### **Economic Review**

U.S. real Gross Domestic Product (GDP) was lackluster with growth in the first half of 2013 at less than 2% in the first and second calendar quarters. The U.S. economy faced strong headwinds, including increases in the payroll tax and disruptions from the sequester budget cuts. Third quarter GDP, however, turned sharply upward, coming in at 4.1%, as boosted by higher consumer spending, increased business investment and rising inventories. Estimates for fourth quarter GDP suggest the U.S. economy may have ended the year with more momentum than had been anticipated.

Despite the growing economy, inflation remained modest. Consumer prices stayed in check, with the Consumer Price Index (CPI) rising just 1.5% before seasonal adjustment. Limited wage growth and declining energy prices contributed to the relatively benign inflation scenario. The U.S. also saw moderate job growth, as reflected in a drop in unemployment from 7.8% at the close of 2012 to 6.7% at the close of 2013. The makeup of job growth, however, was somewhat disappointing, with hiring generally concentrated in sectors representative of low-wage jobs.

In recognition of the improving U.S. economy, the Federal Reserve (the "Fed") had ongoing—and well-publicized—discussions throughout the year about the possibility of reducing its monthly bond-buying program. Speculation about the timing and magnitude of the tapering had a great impact on both the equity and fixed income markets. Ultimately, Fed Chair Ben Bernanke kept the focus on key market data as the basis for the decision on tapering. As unemployment dropped close to the Fed's stated target of 6.5%, the Fed finally announced in December 2013 that it would modestly reduce its monthly bond purchases—from \$85 billion to \$75 billion—beginning in January 2014. At the same time, the Fed reaffirmed its commitment to maintaining low short-term interest rates, with the targeted federal funds rate not likely to exceed 0.25%. At the end of the annual period, the appointment of Janet Yellen as new Fed Chair was seen by the financial markets as likely to not steer the Fed too far off the course set by Ben Bernanke.

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### **Equity Market Review**

U.S. equities, as measured by the S&P 500® Index3, posted robust double-digit gains for 2013, supported by a significantly stronger real estate market, steady growth in manufacturing and a modest drop in the national unemployment rate.

Stocks began the year strong upon the announcement of a partial bi-partisan deal regarding the federal budget, debt ceiling and government shutdown—which drove a generally steady climb through May 2013. The S&P 500® Index subsequently dropped between the end of May and the end of June, as fears of over-bought conditions, an imminent end to the quantitative easing program by the Fed and worries over second quarter corporate earnings arose. The U.S. equity market snapped back to post solid gains after reasonably good earnings reports and what were perceived as dovish words by Fed members that eased investors' concerns. A notable acceleration in market appreciation occurred in early October in response to the Fed's surprise announcement in September that it would not yet begin tapering its asset purchases. This announcement combined with improving employment reports to drive the S&P 500® Index higher between early October and the end of December. Also boosting the U.S. equity market's gain at the end of the annual period was the Fed's announcement, ending seven months of speculation, that it would finally but gradually begin to taper its asset purchases in January 2014. A particularly notable catalyst for the U.S. equity market during the annual period was the expansion of the price/earnings multiple investors were willing to pay, as the price/earnings multiple of the S&P 500® Index expanded from 14x to 17x by the end of December 2013. The S&P 500® Index posted 45 new all-time closing highs in 2013, including a new closing high on the final day of trading. The last time the Index closed the year with a new high was in 1999.

All ten sectors of the S&P 500® Index posted positive double-digit absolute performance for the year, with the consumer discretionary, health care and industrials sectors leading the way. Telecommunication services and utilities, both traditionally considered defensive sectors, were the weakest sectors during the annual period.

#### Fixed Income Market Review

The broad U.S. fixed income market, as measured by the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index4, posted negative returns during the annual period. The U.S. fixed income market faced several headwinds, including speculation of the Fed tapering its bond-buying program and Congressional discord resulting in protracted budget disputes and a partial U.S. government shutdown for 16 days. Economic indicators, while mixed, were generally improving during the year.

Against this backdrop, interest rates rose across the spectrum of maturities, but most dramatically in the intermediate segment of the yield curve. The rise in interest rates helped propel investor demand for investment grade and high yield corporate bonds at the expense of owning U.S. Treasuries. In turn, spread, or non-U.S. Treasury, sectors of the U.S. fixed income market were the best performers in the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index during the annual period. Generally speaking, lower quality bonds outpaced higher quality bonds, as investors sought yield amidst the underlying support of a growing economy. U.S. Treasuries posted negative returns overall.

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We thank you for trusting us to be a part of your long-term, comprehensive investment strategy. We appreciate your confidence in the Value Line Funds and look forward to serving your investment needs in the years ahead just as we have been helping to secure generations' financial futures for more than 60 years—based on solid fundamentals, sound

investment principles and the power of disciplined and rigorous analytics. If you have any questions or would like additional information on these or other Value Line Funds, we invite you to contact your investment representative or visit us at www.vlfunds.com.

Sincerely,

/s/ Mitchell Appel
Mitchell Appel
President of the Value Line Funds

Past performance does not guarantee future results. Investment return and principal value of an investment can fluctuate so that an investor's shares, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than their original cost; and that current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data quoted. Investors should carefully consider the investment objective, risks, charges and expense of a fund. This and other important information about a fund is contained in the fund's prospectus. A copy of our funds' prospectuses can be obtained free of charge by going to our website at www.vlfunds.com or calling 800.243.2729.

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Lipper Leader ratings are derived from highly sophisticated formulas that analyze funds against clearly defined criteria. Funds are compared to similar funds, and only those that trust stand out are awarded Lipper Leader status. Funds are ranked against their peers on each of four measures: Total Return, Consistent Return, Preservation and Expense. A fifth measure, Tax Efficiency, applies in the United States. Scores are subject to change every month and are calculated for the following periods: 3-year, 5-year, 10-year and overall. The overall calculation is based on an equal-weighted average of percentile ranks for each measure over 3-year, 5-year and 10-year periods (if applicable). For each measure, the highest 20% of funds in each peer group are named Lipper Leaders. The next 20% receive a rating of 4: the middle 20% are rated 3: the next 20% are rated 2; and the lowest 20% are rated 1.

For Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.: Preservation 5 rating for 3-year (10,671 funds); 5-year (9,050 funds) and overall (10,671 funds) periods ended December 31, 2013; 4 rating for 10-year (5,264 funds) period ended

December 31, 2013.

For The Value Line Fund, Inc.: overall Preservation (10,671 funds); 3-year 5 rating (10,671 funds); 5-year 5 rating (9,050 funds) and 10-year 3 rating

(5,264 funds) periods ended December 31, 2013.

2 The Morningstar RatingTM for funds methodology rates funds based on an enhanced Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return measure, which also accounts for the effects of all sales charges, loads, or redemption fees. Funds are ranked by their Morningstar Risk-Adjusted Return scores and stars are assigned using the following scale: 5 stars for top 10%; 4 starts next 22.5%; 3 stars next 35%; 2 stars next 22.5%; 1 star for bottom 10%. Funds are rated for up to three periods: the trailing three-, five- and 10-years. For a fund that does not change categories during the evaluation period, the overall rating is calculated using the following weights: At least 3 years, but less than 5 years uses 100% three-year rating. At least 5 years but less than 10 years uses 60% five-year ratings/40% three-year rating. At least 10 years uses 50% ten-year rating/30% five-year rating/20% three-year rating.

For Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.: Four-star rating for 3-year (638 funds), 10 year (416 funds) and Overall (638 funds) periods and of

funds), 10-year (416 funds) and Overall (638 funds) periods ended December 31, 2013; 5-year period ended December 31, 2013 3 stars/548 funds). Morningstar Risk: Below Average for the 5-year, 10-year and Overall periods ended December 31, 2013; Low for the 3- year period ended

December 31, 2013.

For Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.: Overall four-star rating (739 funds); 3-year 3 stars (739 funds), 5-year 3 stars (674 funds), 10-year 5 stars (422 funds) for periods ended December 31, 2013. All in the moderate

allocation category.

3 The S&P 500® Index consists of 500 stocks that are traded on the New York Stock Exchange, American Stock Exchange and the NASDAQ national Market System and is representative of the broad stock market. This is an unmanaged index and does not reflect charges, expenses or taxes, and it is not possible to directly invest in this index.

The Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based benchmark that measures the investment grade, U.S. dollar- denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market, including U.S. Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-throughs), ABS and CMBS. This is an unmanaged index and does reflect charges, expenses or taxes, which are deducted from the Fund's return. It is not possible to directly invest in this index.

#### VALUE LINE PREMIER GROWTH FUND, INC.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund primarily seeks long-term growth of capital.

To achieve the Fund's goal, the Fund's investment adviser invests at least 80% of the Fund's net assets in a diversified portfolio of U.S. equity securities with favorable growth prospects. In selecting securities for purchase or sale, the Adviser generally analyzes the issuer of a security using fundamental factors such as growth potential and earnings estimates and quantitative factors such as historical earnings, earnings momentum and price momentum. The Fund may invest in small, mid or large capitalization companies, including foreign companies. There are no set limitations of investments according to a company's size, or to a sector weighting.

### Manager Discussion of Fund Performance

Below, Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. portfolio manager Stephen E. Grant discusses the Fund's performance and positioning for the 12 months ended December 31, 2013.

How did the Fund perform during the annual period?

The Fund generated a total return of 26.56% during the 12 months ended December 31, 2013. This compares to the 32.39% return of the Fund's benchmark, the S&P 500® Index, during the same period.

What key factors were responsible for the Fund's performance during the 12-month reporting period?

While the Fund generated robust double-digit absolute gains, its underperformance of the S&P 500® Index during the 12-month reporting period can be attributed primarily to stock selection. Sector allocation overall was effective.

Which equity market sectors most significantly affected Fund performance?

Stock selection in the financials, health care, consumer staples and consumer discretionary sectors detracted from the Fund's performance most during the annual period. In financials, an underweighted exposure to the strongly performing insurance industry hurt most. In health care, a lesser exposure than the S&P 500® Index to the strongly performing biotechnology industry particularly dampened results. In consumer staples, holdings of select foreign companies, via American Depositary Receipts (ADRs), proved disappointing. In consumer discretionary, we missed the rallies in select stocks that performed well. (An ADR is a negotiable certificate issued by a U.S. bank representing a specified number of shares in a foreign stock that is traded on a U.S. exchange.) Holding an average 3% position in cash during a period when the U.S. equity market rallied also hurt.

Partially offsetting these detractors were the positive contributions made by effective stock selection in the information technology sector, having an overweighted allocation in the strongly performing industrials sector, and both stock selection in and having an underweighted allocation to the lagging energy sector.

Which stocks detracted significantly from the Fund's performance during the annual period?

During the annual period, among the stocks that detracted most from the Fund's relative performance were several foreign banks, including Colombia's Bancolombia, India's HDFC Bank, Brazil's Itau Unibanco Holding and Chile's Banco de Chile. In health care, overweighted positions in laggards such as cardiovascular device manufacturer Edwards Lifesciences, pharmacy benefits management services provider Catamaran and surgical systems manufacturer Intuitive Surgical detracted. In consumer discretionary, we missed the rallies in online retailer Amazon.com, online travel company priceline.com, entertainment subscription company Netflix and entertainment giant The Walt Disney Company, and thus these positions detracted on a relative basis.

What were some of the Fund's best-performing individual stocks?

Among the individual stocks that contributed most to the Fund's relative results were two sizable positions in the information technology sector—namely, Alliance Data Systems, which provides data-driven and transaction-based marketing and customer loyalty solutions, and MasterCard, which is a global payment solutions company that provides a variety of services in support of the credit, debt and related payment programs of financial institutions. Avoiding several laggards in the information technology sector, such as Apple, IBM and Oracle, also boosted the Fund's results.

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Several Fund positions in the industrials sector added value. Top contributors in the sector were human resources firm Towers Watson, rail transportation equipment manufacturer Wabtec, inland tank barge fleet operator Kirby and renewable energy equipment manufacturer EnerSys.

In the energy sector, a position in Core Laboratories was an outstanding performer. Core Laboratories provides reservoir description, production enhancement and reservoir management services for oil and gas producers.

How did the Fund use derivatives and similar instruments during the reporting period?

The Fund did not use derivatives during the reporting period.

Did the Fund make any significant purchases or sales during the fiscal year?

During the fiscal year, we initiated a Fund position in Chevron. Whereas this large integrated oil company had inconsistent results prior to 2003, over the past decade it has demonstrated the ability to consistently grow its earnings and stock price. We added to the Fund's long-time position in supplemental insurance company Aflac because it came through the 2008-09 world financial crisis in good shape and because we believe the company is now back on track to add to its long-term record of consistent growth in its earnings and stock price. In each case, we purchased shares as a dip in their respective share prices offered what we believed to be an attractive entry point.

A Fund position in Warnaco Group was eliminated because the company was acquired by PVH, combining to form one of the largest global branded lifestyle apparel companies in the world, with a diversified portfolio of brands, including Calvin Klein, Tommy Hilfiger, Van Heusen, IZOD, ARROW, Bass, Speedo, Olga and Warner's. We sold the Fund's position in food retailer Harris Teeter Supermarkets after its stock rose in response to a takeover bid by competitor Kroger.

Were there any notable changes in the Fund's weightings during the 12-month period?

There were no material changes in the Fund's sector weightings during the 12-month period ended December 31, 2013.

How was the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

As of December 31, 2013, the Fund was overweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the industrials and materials sectors. The Fund was underweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the energy, financials and information technology sectors and rather neutrally weighted relative to the Index in the consumer discretionary, consumer staples, health care, utilities, telecommunication services sectors on the same date.

What is your tactical view and strategy for the months ahead?

Calendar year 2013 saw lower quality stocks outperform higher quality stocks, as investors became more bold and more confident in the economy and the financial system. Speculative stocks, such as those of biotechnology companies, and Initial Public Offerings, such as those of Facebook and Twitter, outperformed the broad U.S. equity market, along with the more cyclical, economically-sensitive stocks. Lagging were the more consistent, "steady-eddy," long-term growth stocks in which we traditionally invest, i.e., those companies that have established strongholds in their market or market niche through proprietary products or services, which, in our view, gives them greater control

of their own destiny and makes them less subject to ups and downs of the economy. We consider the Fund's underperformance of the S&P 500® Index in 2013 as part of the natural ebb and flow of the market, as the lower quality stocks that performed poorly in 2011 and 2012 regained some ground. We do not know whether the trends of 2013 will continue into the new year, but, regardless of market trends and conditions, we do not intend to vary from our strategy of investing in high quality securities with a long-term perspective. Our portfolio turnover and trading costs have remained lower than many of our peers, as we have patience with a consistent grower until a change in the company's strategy or its earnings and stock performance give solid reason to sell.

As always, we intend to stay true to our time-tested investment discipline going forward.

## Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. Portfolio Highlights at December 31, 2013 (unaudited)

## Ten Largest Holdings

		Percentage
		of
Shares	Value	Net Assets
8,600	\$ 7,184,956	1.8 %
60,000	5,232,000	1.3 %
19,400	5,100,842	1.3 %
96,750	5,095,822	1.3 %
37,800	5,029,668	1.3 %
36,000	4,992,480	1.2 %
17,800	4,793,540	1.2 %
650,000	4,777,500	1.2 %
61,000	4,709,200	1.2 %
21,000	4,554,480	1.1 %
	8,600 60,000 19,400 96,750 37,800 36,000 17,800 650,000 61,000	8,600 \$ 7,184,956 60,000 5,232,000 19,400 5,100,842 96,750 5,095,822 37,800 5,029,668 36,000 4,992,480 17,800 4,793,540 650,000 4,777,500 61,000 4,709,200

Asset Allocation – Percentage of Net Assets

Sector Weightings – Percentage of Total Investment Securities\*

<sup>\*</sup>Sector weightings exclude short-term investments.

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The following graph compares the performance of the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. to that of the S&P 500 Index (the "Index"). The Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. is a professionally managed mutual fund, while the Index is not available for investment and is unmanaged. The returns for the Index do not reflect charges, expenses or taxes but do include the reinvestment of dividends. The comparison is shown for illustrative purposes only.

Comparison of a Change in Value of a \$10,000 Investment in the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. and the S&P 500 Index\*

Performance Data: \*\*

	Average Annual	Growth of an Assumed
	Total Return	Investment of \$10,000
1 year ended 12/31/13	26.56 %	\$12,656
5 years ended 12/31/13	20.20 %	\$25,096
10 years ended 12/31/13	10.02 %	\$25,976

- \* The Standard and Poor's 500 Index is an unmanaged index that is representative of the larger-capitalization stocks traded in the United States.
- \*\* The performance data quoted represent past performance and are no guarantee of future performance. The average annual total returns and growth of an assumed investment of \$10,000 include dividends reinvested and capital gains distributions accepted in shares. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investment, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than its original cost. The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

# Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. Schedule of Investments

Shares		V	alue
COMMON STOCKS (98.6%)			
	CONCLUMED DISCORPETIONA DV. (10.20)		
0.400	CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (10.3%)	Φ	4.014.606
8,400	AutoZone, Inc. *	\$	4,014,696
56,000	BorgWarner, Inc.		3,130,960
40,000	Brinker International, Inc.		1,853,600
10,500	Buckle, Inc. (The) (1)		551,880
36,000	Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.		2,091,600
23,800	Domino's Pizza, Inc.		1,657,670
23,000	Genuine Parts Co.		1,913,370
15,200	Gildan Activewear, Inc. (1)		810,312
27,000	Johnson Controls, Inc.		1,385,100
112,000	LKQ Corp. *		3,684,800
24,000	McDonald's Corp.		2,328,720
27,000	NIKE, Inc. Class B		2,123,280
18,000	O'Reilly Automotive, Inc. *		2,316,780
13,000	Penn National Gaming, Inc. *		186,290
40,000	Starbucks Corp.		3,135,600
68,600	TJX Companies, Inc. (The)		4,371,878
21,600	VF Corp.		1,346,544
33,600	Wolverine World Wide, Inc.		1,141,056
44,000	Yum! Brands, Inc.		3,326,840
			41,370,976
	CONSUMER STAPLES (8.9%)		
650,000	AMBEV S.A. ADR		4,777,500
71,000	BRF S.A. ADR (1)		1,481,770
17,000	British American Tobacco PLC ADR		1,826,140
21,300	Brown-Forman Corp. Class B		1,609,641
24,000	Bunge Ltd.		1,970,640
48,400	Church & Dwight Co., Inc.		3,207,952
16,800	Coca-Cola Femsa, S.A.B. de C.V. ADR (1)		2,045,736
14,000	Costco Wholesale Corp.		1,666,140
23,400	Energizer Holdings, Inc.		2,532,816
89,812	Flowers Foods, Inc.		1,928,264
20,000	Fomento Economico Mexicano S.A.B. de C.V. ADR		1,957,400
64,000	General Mills, Inc.		3,194,240
43,000	Hormel Foods Corp.		1,942,310
3,000	McCormick & Co., Inc.		206,760
29,000	PepsiCo, Inc.		2,405,260
22,000	Reynolds American, Inc.		1,099,780
32,000	Whole Foods Market, Inc.		1,850,560
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		ENERGY (5.3%)		
	18,000	Chevron Corp.		2,248,380
	8,600	CNOOC Ltd. ADR		1,613,876
	14,600	Core Laboratories N.V.		2,787,870
	17,000	Enbridge, Inc.		742,560
	28,000	EQT Corp.		2,513,840
	70,000	EMC Technologies, Inc. *		3,654,700
	51,400	Noble Energy, Inc.		3,500,854
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Shares			Va	alue
9,000	Oceaneering Internation	nal, Inc.	\$	709,920
5,000	Oil States International,	Inc. *		508,600
5,346	Pioneer Natural Resour	ces Co.		984,038
26,000	TransCanada Corp. (1)			1,187,160
25,600	Ultrapar Participacoes S	S.A. ADR		605,440
				21,057,238
	FINANCIALS (11.4%)			
8,000	ACE Ltd.			828,240
21,000	Affiliated Managers Gr	oup, Inc. *		4,554,480
52,600	AFLAC, Inc.			3,513,680
3,000	Alleghany Corp. *			1,199,880
36,000	American Tower Corp.	REIT		2,873,520
45,000	Arch Capital Group Ltd	. *		2,686,050
8,316	Banco de Chile ADR (1	)		730,145
13,300	Bank of Montreal			886,578
22,100	Bank of Nova Scotia			1,382,355
7,700	BlackRock, Inc.			2,436,819
16,000	BRE Properties, Inc. RI	EIT		875,360
9,400	Brown & Brown, Inc.			295,066
9,400	Camden Property Trust			534,672
3,200	Canadian Imperial Banl			273,312
18,000	Digital Realty Trust, Inc			884,160
23,200	Equity Lifestyle Proper			840,536
9,400	Essex Property Trust, In	nc. REIT (1)		1,348,994
2,600	Everest Re Group Ltd.			405,262
13,000	Gaming and Leisure Pro	operties, Inc. REIT*		660,530
75,500	HDFC Bank Ltd. ADR			2,600,220
22,000	M&T Bank Corp. (1)			2,561,240
15,000	MetLife, Inc.			808,800
10,000	PartnerRe Ltd.			1,054,300
27,000	Portfolio Recovery Ass			1,426,680
5,000	Principal Financial Gro	up, Inc.		246,550
30,000	ProAssurance Corp.			1,454,400
21,500	Prudential Financial, In	c.		1,982,730
26,000	Royal Bank of Canada			1,747,980
17,000	Stifel Financial Corp. *			814,640
17,000	T. Rowe Price Group, I			1,424,090
8,000	Taubman Centers, Inc.			511,360
7,400	Toronto-Dominion Ban	k (The)		697,376

30,000	Wells Fargo & Co.	1,362,000 45,902,005
	HEALTH CADE (12.5%)	
37,800	HEALTH CARE (12.5%) Alexion Pharmaceuticals, Inc. *	5,029,668
17,200	Allergan, Inc.	1,910,576
15,200	Bayer AG ADR	2,158,400
14,500	Becton, Dickinson & Co.	1,602,105
11,000	Section, Blemmson & Co.	1,002,100
Shares		Value
2,000	Bio-Rad Laboratories, Inc. Class A *	\$ 247,220
14,800	Bio-Reference Laboratories, Inc. * (1)	377,992
17,000	C.R. Bard, Inc.	2,276,980
56,000	Catamaran Corp. *	2,658,880
63,000	Cerner Corp. *	3,511,620
6,200	Cooper Cos., Inc. (The)	767,808
6,000	DaVita HealthCare Partners, Inc. *	380,220
10,000	DENTSPLY International, Inc.	484,800
26,000	Edwards Lifesciences Corp. *	1,709,760
46,000	Express Scripts Holding Co. *	3,231,040
38,800	Henry Schein, Inc. *	4,433,288
24,000	IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. *	2,552,880
15,000	McKesson Corp.	2,421,000
14,000	Mednax, Inc. *	747,320
14,700	Mettler-Toledo International, Inc. *	3,566,073
6,500	MWI Veterinary Supply, Inc. *	1,108,835
17,800	Novo Nordisk A/S ADR	3,288,728
4,000	ResMed, Inc. (1)	188,320
23,000	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. ADR	921,840
29,000	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc.	3,229,150
11,000 7,000	Universal Health Services, Inc. Class B	893,860 646,730
7,000	WellPoint, Inc.	646,730 50,345,093
		30,343,093
	INDUSTRIALS (27.6%)	
85,000	ABB Ltd. ADR *	2,257,600
25,300	Acuity Brands, Inc.	2,765,796
96,750	AMETEK, Inc.	5,095,822
39,200	AZZ, Inc.	1,915,312
59,800	Canadian National Railway Co.	3,409,796
31,000	Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. N.V.	2,577,340
35,000	CLARCOR, Inc.	2,252,250
10,000	Clean Harbors, Inc. *	599,600
61,000	Danaher Corp.	4,709,200
56,000	Donaldson Co., Inc.	2,433,760
26,000	EnerSys	1,822,340
14,800	Equifax, Inc.	1,022,532
18,000	Esterline Technologies Corp. *	1,835,280
30,000	Fastenal Co.	1,425,300
15,000	FedEx Corp.	2,156,550
12,000	Flowserve Corp.	945,960

16,000	General Dynamics Corp.	1,528,800
6,000	Graco, Inc.	468,720
29,062	HEICO Corp.	1,684,143
47,850	IDEX Corp.	3,533,722
12,600	IHS, Inc. Class A *	1,508,220
31,776	Iron Mountain, Inc.	964,402
9,000	ITT Corp.	390,780

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Shares		Value
33,000	J.B. Hunt Transport Services, Inc.	\$ 2,550,900
21,000	Kansas City Southern	2,600,430
38,000	Kirby Corp. *	3,771,500
5,000	L-3 Communications Holdings, Inc.	534,300
26,000	Lincoln Electric Holdings, Inc.	1,854,840
12,000	Oshkosh Corp.	604,560
33,000	Parker Hannifin Corp.	4,245,120
17,800	Precision Castparts Corp.	4,793,540
66,500	Republic Services, Inc.	2,207,800
9,000	Rockwell Automation, Inc.	1,063,440
54,000	Rollins, Inc.	1,635,660
36,000	Roper Industries, Inc.	4,992,480
50,700	Rush Enterprises, Inc. Class A *	1,503,255
1,000	Snap-on, Inc.	109,520
37,600	Stericycle, Inc. *	4,367,992
23,000	Teledyne Technologies, Inc. *	2,112,780
66,000	Toro Co. (The)	4,197,600
14,700	Towers Watson & Co. Class A	1,875,867
20,000	Union Pacific Corp.	3,360,000
31,000	United Technologies Corp.	3,527,800
15,700	Valmont Industries, Inc. (1)	2,341,184
12,600	W.W. Grainger, Inc.	3,218,292
42,800	Wabtec Corp.	3,178,756
67,600	Waste Connections, Inc.	2,949,388
		110,900,229
	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (10.3%)	
25,000	Accenture PLC Class A	2,055,500
19,400	Alliance Data Systems Corp. *	5,100,842
30,800	Amphenol Corp. Class A	2,746,744
9,700	Anixter International Inc.	871,448
60,000	ANSYS, Inc. *	5,232,000
17,000	Automatic Data Processing, Inc.	1,373,770
42,000	Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp. Class A *	4,241,160
14,600	Equinix, Inc. *	2,590,770
16,400	Fiserv, Inc. *	968,420
8,600	MasterCard, Inc. Class A	7,184,956
11,200	MICROS Systems, Inc. *	642,544
75,000	Salesforce.com, Inc. *	4,139,250
51,000	Trimble Navigation Ltd. *	1,769,700
3,800	Ultimate Software Group, Inc. (The) *	582,236
20,300	WEX, Inc. *	2,010,309
		41,509,649

Shares			Valu	ie
	MATERIALS (8.0%)			
15,000	Air Products & Chemicals	s, Inc.	\$	1,676,700
8,000	Airgas, Inc.			894,800
3,600	Albemarle Corp.			228,204
30,700	AptarGroup, Inc.		•	2,081,767
20,000	Ball Corp.			1,033,200
11,800	BASF SE ADR (1)			1,271,922
4,000	Compass Minerals Interna	tional. Inc.		320,200
29,000	Crown Holdings, Inc. *	,		1,292,530
1,200	Cytec Industries, Inc.			111,792
43,000	Ecolab, Inc.		,	4,483,610
40,000	FMC Corp.			3,018,400
6,600	NewMarket Corp. (1)			2,205,390
31,000	Praxair, Inc.			4,030,930
24,000	Rockwood Holdings, Inc.			1,726,080
20,200	Scotts Miracle-Gro Co. (T	The) Class A		1,256,844
30,000	Sigma-Aldrich Corp.	ne) class 11		2,820,300
12,800	Syngenta AG ADR			1,023,232
39,000	Valspar Corp. (The)			2,780,310
39,000	vaispai Corp. (The)			2,780,310
			3.	2,230,211
	TELECOMMUNICATIO	N SERVICES (1.6%)		
36,000	Crown Castle Internationa			2 6/2 /90
•		•		2,643,480
43,000	SBA Communications Corp. Class A *			3,863,120 6,506,600
			,	0,500,000
	UTILITIES (2.7%)			
165,600		o do Estado de Sao Paulo ADR (1)		1,877,904
20,000	ITC Holdings Corp.	du Estado de São Fadio ADK (1)		1,916,400
17,400	MDU Resources Group, In	20		531,570
13,000	_	iiC.		1,113,060
32,000	NextEra Energy, Inc.			
	ONEOK, Inc.			1,989,760
52,000	Questar Corp.			1,195,480
14,000	Sempra Energy			1,256,640
26,800	Wisconsin Energy Corp.			1,107,912
			11	0,988,726
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	TOTAL COMMON STOC	CKS (Cost \$188,819,815) (98.6%)	390,	539,636
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Principal			<b>37</b> .	- 1
Amount	INDECEMENTS (4.70)		V	alue
SHORT-TERM	INVESTMENTS (4.7%)			
		DEDUDCHAGE A ODEEMENIEG (1.10)		
¢.	4 100 000	REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (1.1%)		
\$	4,100,000	With Morgan Stanley, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due		
		01/02/14, delivery value \$4,100,002 (collateralized		
		by \$4,175,000 U.S.Treasury Notes 1.000% due		4.400.000
		03/31/17, with a value of \$4,195,567)	\$	4,100,000
		JOINT REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS		
		(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR		

SECURITIES ON LOAN) (3.6%)

5,347,820 Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley,

0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$5,347,826 (collateralized by \$5,454,778 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S. Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 -

11/15/23, with a value of \$5,427,020)

7,894,401 Joint Repurchase Agreement with Barclays, 0.01%,

dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value

\$7,894,405 (collateralized by \$8,052,300 U.S. Treasury Inflation Indexed Notes 1.250% - 1.875% due 04/15/14

- 07/15/15, with a value of \$7,991,429) 7,894,401

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## Schedule of Investments (continued)

Principa Amount \$		Joint Repurchase Agreement with Citigroup, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due	V	'alue
		01/02/14, delivery value \$1,273,291 (collateralized by \$1,298,770 U.S.		
		Treasury Bills 0.000% due 02/20/14, with a value of \$1,298,770)	\$	1,273,290
				14,515,511
		TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS		
		(Cost \$18,615,511) (4.7%)		18,615,511
Principa Amount		TOTAL INVESTMENT SECURITIES (103.3%) (Cost \$207,435,326)		/alue 415,155,147
	S OF LIABII SSETS (100%	LITIES OVER CASH AND OTHER ASSETS (-3.3%)	\$	(13,082,195) 402,072,952
		E OFFERING AND REDEMPTION PRICE, PER OUTSTANDING SHARE 328,557 shares outstanding)	\$	33.99

- \* Non-income producing.
- (1) A portion or all of the security was held on loan. As of December 31, 2013, the market value of the securities on loan was \$15,893,168.

ADR American Depositary Receipt.

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust.

The following table summarizes the inputs used to value the Fund's investments in securities as of December 31, 2013 (See Note 1B):

Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:				
Common Stocks	\$396,539,636	\$ —	\$—	\$ 396,539,636
Short-Term Investment		18,615,511	_	18,615,511
Total	\$396,539,636	\$18,615,511	\$ <i>-</i>	\$415,155,147

See Notes to Financial Statements.

#### THE VALUE LINE FUND, INC.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund's primary investment objective is long-term growth of capital. Current income is a secondary investment objective.

To achieve the Fund's investment objectives the Advisor invests substantially all of the Fund's net assets in common stocks. While the Fund is actively managed by the Adviser, the Adviser relies primarily on the rankings of companies by the Value Line Timeliness<sup>TM</sup> Ranking System (the "Ranking System") in selecting securities for purchase or sale. The Fund's investments principally are selected from common stocks ranked 1, 2 or 3 by the Ranking System at the time of purchase. The Adviser will determine the percentage of the Fund's assets invested in each stock based on the stock's relative attractiveness.

### Manager Discussion of Fund Performance

Below, The Value Line Fund, Inc. portfolio manager Stephen E. Grant discusses the Fund's performance and positioning for the 12 months ended December 31, 2013.

How did the Fund perform during the annual period?

The Fund generated a total return of 30.86% during the 12 months ended December 31, 2013. This compares to the 32.39% return of the Fund's benchmark, the S&P 500® Index, during the same period.

What key factors were responsible for the Fund's performance during the 12-month reporting period?

While the Fund generated robust double-digit absolute gains, its underperformance of the S&P 500® Index during the 12-month reporting period can be attributed primarily to holding a position in cash during a strong rally in the U.S. equity market. Stock selection and sector allocation overall provided mixed results.

Which equity market sectors most significantly affected Fund performance?

Stock selection in the health care sector detracted from the Fund's performance during the annual period. A lesser exposure than the S&P 500® Index to the strongly performing biotechnology industry particularly dampened results. Having an underweighted allocation to the financials sector, which outpaced the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, and an overweighted position in the materials sector, which lagged the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, also detracted. Perhaps most significantly, holding an average 2% position in cash during a period when the U.S. equity market rallied hurt.

Offsetting these detractors were the positive contributions made by effective stock selection in the information technology, consumer staples and energy sectors, having an overweighted allocation in the strongly performing industrials sector, and having an underweighted allocation to the lagging energy sector.

Which stocks detracted significantly from the Fund's performance during the annual period?

During the annual period, among the stocks that detracted most from the Fund's relative performance were overweighted positions in several health care laggards. These included positions in cardiovascular device manufacturer Edwards Lifesciences, pharmacy benefits management services provider Catamaran and surgical systems manufacturer Intuitive Surgical.

What were some of the Fund's best-performing individual stocks?

Among the individual stocks that contributed most to the Fund's relative results were three sizable positions in the information technology sector—namely, Alliance Data Systems, which provides data-driven and transaction-based marketing and customer loyalty solutions; MasterCard, which is a global payment solutions company that provides a variety of services in support of the credit, debt and related payment programs of financial institutions; and Open Text, which provides intranet, extranet and corporate portal solutions to organizations. Avoiding several laggards in the information technology sector, such as Apple, IBM and Oracle, boosted the Fund's results as well.

Several Fund positions in the industrials sector added value. Top contributors in the sector were inland tank barge fleet operator Kirby, construction and engineering services firm Chicago Bridge & Iron, flow control equipment manufacturer IDEX, food preparation equipment manufacturer Middleby and aerospace and defense company HEICO.

In the consumer staples sector, positions in brewer The Boston Beer Company, food products manufacturer Hormel Foods and bakery foods producer Flowers Foods were outstanding performers. We also successfully avoided positions in several giant-capitalization laggards during the annual period, including The Coca-Cola Company, Altria Group, The Wal-Mart Stores and Procter & Gamble.

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How did the Fund use derivatives and similar instruments during the reporting period?

The Fund did not use derivatives during the reporting period.

Did the Fund make any significant purchases or sales during the fiscal year?

In our view, the Fund was under-represented in the energy sector, so to enhance diversification, we were glad to identify two stocks that we believed well deserved to be in the portfolio—Chevron, one of the world's largest integrated oil companies, and EQT, an integrated energy company with emphasis on Appalachian area natural gas supply, transmission and distribution. Both companies had inconsistent results prior to 2003, but over the past decade have demonstrated the ability to consistently grow their earnings and stock price. In each case, we purchased shares as a dip in their respective share prices offered what we believed to be an attractive entry point.

We initiated a Fund position in insurance company Prudential because, in our view, its earnings and stock price appeared to be back on a good growth track after struggling in the wake of the country's financial crisis.

We reduced the Fund's position in rail freight transportation company Union Pacific, taking profits after a strong run. We eliminated the Fund's position in leather goods retailer Coach, as the company reported worse than expected earnings results. We sold the Fund's position in food retailer Harris Teeter Supermarkets after its stock rose in response to a takeover bid by competitor Kroger.

Were there any notable changes in the Fund's weightings during the 12-month period?

There were no material changes in the Fund's sector weightings during the 12-month period ended December 31, 2013.

How was the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

As of December 31, 2013, the Fund was overweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the industrials, consumer discretionary and materials sectors. The Fund was underweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the energy, financials and information technology sectors and rather neutrally weighted relative to the Index in the health care, consumer staples, utilities and telecommunication services sectors on the same date.

What is your tactical view and strategy for the months ahead?

Calendar year 2013 saw lower quality stocks outperform higher quality stocks, as investors became more bold and more confident in the economy and the financial system. Speculative stocks, such as those of biotechnology companies, and Initial Public Offerings, such as those of Facebook and Twitter, outperformed the broad U.S. equity market, along with the more cyclical, economically-sensitive stocks. Lagging were the more consistent, "steady-eddy," long-term growth stocks in which we traditionally invest, i.e., those companies that have established strongholds in their market or market niche through proprietary products or services, which, in our view, gives them greater control of their own destiny and makes them less subject to ups and downs of the economy. We consider the Fund's underperformance of the S&P 500® Index in 2013 as part of the natural ebb and flow of the market, as the lower quality stocks that performed poorly in 2011 and 2012 regained some ground. We do not know whether the trends of 2013 will continue into the new year, but, regardless of market trends and conditions, we do not intend to vary from our strategy of investing in high quality securities with a long-term perspective. Our portfolio turnover and trading

costs have remained lower than many of our peers, as we have patience with a consistent grower until a change in the company's strategy or its earnings and stock performance give solid reason to sell.

As always, we intend to stay true to our time-tested investment discipline going forward.

The Value Line Fund, Inc.
Portfolio Highlights at December 31, 2013 (unaudited)

## Ten Largest Holdings

			Percentage
			of
Issue	Shares	Value	Net Assets
Rollins, Inc.	75,600	\$ 2,289,924	1.8%
Alliance Data Systems Corp.	8,300	2,182,319	1.7%
TJX Companies, Inc. (The)	32,000	2,039,360	1.6%
AMETEK, Inc.	36,750	1,935,622	1.5%
MasterCard, Inc. Class A	2,300	1,921,558	1.5%
AutoZone, Inc.	4,000	1,911,760	1.5%
Yum! Brands, Inc.	24,800	1,875,128	1.5%
Affiliated Managers Group, Inc.	8,000	1,735,040	1.4%
Church & Dwight Co., Inc.	26,000	1,723,280	1.4%
Roper Industries, Inc.	12,400	1,719,632	1.4%

Asset Allocation – Percentage of Net Assets

Sector Weightings – Percentage of Total Investment Securities\*

<sup>\*</sup>Sector weightings exclude short-term investments.

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The following graph compares the performance of The Value Line Fund, Inc. to that of the S&P 500 Index (the "Index"). The Value Line Fund, Inc. is a professionally managed mutual fund, while the Index is not available for investment and is unmanaged. The returns for the Index do not reflect charges, expenses or taxes, but do include the reinvestment of dividends. The comparison is shown for illustrative purposes only.

Comparison of a Change in Value of a \$10,000 Investment in The Value Line Fund, Inc. and the S&P 500 Index\*

Performance Data: \*\*

	Average		
	Annual	Growth of an Assumed	
	Total Return	Investment of \$10,000	
1 year ended 12/31/13	30.86 %	\$13,086	
5 years ended 12/31/13	16.87 %	\$21,800	
10 years ended 12/31/13	5.45 %	\$17,004	

<sup>\*</sup> The Standard and Poor's 500 Stock Index is an unmanaged index that is representative of the larger-capitalization stocks traded in the United States.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The performance data quoted represent past performance and are no guarantee of future performance. The average annual total returns and growth of an assumed investment of \$10,000 include dividends reinvested and capital gains distributions accepted in shares. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investment, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than its original cost. The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

## The Value Line Fund, Inc. Schedule of Investments

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## December 31, 2013

Shares COMMON STOCKS (98.0%)		Value
	CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (13.2%)	<b>.</b>
4,000	AutoZone, Inc. *	\$ 1,911,760
13,600	BorgWarner, Inc.	760,376
22,400	Brinker International, Inc.	1,038,016
6,000	Buckle, Inc. (The) (1)	315,360
7,600	Buffalo Wild Wings, Inc. *	1,118,720
12,300	Dick's Sporting Goods, Inc.	714,630
7,000	Domino's Pizza, Inc.	487,550
8,700	Gildan Activewear, Inc.	463,797
33,000	LKQ Corp. *	1,085,700
15,300	McDonald's Corp.	1,484,559
10,000	NIKE, Inc. Class B	786,400
3,200	O'Reilly Automotive, Inc. *	411,872
10,400	Penn National Gaming, Inc. *	149,032
9,300	Starbucks Corp.	729,027
32,000	TJX Companies, Inc. (The)	2,039,360
10,400	VF Corp.	648,336
16,800	Wolverine World Wide, Inc.	570,528
24,800	Yum! Brands, Inc.	1,875,128
		16,590,151
	CONSUMER STAPLES (10.8%)	
3,100	Boston Beer Co., Inc. (The) Class A *	749,549
4,900	British American Tobacco PLC ADR	526,358
4,000	Bunge Ltd.	328,440
11,400	Casey's General Stores, Inc.	800,850
26,000	Church & Dwight Co., Inc.	1,723,280
7,000	Costco Wholesale Corp.	833,070
7,500	Energizer Holdings, Inc.	811,800
40,500	Flowers Foods, Inc.	869,535
19,000	General Mills, Inc.	948,290
33,000	Hormel Foods Corp.	1,490,610
15,700	Ingredion, Inc.	1,074,822
18,100	J&J Snack Foods Corp.	1,603,479
9,000	PepsiCo, Inc.	746,460
6,000	Reynolds American, Inc.	299,940
12,000	Whole Foods Market, Inc.	693,960
12,000	Hote I doub Harrey He.	13,500,443
	ENERGY (3.2%)	13,300,113
6,000	Chevron Corp.	749,460
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Core Laboratories N.V.

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14,000 10,000 5,600 13,400 2,600	Enbridge, Inc. EQT Corp. FMC Technologies, Inc. * Noble Energy, Inc. Oceaneering International, Inc.	611,520 897,800 292,376 912,674 205,088 4,050,818
0.000	FINANCIALS (6.6%)	1 725 040
8,000 20,000	Affiliated Managers Group, Inc. * AFLAC, Inc.	1,735,040 1,336,000
	*	
Shares 9,000	American Towar Corp. PEIT	Value \$ 718,380
•	American Tower Corp. REIT	
3,000	BlackRock, Inc.	949,410
500	Everest Re Group Ltd.	77,935
10,400	Gaming and Leisure Properties, Inc. REIT *	528,424
6,300	M&T Bank Corp. (1)	733,446
4,400	MetLife, Inc.	237,248
2,000	PartnerRe Ltd.	210,860
5,000	Prudential Financial, Inc.	461,100
8,000	Royal Bank of Canada	537,840
4,900	Stifel Financial Corp. *	234,808
6,600	T. Rowe Price Group, Inc.	552,882 8,313,373
	HEALTH CARE (12.1%)	6,313,373
11,600	Alexion Pharmaceuticals, Inc. *	1,543,496
9,600	Allergan, Inc.	1,066,368
5,800	C.R. Bard, Inc.	776,852
13,740	Catamaran Corp. *	652,375
20,400	Cerner Corp. *	1,137,096
800	Cooper Cos., Inc. (The)	99,072
1,500	DaVita HealthCare Partners, Inc. *	95,055
3,900	DENTSPLY International, Inc.	189,072
6,000	Edwards Lifesciences Corp. *	394,560
15,340	Express Scripts Holding Co *	1,077,482
12,700	Henry Schein, Inc. *	1,451,102
5,400	IDEXX Laboratories, Inc. *	574,398
4,800	McKesson Corp.	774,720
16,800	Mednax, Inc. *	896,784
4,700	Mettler-Toledo International, Inc. *	1,140,173
9,100	Novo Nordisk A/S ADR	1,681,316
10,000	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. ADR	400,800
10,200	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc.	1,135,770
1,400	Universal Health Services, Inc. Class B	113,764
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	INDUSTRIALS (28.5%)	
7,800	Acuity Brands, Inc.	852,696
36,750	AMETEK, Inc.	1,935,622
22,200	Canadian National Railway Co.	1,265,844

800	Canadian Pacific Railway Ltd.	121,056
10,000	Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. N.V.	831,400
15,000	CLARCOR, Inc.	965,250
6,000	Clean Harbors, Inc. *	359,760
20,700	Danaher Corp.	1,598,040
31,000	Donaldson Co., Inc.	1,347,260
4,800	Equifax, Inc.	331,632
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7,000	FedEx Corp.	1,006,390
Shares		Value
7,900	General Dynamics Corp.	\$ 754,845
7,300	Graco, Inc.	570,276
13,983	HEICO Corp.	810,315
15,000	IDEX Corp.	1,107,750
3,500	IHS, Inc. Class A *	418,950
5,850	ITT Corp.	254,007
6,800	J.B. Hunt Transport Services, Inc.	525,640
8,200	Kansas City Southern	1,015,406
14,700	Kirby Corp. *	1,458,975
5,400	L-3 Communications Holdings, Inc.	577,044
2,000	Lincoln Electric Holdings, Inc.	142,680
2,300	Middleby Corp. (The) *	551,931
2,500	Oshkosh Corp.	125,950
9,200	Parker Hannifin Corp.	1,183,488
5,700	Precision Castparts Corp.	1,535,010
19,000	Republic Services, Inc.	630,800
2,800	Rockwell Automation, Inc.	330,848
75,600	Rollins, Inc.	2,289,924
12,400	Roper Industries, Inc.	1,719,632
12,000	Stericycle, Inc. *	1,394,040
15,600	Toro Co. (The)	992,160
4,800	Union Pacific Corp.	806,400
11,400	United Technologies Corp.	1,297,320
5,600	Valmont Industries, Inc.	835,072
4,900	W.W. Grainger, Inc.	1,251,558
10,500	Wabtec Corp.	779,835
25,300	Waste Connections, Inc.	1,103,839
23,300	waste Connections, Inc.	35,703,429
	DYFORMATION TEGINNOLOGY (10.0%)	
17.000	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (10.9%)	1 460 516
17,800	Accenture PLC Class A	1,463,516
8,300	Alliance Data Systems Corp. *	2,182,319
7,000	Amphenol Corp. Class A	624,260
3,700	Anixter International, Inc.	332,408
13,500	ANSYS, Inc. *	1,177,200
6,500	Automatic Data Processing, Inc.	525,265
16,000	Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp. Class A *	1,615,680
3,500	Equinix, Inc. *	621,075
5,400	Fiserv, Inc. *	318,870

2,300	MasterCard, Inc. Class A	1,921,558
2,800	MICROS Systems, Inc. *	160,636
8,800	Open Text Corp.	809,248
24,000	Salesforce.com, Inc. *	1,324,560
6,100	WEX, Inc. *	604,083
		13,680,678
	MATERIALS (9.3%)	
3,000	Airgas, Inc.	335,550
12,000	Ball Corp.	619,920
25,600	Crown Holdings, Inc. *	1,140,992
12,000	Ecolab, Inc.	1,251,240
22,400	FMC Corp.	1,690,304
2,000	NewMarket Corp.	668,300
10,000	Packaging Corp. of America	632,800
10,300	Praxair, Inc.	1,339,309

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## Schedule of Investments (continued)

25,	400 900 400	Scotts Miracle-Gro Co. (The) Class A Sigma-Aldrich Corp. Silgan Holdings, Inc. Valspar Corp. (The)	Va \$	746,640 1,071,714 1,243,718 883,996 11,624,483
13	000	TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES (0.8%) Crown Castle International Corp. *	05	4,590
13,	000	Crown Castic International Corp.	93	4,390
		UTILITIES (2.6%)		
	000	ITC Holdings Corp.		958,200
	000	NextEra Energy, Inc.		342,480
	000	ONEOK, Inc.		932,700
	000	Questar Corp.		528,770
10,	900	Wisconsin Energy Corp.		450,606
				3,212,756
		TOTAL COMMON STOCKS		
		(Cost \$65,914,055) (98.0%)		122,830,976
Principal				
Amount	EDIKI	NATIONAL CONTROL (A A CC)		Value
SHORT-T	ERM I	NVESTMENTS (2.0%)		
		REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (1.2%)		
\$ 1,500,	,000	With Morgan Stanley, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value		
		\$1,500,001 (collateralized by \$1,530,000 U.S. Treasury Notes 1.000% due		1,500,000
		03/31/17, with a value of \$1,537,537)	\$	
D: : 1				
Principal				<b>3</b> .7 - 1
Amount		IOINTE DEDITIONA CE A CREEMENTO (INVECTMENTO OE CACIL		Value
		JOINT REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN) (0.8%)		
\$	352,5			
Ψ	332,3	due 01/02/14, delivery value \$352,514 (collateralized by \$359,564 U.S.		
		Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S.		
		Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 - 11/15/23, with a value of		
		\$357,734)	\$	352,513
	520,3		Ψ	002,010
	-,-	01/02/14, delivery value \$520,377 (collateralized by \$530,785 U.S.		
		Treasury Inflation Indexed Notes 1.250% - 1.875% due 04/15/14 -		
		07/15/15, with a value of \$526,773)		520,377

Amount				Value
\$	Joint Repurchase Agreement with Citigroup, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$83,932 (collateralized by \$85,611 U.S. Treasury		83,932	
	Bills 0.000% due 02/20/14, with a value of \$85,611)		\$	956,822
		TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost \$2,456,822) (2.0%)	2	2,456,822
		TOTAL INVESTMENT SECURITIES (100.0%) (Cost \$68,370,877)	\$ 1	125,287,798
EXCESS OF LIABILITIES OVER CASH AND OTHER ASSETS (0.0%) NET ASSETS (100%)			\$	(19,763) 125,268,035
NET ASSET VALUE OFFERING AND REDEMPTION PRICE, PER OUTSTANDING SHARE ( $\$125,268,035 \div 9,278,231$ shares outstanding)			\$	13.50

- \* Non-income producing.
- (1) A portion or all of the security was held on loan. As of December 31, 2013, the market value of the securities on loan was \$1,048,806.

ADR American Depositary Receipt.

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust.

The following table summarizes the inputs used to value the Fund's investments in securities as of December 31, 2013 (See Note 1B):

The Value Line Fund, Inc.	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:				
Common Stocks	\$122,830,976	\$—	\$—	\$122,830,976
Short-Term Investments	_	2,456,822	_	2,456,822
Total	\$122,830,976	\$2,456,822	<b>\$</b> —	\$125,287,798

See Notes to Financial Statements.

## VALUE LINE INCOME AND GROWTH FUND, INC.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund's primary investment objective is income, as high and dependable as is consistent with reasonable risk. Capital growth to increase total return is a secondary objective.

To achieve the Fund's goals, the Adviser invests not less than 50% of the Fund's net assets in common or preferred stocks or securities convertible into common stock which may or may not pay dividends. The balance of the Fund's net assets are primarily invested in U.S. government securities, money market securities and investment grade debt securities rated at the time of purchase from the highest (AAA) to medium (BBB) quality. Although the Fund can invest in companies of any size, it generally invests in U.S. securities issued by larger, more established companies (those with a market capitalization of more than \$5 billion).

Manager Discussion of Fund Performance

Below, Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. portfolio managers Mark T. Spellman and Liane Rosenberg discuss the Fund's performance and positioning for the 12 months ended December 31, 2013.

How did the Fund perform during the annual period?

The Fund generated a total return of 19.55% during the 12 months ended December 31, 2013. This compares to the 18.62% return of the Fund's blended benchmark, comprised 60% of the S&P 500® Index and 40% of the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (the "Barclays Index"), during the same period.

What key factors were responsible for the Fund's performance during the 12-month reporting period?

The Fund benefited most from effective asset allocation. Throughout the 12-month reporting period, the Fund was underweighted fixed income and overweighted equities. With U.S. equities, as measured by the S&P 500® Index, up 32.39% during the annual period, and bonds, as measured by the Barclays Index, posting a return of -2.02%, this asset allocation clearly added value. Stock selection overall within the equity portion of the Fund also proved beneficial.

Which equity market sectors most significantly affected Fund performance?

Stock selection in the information technology, industrials, utilities and health care sectors contributed most positively to the Fund's results. The Fund also benefited from having underweighted allocations to the information technology and energy sectors, which each lagged the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, and from having an overweighted allocation to the industrials sector, which outpaced the S&P 500® Index during the annual period.

Only partially offsetting these positive contributors was stock selection in the consumer discretionary and energy sectors, which detracted. Having an overweighted allocation to utilities, which lagged the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, and having underweighted exposures to the consumer discretionary and health care sectors, which outpaced the broad U.S. equity market during the annual period, also hurt.

What were some of the Fund's best-performing individual stocks?

Contributing most to the Fund's relative results were retail food and drug chain operator Safeway, financial services provider Charles Schwab and construction and engineering services firm Chicago Bridge & Iron. Safeway performed well, as its restructuring program added value and its store performance improved. Shares of Charles Schwab rose, as its fee revenue and market share increased with the stock market's rally. Chicago Bridge & Iron's shares rose significantly, as its bookings for new construction projects rose and as its acquisition of a competitor positively impacted its results.

Which stocks detracted significantly from the Fund's performance during the annual period?

During the annual period, the stocks that detracted most from the Fund's performance were Canadian gold producer Yamana Gold, data storage center real estate investment trust (REIT) Digital Realty Trust and offshore oil and gas drilling contractor Diamond Offshore Drilling. Shares of Yamana Gold fell significantly reflecting the precipitous decline in the price of gold bullion. Digital Realty Trust performed poorly along with the broad REIT industry. The company also posted less than expected operating results. Diamond Offshore Drilling saw its shares decline due to poor fundamentals in offshore drilling as well as company-specific shortfalls.

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Did the equity portion of the Fund make any significant purchases or sales?

During the fiscal year, we initiated positions in semiconductor device manufacturer Qualcomm, specialty pharmaceuticals company Allergan and Canadian telecommunications carrier BCE. We established a position in Qualcomm when the stock declined after an earnings disappointment, and we considered it an attractive entry point based on a longer-term perspective. We purchased Allergan after a dip in its share price, as we felt the fundamental outlook for the company was positive and the market had overreacted to news that it was delaying final studies for drugs to treat age-related macular degeneration and baldness. We initiated a position in BCE, as we believe its dividend yield is attractive and its shares, at the time of purchase, undervalued.

We sold the Fund's position in integrated utilities company The Southern Company, as we became increasingly bearish on the outlook for this stock and on electric utilities in general. We exited the Fund's position in clinical laboratory test provider Laboratory Corporation of America, after it hit the price target we had established for the company.

Were there any notable changes in the equity portion of the Fund's weightings during the 12-month period?

During the annual period, we decreased weightings in the utilities sector and in the REITs industry, and we increased positions in the information technology and financials sectors.

How was the equity portion of the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

As of December 31, 2013, the Fund was overweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the industrials, utilities, financials, telecommunication services and consumer staples sectors. The Fund was underweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the consumer discretionary, materials, information technology, energy and health care sectors on the same date.

What was the duration strategy of the fixed income portion of the Fund?

We kept the fixed income portion of the Fund's duration short relative to that of the Barclays Index. As interest rates rose, this duration positioning contributed positively to relative results.

Which fixed income market segments most significantly affected Fund performance?

Overall, the fixed income portion of the Fund underperformed its benchmark, the Barclays Index. Detracting most from relative results was security selection within the securitized sector. Within the securitized sector, we held an overweighted allocation to seven-year to 10-year maturities. The flattening yield curve benefited shorter-term and longer-term maturities, where the Fund was underweight, but hurt the intermediate segment of the yield curve.

Conversely, having an underweighted allocation to U.S. Treasuries, the worst performing sector in the Barclays Index during the annual period, contributed most positively to the fixed income portion of the Fund's performance. An overweighted allocation to corporate bonds also added value, as this sector experienced steady spread tightening throughout the year. Within the Fund's corporate bond allocation, a heavier weighting in bonds of financial institutions proved beneficial.

Were there any notable changes in the fixed income portion of the Fund's weightings during the 12-month period?

The most significant sector shifts in the fixed income portion of the Fund were a reduction in U.S. Treasuries and an increase in corporate bonds, both investment grade and high yield.

How was the fixed income portion of the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

As of December 31, 2013, the fixed income portion of the Fund was overweight relative to the Barclays Index in corporate bonds. The Fund was underweight relative to the Barclays Index in U.S. Treasuries and government-related securities and was rather neutrally weighted to the benchmark index in the securitized sector on the same date.

How did the Fund's overall asset allocation shift from beginning to end of the annual period?

At the end of December 2012, the Fund had a weighting of 63% in stocks, 4% in bonds convertible into common stocks, 28% in fixed income securities and 3% in cash equivalents. By mid-year 2013, cash levels began to rise due to net sales in the equity portion of the Fund, as stock-specific price targets were hit and shares sold to take profits. Due primarily to market appreciation and depreciation, at the end of December 2013, the Fund had a weighting of 66% in stocks, 4% in bonds convertible into common stocks, 22% in fixed income securities and 8% in cash equivalents.

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How did the Fund use derivatives and similar instruments during the reporting period?

During the reporting period, the Fund made limited use of covered equity call writing as a method of generating additional income for the Fund. Covered equity call writing is an options strategy whereby an investor holds a long position in an asset and writes, or sells, call options on that same asset in an attempt to generate increased income from the asset.

What is your tactical view and strategy for the months ahead?

Our view ahead for the U.S. equity market was a bit more cautious at the end of 2013 than it was at the start of the year, but we continued to believe many opportunities remain to purchase quality stocks with historically high dividend yields, relatively low payout ratios, good balance sheets and cash flow generation, and a track record of consistently raising their dividends. We remained comfortable at the end of the annual period with the Fund's underweighted allocation to fixed income, as we saw better return potential in other asset classes.

As always, our goal is to preserve capital in the near term while generating solid total return (i.e., income plus capital appreciation) over the long term and across economic cycles.

Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. Portfolio Highlights at December 31, 2013 (unaudited)

Ten Largest Holdings

			Percentage
			of
Issue	Shares	Value	Net Assets
Google, Inc. Class A	3,900	\$ 4,370,769	1.3 %
Raytheon Co.	38,900	3,528,230	1.1 %
Intel Corp.	129,000	3,348,840	1.0 %
Exxon Mobil Corp.	33,000	3,339,600	1.0 %
Johnson & Johnson	36,100	3,306,399	1.0 %
JPMorgan Chase & Co.	55,600	3,251,488	1.0 %
Microsoft Corp.	84,800	3,174,064	1.0 %
Charles Schwab Corp. (The)	120,000	3,120,000	0.9 %
Discover Financial Services	54,500	3,049,275	0.9 %
Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. N.V.	35,000	2,909,900	0.9 %

Asset Allocation – Percentage of Net Assets

Sector Weightings – Percentage of Total Investment Securities\*

<sup>\*</sup>Sector weightings exclude short-term investments.

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The following graph compares the performance of the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. to that of the 60/40 S&P 500 Index/Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index, (the "Index"). The Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. is a professionally managed mutual fund, while the Index is not available for investment and is unmanaged. The returns for the Index do not reflect charges, expenses or taxes, but do include the reinvestment of dividends. The comparison is shown for illustrative purposes only.

Comparison of a Change in Value of a \$10,000 Investment in the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. and 60/40 S&P 500 Index/Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index\*

Performance Data: \*\*

	Averag	e Annual	Growth of an Assumed
	Total	Return	Investment of \$10,000
1 year ended 12/31/13	19.55	%	\$11,955
5 years ended 12/31/13	12.26	%	\$17,829
10 years ended 12/31/13	7.74	%	\$21,083

- \* The 60/40 S&P 500 Index/Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index is an unmanaged custom Index that is representative of 60% weighting of the S&P 500 Index which consists of larger-capitalization stocks traded in the United States and a 40% weighting of the Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index which consists of investment grade, U.S. dollar denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market, including Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-through's) ABS, and CMBS.
- \*\* The performance data quoted represent past performance and are no guarantee of future performance. The average annual total returns and growth of an assumed investment of \$10,000 include dividends reinvested and capital gains distributions accepted in shares. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investment, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than its original cost. The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

## Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. Schedule of Investments

Shares COMMON STOCKS (66.1%)		Value
	CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (6.7%)	
25,300	Brinker International, Inc.	\$ 1,172,402
40,000	Comcast Corp. Class A	1,995,200
30,200	DIRECTV *	2,086,518
5,494	General Motors Co. *	224,540
13,600	Home Depot, Inc.	1,119,824
29,000	Las Vegas Sands Corp.	2,287,230
39,000	Lowe's Cos., Inc.	1,932,450
28,300	McDonald's Corp.	2,745,949
97,600	Staples, Inc.	1,550,864
25,400	Target Corp.	1,607,058
12,700	Time Warner Cable, Inc.	1,720,850
27,200	TJX Companies, Inc. (The)	1,733,456
24,400	Walt Disney Co. (The)	1,864,160
		22,040,501
	CONSUMER STAPLES (6.6%)	
31,200	Coca-Cola Co. (The)	1,288,872
33,400	CVS Caremark Corp.	2,390,438
35,400	Dr. Pepper Snapple Group, Inc.	1,724,688
42,900	General Mills, Inc.	2,141,139
17,600	Ingredion, Inc.	1,204,896
42,900	Kroger Co. (The)	1,695,837
26,300	PepsiCo, Inc.	2,181,322
33,000	Procter & Gamble Co. (The)	2,686,530
65,158	Safeway, Inc.	2,122,196
27,300	Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.	2,148,237
39,000	Walgreen Co.	2,240,160
		21,824,315
	ENERGY (7.2%)	
44,000	Boardwalk Pipeline Partners L.P.	1,122,880
21,500	Chevron Corp.	2,685,565
27,300	Conoco Phillips	1,928,745
17,200	Diamond Offshore Drilling, Inc.	979,024
37,455	Ensco PLC Class A	2,141,677
21,000	Enterprise Products Partners L.P.	1,392,300
33,000	Exxon Mobil Corp.	3,339,600
16,100	Hess Corp.	1,336,300
25,600	Royal Dutch Shell PLC ADR (1)	1,922,816

31,200	Schlumberger Ltd.	2,811,432
29,500	Total S.A. ADR	1,807,465
24,400	TransCanada Corp. (1)	
	* ' '	1,114,104
24,000	Transocean Ltd. (1)	1,186,080 23,767,988
	FINANCIALS (11.3%)	23,707,700
10,700	Ameriprise Financial, Inc.	1,231,035
27,300	Bank of Montreal	1,819,818
6,800	BlackRock, Inc.	2,151,996
		** 1
Shares		Value
23,000	Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce	\$ 1,964,430
24,400	Capital One Financial Corp.	1,869,284
120,000	Charles Schwab Corp. (The)	3,120,000
54,500	Discover Financial Services	3,049,275
53,760	Hartford Financial Services Group, Inc.	1,947,725
25,400	Health Care REIT, Inc.	1,360,678
55,600	JPMorgan Chase & Co.	3,251,488
19,500	M&T Bank Corp. (1)	2,270,190
9,072	MetLife, Inc.	489,162
16,600	PartnerRe Ltd.	1,750,138
114,000	People's United Financial, Inc.	1,723,680
29,200	Prudential Financial, Inc.	2,692,824
33,100	State Street Corp.	2,429,209
71,200	U.S. Bancorp	2,876,480
31,200	Wells Fargo & Co.	1,416,480
1	Wintrust Financial Corp.	37
	-	37,413,929
	HEALTH CARE (8.0%)	
13,700	Actavis PLC *	2,301,600
12,000	Allergan, Inc.	1,332,960
12,700	Amgen, Inc.	1,449,832
11,700		
•	Becton, Dickinson & Co.	1,292,733
22,400	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.	1,190,560
22,500	Eli Lilly & Co.	1,147,500
21,000	Gilead Sciences, Inc. *	1,578,150
36,100	Johnson & Johnson	3,306,399
47,800	Merck & Co., Inc.	2,392,390
15,600	Novartis AG ADR	1,253,928
93,388	Pfizer, Inc.	2,860,474
33,200	Sanofi-Aventis ADR	1,780,516
45,237	Teva Pharmaceutical Industries Ltd. ADR	1,813,099
11,000	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc.	1,224,850
20,000	UnitedHealth Group, Inc.	1,506,000
		26,430,991
	INDUSTRIALS (8.8%)	
44,100	ADT Corp. (The)	1,784,727
19,400	Canadian National Railway Co.	1,106,188
35,000	Chicago Bridge & Iron Co. N.V.	2,909,900
22,000		=,,,,,,,,,

	23,400 16,500 29,415 16,200 12,600 13,500 10,700 15,600 10,600 38,900 35,100	Cintas Corp. Emerson Electric Co. Expeditors International of Washington, Inc. FedEx Corp. General Dynamics Corp. Illinois Tool Works, Inc. Lockheed Martin Corp. MSC Industrial Direct Co., Inc. Class A Northrop Grumman Corp. Raytheon Co. Republic Services, Inc.	1,394,406 1,157,970 1,301,614 2,329,074 1,203,930 1,135,080 1,590,662 1,261,572 1,214,866 3,528,230 1,165,320
Shares	25,300 12,700 25,300	Tyco International Ltd. Union Pacific Corp. United Technologies Corp.	Value \$ 1,038,312 2,133,600 2,879,140 29,134,591
	30,200 20,400 3,000 24,400 39,000 11,900 47,300 93,442 3,900 32,200 129,000 15,000 84,800 48,500 26,300 30,000 21,400	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (11.8%) Accenture PLC Class A Adobe Systems, Inc.* Apple, Inc. Automatic Data Processing, Inc. Avago Technologies Ltd. Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp. Class A * eBay, Inc. * EMC Corp. Google, Inc. Class A * Harris Corp. Intel Corp. International Business Machines Corp. Microsoft Corp. Oracle Corp. QUALCOMM, Inc. SAP AG ADR (1) TE Connectivity Ltd.	2,483,044 1,221,552 1,683,330 1,971,764 2,062,710 1,201,662 2,596,297 2,350,066 4,370,769 2,247,882 3,348,840 2,813,550 3,174,064 1,855,610 1,952,775 2,614,200 1,179,354 39,127,469
	17,600 28,000 34,600 14,600 78,000 50,000 34,100	MATERIALS (1.5%) BHP Billiton Ltd. ADR (1) E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. OCI Partners L.P. * Rockwood Holdings, Inc.  TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES (2.0%) AT&T, Inc. BCE, Inc. Verizon Communications, Inc.	1,200,320 1,819,160 954,960 1,050,032 5,024,472 2,742,480 2,164,500 1,675,674 6,582,654

	UTILITIES (2.2%)	
24,900	AGL Resources, Inc.	1,176,027
25,400	American Electric Power Company, Inc.	1,187,196
53,000	American States Water Co.	1,522,690
11,700	Sempra Energy	1,050,192
26,300	Wisconsin Energy Corp.	1,087,242
39,100	Xcel Energy, Inc.	1,092,454
		7,115,801
	TOTAL COMMON STOCKS	
	(Cost \$143.381.458) (66.1%)	218.462.711

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December 31, 2013	
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Shares PREFERRED STOCKS (0.0%)			Value
5,000	FINANCIALS (0.0%) MetLife, Inc., Series B, 6.50%	\$	124,500
	TOTAL PREFERRED STOCKS (Cost \$125,000) (0.0%)		124,500
CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCKS (	(0.7%)		
4,000 2,500	CONSUMER STAPLES (0.2%) Bunge Ltd., 4.88% Post Holdings, Inc., 3.75% (2)		430,200 295,748 725,948
6,000 250 1,000 16,000 250 2,000	FINANCIALS (0.5%) AMG Capital Trust II, Convertible Fixed, 5.15% Huntington Bancshares, Inc., Series A, 8.50% (1) KeyCorp, Series A, 7.75%(1) MetLife, Inc., 5.00% Wells Fargo & Co., Series L, 7.50% Weyerhaeuser Co., Series A, 6.38%	1	379,500 316,250 129,000 504,640 276,250 112,080
1,800	HEALTH CARE (0.0%) National Healthcare Corp., Series A, 0.80%		26,100
	TOTAL CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCKS (Cost \$1,797,801) (0.7%)	2	2,469,768
Principal Amount U.S. TREASURY OBLIGATIONS (6.0%)			Value
\$ 1,000,000 350,000 250,000 1,000,000 1,000,000 1,250,000 1,000,000 2,000,000 1,450,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 5.25%, 2/15/29 U.S. Treasury Bonds, 3.13%, 11/15/41 U.S. Treasury Bonds, 2.75%, 8/15/42 U.S. Treasury Bonds, 2.88%, 5/15/43 U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.50%, 10/15/14 U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.38%, 11/15/14 U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.38%, 4/15/15 U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.00%, 9/30/16 U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.00%, 10/31/16	1 1 1 2	1,203,750 302,313 198,086 810,469 1,002,812 1,252,392 1,002,305 2,017,188 1,460,988

Principal			
Amount			Value
\$	1,000,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.88%, 11/30/16	\$1,003,203
	300,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.63%, 5/31/17	296,086
	1,250,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.75%, 12/31/17	1,222,265
	350,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.75%, 3/31/18	340,047
	1,400,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 9/30/18	1,382,937
	1,750,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 11/30/18	1,723,750
	600,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 2/28/19	587,625
	250,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 1/31/20	239,121
	1,050,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 3.63%, 2/15/20	1,142,860
	800,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.25%, 2/29/20	757,313
	750,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.13%, 8/15/21	726,562
	1,000,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.00%, 11/15/21	954,453
	150,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.00%, 2/15/23	139,148
	250,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.50%, 8/15/23	240,078
		TOTAL U.S. TREASURY OBLIGATIONS	
		(Cost \$20,219,324) (6.0%)	20,005,751
COMMERCIAL M	ORTGAGE-BACKED	SECUDITIES (0.4%)	
COMMERCIAL M	500,000	FHLMC Multifamily Structured Pass-Through	
	300,000	Certificates, Series K710, Class A2, 1.88%, 5/25/19	489,389
	246,507	GNMA Series 2013-12, Class AB, 1.83%, 1/16/52	235,052
	250,000	GNMA Series 2013-12, Class AB, 1.85%, 11/10/32 GNMA Series 2013-12, Class B, 2.45%, 11/16/52 (3)	230,492
	250,000	UBS-Barclays Commercial Mortgage Trust, Series	230,492
	230,000	2012-C4, Class A5, 2.85%, 12/10/45	233,027
		TOTAL COMMEDIAL MODECAGE DACKED	
		TOTAL COMMERCIAL MORTGAGE-BACKED	
		SECURITIES	1 107 060
		(Cost \$1,277,045) (0.4%)	1,187,960
Principal			** 1
Amount	JDC & NOTEC (6 40%)		Value
CORPORATE BOI	NDS & NOTES (6.4%)		
		BASIC MATERIALS (0.4%)	
\$	250,000	LYB International Finance B.V., Guaranteed Notes,	
	275 000	4.00%, 7/15/23	\$ 246,764
	375,000	PPG Industries, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.60%, 11/15/20	380,565
	560,000	Southern Copper Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.38%,	,
	,	7/27/15	600,804
			1,228,133
		COMMUNICATIONS (0.6%)	
	250,000	America Movil S.A.B. de C.V., Senior Unsecured Notes,	
		3.13%, 7/16/22	230,787
	150,000	Comcast Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 6.40%, 3/1/40	173,081
	250,000		240,159

	DIRECTV Holdings LLC / DIRECTV Financing Co., Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.80%, 3/15/22	
250,000	Harris Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.40%, 12/15/20	259,148
200,000	MetroPCS Wireless, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.63%,	,
,	11/15/20	212,000
200,000	Motorola Solutions, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes,	
	6.00%, 11/15/17	227,491
250,000	Time Warner, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.15%, 7/15/15	258,998
150,000	Verizon Communications, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes,	
	1.25%, 11/3/14	150,874
333,000	Viacom, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.38%, 9/15/14	341,685
		2,094,223
	CONSUMER, CYCLICAL (1.0%)	
250,000	CVS Caremark Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.60%,	
	3/15/19	295,846
275,000	D.R. Horton, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.50%, 4/15/16	300,437
150,000	Delphi Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 6.13%, 5/15/21	166,313
150,000	Hanesbrands, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.38%, 12/15/20	163,875

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## Schedule of Investments (continued)

Principal		
Amount \$ 250,000 205,000 500,000 150,000 250,000 500,000	Home Depot, Inc. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.95%, 9/15/20 Lennar Corp., Series B, Guaranteed Notes, 5.60%, 5/31/15 Lowe's Cos., Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.13%, 4/15/16 Nordstrom, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.75%, 5/1/20 Royal Caribbean Cruises, Ltd., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.25%, 11/15/22 Wyndham Worldwide Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.90%, 3/1/23 Wynn Las Vegas LLC/Wynn Las Vegas Capital Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.38%, 3/15/22	Value \$ 266,724 215,250 512,841 547,180 150,000 235,492 505,000 3,358,958
250,000 250,000 150,000 250,000 500,000 250,000 200,000	CONSUMER, NON-CYCLICAL (0.6%) Celgene Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.30%, 8/15/18 Cigna Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.75%, 11/15/16 Constellation Brands, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.75%, 5/1/21 Hawk Acquisition Sub, Inc., Secured Notes, 4.25%, 10/15/20 (2) Humana, Inc., Senior Notes, 6.45%, 6/1/16 Kroger Co. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.40%, 4/15/22 Mylan, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.35%, 11/29/16	248,627 260,206 141,000 241,875 558,708 242,495 199,633 1,892,544
500,000 500,000 250,000	ENERGY (0.5%) Devon Energy Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.40%, 7/15/16 Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Guaranteed Notes, 4.85%, 8/15/42 Marathon Oil Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.80%, 11/1/22	514,145 470,884 230,402
Principal Amount \$ 500,000	Shell International Finance B.V., Guaranteed Notes, 4.55%, 8/12/43	Value \$ 487,671 1,703,102
200,000 250,000 250,000 250,000 250,000 150,000 250,000 140,000 250,000	FINANCIAL (2.4%) Aircastle, Ltd., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.63%, 12/15/18 American Express Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 0.83%, 5/22/18 (3) American International Group, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.88%, 6/1/22 Bank of America Corp. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.30%, 1/11/23 Bank of Montreal MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.50%, 1/11/17 Bank of New York Mellon Corp. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.45%, 5/15/19 Berkshire Hathaway, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.75%, 8/15/21 (1) BlackRock, Inc., Series 2, Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 12/10/19 Boston Properties L.P., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.13%, 9/1/23	201,500 249,827 268,706 236,567 257,522 170,426 257,758 158,073 228,347

	250,000 250,000 250,000 250,000 500,000 500,000 250,000 300,000	Capital One NA/ Mclean, Senior Notes, 1.50%, 3/22/18 CIT Group, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 5/15/17 Cooperatieve Centrale Raiffeisen-Boerenleenbank BA, Guaranteed Notes, 3.95%, 11/9/22 Credit Agricole S.A., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.13%, 4/17/18 (2) Fifth Third Bank, Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.45%, 2/28/18 Ford Motor Credit Co. LLC, Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.38%, 1/16/18 General Electric Capital Corp. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.00%, 8/11/15 (3) General Motors Financial Co., Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.25%, 5/15/18 (2)		243,120 266,875 242,248 248,373 487,206 504,980 251,904 300,000
Princi <sub>I</sub> Amou				Value
\$	500,000	Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.75%, 1/24/22	\$	562,844
	500,000	JPMorgan Chase & Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.50%, 1/24/22		528,865
	500,000	Morgan Stanley, Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.75%, 3/22/17		545,659
	200,000	PNC Funding Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 3.30%, 3/8/22		196,529
	250,000	Societe Generale S.A., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.20%, 4/15/21		274,814
	250,000	State Street Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.35%, 5/15/18		241,948
	168,000	Wachovia Bank NA, Subordinated Notes, 4.80%, 11/1/14		174,238
	500,000	Wells Fargo & Co. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.50%, 3/8/22		500,132
	100,000	Weyerhaeuser Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.95%, 10/1/27		115,359
	100,000	XLIT, Ltd., Guaranteed Notes, 5.25%, 12/15/43		100,670
			ĺ	7,814,490
		INDUSTRIAL (0.3%)		
	254,000	Masco Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.13%, 10/3/16		284,480
	314,000	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.20%, 3/1/16		328,285
	500,000	Union Pacific Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.00%, 2/1/21		521,736
	200,000	Cinon Fuellic Corp., Semor Chisecured Notes, 110070, 271721		1,134,501
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		TECHNOLOGY (0.1%)		
	100,000	Microsoft Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.63%, 12/15/23		100,156
	250,000	Oracle Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 7/8/19.		283,022
				383,178
		UTILITIES (0.5%)		
	250,000	Alabama Power Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.85%, 12/1/42		213,247
	500,000	Dominion Resources, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.25%, 9/1/15		512,407
	250,000	Florida Power & Light Co., 4.05%, 6/1/42		228,501

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Principal Amount		Value
\$	Sempra Energy, Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.00%,	\$
500,000	3/15/14	501,545
250,000	South Carolina Electric & Gas Co., 4.35%, 2/1/42.	232,200
250,000	200m Carolina 2100m Ct Cas Col, 1100 /0, 2/1/ 12 1	1,687,900
	TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS & NOTES	1,007,700
	(Cost \$21,367,876) (6.4%)	21,297,029
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CONVERTIBLE CORPORATE B	ONDS & NOTES (3.6%)	
	BASIC MATERIALS (0.2%)	
	Allegheny Technologies, Inc., Convertible Fixed,	
100,000	4.25%, 6/1/14	103,375
100,000	ArcelorMittal, Senior Notes, 5.00%, 5/15/14 (1)	101,188
	Steel Dynamics, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 5.13%,	
350,000	6/15/14	411,906
		616,469
	COMMUNICATIONS (0.2%)	
300,000	Equinix, Inc., Convertible Fixed, 4.75%, 6/15/16	655,125
,	VeriSign, Inc., Junior Subordinated Debentures, 3.25%,	,
100,000	8/15/37 (2)	180,375
		835,500
	CONSUMER, CYCLICAL (0.3%)	
	Home Inns & Hotels Management, Inc., Senior Notes,	
150,000	2.00%, 12/15/15 (2)	156,563
120,000	International Game Technology, Senior Unsecured	150,505
200,000	Notes, 3.25%, 5/1/14 (1)	212,000
	MGM Resorts International, Guaranteed Senior Notes,	,
200,000	4.25%, 4/15/15	275,000
,	Navistar International Corp., Senior Subordinated	,
300,000	Notes, 3.00%, 10/15/14	306,750
		950,313
	CONSUMER, NON-CYCLICAL (0.6%)	
1,000,000	Alere, Inc., Convertible Fixed, 3.00%, 5/15/16	1,123,750
	Gilead Sciences, Inc., Convertible Fixed, Series D,	
100,000	1.63%, 5/1/16	329,812

Amount \$ 300,000 123,000	Insulet Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.75%, 6/15/16 Salix Pharmaceuticals Ltd., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.75%, 5/15/15	Value \$ 440,625 242,003 2,136,190
250,000 800,000	ENERGY (0.3%) Goodrich Petroleum Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 10/1/29 Peabody Energy Corp., Junior Subordinate Debentures, 4.75%, 12/15/41 (1)	254,063 632,500 886,563
150,000 300,000 100,000 200,000 200,000	FINANCIAL (0.4%) Digital Realty Trust L.P., Guaranteed Notes, 5.50%, 4/15/29 (2) Fidelity National Financial, Inc. 4.25%, 8/15/18 ProLogis, Guaranteed Notes, 3.25%, 3/15/15 SL Green Operating Partnership L.P., Convertible Fixed, 3.00%, 10/15/17 (2) Tower Group, Inc., Senior Notes Convertible, 5.00%, 9/15/14	190,875 490,500 111,625 248,875 169,375 1,211,250
100,000 150,000 250,000 200,000 150,000 300,000	INDUSTRIAL (0.5%) AGCO Corp., Senior Subordinated Notes, 1.25%, 12/15/36 Alliant Techsystems, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.00%, 8/15/24 Bristow Group, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.00%, 6/15/38 EnerSys, Senior Notes, 3.38%, 6/1/38 (4) MasTec, Inc., Convertible Fixed, 4.00%, 6/15/14 Trinity Industries, Inc., Subordinated Notes Convertible, 3.88%, 6/1/36	145,813 240,094 306,562 352,625 311,906 395,062 1,752,062
350,000 350,000	TECHNOLOGY (1.1%) CACI International, Inc., Senior Subordinate Debenture, 2.13%, 5/1/14 CSG Systems International, Inc., Senior Subordinate Debenture, 3.00%, 3/1/17 (2)	468,781 468,781
Principal		
Amount \$ 150,000 200,000 150,000 200,000 1,000,000	Intel Corp., Junior Subordinated Notes, 3.25%, 8/1/39 Lam Research Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.25%, 5/15/18 (1) SanDisk Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.50%, 8/15/17 Xilinx, Inc., Senior Notes, 2.63%, 6/15/17 Xilinx, Inc., Subordinated Debentures, 3.13%, 3/15/37	Value \$ 203,906 243,250 221,063 319,000 1,583,125 3,507,906
	TOTAL CONVERTIBLE CORPORATE BONDS & NOTES (Cost \$9,154,916) (3.6%)	11,896,253
FOREIGN GOVE	ERNMENT OBLIGATIONS (0.2%)	
250,000	International Bank for Reconstruction & Development, Senior Unsecured Notes, 0.50%, 4/15/16	249,604
250,000	Mexico Government International Bond, Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.13%, 1/15/20	277,000 526,604

# TOTAL FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS (Cost \$526,433) (0.2%)

## LONG-TERM MUNICIPAL SECURITIES (0.3%)

250,000	CALIFORNIA (0.1%) San Francisco Bay Area Rapid Transit District, Revenue Bonds, Series B, 4.09%, 7/1/32	227,162
200,000	NEW YORK (0.1%) City of New York, General Obligation Unlimited, Subser. D2, 2.60%, 8/1/20 Metropolitan Transportation Authority, Build America Bonds, Revenue Bonds,	194,900
185,000	Ser. C-1, 5.12%, 11/15/19	200,588
		395,488

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## Schedule of Investments (continued)

Principal Amount				Value
Amount		TEXAS (0.1%)		varuc
\$	250,000	Tarrant County Cultural Education Facilities Finance		
Ψ	250,000	Corp., Revenue Bonds, Baylor Health Care System		
		Project, Series C, 4.45%, 11/15/43	\$	211,933
		110ject, 3eries C, 4.45 %, 11/13/45	φ	211,933
		TOTAL LONG-TERM MUNICIPAL SECURITIES		
		(Cost \$906,426) (0.3%)		834,583
U.S. GOV	ERNMENT AGENCY OBLIC	GATIONS (8.0%)		
	500,000	FHLB, 1.13%, 3/10/17		502,720
	250,000	FHLB, 3.13%, 12/8/17		265,894
	175,000	FHLB, 2.75%, 6/8/18		182,550
	250,000	FHLB, 1.63%, 2/27/19		246,312
	415,000	FHLB, 4.13%, 12/13/19		455,374
	1,000,000	FHLB, 3.25%, 6/9/23		992,905
	467,757	FHLMC, Series 4151, Class PA, 2.00%, 1/15/33		447,265
	125,107	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A46044, 5.00%, 7/1/35		134,977
	425,854	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A47613, 5.00%, 11/1/35		459,681
	100,000	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A89430, 4.50%, 10/1/39		105,864
	250,000	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #C09055, 4.00%, 12/1/43		257,002
	18,568	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #G05205, 5.00%, 1/1/39		20,024
	365,475	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #J17969, 3.00%, 2/1/27		372,566
	135,828	FHLMC Pool #A84814, 4.50%, 3/1/39		143,694
	839,249	FHLMC Pool #A86830, 4.50%, 6/1/39		889,234
	108,696	FHLMC Pool #A96997, 4.50%, 2/1/41		115,169
	385,215	FHLMC Pool #A97264, 4.00%, 2/1/41		395,933
	400,098	FHLMC Pool #C09027, 3.00%, 2/1/43		379,517
	74,270	FHLMC Pool #G08521, 3.00%, 1/1/43		70,449
	1,065,100	FHLMC Pool #J13314, 3.50%, 10/1/25		1,111,037
	1,005,100	1112110 1 001 113131 1, 3.30 /6, 10/1/23		1,111,007
Principal				
Amount				Value
\$ 872,069	FHLMC Pool #Q04096, 4.00	%. 10/1/41	\$	896,327
180,419	FHLMC Pool #Q06884, 3.50		4	179,218
109,024	FHLMC Pool #Q11077, 3.50	·		108,298
500,000	FNMA, 2.00%, 9/21/15	·-, ··-·		513,752
500,000	FNMA, 0.38%, 12/21/15			499,235
1,000,000	FNMA, 0.88%,5/21/18			967,312
436,223	FNMA Pool #745275, 5.00%	. 2/1/36		473,438
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51,118	FNMA Pool #832199	9, 4.50%, 7/1/35		54,206
72,734	FNMA Pool #973333	3, 4.50%, 2/1/38		76,981
274,476	FNMA Pool #AA046	56, 4.50%, 2/1/39		290,615
15,730	FNMA Pool #AB125	9, 5.00%, 7/1/40		17,112
967,100	FNMA Pool #AB179	6, 3.50%, 11/1/40		961,813
260,193	FNMA Pool #AB266	0, 3.50%, 5/1/21		273,497
164,910	FNMA Pool #AB321	8, 3.50%, 7/1/31		167,917
700,264	FNMA Pool #AB390			715,423
25,494	FNMA Pool AB3943	, 4.00%, 11/1/41		26,264
439,006	FNMA Pool #AB523			435,992
254,339	FNMA Pool #AC582			269,592
423,131	FNMA Pool #AD712			448,427
269,186	FNMA Pool #AD852			285,301
889,806	FNMA Pool #AE975			916,782
247,422	FNMA Pool #AH208	•		254,873
452,278	FNMA Pool #AH449			479,319
882,992	FNMA Pool #AH618			909,617
601,540	FNMA Pool #AH893			637,670
1,093,123	FNMA Pool #AJ9278			1,087,022
31,258	FNMA Pool #AK651			32,195
648,579	FNMA Pool #AL016			689,484
900,001	FNMA Pool #AL065			982,202
84,269	FNMA Pool #AL319			91,963
434,978	FNMA Pool #AQ185	3, 3.00%, 11/1/42		413,381
Principal				
Amount				Value
\$	497,470	FNMA Pool #AS0865, 2.50%, 10/1/28	\$	492,913
	200,000	FNMA Pool #AS1529, 3.00%, 1/1/29		204,500
	796,401	FNMA Pool #AT8849, 4.00%, 6/1/43		820,320
	249,571	FNMA Pool #AU3621, 3.00%, 7/1/43		237,235
	449,269	FNMA Pool #AU5409, 3.00%, 8/1/43		427,078
	299,592	FNMA Pool #AU6562, 3.50%, 12/1/43		297,919
	349,402	FNMA Pool #AU7025, 3.00%, 11/1/43		332,091
	56,976	FNMA Pool #MA0406, 4.50%, 5/1/30		60,685
	222,108	FNMA Pool #MA0577, 3.50%, 11/1/20		233,454
		FNMA REMIC Trust Series 2013-18, Class AE,		
	471,722	2.00%, 3/25/28		448,733
		FNMA REMIC Trust Series 2013-41, Class WD,		
	321,530	2.00%, 11/25/42		308,938
	126,022	GNMA I Pool #539285, 3.00%, 5/15/42		121,944
	176,055	GNMA I Pool #744842, 3.00%, 5/15/42		170,358
	500,000	GNMA II Pool #MA1521, 3.50%, 12/20/43		507,110
	250,000	GNMA TBA, 3.00%, 1/1/44		241,543
		TOTAL HE COVERY COVERY		
		TOTAL U.S. GOVERNMENT AGENCY	_	NC (00 01 C
		OBLIGATIONS (Cost \$27,139,092) (8.0%)	2	26,608,216

SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (11.1%)

REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (8.0%)

26,300,000 With Morgan Stanley, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due

01/02/14, delivery value \$26,300,015 (collateralized by

\$26,760,000 U.S. Treasury Notes 1.000% due

03/31/17, with a value of \$26,891,824)

26,300,000

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	cipal ount			Value
		JOINT REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (INVE		
\$	3,794,575	COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanl		
Ψ	5,771,575	01/02/14, delivery value \$3,794,579 (collateralize	zed by \$3,870,467 U.S. Treasury	
		Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/4 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 - 11/15/23, with	•	\$ 3,794,575
	5,601,515	Joint Repurchase Agreement with Barclays, 0.0	The state of the s	
		delivery value \$5,601,518 (collateralized by \$5,	·	
		Indexed Notes 1.250% - 1.875% due 04/15/14 - \$5,670,362)	0//15/15, with a value of	5,601,515
		1-3		-,,
Prin	cipal			
Am	ount			Value
\$	903,470	Joint Repurchase Agreement with Citigroup, 0.0 01/02/14, delivery value \$903,471 (collateralized		
		Bills 0.000% due 02/20/14, with a value of \$921		\$ 903,470
				10,299,560
		TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost	t \$36,599,560) (11.1%)	36,599,560
		TOTAL INVESTMENT SECURITIES (102.8%	(Cost \$262,494,931)	\$ 340,012,935
EXC	CESS OF LIA	BILITIES OVER CASH AND OTHER ASSETS	(-2.8%)	(9,314,832)
	cipal			X7 1
	ount ΓASSETS (10	00%)	\$	Value 330,698,103
	·			, ,
		LUE OFFERING AND REDEMPTION PRICE, F SHARE (\$330,698,103 ÷ 33,679,337 shares outst		9.82
*		Non-income producing.		
(1)			is held on loan. As of December 3	1, 2013, the
(2)		Pursuant to Rule 144A under the sold to qualified institutional inve	Securities Act of 1933, this securit	y can only be
(3)		The rate shown on floating rate se	ecurities is the rate at the end of the	e reporting
(4)		period. The rate changes monthly		

Step Bond - The rate shown is as of

December 31, 2013 and will reset at a future

date.

ADR American Depositary Receipt. FHLB Federal Home Loan Bank.

FHLMC Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp.
FNMA Federal National Mortgage Association.
GNMA Government National Mortgage Association.

MTN Medium Term Note.

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust.

TBA To Be Announced.

The following table summarizes the inputs used to value the Fund's investments in securities as of December 31, 2013 (See Note 1B):

Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	Level 1	Level 2	I	Level 3	Total
Assets:					
Common Stocks	\$ 218,462,711	\$ _	\$		\$ 218,462,711
Preferred Stocks	124,500	_			124,500
Convertible Preferred Stocks	1,794,520	675,248			2,469,768
U.S. Treasury Obligations	_	20,005,751			20,005,751
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities	_	1,187,960			1,187,960
Corporate Bonds & Notes	_	21,297,029			21,297,029
Convertible Corporate Bonds & Notes	_	11,896,253		—	11,896,253
Foreign Government Obligations	_	526,604		—	526,604
Long-Term Municipal Securities	_	834,583		—	834,583
U.S. Government Agency Obligations	_	26,608,216			26,608,216
Short-Term Investments	_	36,599,560			36,599,560
Total	\$ 220,381,731	\$ 119,631,204	\$		\$ 340,012,935

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#### VALUE LINE LARGER COMPANIES FUND, INC.

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The Fund's investment objective is to realize capital growth.

To achieve the Fund's investment objective the Adviser invests substantially all of the Fund's assets in common stock. While the Fund is actively managed by the Adviser, the Adviser relies primarily on the rankings of companies by the Value Line Timeliness<sup>TM</sup> Ranking System (the "Ranking System") in selecting securities for purchase or sale. The Fund's investments usually, as measured by the number and total value of purchases, are selected from common stocks of the 100 largest companies by capitalization that are ranked 1, 2, or 3 by the Ranking System. The Adviser will determine the percentage of the Fund's assets invested in each stock based on the stock's relative attractiveness.

Manager Discussion of Fund Performance

Below, Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. portfolio manager Mark T. Spellman discusses the Fund's performance and positioning for the 12 months ended December 31, 2013.

How did the Fund perform during the annual period?

The Fund generated a total return of 30.05% during the 12 months ended December 31, 2013. This compares to the 32.39% return of the Fund's benchmark, the S&P 500® Index, during the same annual period.

What key factors were responsible for the Fund's performance during the 12-month reporting period?

While the Fund generated robust double-digit absolute gains, its underperformance of the S&P 500® Index during the 12-month reporting period can be attributed primarily to sector allocation. Stock selection overall proved effective.

Which equity market sectors most significantly affected Fund performance?

Overweighted allocations to and stock selection in the information technology and materials sectors, which each lagged the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, detracted from the Fund's performance. Having an underweighted allocation to financials, which outpaced the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, also dampened results.

Partially offsetting these detractors were the positive contributions made by overweighted allocations to the consumer discretionary and health care sectors, which each outpaced the S&P 500® Index during the annual period. Having an underweighted allocation to energy, which underperformed the S&P 500® Index during the annual period, also boosted relative results. Effective stock selection in the health care sector added value as well.

Which stocks detracted significantly from the Fund's performance during the annual period?

During the annual period, the stocks that detracted most from the Fund's performance were U.K.-based international resources company BHP Billiton, Canadian gold producer Yamana Gold and U.S. security services provider ADT.

BHP Billiton's shares declined as global natural resource prices dropped. Shares of Yamana Gold fell significantly along with the precipitous decline in the price of gold bullion. ADT performed poorly on weaker than expected reported results. We sold the Fund's position in Yamana Gold by the end of the annual period.

What were some of the Fund's best-performing individual stocks?

The individual stocks that contributed most to the Fund's relative results were all U.S.-based companies—casino resort and convention center owner and operator Las Vegas Sands, Internet-based airline and hotel services provider priceline.com and pharmaceuticals manufacturer Actavis, each of which posted robust double-digit gains during the annual period. Las Vegas Sands performed well, as gaming revenue and profit both in the U.S. and abroad rebounded with improved global economic conditions. Shares of priceline.com were up strongly as its reported results were better than anticipated. Actavis saw its shares soar as the generic drug company's results were better than expected, and investors responded favorably to the company's accretive acquisition of Ireland-based Warner Chilcott.

How did the Fund use derivatives and similar instruments during the reporting period?

The Fund did not use derivatives during the reporting period.

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Did the Fund make any significant purchases or sales during the fiscal year?

During the fiscal year, we initiated Fund positions in apparel and accessories designer Ralph Lauren and applications software provider Salesforce.com, in each case as a dip in their respective share prices offered what we believed to be an attractive entry point into the companies. We established a Fund position in investment management company Franklin Resources, as its upside potential appeared attractive to us given its asset flows and the strong equity market.

We sold the Fund's position in semiconductor device manufacturer Altera, as broad semiconductor industry fundamentals began to deteriorate, in our view. We eliminated the Fund's position in leather goods retailer Coach, as the company reported worse than expected earnings results. We exited the Fund's position in agricultural chemicals producer Potash Corp. of Saskatchewan after it reported disappointing results, and we detected a deterioration in industry fundamentals.

Were there any notable changes in the Fund's weightings during the 12-month period?

There were no material changes in the Fund's sector weightings during the 12-month period ended December 31, 2013.

How was the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

As of December 31, 2013, the Fund was overweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the consumer discretionary, information technology, materials, health care and industrials sectors. The Fund was underweighted relative to the S&P 500® Index in the financials, consumer staples and energy sectors and rather neutrally weighted relative to the Index in the utilities and telecommunication services sectors on the same date.

What is your tactical view and strategy for the months ahead?

As we look toward 2014, we intend to continue to look for and to emphasize larger-capitalization stocks that generally are ranked in the higher categories of 1, 2 or 3 in the Value Line TimelinessII Ranking System. As of December 31, 2013, a majority of the Fund's assets were in stocks that met these criteria. The Fund's weighted average price-earnings and debt-to-capital ratios were below that of the S&P 500® Index, while its historical sales growth, earnings growth, return on assets and return on equity were all higher than the Index. We seek to maintain these Fund portfolio characteristics going forward.

As always, our goal is to generate solid returns through capital growth across market cycles.

Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. Portfolio Highlights at December 31, 2013 (unaudited)

Ten Largest Holdings

			Percentage of Net
Issue	Shares	Value	Assets
Google, Inc. Class A	3,700	\$ 4,146,627	2.0%
Apple, Inc.	6,500	3,647,215	1.7%
Actavis PLC	20,000	3,360,000	1.6%
Gilead Sciences, Inc.	42,000	3,156,300	1.5%
NIKE, Inc. Class B	40,000	3,145,600	1.5%
Las Vegas Sands Corp.	39,000	3,075,930	1.5%
McKesson Corp.	19,000	3,066,600	1.4%
Starbucks Corp.	39,000	3,057,210	1.4%
Priceline.com, Inc.	2,600	3,022,240	1.4%
Danaher Corp.	39,000	3,010,800	1.4%

Asset Allocation – Percentage of Net Assets

Sector Weightings – Percentage of Total Investment Securities\*

<sup>\*</sup>Sector weightings exclude short-term investments.

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The following graph compares the performance of the Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. to that of the S&P 500 Index (the "Index"). The Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. is a professionally managed mutual fund, while the Index is not available for investment and is unmanaged. The returns for the Index do not reflect charges, expenses or taxes, but do include the reinvestment of dividends. The comparison is shown for illustrative purposes only.

Comparison of a Change in Value of a \$10,000 Investment in the Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. and the S&P 500 Index\*

Performance Data: \*\*

	Average Annual	Growth of an Assumed
	Total Return	Investment of \$10,000
1 year ended 12/31/13	30.05%	\$13,005
5 years ended 12/31/13	14.84%	\$19,973
10 years ended 12/31/13	6.65%	\$19,044

- \* The Standard and Poor's 500 Stock Index is an unmanaged index that is representative of the larger-capitalization stocks traded in the United States.
- \*\* The performance data quoted represent past performance and are no guarantee of future performance. The average annual total returns and growth of an assumed investment of \$10,000 include dividends reinvested and capital gains distributions accepted in shares. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investment, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than its original cost. The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

# Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. Schedule of Investments

Shares COMMON STOCKS (97.1%)		Value	
	CONSUMER DISCRETIONARY (17.7%)		
5,000	AutoZone, Inc. *	\$	2,389,700
60,000	Comcast Corp. Class A		2,992,800
42,000	DIRECTV *		2,901,780
39,000	Las Vegas Sands Corp.		3,075,930
24,000	McDonald's Corp.		2,328,720
40,000	NIKE, Inc. Class B		3,145,600
2,600	Priceline.com, Inc. *		3,022,240
13,000	Ralph Lauren Corp.		2,295,410
39,000	Starbucks Corp.		3,057,210
33,000	Target Corp.		2,087,910
41,000	TJX Companies, Inc. (The)		2,612,930
30,000	Viacom, Inc. Class B		2,620,200
36,000	Walt Disney Co. (The)		2,750,400
28,000	Yum! Brands, Inc.		2,117,080
			37,397,910
	CONSUMER STAPLES (4.6%)		
24,000	Costco Wholesale Corp.		2,856,240
29,000	CVS Caremark Corp.		2,075,530
44,000	General Mills, Inc.		2,196,040
31,000	PepsiCo, Inc.		2,571,140
			9,698,950
	ENERGY (7.8%)		
37,000	Cameron International Corp. *		2,202,610
16,000	Chevron Corp.		1,998,560
39,000	Enterprise Products Partners L.P.		2,585,700
15,000	EOG Resources, Inc.		2,517,600
26,000	Exxon Mobil Corp.		2,631,200
28,000	Schlumberger Ltd.		2,523,080
45,000	TransCanada Corp. (1)		2,054,700
			16,513,450
	FINANCIALS (7.8%)		
19,000	American Tower Corp. REIT		1,516,580
8,000	BlackRock, Inc.		2,531,760
37,000	Capital One Financial Corp.		2,834,570
30,000	Franklin Resources, Inc.		1,731,900
48,000	JPMorgan Chase & Co.		2,807,040
21.700	MOT Doub Com (1)		2.526.214

M&T Bank Corp. (1)

21,700

2,526,314

	65,000	U.S. Bancorp		2,626,000
	03,000	C.S. Bancorp		16,574,164
				,,
		HEALTH CARE (15.3%)		
	20,000	Actavis PLC *		3,360,000
	23,000	Allergan, Inc.		2,554,840
	23,000	Amgen, Inc.		2,625,680
	10,000	Biogen Idec, Inc. *		2,797,500
	45,000	Bristol-Myers Squibb Co.		2,391,750
	36,000	Express Scripts Holding Co. *		2,528,640
	42,000	Gilead Sciences, Inc. *		3,156,300
	19,000	McKesson Corp.		3,066,600
Charac				Value
Shares	27,000	Novartis AG ADR	\$	2,170,260
	,	Novo Nordisk A/S ADR	Ф	2,771,400
	15,000			
	19,000	Thermo Fisher Scientific, Inc.		2,115,650
	38,000	UnitedHealth Group, Inc.		2,861,400
				32,400,020
		INDUSTRIALS (11.7%)		
	53,000	ADT Corp. (The)		2,144,910
	19,000	Boeing Co. (The)		2,593,310
	44,000	Canadian National Railway Co.		2,508,880
	39,000	Danaher Corp.		3,010,800
	53,085	Expeditors International of Washington,		2,020,000
	22,000	Inc.		2,349,011
	19,000	FedEx Corp.		2,731,630
	10,000	Precision Castparts Corp.		2,693,000
	40,000	Tyco International Ltd.		1,641,600
	15,000	Union Pacific Corp.		2,520,000
	23,000	United Technologies Corp.		2,617,400
	23,000	Cinica reciniologies corp.		24,810,541
				21,010,511
		INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (23.0%)		
	34,000	Accenture PLC Class A		2,795,480
	6,500	Apple, Inc.		3,647,215
	49,700	ARM Holdings PLC ADR		2,720,578
	27,000	Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp.		
		Class A *		2,726,460
	52,000	eBay, Inc. *		2,854,280
	95,000	EMC Corp.		2,389,250
	3,700	Google, Inc. Class A *		4,146,627
	91,000	Intel Corp.		2,362,360
	12,000	International Business Machines Corp.		2,250,840
	33,900	Intuit, Inc.		2,587,248
	36,071	Motorola Solutions, Inc.		2,434,793
	57,000	Oracle Corp.		2,180,820
	36,000	QUALCOMM, Inc.		2,673,000
	49,000	Salesforce.com, Inc. *		2,704,310
	29,900	SAP AG ADR (1)		2,605,486

5,000 3,000 4,000	Texas Instruments, Inc. Visa, Inc. Class A VMware, Inc. Class A *	2,415,050 2,894,840 2,153,040 48,541,677
8,000 2,000 3,000 5,000 9,000 6,000	MATERIALS (6.3%) Air Products & Chemicals, Inc. BHP Billiton Ltd. ADR (1) E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. Ecolab, Inc. Monsanto Co. Praxair, Inc.	2,012,040 2,182,400 2,144,010 2,606,750 2,214,450 2,080,480 13,240,130
92,000 50,000	TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES (2.0%) America Movil S.A.B. de C.V. Series L, ADR (1) BCE, Inc.	Value \$ 2,150,040 2,164,500 4,314,540
26,333	UTILITIES (0.9%) Duke Energy Corp.	1,817,240
	TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$119,157,923) (97.1%)	205,308,622
NVESTMENTS	S (6.2%)	Value
6,000,000	REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (2.8%) With Morgan Stanley, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$6,000,003 (collateralized by \$6,105,000 U.S. Treasury Notes 1.000% due 03/31/17, with a value of \$6,135,074)	6,000,000
2,618,773	JOINT REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS (INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN) (3.4%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$2,618,776 (collateralized by \$2,671,149 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S. Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 - 11/15/23, with a value of \$2,657,557)	2,618,773
	3,000 4,000 8,000 2,000 3,000 5,000 92,000 6,000 26,333	3,000 Visa, Inc. Class A 4,000 Visa, Inc. Class A  MATERIALS (6.3%) 8,000 Air Products & Chemicals, Inc. 2,000 BHP Billiton Ltd. ADR (1) 3,000 E.I. du Pont de Nemours & Co. 5,000 Ecolab, Inc. 9,000 Monsanto Co. 6,000 Praxair, Inc.  TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES (2.0%) America Movil S.A.B. de C.V. Series L, ADR (1) BCE, Inc.  UTILITIES (0.9%) Duke Energy Corp.  TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$119,157,923) (97.1%)  TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$119,157,923) (97.1%)

See Notes to Financial Statements.

#### December 31, 2013

Principal Amount			Value
\$ 3,865,808	Joint Repurchase Agreement with Barclays, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$3,865,810 (collateralized by \$3,943,129 U.S. Treasury Inflation Indexed Notes 1.250% - 1.875% due 04/15/14 - 07/15/15, with a value of \$3,913,321)	\$	3,865,808
Principal Amount \$ 623,517	Joint Repurchase Agreement with Citigroup, 0.01%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$623,518 (collateralized by \$635,994 U.S. Treasury Bills 0.000% due 02/20/14, with a value of \$635,994)		Value
		\$	623,517 7,108,098
	TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS (Cost \$13,108,098) (6.2%)		13,108,098
	TOTAL INVESTMENT SECURITIES (103.3%) (Cost \$132,266,021)	\$	218,416,720
Principal Amount EXCESS OF LIABILITIES OVER CASH AND OTHER ASSETS (-3.3%) NET ASSETS (100%)		\$ \$	Value (6,908,252) 211,508,468
NET ASSET VA	LUE OFFERING AND REDEMPTION PRICE, PER OUTSTANDING 18,468 ÷ 8,270,759 shares outstanding)	\$	25.57

- \* Non-income producing.
- (1) A portion or all of the security was held on loan. As of December 31, 2013, the market value of the securities on loan was \$7,803,401.

ADR American Depositary Receipt.

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust.

The following table summarizes the inputs used to value the Fund's investments in securities as of December 31, 2013 (See Note 1B):

Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:				
Common Stocks	\$205,308,622	\$—	\$—	\$205,308,622
Short-Term Investments	_	13,108,098	_	13,108,098
Total	\$205,308,622	\$13,108,098	<b>\$</b> —	\$218,416,720

See Notes to Financial Statements.

#### VALUE LINE CORE BOND FUND

#### INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE AND STRATEGY

The investment objective of the Fund is to maximize current income. Capital appreciation is a secondary objective but only when consistent with the Fund's primary objective.

The Fund invests primarily in a diversified portfolio of primarily investment grade, fixed income obligations, including securities issued or guaranteed by the U.S. government, its agencies or instrumentalities (U.S. government securities), mortgage-backed securities, asset-backed securities, corporate bonds, and other fixed income securities. Under normal circumstances, the Fund invests at least 80% of its assets in fixed income securities. The Fund invests in debt securities of any maturity, and there is no limit on the Fund's maximum average portfolio maturity.

#### Manager Discussion of Fund Performance

Effective December 31, 2013, Value Line Core Bond Fund's fiscal year-end was changed from January 31 to December 31. Thus, below, Fund portfolio managers Liane Rosenberg and Jeffrey D. Geffen discuss the Fund's performance and positioning for the 11 months ended December 31, 2013.

How did the Fund perform during the reporting period?

The Fund generated a total return of -3.13% during the 11 months ended December 31, 2013 (the reporting period). This compares to the -1.33% return of the Fund's benchmark, the Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index (the "Barclays Index"), during the same period.

What key factors were responsible for the Fund's performance during the reporting period?

The Fund underperformed its benchmark, the Barclays Index, due primarily to issue selection, especially within the securitized and corporate bond sectors. Sector allocation overall and duration positioning contributed positively.

Which fixed income market sectors most significantly affected Fund performance?

Detracting most from relative results was security selection within the securitized sector. Within the securitized sector, we held an overweighted allocation to seven-year to 10-year maturities. However, this intermediate "belly" of the curve underperformed because the U.S. Treasury yield curve flattened during the reporting period, which means yield differentials between longer-term and shorter-term maturities narrowed. The flattening yield curve benefited shorter-term and longer-term maturities, where the Fund was underweight, but hurt the intermediate segment of the yield curve, and thus, such positioning hurt. Some of this detracting effect was offset by having a shorter duration than the Barclays Index in the securitized sector, especially in the mortgage-backed securities sub-sector, as interest rates markedly increased during the year.

Also detracting from the Fund's results was security selection amongst longer-maturity corporate bonds. While maintaining an underweight exposure relative to the Barclays Index, a position in a long-dated electric utility bond—issued by Alabama Power—lost ground during the reporting period. A position in a long-dated bond issued by broadcasting company Comcast also declined during the reporting period. There were no serious credit problems with either of these credits, but longer maturity bonds generally were out of favor.

On the positive side, having an underweighted allocation to U.S. Treasuries, which was the worst performing sector in the Barclays Index during the reporting period, contributed to the Fund's performance. An overweighted allocation to corporate bonds also added significant value, as this sector experienced steady spread tightening throughout the year. (Spread tightening is when the yield differential between a non-U.S. Treasury sector and the U.S. Treasury sector narrows.) Within the Fund's corporate bond allocation, an underweight to utilities bonds and overweights to financials and industrials bonds proved beneficial, as utilities bonds underperformed both financials and industrials bonds during the reporting period. Our corporate credit bias toward bonds rated BBB also buoyed the Fund's results, as this market segment of the investment grade corporate bond sector outperformed higher quality bonds during the reporting period.

A modest out-of-benchmark exposure to high yield corporate bonds boosted relative results, as high yield corporate bonds outperformed investment grade corporate bonds.

What was the Fund's duration strategy?

Duration positioning in the Fund contributed most positively to the Fund's performance relative to the Barclays Index during the reporting period. Based upon expectations of a bias toward rising interest rates, we kept the Fund's duration short relative to that of the Barclays Index. As interest rates did rise significantly during the reporting period, this duration positioning contributed positively to relative results. Duration is a measure of the Fund's sensitivity to changes in interest rates.

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How did yield curve positioning decisions affect the Fund's performance?

Yield curve positioning had a rather neutral effect on the Fund's performance during the reporting period, but did detract at certain points. For example, the Fund was overweighted in the intermediate segment of the yield curve, or spectrum of maturities. When the Federal Reserve (the Fed) first started talking seriously in May 2013 about tapering its asset purchases, the yield curve started to flatten, meaning the differential in yields between longer-term and shorter-term maturities narrowed. The flattening yield curve benefited shorter-term and longer-term maturities, where the Fund was underweight, but hurt the intermediate segment of the yield curve, and thus, such positioning hurt.

How did the Fund use derivatives and similar instruments during the reporting period?

The Fund did not use derivatives during the reporting period.

Were there any notable changes in the Fund's weightings during the reporting period?

We increased the Fund's allocation to corporate bonds, both investment grade and high yield, during the reporting period, as we sought to take advantage of what we considered to be attractive spreads and yields. The high yield corporate bond market performed particularly strongly, as it gained alongside the rallying U.S. equity market. Concurrently, we reduced the Fund's exposure to U.S. Treasuries, using the proceeds to invest in spread, or non-U.S. Treasury, fixed income sectors. We kept the Fund's duration within a neutral to half-year short stance compared to that of the Barclays Index.

How was the Fund positioned relative to its benchmark index at the end of December 2013?

At the end of December 2013, the Fund was significantly overweight relative to the Barclays Index in the corporate bond sector and more modestly overweight in the securitized sector. As of December 31, 2013, the Fund was significantly underweight the Barclays Index in U.S. Treasuries and more modestly underweight in government-related securities. The Fund had an approximately 2% allocation to cash equivalents at the end of the reporting period.

What is your tactical view and strategy for the months ahead?

We expect performance of the fixed income asset class to be highly sensitive in the months ahead to Fed policy and the timetable for its tapering actions. Also, economic factors, including jobs growth, unemployment, Gross Domestic Product and inflation are likely to be critical factors that may impact the fixed income market ahead. While Fed tapering of the bond purchase program is scheduled to begin in January 2014, any sustained economic weakness could affect the Fed's current course. We also believe there may continue to be interest rate volatility with the ultimate bias toward higher rates.

Given this view, at the end of the reporting period, we continued to favor corporate bonds over U.S. Treasuries within the Fund, especially corporate bonds rated BBB, or mid-grade credits, and high yield corporate bonds. We believe corporate bonds' comparatively higher investment income is likely to remain attractive to investors, and we expect the technicals, or supply and demand factors, within the sector to remain supportive. That is, we expect to see modest new issuance relative to strong investor demand. In our view, corporate bonds were also at a relatively strong point in the credit cycle at the end of the reporting period, with relatively low debt and high cash levels. All that said, we do not

expect to significantly increase the Fund's overall exposure from end-of-year levels given how tight spreads have become.

Of course, any significant weakening in the U.S. economy will lead us to re-evaluate the Fund's duration stance as well as its sector allocation. Similarly, any significant deterioration in overall credit metrics would likely lead to a reduction in overall corporate exposure. As we continue to seek to maximize current income, we maintain a long-term investment perspective.

## Value Line Core Bond Fund Portfolio Highlights at December 31, 2013 (unaudited)

## Ten Largest Holdings

			Percentage
	Principal		of
			Net
Issue	Amount	Value	Assets
FHLMC Gold PC Pool #C09004, 3.50%, 7/1/42	\$1,883,353	\$1,870,822	2.2 %
U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.88%, 12/31/16	1,650,000	1,653,610	1.9 %
FHLB, 5.00%, 12/21/15	1,500,000	1,634,504	1.9 %
U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.00%, 8/31/16	1,500,000	1,514,062	1.8 %
U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.75%, 12/31/17	1,500,000	1,466,718	1.7 %
FNMA Pool #MA1107, 3.50%, 7/1/32	1,390,018	1,415,535	1.7 %
FNMA, 7.25%, 5/15/30	1,000,000	1,372,718	1.6 %
U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.00%, 2/15/22	1,400,000	1,328,578	1.6 %
U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 11/30/15	1,250,000	1,274,170	1.5 %
FHLMC, 2.00%, 8/25/16	1,000,000	1,034,112	1.2 %
Asset Allocation – Percentage of Net Assets			

Sector Weightings – Percentage of Total Investment Securities\*

<sup>\*</sup>Sector weightings exclude short-term investments.

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### Coupon Distribution

	Percentage of
	Fund's
	Investments
Less than 4%	61.0 %
4-4.99%	17.1 %
5-5.99%	11.1 %
6-6.99%	5.6 %
7-7.99%	4.6 %
8-8.99%	0.6 %

The following graph compares the performance of the Value Line Core Bond Fund to that of the Barclays Capital U.S. Corporate High Yield Index and the Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index (the "Indices"). The Value Line Core Bond Fund is a professionally managed mutual fund, while the Indices are not available for investment and are unmanaged. The returns for the Indices do not reflect charges, expenses or taxes, but do include the reinvestment of dividends. The comparison is shown for illustrative purposes only.

Comparison of a Change in Value of a \$10,000 Investment in the Value Line Core Bond Fund, the Barclays Capital U.S. Corporate High Yield Index\* and the Barclays Capital Aggregate Bond Index\*\*

Performance Data: \*\*\*

	Average	
	Annual Growth of an A	
	Total Return	Investment of \$10,000
1 year ended 12/31/13	(3.16 )%	\$ 9,684
5 years ended 12/31/13	11.86 %	\$ 17,511
10 years ended 12/31/13	5.70 %	\$ 17,410

- \* The Barclays Capital U.S. Corporate High Yield Index is representative of the broad based fixed-income market. It includes noninvestment grade corporate bonds. The returns for the Index do not reflect charges, expenses, or taxes, which are deducted from the Fund's returns, and it is not possible to directly invest in this unmanaged Index.
- \*\* The Barclay's Capital U.S. Aggregate Bond Index is a broad-based benchmark that measures the investment grade, U.S. dollar denominated, fixed-rate taxable bond market, including Treasuries, government-related and corporate securities, MBS (agency fixed-rate and hybrid ARM pass-through's), ABS, and CMBS. This is an unmanaged index and does not reflect charges, expenses or taxes. It is not possible to directly invest in this Index.
- \*\*\* The performance data quoted represent past performance and are no guarantee of future performance. The average annual total returns and growth of an assumed investment of \$10,000 include dividends reinvested and capital gains distributions accepted in shares. The investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate so that an investment, when redeemed, may be worth more or less than its original cost. The performance data and graph do not reflect the deduction of taxes that a shareholder would pay on fund distributions or the redemption of fund shares.

# Value Line Core Bond Fund Schedule of Investments

An	ncipal nount DRPORATE	E BONDS & NOTES (30.8%)	V	<sup>7</sup> alue
		BASIC MATERIALS (0.6%)		
\$	250,000	Celanese U.S. Holdings LLC, Guaranteed Notes, 4.63%, 11/15/22	\$	239,375
	300,000	LYB International Finance B.V., Guaranteed Notes, 4.00%, 7/15/23		296,116
				535,491
		COMMUNICATIONS (3.3%)		
	250,000	America Movil S.A.B. de C.V., Guaranteed Notes, 5.00%, 3/30/20		270,766
	500,000	Comcast Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 4.25%, 1/15/33		464,460
	500,000	DIRECTV Holdings LLC / DIRECTV Financing Co., Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.80	%,	
		3/15/22		480,318
	500,000	MetroPCS Wireless, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.63%, 11/15/20		530,000
	400,000	Motorola Solutions, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.00%, 11/15/17		454,982
	250,000	Time Warner, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 3.15%, 7/15/15		258,998
	350,000	Verizon Communications, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.25%, 11/3/14		352,039
				2,811,563
		CONSUMER, CYCLICAL (5.0%)		
	300,000	CVS Caremark Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 6.60%, 3/15/19		355,015
	500,000	D.R. Horton, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.50%, 4/15/16		546,250
	150,000	Delphi Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 6.13%, 5/15/21		166,313
	250,000	Ford Motor Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 7.45%, 7/16/31		306,167
	200,000	Hanesbrands, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.38%, 12/15/20		218,500
	500,000	Home Depot, Inc. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.95%, 9/15/20		533,447
Pri	ncipal			
	nount		Value	
\$	115,00	•	\$	125,350
	200,00			218,431
	300,00	·		320,250
	500,00			
		2/15/23		454,088
	500,00	1 /		500,533
	250,00			235,492
	200,00	Wynn Las Vegas LLC / Wynn Las Vegas Capital Corp., 7.75%, 8/15/20		224,500
			,	4,204,336
		CONSUMER, NON-CYCLICAL (3.4%)		
	400,00			413,982
	500,00			492,299
	450,00			468,370
	250,00			233,125
	250,00			241,875
	250,00	Humana, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.15%, 12/1/22		231,428

	500,000 350,000	Kroger Co. (The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.15%, 8/1/43 Mylan, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.35%, 11/29/16	487,752 349,358 2,918,189
	500,000	ENERGY (1.5%) Enterprise Products Operating LLC, Guaranteed Notes, 4.85%, 8/15/42	470,883
Princi	ipal		
Amou	ınt		Value
\$	500,000	Kinder Morgan Energy Partners L.P., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.65%, 2/1/19	\$ 494,455
	250,000	Phillips 66, Guaranteed Notes, 4.30%, 4/1/22	254,054
			1,219,392
		FINANCIAL (13.0%)	
	250,000	ACE INA Holdings, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 2.70%, 3/13/23	229,081
	250,000	Aircastle, Ltd., Senior Unsecured Notes, 4.63%, 12/15/18	251,875
	250,000	American Express Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 0.83%, 5/22/18 (2)	249,827
	500,000	American International Group, Inc. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.85%,	
		1/16/18	573,525
	500,000	Bank of America Corp. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.30%, 1/11/23	473,134
	250,000	Bank of Montreal MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.38%, 1/25/19	249,276
	350,000	BlackRock, Inc., Series 2, Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 12/10/19	395,182
	250,000	BRE Properties, Inc., REIT, Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.38%, 1/15/23	229,558
	350,000	Capital One NA/Mclean VA, Senior Notes, 1.50%, 3/22/18	340,367
	350,000	CIT Group, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 8/15/22	341,250
	500,000	Citigroup, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.70%, 7/25/16	504,711
	500,000	Cooperatieve Centrale Raiffeisen- Boerenleenbank BA, Guaranteed Notes,	
		3.95%, 11/9/22	484,495
	250,000	Credit Agricole S.A., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.13%, 4/17/18 (1)	248,373
	250,000	Fifth Third Bank, Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.45%, 2/28/18	243,603
	250,000	General Electric Capital Corp. MTN, Senior Unsecured Notes, 1.00%, 8/11/15	
		(2)	251,904

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Pri	ncipal			
An	nount			Value
\$	250,000	General Motors Financial Co.	, Inc., Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.75%, 5/15/16 (1) \$	253,125
	500,000		The), Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.63%, 1/22/23	484,176
	500,000	HSBC Holdings PLC, Senior	513,924	
	250,000	Icahn Enterprises L.P. / Icahn	Enterprises Finance Corp., Guaranteed Notes,	
		8.00%, 1/15/18		260,000
	350,000		nior Unsecured Notes, 1.05%, 10/11/16	351,007
	500,000	KeyCorp. MTN, Senior Unsec		546,456
	500,000	Morgan Stanley, Senior Unse		545,659
	500,000	PNC Funding Corp., Guarante		561,579
	500,000	ProLogis L.P., Guaranteed No		496,540
	250,000		N, Senior Unsecured Notes, 2.30%, 8/15/18	248,520
	250,000		Unsecured Notes, 5.20%, 4/15/21	274,814
	250,000	State Street Corp., Subordinat		232,452
	250,000		, Ltd., Guaranteed Notes, 2.95%, 9/14/18 (1) (3)	254,318
	500,000	-	Subordinated Notes, 3.45%, 2/13/23	472,718
	250,000	Weyerhaeuser Co., Senior Un	secured Notes, 7.38%, 10/1/19	303,097
	200,000	XLIT, Ltd., Guaranteed Notes	s, 5.25%, 12/15/43	201,340
				11,065,886
	ncipal			
An	nount		D.D. 17 (2.16)	Value
		270.000	INDUSTRIAL (2.4%)	
\$		350,000	Alliant Techsystems, Inc., Guaranteed Notes, 6.88%,	\$
		<b>T</b> 00.000	9/15/20	377,563
		500,000	Briggs & Stratton Corp., Guaranteed Notes, 6.88%,	
			12/15/20	549,375
		350,000	Burlington Northern Santa Fe LLC, Senior Unsecured	
		<b>T</b> 00000	Notes, 3.05%, 3/15/22	331,742
		500,000	Canadian National Railway Co., Senior Unsecured	
			Notes, 5.55%, 3/1/19	573,755
		200,000	Masco Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 7.13%, 3/15/20	228,302
				2,060,737
			TECHNOLOGY (0.9%)	
		200,000	Microsoft Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.63%,	
			12/15/23	200,313
		500,000	Oracle Corp., Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.00%, 7/8/19	566,043
				766,356
		~~~	UTILITIES (0.7%)	
		250,000	Alabama Power Co., Senior Unsecured Notes, 3.85%,	21221
		200.000	12/1/42	213,246
		380,000	Florida Power & Light Co., 4.95%, 6/1/35	398,250
				611,496
				26,193,446

# TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS & NOTES (Cost \$26,501,267) (30.8%)

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COMMERCI	AL MORTGAGE-BACKED SI	ECURITIES (3.7%)		
	350,000	Commercial Mortgage Pass-Through Certificates,		
		Series 2012-CR4, Class A3, 2.85%, 10/15/45		328,254
	500,000	FHLMC, Multifamily Structured Pass-Through		
		Certificates, Series K704, Class A2, 2.41%, 8/25/18		509,507
Principal				
Amount			V	<sup>7</sup> alue
\$454,000	FNMA, Series 2012-M3, Class	s 2A2, 2.43%, 1/25/19	\$	460,313
300,000	GNMA Series 2010-155, Class	ss B, 2.53%, 6/16/39		307,517
345,110	GNMA Series 2013-12, Class	AB, 1.83%, 11/16/52		329,073
600,000	GNMA, Series 2013-12, Class	s B, 2.45%, 11/16/52 (2)		553,180
441,683	GNMA Series 2012-125, Class	ss AB, 2.11%, 2/16/53 (2)		417,099
250,000	Morgan Stanley Bank of Ame	rica Merrill Lynch Trust, Series 2013-C8, Class A2,		
	1.69%, 12/15/48			244,639
	TOTAL COMMERCIAL MC	RTGAGE-BACKED SECURITIES		
	(Cost \$3,343,344) (3.7%)		3	3,149,582
FOREIGN G	OVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS	S (0.7%)		
250,000	International Bank for Recons	truction & Development, Senior Unsecured Notes,		
	0.50%, 4/15/16			249,604
300,000	Mexico Government Internati TOTAL FOREIGN GOVERN	onal Bond, Senior Unsecured Notes, 5.13%, 1/15/20 IMENT OBLIGATIONS		332,400
	(Cost \$581,849) (0.7%)			582,004
LONG-TERM	M MUNICIPAL SECURITIES (	1.1%)		
	CALIFORNIA (0.3%)			
350,000	San Francisco Bay Area Rapio	d Transit District, Revenue Bonds, Series B, 4.09%,		
	7/1/32			318,027
	NEW YORK (0.3%)			
250,000	City of New York, General O	bligation Unlimited, Subser. D2, 2.60%, 8/1/20		243,625

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Principal		Volue
Amount	TEVAC (0.5%)	Value
\$ 500,000	TEXAS (0.5%)  Tarrant County Cultural Education Facilities Finance	
\$ 500,000	Corp., Revenue Bonds, Baylor Health Care System	
	Project, Series C, 4.45%, 11/15/43	\$ 423,865
	TOTAL LONG-TERM MUNICIPAL SECURITIES	\$ 423,803
		985,517
U.S. TREASURY OBI	(Cost \$1,099,943) (1.1%) LIGATIONS (25.0%)	983,317
	U.S. TREASURY NOTES & BONDS (25.0%)	
700,000		952,437
588,395	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	651,372
700,000	·	893,593
250,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	271,563
450,000	•	438,680
900,000	•	849,937
200,000	•	200,164
450,000	•	450,246
450,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.25%, 7/31/15	449,982
100,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.25%, 8/15/15	99,961
500,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.25%, 10/15/15	499,356
1,250,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.38%, 11/30/15	1,274,170
1,000,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.38%, 1/15/16	999,609
100,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.50%, 6/30/16	102,305
900,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.50%, 7/31/16	920,531
1,500,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.00%, 8/31/16	1,514,062
1,650,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.88%, 12/31/16	1,653,610
300,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.00%, 3/31/17	300,656
150,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 1.88%, 9/30/17	153,832
Principal		
Amount		Value
\$ 200,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 0.63%, 11/30/17	195,000
1,500,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,466,718
500,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	519,024
500,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	493,906
400,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	394,000
500,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	491,680
1,050,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,028,344
750,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	726,621
800,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	852,500
700,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	714,218
400,000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	387,500
1,400,000	U.S. Treasury Notes, 2.00%, 2/15/22	1,328,578

			21,274,155
		TOTAL U.S. TREASURY OBLIGATIONS	
		(Cost \$21,887,446) (25.0%)	21,274,155
	NMENT AGENCY OBLIC		
	1,500,000	FHLB, 5.00%, 12/21/15	1,634,504
	1,000,000	FHLMC, 2.00%, 8/25/16	1,034,112
	600,000	FHLMC, 1.25%, 5/12/17	604,115
	139,999	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A29526, 5.00%, 1/1/35	150,929
	59,798	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A29633, 5.00%,1/1/35	64,435
	62,042	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A56491, 5.00%, 1/1/37	66,791
	775,481	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A95803, 4.00%, 12/1/40	797,841
	192,608	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #A97264, 4.00%, 2/1/41	197,966
	21,030	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #B12822, 5.00%, 3/1/19	22,591
	10,029	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #B17398, 4.50%, 12/1/19	10,654
Principal			
Amount			Value
\$ 46,914	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	B18034, 4.50%, 4/1/20	\$ 50,609
455,555	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	C03516, 4.00%, 9/1/40	468,181
1,883,353	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	C09004, 3.50%, 7/1/42	1,870,822
23,976	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	C91413, 3.50%, 12/1/31	24,437
2,211	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	E92226, 5.00%, 11/1/17	2,340
3,023	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	E92829, 5.00%, 12/1/17	3,200
34,265	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	E93499, 5.00%, 12/1/17	36,272
3,864	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	E98960, 5.00%, 9/1/18	4,092
274,092	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	G06224, 3.50%, 1/1/41	272,269
46,559	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	G08184, 5.00%, 1/1/37	50,151
6,419	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	G11986, 5.00%, 4/1/21	6,933
9,219	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		9,786
494,942	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #	G14216, 3.50%, 7/1/21	519,892
54,289	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		57,680
7,873	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		8,339
156,368	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		166,603
48,971	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		52,877
421,654	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		451,654
40,308	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #		42,721
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Principal		
Amount		Value
\$ 139,207	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #Q06307, 3.50%, 2/1/42	\$ 138,280
218,751	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #Q08903, 3.50%, 6/1/42	217,295
463,151	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #Q11556, 3.00%, 10/1/42	439,327
830,396	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #Q11908, 3.50%, 10/1/42	824,871
478,168	FHLMC Gold PC Pool #Q14593, 3.00%, 1/1/43	453,572
162,576	FHLMC, Pool #783022, 2.40%, 2/1/35 (2)	172,889
127,648	FHLMC, REMIC Trust Series 2643, Class ME, 3.50%, 3/15/18	130,837
3,899	FHLMC, REMIC Trust Series 2645, Class NA, 3.50%, 9/15/31	3,904
854,732	FHLMC, REMIC Trust Series 3632, Class AP, 3.00%, 2/15/40	883,182
500,000	FNMA, 1.10%, 7/11/17	495,382
500,000	FNMA, 1.10%, 3/12/18	484,615
1,000,000	FNMA, 7.25%, 5/15/30	1,372,718
18,947	FNMA Pool #254383, 7.50%, 6/1/32	21,067
53,505	FNMA Pool #254476, 5.50%, 9/1/32	58,952
49,006	FNMA Pool #254684, 5.00%, 3/1/18	52,207
113,103	FNMA Pool #255496, 5.00%, 11/1/34	122,801
8,996	FNMA Pool #255580, 5.50%, 2/1/35	9,897
6,119	FNMA Pool #258149, 5.50%, 9/1/34	6,757
33,560	FNMA Pool #412682, 6.00%, 3/1/28	37,697
5,765	FNMA Pool #511823, 5.50%, 5/1/16	6,118
193	FNMA Pool #568625, 7.50%, 1/1/31	199
30,702	FNMA Pool #571090, 7.50%, 1/1/31	31,390
1,690	FNMA Pool #573935, 7.50%, 3/1/31	1,810
19,018	FNMA Pool #622373, 5.50%, 12/1/16	20,199
32,829	FNMA Pool #623503, 6.00%, 2/1/17	34,239
Principal		
Amount		Value
\$ 126,963	FNMA Pool #626440, 7.50%, 2/1/32	\$ 144,295
17,932	FNMA Pool #631328, 5.50%, 2/1/17	19,159
2,165	FNMA Pool #638247, 5.50%, 5/1/17	2,300
1,575	FNMA Pool #643277, 5.50%, 4/1/17	1,673
14,690	FNMA Pool #685183, 5.00%, 3/1/18	15,649
2,060	FNMA Pool #688539, 5.50%, 3/1/33	2,269
24,876	FNMA Pool #703936, 5.00%, 5/1/18	26,512
49,835	FNMA Pool #726889, 5.50%, 7/1/33	54,879
113,109	FNMA Pool #735224, 5.50%, 2/1/35	124,525
43,232	FNMA Pool #763393, 5.50%, 2/1/34	47,458
5,651	FNMA Pool #769682, 5.00%, 3/1/34	6,142
71,250	FNMA Pool #769862, 5.50%, 2/1/34	78,247
1,401	FNMA Pool #778141, 5.00%, 5/1/34	1,524
302,069	FNMA Pool #780956, 4.50%, 5/1/19	328,511
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15,819		17,518
44,073	FNMA Pool #801063, 5.50%, 11/1/34	48,455
29,809		32,775
29,231	FNMA Pool #804683, 5.50%, 12/1/34	32,112
190,655		202,307
201,676		223,344
32,076		33,974
437,136		463,305
865,216		859,276
422,540	FNMA Pool #AB5716, 3.00%, 7/1/27	431,687
398,395	FNMA Pool #AB9386, 4.00%, 5/1/43	410,384
475,501	FNMA Pool #AC8908, 4.50%, 1/1/40	503,579
37,819	FNMA Pool #AD1035, 4.50%, 2/1/40	40,071
Principal		
Amount		Value
\$ 200,000	FNMA Pool #AD6374, 5.00%, 5/1/40	\$ 217,919
230,241	FNMA Pool #AD7136, 5.00%, 7/1/40	250,550
183,564		200,520
978,906		1,008,143
568,125	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	585,191
595,009		630,747
55,000		58,289
480,925		509,656
266,164		281,975
397,499		395,281
879,869		898,921
424,719		403,636
484,075		460,041
420,311	FNMA Pool #AR6394, 3.00%, 4/1/43	399,491
895,950		
•	·	922,859
549,060		521,857
529,279		552,946
1,390,018		1,415,535
7,222		7,228
37,821		39,679
238,872		258,800
473,613		508,568
188,689	FNMA REMIC Trust Series 2013-18, Class AE, 2.00%, 3/25/28	179,493

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Principal									
Amount				Value					
\$ 43,343	GNMA Pool #003645, 4	.50%, 12/20/19	\$	46,277					
2,114	GNMA Pool #429786, 6	5.00%, 12/15/33		2,414					
42,230	GNMA Pool #548880, 6	5.00%, 12/15/31		46,971					
28,670	GNMA Pool #551762, 6	0.00%, 4/15/32		31,899					
3,177	GNMA Pool #557681, 6	0.00%, 8/15/31		3,534					
15,232	GNMA Pool #582415, 6	5.00%, 11/15/32		17,164					
66,995	GNMA Pool #583008, 5	5.50%, 6/15/34		74,321					
58,302	GNMA Pool #605025, 6	5.00%, 2/15/34		65,691					
18,507	GNMA Pool #605245, 5		20,318						
32,646	GNMA Pool #610944, 5	GNMA Pool #610944, 5.50%, 4/15/34							
51,366	GNMA Pool #622603, 6	GNMA Pool #622603, 6.00%, 11/15/33							
5,456	GNMA Pool #626480, 6	GNMA Pool #626480, 6.00%, 2/15/34							
663,934	GNMA Series 2010-151	, Class KA, 3.00%, 9/16/39		674,597					
476,238	GNMA Series 2011-136	, Class GB, 2.50%, 5/20/40		462,423					
256,211	GNMA Series 2011-17,	Class EP, 3.50%, 12/16/39		265,196					
250,000	GNMA, TBA, 3.00%,1/1		241,543						
	TOTAL U.S. GOVERN	MENT AGENCY OBLIGATIONS							
	(Cost \$31,631,699) (37.2	2%)	31	,614,823					
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	Principal			<b>37 1</b>					
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SHORT-TERM	Amount	JOINT REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS		Value					
SHORT-TERM	Amount	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR		Value					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%)		Value					
SHORT-TERM	Amount	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley,		Value					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value		Value					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$86,636 (collateralized by \$88,369 U.S. Treasury Bonds		Value					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$86,636 (collateralized by \$88,369 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S.		Value					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$86,636 (collateralized by \$88,369 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S. Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 -							
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)  86,636	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$86,636 (collateralized by \$88,369 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S. Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 - 11/15/23, with a value of \$87,919)	\$	Value 86,636					
	Amount INVESTMENTS (0.3%)	(INVESTMENTS OF CASH COLLATERAL FOR SECURITIES ON LOAN)(0.3%) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Morgan Stanley, 0.02%, dated 12/31/13, due 01/02/14, delivery value \$86,636 (collateralized by \$88,369 U.S. Treasury Bonds 4.250% - 8.000% due 11/15/21 - 11/15/40 and U.S. Treasury Notes 2.625% - 2.750% due 11/15/20 - 11/15/23, with a value of \$87,919) Joint Repurchase Agreement with Barclays, 0.01%,							
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Principal

Amount Value

TOTAL SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS		
(Cost \$235,156) (0.3%)	\$	235,156
TOTAL INVESTMENT SECURITIES (98.8%) (Cost		
\$85,280,704)	\$8	4,034,683
CASH AND OTHER ASSETS IN EXCESS OF LIABILITIES (1.2%)		1,010,476
NET ASSETS (100%)	\$8	5,045,159
NET ASSET VALUE OFFERING AND REDEMPTION PRICE, PER OUTSTANDING SHARE		
$(\$85,045,159 \div 17,529,435 \text{ shares outstanding})$	\$	4.85

- (1) Pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933, this security can only be sold to qualified institutional investors.
- (2) The rate shown on floating rate and discount securities represents the yield or rate at the end of the reporting period.
- (3) A portion or all of the security was held on loan. As of December 31, 2013, the market value of the securities on loan was \$257,657.
- (4) Treasury Inflation Protected Security (TIPS).

FHLB Federal Home Loan Bank.

FHLMC. Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp FNMA Federal National Mortgage Association. GNMA Government National Mortgage Association.

MTN Medium Term Note.

REIT Real Estate Investment Trust.

TBA To Be Announced.

The following table summarizes the inputs used to value the Fund's investments in securities as of December 31, 2013 (See Note 1B):

Value Line Core Bond Fund	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Assets:				
Corporate Bonds & Notes	\$ _	\$ 26,193,446	\$ 	\$ 26,193,446
Commercial Mortgage-Backed Securities		3,149,582	_	3,149,582
Foreign Government Obligations		582,004		582,004
Long-Term Municipal Securities		985,517		985,517
U.S. Treasury Obligations		21,274,155		21,274,155
U.S. Government Agency Obligations		31,614,823		31,614,823
Short-Term Investments		235,156		235,156
Total	\$ 	\$ 84,034,683	\$ 	\$ 84,034,683

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# Statements of Assets and Liabilities at December 31, 2013

	Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	The Value Line Fund, Inc.	Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	Value Line Core Bond Fund
Assets:					
Investment securities, at value*					
Investments(1)	\$ 396,539,636	\$122,830,976	\$ 303,413,375	\$ 205,308,622	\$ 83,799,527
Repurchase agreements(2)	18,615,511	2,456,822	36,599,560	13,108,098	235,156
Total investments, at value	\$ 415,155,147	\$125,287,798	\$ 340,012,935	\$ 218,416,720	\$ 84,034,683
Cash	2,013,536	374,469	1,638,295	1,118,917	1,279,222
Receivable for securities sold	1,065,278	696,193	1,105,484	_	_
Interest and dividends receivable	371,826	94,511	805,654	213,793	545,431
Receivable for capital shares sold	295,901	20,070	201,223	120	28
Prepaid expenses	7,675	7,136	15,895	8,902	4,264
Receivable for securities lending					
income	5,565	588	8,330	4,708	54
Other receivables	2,247		<u> </u>		74,130
Total Assets	418,917,175	126,480,765	343,787,816	219,763,160	85,937,812
Liabilities:					
Payable upon return of securities					
on loan	16,241,965	1,070,625	11,524,575	7,953,525	263,125
Payable for securities purchased			1,119,611	<del>_</del>	461,425
Payable for capital shares			, ,		,
redeemed	181,297		126,176	91,421	77,534
Dividends payable to	,		,	,	,
shareholders	_		_	_	9,727
Accrued expenses:					,
Advisory fee	251,297	72,153	184,561	131,617	29,228
Service and distribution plan fees	83,766	26,118	55,481	26,323	14,614
Directors' fees and expenses	204	347	1,059	403	184
Other	85,694	43,487	78,250	51,403	36,816
Total Liabilities	16,844,223	1,212,730	13,089,713	8,254,692	892,653
Net Assets	\$ 402,072,952	\$125,268,035	\$ 330,698,103	\$ 211,508,468	\$ 85,045,159
Net assets consist of:	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, -,,	,,,	, , , , , , , , , ,	,,,
Capital stock, at \$1.00, \$1.00,					
\$1.00, \$1.00 and \$0.01 par value,					
respectively (authorized					
100,000,000, 50,000,000,					
75,000,000, 50,000,000 and					
unlimited shares, respectively)	\$ 11,828,557	\$9,278,231	\$ 33,679,337	\$ 8,270,759	\$ 175,294
Additional paid-in capital	180,771,820	101,953,997	216,551,661	151,129,623	86,998,377
Undistributed/(distributions in	,,,,,,,,,,	, <del>- ,-</del> ,-	- , , 1	, ,,,,,,,,	, <del>,</del>
excess of) net investment income		56,121	142,003	936,119	(9,727)
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Accumulated net realized					
gain/(loss) on investments,					
foreign currency and written					
options	1,752,692	(42,937,235)	2,807,028	(34,978,877)	(872,764)
Net unrealized					
appreciation/(depreciation) of:					
Investments and foreign currency					
translations	207,719,883	56,916,921	77,518,074	86,150,844	(1,246,021)
Net Assets	\$ 402,072,952	\$125,268,035	\$ 330,698,103	\$ 211,508,468	\$ 85,045,159
Shares Outstanding	11,828,557	9,278,231	33,679,337	8,270,759	17,529,435
Net Asset Value, Offering and					
Redemption Price per					
Outstanding Share	\$ 33.99	\$13.50	\$ 9.82	\$ 25.57	\$ 4.85
* Includes securities on loan of	\$ 15,893,168	\$1,048,806	\$ 11,304,497	\$ 7,803,401	\$ 257,657
(1) Cost of investments	\$ 188,819,815	\$65,914,055	\$ 225,895,371	\$ 119,157,923	\$ 85,045,548
(2) Cost of repurchase					
agreements	\$ 18,615,511	\$2,456,822	\$ 36,599,560	\$ 13,108,098	\$ 235,156

See Notes to Financial Statements.

# Statements of Operations for the Year Ended December 31, 2013

	Value Line Premier	The	Value Line Income	Value Line Larger	Value Line Core	Value Line Core
	Growth	Value Line	and Growth	Companies	Bond	Bond
Investment Income:	Fund, Inc.	Fund, Inc.	Fund, Inc.	Fund, Inc.	Fund(1)	Fund(2)
Dividends (net of foreign						
withholding tax of \$116,207,						
\$21,586, \$84,761, \$64,762,	¢ 4 422 076	¢1 222 201	¢5 221 026	¢2.056.465	\$—	¢ 27 005
\$0 and \$0, respectively)	\$4,432,076	\$1,332,281	\$5,331,036	\$2,956,465		\$27,995
Interest	6,821	1,063	2,018,105	3,598	1,777,021	2,008,525
Securities lending income	98,053	24,664	81,076	32,895	517	22,017
Total Income	4,536,950	1,358,008	7,430,217	2,992,958	1,777,538	2,058,537
Expenses:	2.709.422	907 202	2.005.572	1 450 201	202 406	227 606
Advisory fee	2,798,432	807,293	2,095,572	1,458,201	382,486	237,606
Service and distribution plan	022 011	201 202	705 502	106 000	101 271	70.202
fees	932,811	291,282	785,503	486,089	191,271	79,202
Sub-transfer agent fees	110,726	7,527	61,727	13,109	— 47 476	— 21 656
Custodian fees	74,110	31,440	85,969	39,052	47,476	21,656
Auditing and legal fees	197,719	65,496	168,994	102,728	147,569	50,119
Transfer agent fees	149,941	90,097	130,393	101,270	72,093	31,422
Directors' fees and expenses	76,483	24,032 84,042	65,129	40,159	15,577	7,021
Printing and postage	143,469	*	118,060	93,745	89,546	42,994
Registration and filing fees	42,004	29,348	33,131	33,326	27,854	33,221
Insurance	40,958	13,329	36,057	22,369	5,067	3,823
Other	57,168	21,353	47,422	31,503	15,050	7,185
Total Expenses Before Fees	4 602 901	1 465 220	2 627 057	2 421 551	002.000	514 240
Waived and Custody Credits Less: Service and	4,623,821	1,465,239	3,627,957	2,421,551	993,989	514,249
Distribution Plan Fees						
Waived		(165,777)	(156,915 )	(360,818	(38,265	) (31,681 )
	_	(103,777)	(130,913 )	(360,818		
Less: Advisory Fees Waived	_	_	<del>_</del>	<del>_</del>	(70,330	
Less: Custody Credits Net Expenses	4,623,821	1,299,462	3,471,042	2,060,733	— 879,194	(287 ) 418,919
Net Investment	4,023,621	1,299,402	3,471,042	2,000,733	0/9,194	410,919
Income/(Loss)	(86,871)	58,546	3,959,175	932,225	898,344	1,639,618
Net Realized and Unrealized	(60,671 )	36,340	3,939,173	932,223	090,344	1,039,016
Gain/(Loss) on Investments,						
Foreign Exchange						
Transactions and Written						
Options:						
Net Realized Gain/(Loss)						
From:						
Investments	25,560,730	9,276,079	14,331,770	12,204,713	(866,870	) 1,779,984
111 v Councillo	23,300,130	7,210,017	17,551,770	12,207,713	(000,070	, 1,117,707

Written options			69,248	_	_	_
Foreign currency transactions	4,396	(585)	(1,051)	744	_	_
	25,565,126	9,275,494	14,399,967	12,205,457	(866,870 )	1,779,984
Change in Net Unrealized						
Appreciation/(Depreciation)						
of:						
Investments	62,182,310	22,101,193	37,461,920	38,251,563	(3,263,603)	(866,255)
Foreign currency transactions	82	11	274	453		_
	62,182,392	22,101,204	37,462,194	38,252,016	(3,263,603)	(866,255)
Net Realized Gain and						
Change in Net Unrealized						
Appreciation/(Depreciation)						
on Investments, Foreign						
Exchange Transactions and						
Written Options	87,747,518	31,376,698	51,862,161	50,457,473	(4,130,473)	913,729
Net Increase/(Decrease) in						
Net Assets from Operations	\$87,660,647	\$31,435,244	\$55,821,336	\$51,389,698	\$ (3,232,129)	\$ 2,553,347

<sup>(1)</sup> Period from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

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<sup>(2)</sup> Year Ended January 31, 2013.

# Statement of Changes in Net Assets for the Years Ended December 31, 2013 and 2012

	Value Line Premier Growth Fund Inc.					
		Year Ended December 31, 2013			Year Ended December 31, 2012	
Operations:						
Net investment income/(loss)	\$	(86,871	)	\$	916,159	
Net realized gain on investments, written options and foreign currency Change in net unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) on investments and		25,565,126			24,763,062	
foreign currency		62,182,392			26,967,212	
Net increase in net assets from operations		87,660,647			52,646,433	
Distributions to Shareholders from:						
Net investment income		_			(1,001,240	)
Net realized gain from investment transactions		(27,662,900	)		(24,163,438	)
Total Distributions		(27,662,900	)		(25,164,678	)
Capital Share Transactions:						
Proceeds from sale of shares		36,026,126			59,483,434	
Proceeds from reinvestment of dividends and distributions to shareholders		26,690,717			24,174,754	
Cost of shares redeemed		(58,077,559	)		(72,131,660	)
Net increase/(decrease) in net assets from capital share transactions		4,639,284			11,526,528	
Total Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets		64,637,031			39,008,283	
Net Assets:						
Beginning of year		337,435,921			298,427,638	
End of year	\$	402,072,952		\$	337,435,921	
Undistributed/(distributions in excess of) net investment income included in						
net assets, at end of year	\$	_		\$	(2,029	)

See Notes to Financial Statements.

					Value Line Income and Growth				alue Line Larger	Con	npanies Fund,
	The Value Lin	e Fi	und, Inc.		Fund,	Inc.			Inc	: <b>.</b>	
	Year Ended		Year Ended		Year Ended		Year Ended		Year Ended		Year Ended
$\Gamma$	ecember 31,	Γ	December 31,	$\Gamma$	December 31,	per 31, December 31,		December 31,		Γ	December 31,
	2013		2012		2013		2012		2013		2012
\$	58,546	\$	558,673	\$	3,959,175	\$	4,498,399	\$	932,225	\$	1,359,399
	9,275,494		13,414,151		14,399,967		13,218,671		12,205,457		3,786,520
	22,101,204		3,749,359		37,462,194		13,315,963		38,252,016		20,499,383
	31,435,244		17,722,183		55,821,336		31,033,033		51,389,698		25,645,302
	31,433,244		17,722,103		33,021,330		31,033,033		31,307,070		25,045,502
	(526,843)				(3,803,097)		(4,463,988 )		(1,253,220 )		(1,087,423 )
	_				(13,525,713)		(11,203,043)		_		
	(526,843)		_		(17,328,810)		(15,667,031)		(1,253,220 )		(1,087,423 )
	2,105,661		3,226,854		17,287,138		7,178,813		1,455,686		2,278,669
	497,705				15,889,436		14,279,164		1,190,112		1,033,051
	(18,041,621)		(44,487,216)		(36,676,256)		(47,345,268)		(25,516,390)		(22,410,433)
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	(15,438,255)		(41,260,362)		(3,499,682)		(25,887,291)		(22,870,592)		(19,098,713)
	15,470,146		(23,538,179)		34,992,844		(10,521,289)		27,265,886		5,459,166
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	109,797,889		133,336,068		295,705,259		306,226,548		184,242,582		178,783,416
\$	125,268,035	\$	109,797,889	\$	330,698,103	\$	295,705,259	\$	211,508,468	\$	184,242,582
\$	56,121	\$	556,189	\$	142,003	\$	(13,378 )	\$	936,119	\$	1,359,830

# Statement of Changes in Net Assets for the Years Ended December 31, 2013, January 31, 2013 and January 31, 2012

	Value Line Core Period from						
	February 1, 2013 to December	January 31,	January 31,				
	31, 2013	2013	2012				
Operations:	,						
Net investment income	\$898,344	\$1,639,618	\$1,950,280				
Net realized gain/(loss) on investments	(866,870 )	1,779,984	1,085,696				
Change in net unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) on investments	(3,263,603)	(866,255)	(1,326,754)				
Net increase/ (decrease) in net assets from operations	(3,232,129)	2,553,347	1,709,222				
Distributions to Shareholders from:							
Net investment income	(893,166)	(1,614,009)	(1,950,884)				
Return of capital	(155,298)	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>				
Net realized gain from investment transactions		(25,662)	_				
Total Distributions	(1,048,464)	(1,639,671)	(1,950,884)				
Capital Share Transactions:							
Proceeds from sale of shares	1,687,477	2,261,091	2,010,996				
Net assets of shares issued in connection with reorganization (Note 4)	73,396,078		_				
Proceeds from reinvestment of dividends and distributions to	, ,						
shareholders	915,474	1,273,759	1,495,168				
Cost of shares redeemed	(17,223,654)	(6,101,213)	(5,946,471)				
Net increase/(decrease) in net assets from capital share transactions	58,775,375	(2,566,363)	(2,440,307)				
Total Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets	54,494,782	(1,652,687)	(2,681,969)				
Net Assets:	20.550.277	22 202 064	24.005.022				
Beginning of period	30,550,377	32,203,064	34,885,033				
End of period	\$85,045,159	\$30,550,377	\$32,203,064				
Distributions in excess of net investment income included in net assets, at end of period	\$(9,727)	\$(9,655)	\$(37,870 )				

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# Financial Highlights

Selected data for a share of capital stock outstanding throughout each year:

	Inco	me/(loss) fro	om investm Net	ent operati	ations Less distributions:				
			gains/						
			(losses)						
			on						
	Net	5	securities		Di	vidends D	istributions <b>D</b>	istributions	
	asset	Net	(both	Total		from	from	from	
			realized	from		net	net	return	
	beginning i				demptio <b>i</b> nv	estment	realized		Total
	of year	(loss) u	nrealized)o	perations	fees i	ncome	gains	capital dist	ributions
Value Line									
Premier Growth	1								
Fund, Inc.									
Year ended									
December 31,									
2013	\$ 28.84	0.00(1)	7.64	7.64	_		(2.49)		(2.49)
Year ended									
December 31,									
2012	26.48	0.09	4.59	4.68	_	(0.09)	(2.23)		(2.32)
Year ended									
December 31,		(0.00)							
2011	26.82	(0.08)	1.30	1.22	_	_	(1.56)		(1.56)
Year ended									
December 31,	22.05	(0.04.(0)	4.50	4.50		(0.00)			(0.00)
2010	22.07	(0.01)(3)	4.79	4.78		(0.03)	_	_	(0.03)
Year ended									
December 31,	16.60	0.02	5.27	<i>5</i> 20		(0.01)			(0.01)
2009	16.69	0.02	5.37	5.39		(0.01)			(0.01)
The Value Line									
Fund, Inc.									
Year ended									
December 31, 2013	10.36	0.01	2 10	2.20		(0.06)			(0.06)
	10.30	0.01	3.19	3.20	_	(0.06)	_		(0.06)
Year ended									
December 31, 2012	9.04	0.05	1.27	1.32					
Year ended	9.04	0.03	1.27	1.32	_	_	_		_
December 31,									
2011	8.55	(0.00)(1)	0.49	0.49	_	(0.00)(1)	_		(0.00)(1)
Year ended	0.55	(0.00)(1)	<b>∪.</b> +3	U. <del>4</del> 3	_	(0.00)(1)	_	<del></del>	(0.00)(1)
December 31,									
2010	6.81	0.00(1)	1.74	1.74					
2010	0.81	0.00(1)	1./4	1./4			_		

Year ended December 31, 2009 Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. Year ended	6.22	(0.01)	0.60	0.59	_	_	_	_	_
December 31, 2013 Year ended	8.67	0.12	1.57	1.69	_	(0.12)	(0.42)	_	(0.54)
December 31, 2012 Year ended	8.27	0.13	0.74	0.87	_	(0.13)	(0.34)	_	(0.47)
December 31, 2011 Year ended	8.46	0.11	(0.19)	(0.08)	_	(0.11)	_	_	(0.11)
December 31, 2010 Year ended	7.75	0.10	0.71	0.81	_	(0.10)	_	_	(0.10)
December 31, 2009 Value Line	6.39	0.10	1.36	1.46	_	(0.10)	_	_	(0.10)
Larger Companies Fund, Inc. Year ended									
December 31, 2013 Year ended	19.78	0.13	5.81	5.94	_	(0.15)	_	_	(0.15)
December 31, 2012 Year ended	17.34	0.16	2.40	2.56	_	(0.12)	_	_	(0.12)
December 31, 2011 Year ended	17.47	0.12	(0.17)	(0.05)	_	(0.08)	_	_	(0.08)
December 31, 2010 Year ended	15.40	0.09	2.08	2.17	_	(0.10)	_	_	(0.10)
December 31, 2009 Value Line Core Bond Fund	13.18	0.10	2.22	2.32	_	(0.10)	_	_	(0.10)
Period ended December 31, 2013(6) Year ended	5.07	0.06	(0.22)	(0.16)	_	(0.05)	_	(0.01)	(0.06)
January 31, 2013	4.92 4.95	0.26 0.29	0.15 (0.03)	0.41 0.26	0.00(1) 0.00(1)	(0.26) (0.29)	(0.00)(1)	_	(0.26) (0.29)

Year ended January 31, 2012							
Year ended							
January 31,							
2011	4.70	0.30	0.25	0.55	0.00(1) (0.30)	_	- (0.30)
Year ended							
January 31,							
2010	3.89	0.28	0.81	1.09	0.00(1) (0.28)		- (0.28)
Year ended							
January 31,							
2009	4.83	0.32	(0.95)	(0.63)	0.00(1) (0.31)		- (0.31)

- \* Ratio reflects expenses grossed up for the custody credit arrangement, waiver of the advisory fees by the Adviser and the service and distribution plan fees by the Distributor. The custody credit arrangement was discontinued as of January 1, 2013.
- \*\* Ratio reflects expenses net of the custody credit arrangement, waiver of the advisory fees by the Adviser and the service and distribution plan fees by the Distributor. The custody credit arrangement was discontinued as of January 1, 2013.
- (1) Amount is less than \$0.01 per share.
- (2) Amount rounds to less than 0.005%.
- (3) Based on average shares outstanding.
- (4) Ratio reflects expenses grossed up for the reimbursement by Value Line, Inc. of certain expenses incurred by the Fund.
- (5) Ratio reflects expenses net of the reimbursement by Value Line, Inc. of certain expenses incurred by the Fund.
- (6) Period from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.
- (7) Not Annualized.
- (8) Annualized.
- (9) The ratio of expenses to average net assets, net of custody credits, but exclusive of the fee waivers would have been 1.48%.

See Notes to Financial Statements.

# Ratios/Supplemental Data

				Ratio	Ratio	Ratio		
				of	of	of		
			Net	gross	net	net		
			assets,	expenses	expenses	investment		
				to	to	income/(loss)		
Net asset			end of	average	average	to	Portfo	olio
						average		
value, end	Total		year (in	net	net	net	turnov	ver
of year	return		thousands)	assets*	assets**	assets	rate	
\$33.99	26.56	%	\$ 402,073	1.24 %	1.24 %	(0.02)%(2)		%
28.84	17.80	%	337,436	1.25 %	1.25 %	0.28 %	15	%
26.48	4.59	%	298,428	1.24 %	1.24 %	(0.28)%		%
26.82	21.66	%	311,829	1.23 %(4)	1.19 %(5)	(0.02)%		%
22.07	32.29	%	347,938	1.22 %	1.22 %	0.11 %	8	%
13.50	30.86	%	125,268	1.26 %	1.12 %	0.05 %	7	%
10.36	14.60	%	109,798	1.28 %	1.03 %	0.46 %	6	%
9.04	5.75	%	133,336	1.29 %	0.94 %	(0.02)%	18	%
8.55	25.55	%	104,200	1.31 %(4)	0.91 %(5)	0.02 %	27	%
6.81	9.49	%	92,680	1.36 %	1.04 %	(0.22)%	122	%
9.82	19.55	%	330,698	1.16 %	1.11 %	1.26 %	27	%
8.67	10.62		295,705	1.19 %	1.14 %	1.48 %	31	%
8.27	(0.90)	)%	306,227	1.20 %	1.15 %	1.25 %	57	%
8.46	10.55	%	332,695	1.14 %(4)	1.05 %(5)	1.22 %	46	%
7.75	23.07	%	340,210	1.13 %	1.09 %	1.49 %	56	%
25.57	30.05	%	211,508	1.25 %	1.06 %	0.48 %	8	%
19.78	14.82		184,243	1.27 %	1.02 %	0.72 %		%
17.34	(0.27		178,783	1.25 %	1.00 %	0.60 %		%
17.47	14.09	*	199,524	1.21 %(4)	0.92 %(5)	0.44 %	153	
15.40	17.62		202,454	1.26 %	1.01 %	0.62 %	157	
4.85	(3.13	)%(7)	85,045	1.30 %(8)	1.15 %(8)	1.17 %(8)	61	%(7)
5.07	8.49	%	30,550	1.62 %	1.32 %	5.18 %	103	
4.92	5.48	%	32,203	1.55 %	1.25 %	5.95 %		%
4.95	12.01		34,885	1.48 %(4)	1.13 %(5)	6.20 %		%
4.70	28.92		37,787	1.56 %	1.13 %(3)	6.51 %		%
3.89	(13.42		25,924	1.50 %(9)	0.98 %	7.17 %		%
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## Notes to Financial Statements

### 1. Significant Accounting Policies

Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., and Value Line Core Bond Fund, (individually a "Fund" and collectively, the "Funds") are each registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, as diversified, open-end management investment companies. The primary investment objective of the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. and The Value Line Fund, Inc. is long-term growth of capital. The primary investment objective of the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. is income, as high and dependable as is consistent with reasonable risk and capital growth to increase total return is a secondary objective. The sole investment objective of the Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. is to realize capital growth. The primary investment objective of the Value Line Core Bond Fund is to maximize current income. As a secondary investment objective, the Fund will seek capital appreciation, but only when consistent with its primary objective. The Value Line Funds (the "Value Line Funds") is a family of 10 mutual funds that includes a wide range of solutions designed to meet virtually any investment goal and consists of a variety of equity, fixed income, and hybrid funds.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies consistently followed by the Funds in the preparation of their financial statements.

(A) Security Valuation: Securities listed on a securities exchange are valued at the closing sales prices on the date as of which the net asset value is being determined. Securities traded on the NASDAQ Stock Market are valued at the NASDAQ Official Closing Price. In the absence of closing sales prices for such securities and for securities traded in the over-the-counter market, the security is valued at the midpoint between the latest available and representative asked and bid prices. Short-term instruments with maturities of 60 days or less at the date of purchase are valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value. Short-term instruments with maturities greater than 60 days at the date of purchase are valued at the midpoint between the latest available and representative asked and bid prices, and commencing 60 days prior to maturity such securities are valued at amortized cost.

The Board of Directors (the "Board") has determined that the value of bonds and other fixed income corporate securities be calculated on the valuation date by reference to valuations obtained from an independent pricing service that determines valuations for normal institutional-size trading units of debt securities, without exclusive reliance upon quoted prices. This service takes into account appropriate factors such as institutional-size trading in similar groups of securities, yield, quality, coupon rate, maturity, type of issue, trading characteristics and other market data in determining valuations. Bonds and fixed income securities are valued at the evaluated bid on the date as of which the net asset value is being determined. Securities, other than bonds and other fixed income securities, not priced in this manner are valued at the midpoint between the latest available and representative bid and asked prices or, when stock valuations are used, at the latest quoted sale price as of the regular close of business of the New York Stock Exchange on the valuation date.

The Board has adopted procedures for valuing portfolio securities in circumstances where market quotes are not readily available, and has delegated the responsibility for applying the valuation methods to the Adviser. A valuation

committee (the "Valuation Committee") was established by the Board to oversee the implementation of the Funds' valuation methods and to make fair value determinations on behalf of the Board, as instructed. The Adviser monitors the continued appropriateness of methods applied and determines if adjustments should be made in light of market changes, events affecting the issuer, or other factors. If the Adviser determines that a valuation method may no longer be appropriate, another valuation method may be selected, or the Valuation Committee will be convened to consider the matter and take any appropriate action in accordance with procedures set forth by the Board. The Board shall review the appropriateness of the valuation methods and these methods may be amended or supplemented from time to time by the Valuation Committee. In addition, the Funds may use the fair value of a security when the closing market price on the primary exchange where the security is traded no longer reflects the value of a security due to factors affecting one or more relevant securities markets or the specific issuer.

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(B) Fair Value Measurements: The Funds follow fair valuation accounting standards (FASB ASC 820-10) which establishes a definition of fair value and set out a hierarchy for measuring fair value. These standards require additional disclosures about the various inputs and valuation techniques used to develop the measurements of fair value and a discussion of changes in valuation techniques and related inputs during the period. These inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below:

Level 1 – Inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Fund has the ability to access at the measurement date;

Level 2 – Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly, including inputs in markets that are not considered to be active;

Level 3 – Inputs that are unobservable.

Transfers between investment levels may occur as the markets fluctuate and/or the availability of data used in an investment's valuation changes. The inputs or methodologies used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities.

The Funds follow the updated provisions surrounding fair value measurements and disclosures on transfers in and out of all levels of the fair value hierarchy on a gross basis and the reasons for the transfers as well as to disclosures about the valuation techniques and inputs used to measure fair value for investments that fall in either Level 2 or Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy.

The Funds' policy is to recognize transfers between levels at the beginning of the reporting period.

The amounts and reasons for all transfers in and out of each level within the three-tier hierarchy are disclosed when the Funds had an amount of total transfers during the reporting period that were meaningful in relation to their net assets as of the end of the reporting period (e.g. greater than 1%). An investment asset's or liability's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level input, individually or in aggregate, that is significant to fair value measurement. The objective of fair value measurement remains the same even when there is a significant decrease in the volume and level of activity for an asset or liability and regardless of the valuation techniques used.

For the year ended December 31, 2013 there were no Level 3 investments. The Schedule of Investments includes a breakdown of the Funds' investments by category.

(C) Repurchase Agreements: Each Fund may enter into repurchase agreements, under the terms of a Master Repurchase Agreement, with selected commercial banks and broker-dealers, under which the Funds acquire securities as collateral and agrees to resell the securities at an agreed upon time and at an agreed upon price. Each Fund, through the custodian or a sub-custodian, receives delivery of the underlying securities collateralizing repurchase agreements. The Funds' custodian takes possession of the underlying collateral securities, the value of which exceeds the principal amount of the repurchase transaction, including accrued interest. To the extent that any repurchase transaction exceeds one business day, it is the Funds' policy to mark-to-market the value of the underlying securities daily to ensure the adequacy of the collateral. In the event of default by either the seller or the Funds, the Master Repurchase Agreement may permit the non-defaulting party to net and close out all transactions. The Funds have the right to liquidate the collateral and apply the proceeds in satisfaction of the obligation. Under certain circumstances, in the event of default

or bankruptcy by the other party to the agreement, realization and/or retention of the collateral or proceeds may be subject to legal proceedings. The repurchase and joint repurchase agreements held by the Funds at the year end had been entered into on December 31, 2013.

At year end, Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., and Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., respectively, had investments in repurchase agreements with a gross value of \$4,100,000, \$1,500,000, \$26,300,000 and \$6,000,000 on the Statements of Assets and Liabilities. The value of each Fund's related collateral exceeded the value of the repurchase agreements at year end. There were no open repurchase agreements for Value Line Core Bond Fund at December 31, 2013.

At year end, Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., and Value Line Core Bond Fund, respectively, had investments in joint repurchase agreements with a gross value of \$14,515,511, \$956,822, \$10,299,560, \$7,108,098 and \$235,156 on the Statements of Assets and Liabilities. The value of each Fund's related collateral exceeded the value of the joint repurchase agreements at year end.

(D) Federal Income Taxes: It is the policy of the Funds to each qualify as a regulated investment company by complying with the provisions available to regulated investment companies, as defined in applicable sections of the Internal Revenue Code, and to distribute all of their investment income and capital gains to its shareholders. Therefore, no provision for federal income tax is required.

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Management has analyzed the Funds' tax positions taken on federal and state income tax returns for all open tax years (fiscal years ended December 31, 2010 through December 31, 2013), and has concluded that no provision for federal or state income tax is required in the Funds' financial statements. The Funds' federal and state income tax returns for tax years for which the applicable statutes of limitations have not expired are subject to examination by the Internal Revenue Service and state departments of revenue.

(E) Security Transactions and Distributions: Security transactions are accounted for on the date the securities are purchased or sold. Realized gains and losses on sales of securities are calculated for financial accounting and federal income tax purposes on the basis of the first in first out contention ("FIFO"). Dividend income and distributions to shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations, which may differ from generally accepted accounting principles. Interest income, adjusted for the amortization of discount and premium, is earned from settlement date and recognized on the accrual basis. Gains and losses realized on prepayments received on mortgage-related securities are recorded as interest income.

The Funds may purchase mortgage pass-through securities on a to-be-announced ("TBA") basis, with payment and delivery scheduled for a future date. The Funds may enter into a TBA agreement, sell the obligation to purchase the pools stipulated in the TBA agreement prior to the stipulated settlement date and enter into a new TBA agreement for future delivery of pools of mortgage pass-through securities (a "TBA roll"). A TBA roll is treated by the Funds as a purchase transaction and a sale transaction in which the Funds realize a gain or loss. The Funds' use of TBA rolls may cause the Funds to experience higher portfolio turnover and higher transaction costs. The Funds could be exposed to possible risk if there is an adverse market action, expenses or delays in connection with TBA transactions, or if the counterparty fails to complete the transaction.

The Value Line Core Bond Fund may invest in Treasury Inflation-Protection Securities ("TIPS"). The principal value and interest payout of TIPS are periodically adjusted according to the rate of inflation based on the Consumer Price Index. The adjustments for principal and income due to inflation are reflected in interest income in the Statements of Operations.

Dividends from net investment income will be declared daily and paid monthly for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. Income dividends and capital gains distributions are automatically reinvested in additional shares of the Fund unless the shareholder has requested otherwise. Income earned by the Fund on weekends, holidays and other days on which the Fund is closed for business is declared as a dividend on the next day on which the Fund is open for business. The Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. distributes all of its net investment income quarterly and the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., and the Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. distribute all of their net investment income annually. Net realized capital gains, if any, are distributed to shareholders annually or more frequently if necessary to comply with the Internal Revenue Code.

(F) Foreign Currency Translation: The books and records of the Funds are maintained in U.S. dollars. Assets and liabilities which are denominated in foreign currencies are translated to U.S. dollars at the prevailing rates of exchange at the valuation date. The Funds do not isolate changes in the value of investments caused by foreign exchange rate differences from the changes due to other circumstances.

Income and expenses are translated to U.S. dollars based upon the rates of exchange on the respective dates of such transactions.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from currency fluctuations realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, the differences between the U.S. dollar amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded by the Funds, and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the value of assets and liabilities, other than investments, at the end of the fiscal period, resulting from changes in the exchange rates. The effect of the change in foreign exchange rates on the value of investments is included in realized gain/ (loss) on investments and change in net unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) on investments.

(G) Representations and Indemnifications: In the normal course of business, the Funds enter into contracts that contain a variety of representations and warranties which provide general indemnifications. The Funds' maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown, as this would involve future claims that may be made against the Funds that have not yet occurred. However, based on experience, the Funds expect the risk of loss to be remote.

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- (H) Accounting for Real Estate Investment Trusts: The Funds own shares of Real Estate Investment Trusts ("REITs") which report information on the source of their distributions annually. Distributions received from REITs during the year which represent a return of capital are recorded as a reduction of cost and distributions which represent a capital gain dividend are recorded as a realized long-term capital gain on investments.
- (I) Foreign Taxes: The Funds may be subject to foreign taxes on income, gains on investments, or currency repatriation, a portion of which may be recoverable. The Funds will accrue such taxes and recoveries as applicable, based upon its current interpretation of tax rules and regulations that exist in the markets in which it invests.
- (J) Securities Lending: Under an agreement with State Street Bank & Trust ("State Street"), the Funds can lend their securities to brokers, dealers and other financial institutions approved by the Board. By lending their investment securities, the Funds attempt to increase their net investment income through receipt of interest on the loan. Any gain or loss in the market price of the securities loaned that might occur and any interest or dividends declared during the term of the loan would accrue to the account of the Funds. Risks of delay in recovery of the securities or even loss of rights in the collateral may occur should the borrower of the securities fail financially. Generally, in the event of a counter-party default, the Funds have the right to use the collateral to offset the losses incurred. The lending fees received and the Funds' portion of the interest income earned on the cash collateral are included in the Statements of Operations.

Upon entering into a securities lending transaction, the Funds receive cash or other securities as collateral in an amount equal to or exceeding 102% of the current market value of the loaned securities. Any cash received as collateral is invested by State Street Global Advisors, acting in its capacity as securities lending agent (the "Agent"), in The Value Line Funds collateral account, which is subsequently invested into joint repurchase agreements. A portion of the dividends received on the collateral is rebated to the borrower of the securities and the remainder is split between the Agent and the Funds.

The Funds enter into joint repurchase agreements whereby their uninvested cash collateral from securities lending is deposited into a joint cash account with other funds managed by the Adviser and is used to invest in one or more repurchase agreements. The value and face amount of the joint repurchase agreement are allocated to the funds based on their pro-rata interest in the repurchase agreement. A repurchase agreement is accounted for as a loan by the funds to the seller, collateralized by securities which are delivered to the Fund's custodian. The market value, including accrued interest, of the initial collateralization is required to be at least 102% of the dollar amount invested by the funds, with the value of the underlying securities marked to market daily to maintain coverage of at least 100%.

As of December 31, 2013, the Funds loaned securities which were collateralized by cash. The value of the securities on loan and the value of the related collateral were as follows:

					T	otal Collateral	
	Value of				(including		
	Securities		Value of		Calculated		
Fund		Loaned		Collateral		Mark)*	
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$	15,893,168	\$	16,241,965	\$	16,274,746	
The Value Line Fund, Inc.		1,048,806		1,070,625		1,070,625	
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.		11,304,497		11,524,575		11,547,888	
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.		7,803,401		7,953,525		7,972,775	

Value Line Core Bond Fund

257,657

263,125

263,125

\*Balances represent the end of day mark-to-market of securities lending collateral that will be reflected by the Funds as of the next business day.

Additionally refer to Note 1(c) for details on joint repurchase agreements which were entered into using security lending cash collateral.

(K) Options: The Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.'s investment strategy allows the use of options. The Fund utilizes options to hedge against changes in market conditions or to provide market exposure while trying to reduce transaction costs.

When the Fund writes a put or call option, an amount equal to the premiums received is included on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities as a liability. The amount of the liability is subsequently marked-to-market to reflect the current market value of the option. If an option expires on its stipulated expiration date or if the Fund enters into a closing purchase transaction, a gain or loss is realized. If a written call option on an individual security is exercised, a gain or loss is realized for the sale of the underlying security, and the proceeds from the sale are increased by the premium originally received. If a written put option on an individual security is exercised, the cost of the security acquired is decreased by the premium originally received. As a writer of an option, a Fund bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the individual security underlying the written option. Additionally, written call options may involve the risk of limited gains.

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The Fund may also purchase put and call options. When a Fund purchases a put or call option, an amount equal to the premium paid is included on the Fund's Statement of Assets and Liabilities as an investment, and is subsequently marked-to-market to reflect the current market value of the option. If an option expires on the stipulated expiration date or if the Fund enters into a closing sale transaction, a gain or loss is realized. If the Fund exercises a call option on an individual security, the cost of the security acquired is increased by the premium paid for the call. If the Fund exercises a put option on an individual security, a gain or loss is realized from the sale of the underlying security, and the proceeds from such a sale are decreased by the premium originally paid. Written and purchased options are non-income producing securities.

As of December 31, 2013, the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. had no open options contracts at December 31, 2013.

The Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.'s written options are collateralized securities held at the Options Clearing Corporation's account at the Fund's custodian. The securities pledged as collateral are included on the Schedule of Investments. Such collateral is restricted from the Fund's use.

The number of options contracts written and the premiums received by the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. during the year ended December 31, 2013, were as follows:

	Number of			niums	
Purchased Options	Contracts	Received			
Options outstanding at December 31, 2012	_		\$	0	
Options purchased	400			45,018	
Options expired/closed	(400	)		(45,018	)
Options outstanding at December 31, 2013			\$	0	
	Number of		Pren	niums	
Written Options	Number of Contracts			niums eived	
Written Options Options outstanding at December 31, 2012	- ,				
*	- ,		Rece	eived	
Options outstanding at December 31, 2012	Contracts —	)	Rece	eived 0	)
Options outstanding at December 31, 2012 Options written	Contracts  — 630	)	Rece	eived 0 69,248	)

The following is a summary of how these derivatives are treated in the financial statements and their impact on the Fund:

	Gain or (Loss) Derivative Recognized in				
	Income				
	Realized	Change in			
Risk Type	Gain (Loss)(a)	Appreciation(b)			
Equity - Purchased options	(45,018 )	\$ 0			
Equity - Written options	69,248	0			

For the year ended December 31, 2013, the Fund's quarterly holdings of written options contracts were as follows:

	Number of	Number of
	Purchased	Written Options
	Options Contracts	Contracts
Quarter Ended	Outstanding	Outstanding
March 31, 2013	<del></del>	_
June 30, 2013	<del></del>	200
September 30, 2013	<del></del>	30
December 31, 2013	<del>_</del>	_

<sup>(</sup>a) Statements of Operations location: Net Realized Gain (Loss) from: Investments and Written options.

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<sup>(</sup>b) Statements of Operations location: Change in Net Unrealized Appreciation/(Depreciation) of: Investments and Written options

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(L) Subsequent Events: Management has evaluated all subsequent transactions and events through the date on which these financial statements were issued and has determined that no additional items require disclosure.

#### 2. Investment Risks

Securities issued by U.S. Government agencies or government-sponsored enterprises may not be guaranteed by the U.S. Treasury. The Government National Mortgage Association ("GNMA" or "Ginnie Mae"), a wholly-owned U.S. Government corporation, is authorized to guarantee, with the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government, the timely payment of principal and interest on securities issued by institutions approved by GNMA and backed by pools of mortgages insured by the Federal Housing Administration or guaranteed by the Department of Veterans Affairs. Government-related guarantors (i.e., not backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government) include the Federal National Mortgage Association ("FNMA" or "Fannie Mae") and the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation ("FHLMC" or "Freddie Mac"). Pass-through securities issued by FNMA are guaranteed as to timely payment of principal and interest by FNMA, but are not backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government. FHLMC guarantees the timely payment of interest and ultimate collection of principal, but its participation certificates are not backed by the full faith and credit of the U.S. Government.

#### 3. Capital Share Transactions, Dividends and Distributions to Shareholders

Transactions in capital stock were as follows:

	Year Ended			Year Ended		
	December 31,			December 31,		
		2013		2012		
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.						
Shares sold		1,144,091		2,042,295		
Shares issued to shareholders in reinvestment of dividends and						
distributions		790,836		850,616		
Shares redeemed		(1,807,035)		(2,463,509	)	
Net increase		127,892		429,402		
Dividends per share from net investment income	\$	_	\$	0.0925		
Distributions per share from net realized gains	\$	2.4934	\$	2.2262		
The Value Line Fund, Inc.						
Shares sold		178,945		328,898		
Shares issued to shareholders in reinvestment of dividends and						
distributions		37,142				
Shares redeemed		(1,537,052)		(4,481,149	)	
Net decrease		(1,320,965)		(4,152,251	)	
Dividends per share from net investment income	\$	0.0570	\$	_		
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.						
Shares sold		1,821,122		821,795		
Shares issued to shareholders in reinvestment of dividends and						
distributions		1,639,843		1,657,336		

Shares redeemed	(3,887,583)	(5,417,424)
Net decrease	(426,618)	(2,938,293)
Dividends per share from net investment income	\$ 0.1157	\$ 0.1303
Distributions per share from net realized gains	\$ 0.4174	\$ 0.3403
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.		
Shares sold	65,511	119,348
Shares issued to shareholders in reinvestment of dividends	47,005	53,004
Shares redeemed	(1,157,543)	(1,169,950)
Net decrease	(1,045,027)	(997,598)
Dividends per share from net investment income	\$ 0.1521	\$ 0.1173

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

	Fel	Period from bruary 1, 2013 December 31, 2013		Year Ended January 31, 2013	3	Year Ended nuary 31, 2012	2
Value Line Core Bond Fund							
Shares sold		338,817		452,862		413,006	
Shares issued in connection with merger		14,453,737		_		_	
Shares issued to shareholders in reinvestment of							
dividends		185,136		255,621		307,024	
Shares redeemed		(3,475,528	)	(1,222,950	)	(1,220,003	)
Net increase/(decrease)		11,502,162		(514,467	)	(499,973	)
Dividends per share from net investment income	\$	0.0537	\$	0.2531		\$ 0.2899	
Distributions per share from return of capital	\$	0.0089	\$			\$ _	
Distributions per share from net realized gains	\$		\$	0.0040		\$ _	

#### 4. Reorganization

On December 13, 2012, the Board approved an agreement and plan of reorganization (the "Reorganization") pursuant to which the Value Line U.S. Government Securities Fund, Inc. (the "Acquired Fund") would merge into and become shareholders of the Value Line Core Bond Fund (the "Surviving Fund"). The Board believes the reorganization would be advantageous to the shareholders of both Funds for the reason that both Funds have similar investment objectives, improved performance and a larger and more diverse investment universe, potentially allowing for economies of scale to be realized over time.

On March 22, 2013, the Surviving Fund acquired all of the assets and assumed the liabilities of the Acquired Fund, in a tax-free exchange for Federal tax purposes, pursuant to the Reorganization approved by the Board of both Funds and shareholders of record of the Acquired Fund as of the applicable record date. All of the expenses incurred in connection with the Reorganization were paid by both the Acquired and Surviving Funds proportionately based on the Funds' respective net assets. The total Reorganization costs are \$172,439. The value of shares issued by the Surviving Fund is presented in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets. The following table sets forth the number of shares issued by the Surviving Fund, the net assets and unrealized appreciation or depreciation of the Acquired Fund immediately prior to the Reorganization, and the net assets of the Surviving Fund immediately prior to and after the Reorganization:

Date of Reorganization	Surviving Fund	Shares Issued In Acquisition	Net Assets Before Reorganization	Net Assets After Reorganization
3-22-13	Value Line Core Bond Fund	14,453,737	\$ 29,565,559	\$ 102,961,637
Date of	Acquired	Shares	Acquired Portfolio	Acquired Portfolio Unrealized

Reorganization	Fund	Outstanding	Net Assets		Depreciation	
	Value Line U.S. Government					
3-22-13	Securities Fund, Inc.	6,308,486	\$	73,396,078	\$	1,483,441

Assuming the Reorganization had been completed on February 1, 2013, the beginning of the period for the Surviving Fund, the Surviving Fund's pro forma results of operations for the year ended December 31, 2013 would have been as follows:

Net investment income	\$1,580,309
Net loss on investments	\$(4,057,854)
Net decrease in net assets from operations	\$(2,477,545)

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December 31, 2013

Because the combined investment portfolios have been managed as a single integrated portfolio since the closing of the Reorganization, it is not practicable to separate the amounts of revenue and earnings of the Acquired Fund that have been included in the Surviving Fund's Statement of Operations since March 22, 2013.

#### 5. Purchases and Sales of Securities

Purchases and sales of securities, excluding short-term investments, were as follows:

			Purchases of	Sales of
			U.S.	U.S.
	Purchases of	Sales of	Government	Government
	Investment	Investment	Agency	Agency
Fund	Securities	Securities	Obligations	Obligations
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$39,674,376	\$58,797,318	\$ —	\$ —
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	8,190,659	24,430,107		
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	45,871,025	72,514,502	33,049,685	38,736,132
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	14,937,961	40,117,920		_
Value Line Core Bond Fund*	30,832,806	13,532,506	18,652,139	40,689,173

<sup>\*</sup> Period from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

#### 6. Income Taxes

At December 31, 2013, information on the tax components of capital is as follows:

	Cost of			Net tax unrealized appreciation		
	investments for tax	Gross tax unrealized	Gross tax unrealized	(depreciation) on	Undistributed ordinary	Undistributed long-term
Fund	purposes	appreciation	depreciation	investments	income	gain
Value Line						
Premier Growth Fund,						
Inc.	\$207,410,240	\$208,166,767	\$(421,860)	\$ 207,744,907	\$ 61,037	\$ 1,666,569
The Value Line Fund,						
Inc.	68,457,649	56,889,504	(59,355)	56,830,149	56,121	
Value Line Income and						
Growth Fund, Inc.	262,790,014	79,242,189	(2,019,268)	77,222,921	162,848	3,102,111
Value Line Larger						
Companies Fund, Inc.	132,109,136	86,323,590	(16,006)	86,307,584	933,119	_
Value Line Core Bond						
Fund	85,295,569	1,075,489	(2,336,375)	(1,260,886	) —	_

On December 22, 2010, the Regulated Investment Company Modernization Act of 2010 ("the Act") was signed by the President of the United States of America. Under the Act, net capital losses recognized by the Funds after December 31, 2010 may get carried forward indefinitely, and retain their character as short-term and/or long term losses. Prior to

this Act, pre-enactment net capital losses incurred by the Funds were carried forward for eight years and treated as short-term losses. The Act requires under the transition that post-enactment net capital losses are used before pre-enactment net capital losses.

As of December 31, 2013, the following Funds had a realized capital loss carryforward, for federal income tax purposes, available to be used to offset future realized capital gains:

	Expiring	Expiring	Unlimited
	December 31,	December 31,	Short-Term
Fund	2016	2017	Losses
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$ —	\$ —	<b>\$</b> —
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	1,132,225	41,718,238	_
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	_		_
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	_	35,132,762	_
Value Line Core Bond Fund			684,299

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During the year ended December 31, 2013, the following Funds utilized capital loss carryforwards:

Fund	Amount
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$ —
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	9,219,454
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	_
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	12,204,530
Value Line Core Bond Fund*	_

<sup>\*</sup> Period from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

To the extent that current or future capital gains are offset by capital losses, the Funds do not anticipate distributing any such gains to shareholders.

It is uncertain whether the Funds will be able to realize the benefits of the losses before they expire.

Net realized gain (loss) differs from financial statements and tax purposes primarily due to wash sales, contingent payment debt instruments, return of capital from investments in REITs, and investments in partnerships.

Permanent book-tax differences relating to the current year were reclassified within the composition of the net asset accounts.

A reclassification has been made on the Statements of Assets and Liabilities to increase/(decrease) undistributed net investment income, accumulated net realized gain, and additional paid-in capital for the Funds as follows:

	Undistributed	Accumulated	
	Net	Net Realized	Additional
	Investment	Gains	Paid-In
Fund	Income (Loss)	(Losses)	Capital
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$ 88,900	\$ (88,900	) \$—
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	(31,771)	31,769	2
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	(697)	1,026	(329)
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	(102,716)	102,843	(127)
Value Line Core Bond Fund	(5,250)	(5,894	) 11,144

These reclassifications were primarily due to differing treatments of foreign currency gains/(losses) and litigation interest. Net assets were not affected by these reclassifications.

During the period ended December 31, 2013, as permitted under federal income tax regulations, the Value Line Core Bond Fund elected to defer \$173,600 of post October short-term losses.

The tax composition of distributions paid to shareholders during fiscal 2013 and 2012, were as follows:

Year Ended December 31, 2013

## Distributions Paid from

				Total
	Ordinary	Long-Term	Return of	Distributions
Fund	Income	Capital Gain	Capital	Paid
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$822,653	\$26,840,247	<b>\$</b> —	\$27,662,900
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	526,843			526,843
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	3,803,097	13,525,713		17,328,810
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	1,253,220			1,253,220
Value Line Core Bond Fund*	893,166		155,298	1,048,464

<sup>\*</sup> Period from February 1, 2013 to December 31, 2013.

December 31, 2013

## Year Ended December 31, 2012 Distributions Paid from

		1 Otal
Ordinary	Long-Term	Distributions
Income	Capital Gain	Paid
\$2,146,661	\$23,018,017	\$ 25,164,678
_	_	
4,450,666	11,216,365	15,667,031
1,087,423	_	1,087,423
1,614,009	25,662	1,639,671
	Income \$2,146,661 — 4,450,666 1,087,423	Income Capital Gain \$2,146,661 \$23,018,017 — — — 4,450,666 11,216,365 1,087,423 —

<sup>\*</sup> Year ended January 31, 2013.

Year Ended January 31,
2012
Distributions Paid from
Ordinary Income
\$ 1,950,884

Fund Value Line Core Bond Fund

7. Investment Advisory Fee, Service and Distribution Fees and Transactions With Affiliates Advisory fees of \$2,798,432, \$807,293, \$2,095,572, \$1,458,201 and \$382,486 for the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., and Value Line Core Bond Fund, respectively, were paid or payable to the Adviser for the period ended December 31, 2013. For the year ended January 31, 2013, advisory fees of \$237,606 were paid or payable to the Adviser for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. For the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc. and Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. advisory fees were computed at an annual rate of 0.75% of the daily net assets during the period. For The Value Line Fund, Inc. and Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. advisory fees were computed at an annual rate of 0.70% of the first \$100 million of the Fund's average daily net assets plus 0.65% of the excess thereof. For the Value Line Core Bond Fund, for the period ended December 31, 2013, this was computed at an annual rate of 0.50% of the Fund's average daily net assets during the period prior to any fee waivers, and for the year ended January 31, 2013, the Fund's advisory fees were computed at an annual rate of 0.75% of the first \$100 million of the Fund's average daily net assets during the period and 0.50% on the average daily net assets in excess thereof prior to any fee waivers. The Funds advisory fees are paid monthly. The Adviser provides research, investment programs, and supervision of the investment portfolio and pays costs of administrative services, office space, equipment and compensation of administrative, bookkeeping, and clerical personnel necessary for managing the affairs of the Funds. The Adviser also provides persons, satisfactory to the Funds' Board, to act as officers and employees of the Funds and pays their salaries. Effective June 1, 2010 and voluntarily renewed annually through January 31, 2013, the Adviser contractually agreed to waive 0.20% of the advisory fee for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. Fees waived amounted to \$63,362 for the year ended January 31, 2013. Effective February 1, 2013, and voluntarily renewed annually through June 30, 2014, the Adviser contractually agreed to waive 0.10% of the advisory fee for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. The fees waived amounted to \$76,530 for the period ended December 31, 2013. The Adviser has no right to recoup previously waived amounts.

The Funds have a Service and Distribution Plan (the "Plan"), adopted pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the Investment Company Act of 1940, which compensates EULAV Securities LLC (the "Distributor") for advertising, marketing and distributing the Funds' shares and for servicing the Funds' shareholders at an annual rate of 0.25% of the Funds' average daily net assets. For the period ended December 31, 2013, fees amounting to \$932,811, \$291,282, \$785,503, \$486,089 and \$191,271 before fee waivers for the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., and Value Line Core Bond Fund, respectively, were accrued under this Plan. For the year ended January 31, 2013, fees amounting to \$79,202 before fee waivers were accrued under this Plan for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. Effective May 1, 2009, and voluntarily renewed annually through July 31, 2013, the Distributor contractually agreed to waive The Value Line Fund, Inc.'s 12b-1 fee by 0.25%; effective August 1, 2013, the Distributor discontinued to waive The Value Line Fund, Inc.'s 12b-1 fee. Effective March 1, 2009, and voluntarily renewed annually, the Distributor contractually agreed to reduce the fee for the Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. by 0.05%. Effective May 1, 2007, and voluntarily renewed annually through July 31, 2013, the Distributor contractually agreed to waive Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.'s 12b-1 fee by 0.25%; effective August 1, 2013 and voluntarily renewed annually, the Distributor contractually agreed to waive the Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.'s 12b-1 fee by 0.10%. Effective June 1, 2007 and voluntarily renewed annually through January 31, 2013, the Distributor contractually agreed to reduce the 12b-1 fee by 0.10% for the Value Line Core Bond Fund; effective February 1, 2013, and voluntarily renewed annually, the Distributor contractually agreed to reduce the 12b-1 fee by 0.05% for the Value Line Core Bond Fund. The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. and Value Line Core Bond Fund's fees waived amounted to \$165,777, \$156,915, \$360,818, and \$38,265, respectively, for the period ended December 31, 2013. For the year ended January 31, 2013, the Value Line Core Bond Fund's fees waived amounted to \$31,681. The Distributor has no right to recoup previously waived amounts.

#### Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Effective July 5, 2012, the Funds have a Sub-Transfer Agent Plan (the "sub TA plan") which compensates financial intermediaries that provide sub-transfer agency and related services to investors that hold their Fund shares in omnibus accounts maintained by the financial intermediaries with the Funds. The sub-transfer agency fee, which may be paid directly to the financial intermediary or indirectly via the Distributor, is equal to the lower of (i) the aggregate amount of additional transfer agency fees and expenses that the Funds would otherwise pay to the transfer agent if each subaccount in the omnibus account maintained by the financial intermediary with the Funds were a direct account with the Funds and (ii) the amount by which the fees charged by the financial intermediary for including the Funds on its platform and providing shareholder, sub-transfer agency and related services exceed the amount paid under the Funds' Plan with respect to each Fund's assets attributable to shares held by the financial intermediary in the omnibus account. In addition, the amount of sub-transfer agency fees payable by the Fund's to all financial intermediaries in the aggregate is subject to a maximum cap of 0.05% of each Fund's average daily net assets. If the sub-transfer agency fee is paid to financial intermediaries indirectly via the Distributor, the Distributor does not retain any amount thereof and such fee otherwise reduces the amount that the Distributor is contractually obligated to pay to the financial intermediary. For the year ended December 31, 2013, fees amounting to \$110,726, \$7,527, \$61,727 and \$13,109 for the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., and Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., respectively, were paid under the sub TA plan.

Each Fund bears direct expenses incurred specifically on its behalf while common expenses of the Value Line Funds are allocated proportionately based upon each Fund's respective net assets. The Funds bear all other costs and expenses.

Certain officers and a trustee of the Adviser are also officers and a director of the Funds. At December 31, 2013, the officers and directors of the Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc., and Value Line Core Bond Fund as a group owned less than 1% of the outstanding shares of each Fund.

#### 8. Other

The Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc. received notice that it has been named as a defendant in In re: Tribune Company Fraudulent Conveyance Litigation, Consol. MDL 11 MD 2296 (RJS), which includes two specific cases in which the Fund is named, Kirschner, as Litigation Trustee for the Tribune Litigation Trust v. Fitzsimone, et al., 12 CV 02652 (RJS) (The "Trustee Litigation") and Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas, in its Capacity as Successor Indenture Trustee for Certain Series of Senior Notes, et al. v. Adaly Opportunity Fund TD Securities Inc. c/o Adaly Investment Management Co., et al., No. 1:11-cv-04784-RJH (S.D.N.Y.) (the "Adaly Action"). The Adaly Action is part of a larger group of noteholder and individual creditor complaints, which were dismissed by the lower federal district court on September 23, 2013, but are now part of an appeal by counsel for some of the individual creditors. Both the Adaly Action and Trustee Litigation seek to recover alleged transfers received in connection with the purchase, repurchase or redemption of Tribune stock as a result of a 2007 leveraged buyout and tender offer. The alleged value of the proceeds received by the Fund is \$490,522 (less than 1% of net assets) and the Fund will incur legal expenses in the defense of these actions. Management continues to assess the actions and has made no determination about the effect, if any, on the Fund's net assets and results of operations.

## Report of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

To the Board of Directors and Shareholders of Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. and Value Line Core Bond Fund:

In our opinion, the accompanying statements of assets and liabilities, including the schedules of investments, and the related statements of operations and of changes in net assets and the financial highlights present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc., The Value Line Fund, Inc., Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc., Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc. and Value Line Core Bond Fund (the "Funds") at December 31, 2013, the results of their operations, the changes in their net assets and the financial highlights for the periods presented, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements and financial highlights (hereafter referred to as "financial statements") are the responsibility of the Funds' management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits of these financial statements in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits, which included confirmation of securities at December 31, 2013 by correspondence with the custodian and brokers, provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP New York, New York

February 24, 2014

#### Fund Expenses (unaudited)

#### Example

As a shareholder of the Funds, you incur ongoing costs, including management fees, distribution and service (12b-1) fees, and other Fund expenses. This Example is intended to help you understand your ongoing costs (in dollars) of investing in each Fund and to compare these costs with the ongoing costs of investing in other mutual funds.

The Example is based on an investment of \$1,000 invested at the beginning of the period and held for the entire period (July 1, 2013 through December 31, 2013).

#### **Actual Expenses**

The first line in the table below for each Fund provides information about actual account values and actual expenses. You may use this information, together with the amount you invested, to estimate the expenses that you paid over the period. Simply divide your account value by \$1,000 (for example an \$8,600 account value divided by \$1,000 = 8.6), then multiply the result by the number in the first line for each Fund under the heading "Expenses Paid During Period" to estimate the expenses you paid on your account during this period.

### Hypothetical Example for Comparison Purposes

The second line in the table for each Fund provides information about hypothetical account values and hypothetical expenses based on the Funds' actual expense ratio and an assumed rate of return of 5% per year before expenses, which is not the Funds' actual return. The hypothetical account values and expenses may not be used to estimate the actual ending account balance or expenses you paid for the period. You may use this information to compare the ongoing costs of investing in the Fund and other funds. To do so, compare this 5% hypothetical example with the 5% hypothetical examples that appear in the shareholder reports of other funds.

Please note that the expenses shown in the table are meant to highlight your ongoing costs only and do not reflect any transactional costs, such as sales charges (loads), redemption fees, or exchange fees. Therefore, the table is useful in comparing ongoing costs only and will not help you determine the relative total costs of owning different funds. In addition, if transactional costs were included, your costs would have been higher.

	eginning ount value 7/1/13	acc	Ending count value 12/31/13	paid perio	during d 7/1/13 2/31/13*
Actual					
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	\$ 1,000.00	\$	1,160.24	\$	6.82
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,180.96		6.61
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,106.36		5.91
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,192.01		6.19
Value Line Core Bond Fund	1,000.00		996.55		6.44
Hypothetical (5% return before expenses)					
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,018.89		6.38
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,019.14		6.12
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	1,000.00		1,019.59		5.67

Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	1,000.00	1,019.56	5.70
Value Line Core Bond Fund	1,000.00	1,018.75	6.51

\* Expenses are equal to the Funds' annualized expense ratio of 1.25%, 1.20%, 1.11%, 1.12%, and 1.28%, respectively, multiplied by the average account value over the period, multiplied by 184/365 to reflect the one-half year period. These expense ratios may differ from the expense ratios shown in the Financial Highlights

#### Federal Tax Notice (unaudited)

Each Fund designates the following amounts distributed during the fiscal year ended December 31, 2013, if any, as capital gain dividends, dividends eligible for the corporate dividends received deduction and/or qualified dividend income:

		% of Dividends	
		Eligible for the	
		Corporate	
	% of Qualifying	Dividends	Long-Term
		Received	
Fund	Dividend Income	Deduction	Capital Gains
Value Line Premier Growth Fund, Inc.	100%	100%	\$ 26,840,247
The Value Line Fund, Inc.	100	100	_
Value Line Income and Growth Fund, Inc.	100	100	13,525,713
Value Line Larger Companies Fund, Inc.	100	100	_
Value Line Core Bond Fund	<del></del>		_

The Funds file their complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Funds' Form N-Q is available on the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov and may be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 1-800-SEC-0330.

A description of the policies and procedures that the Funds use to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities, and information regarding how the Funds voted these proxies for the 12-month period ended June 30 is available through the Funds' website at http://www.vlfunds.com and on the SEC's website at http://www.sec.gov. The description of the policies and procedures is also available without charge, upon request, by calling 1-800-243-2729.

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## Management of the Funds

None

## MANAGEMENT INFORMATION

The business and affairs of the Funds are managed by the Funds' officers under the direction of the Board. The following table sets forth information on each Director and Officer of the Funds. Each Director serves as a director or trustee of each of the 10 Value Line Funds. Each Director serves until his or her successor is elected and qualified.

Name, Address, and Year of Birth Interested Director* Mitchell E. Appel 1970 Other Directorships: Forethought Variable Insurance Trust, since 2013	Position (Since) Director (2010)	Principal Occupation During the Past 5 Years President of each of the Value Line Funds since June 2008; Chief Financial Officer of the Distributor since April 2008 and President since February 2009; President of the Adviser since February 2009, Trustee since December 2010 and Treasurer since January 2011; Chief Financial Officer of Value Line, Inc. ("Value Line") from April 2008 to December 2010 and from September 2005 to November 2007; Director from February 2010 to December 2010.
Non-Interested Directors Joyce E. Heinzerling 500 East 77th Street New York, NY 10162 1956 Other Directorships: None	Director (2008)	President, Meridian Fund Advisers LLC (consultants) since 2009; General Counsel, Archery Capital LLC (private invest- ment fund) until 2009.
Francis C. Oakley 54 Scott Hill Road Williamstown, MA 01267 1931 Other Directorships: None	Director (2000)	Professor of History, Williams College (1961-2002). Professor Emeritus since 2002; President Emeritus since 1994 and President (1985-1994); Chairman (1993-1997) and Interim President (2002-2003) of the American Council of Learned Societies. Trustee since 1997 and Chairman of the Board since 2005, National Humanities Center.
David H. Porter 5 Birch Run Drive Saratoga Springs, NY 12866 1935 Other Directorships:	Director (1997)	Professor, Skidmore College since 2008; Visiting Professor of Classics, Williams College (1999-2008); President Emeritus, Skidmore College since 1999 and President (1987-1998).

Paul Craig Roberts 169 Pompano St. Panama City Beach, FL 32413 1939 Director (1983)\*\*

Director

(1996)

Chairman, Institute for Political Economy.

Other Directorships:

None

Senior Financial Consultant, Veritable L.P. (Investment Advisor until

1409 Beaumont Drive Gladwyne, PA 19035

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Other Directorships:

None

December 2013).

Daniel S. Vandivort 59 Indian Head Road Riverside, CT 06878 1954 Director (2008) Chairman of Board (2010) President, Chief Investment Officer, Weiss, Peck and Greer/Robeco Investment Management (2005-2007); Managing Director, Weiss, Peck and Greer (1995-2005).

Other Directorships:

None

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Name, Address, and Position Principal Occupation
Year of Birth (Since) During the Past 5 Years
Officers
Mitchell E. Appel President (2008) President of each of the Value Line Funds since

June 2008; Chief Financial Officer of the Distributor since April 2008 and President since February 2009; President of the Adviser since February 2009, Trustee since December 2010 and Treasurer since January 2011; Chief Financial Officer of Value Line from April 2008 to December 2010 and from September 2005 to November 2007; Director from February 2010 to

December 2010.

Michael J. Wagner Chief Compliance Chief Compliance Officer of Value Line Funds 1950 Officer (2009) since June 2009; President of Northern Lights

Since June 2009; President of Northern Lights
Compliance Service, LLC (formerly Fund

Compliance Services, LLC (2006 – present)) and Senior Vice President (2004 – 2006) and

President and Chief Operations Officer (2003 – 2006) of Gemini Fund Services, LLC; Director of Constellation Trust Company until 2008.

Emily D. Washington Treasurer and Chief Financial Officer (Principal Secretary (2008) Financial and Accounting Officer) of each of the

Value Line Funds since 2008 and Secretary since 2010; Secretary of the Adviser since 2011.

- \* Mr. Appel is an "interested person" as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940 by virtue of his position with the Adviser and Distributor.
- \*\* Mr. Roberts has served as a trustee of the Value Line Core Bond Fund since 1986.

Unless otherwise indicated, the address for each of the above officers is c/o Value Line Funds, 7 Times Square, New York, NY 10036.

The Funds' Statement of Additional Information (SAI) includes additional information about the Funds' Directors and is available, without charge, upon request by calling 1-800-243-2729 or on the Funds' website, www.vlfunds.com.

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In 1950, Value Line started its first mutual fund. Since then, knowledgeable investors have been relying on the Value Line Funds to help them build their financial futures. Over the years, Value Line Funds has evolved into what we are today – a diversified family of no-load mutual funds with a wide range of investment objectives – ranging from small, mid and large capitalization equities to fixed income. We also provide strategies that effectively combine both equities and fixed income, diligently taking into account the potential risk and reward of each investment.

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#### Item 2. Code of Ethics

- (a) The Registrant has adopted a Code of Ethics that applies to its principal executive officer, and principal financial officer and principal accounting officer.
- (f) Pursuant to item 12(a), the Registrant is attaching as an exhibit a copy of its Code of Ethics that applies to its principal executive officer, and principal financial officer and principal accounting officer.
- Item 3. Audit Committee Financial Expert.
- (a)(1)The Registrant has an Audit Committee Financial Expert serving on its Audit Committee.
- (2) The Registrant's Board has designated Daniel S. Vandivort, a member of the Registrant's Audit Committee, as the Registrant's Audit Committee Financial Expert. Mr. Vandivort is an independent director who has served as President, Chief Investment Officer to Weis, Peck and Greer/Robeco Investment Management. He has also previously served as Managing Director for Weis, Peck and Greer (1995-2005). A person who is designated as an "audit committee financial expert" shall not make such person an "expert" for any purpose, including without limitation under Section 11 of the Securities Act of 1933 or under applicable fiduciary laws, as a result of being designated or identified as an audit committee financial expert. The designation or identification of a person as an audit committee financial expert does not impose on such person any duties, obligations, or liabilities that are greater than the duties, obligations, and liabilities imposed on such person as a member of the audit committee and Board of Trustees in the absence of such designation or identification.

## Item 4. Principal Accountant Fees and Services

- (a) Audit Fees 2013 \$39,435 Audit Fees 2012 - \$31,271
- (b) Audit-Related fees None.
- (c) Tax Preparation Fees 2013 \$13,915 Tax Preparation Fees 2012 - \$14,340
- (d) All Other Fees None
- (e) (1) Audit Committee Pre-Approval Policy. All services to be performed for the Registrant by PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP must be pre-approved by the audit committee. All services performed were pre-approved by the committee.
- (e) (2) Not applicable.
- (f) Not applicable.
- (g) Aggregate Non-Audit Fees 2013 \$1,200 Aggregate Non-Audit Fees 2012 - \$2,400
- (h) Not applicable.

Item 5. Audit Committee of Listed Registrants
Not Applicable.
Item 6. Investments
Not Applicable
Item 7. Disclosure of Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures for Closed-End Management Investment Companies
Not Applicable
Item 8. Portfolio Managers of Closed-End Management Investment Companies
Not Applicable
Item 9. Purchases of Equity Securities by Closed-End Management Investment Company and Affiliated Purchasers
Not Applicable
Item 10 Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders
Not Applicable

## Item 11. Controls and Procedures

(a) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in rule 30a-2(c) under the Act (17 CFR 270.30a-2(c)) based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report, are appropriately designed to ensure that material information relating to the registrant is made known to such officers and are operating effectively.

(b) The registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer have determined that there have been no significant changes in the registrant's internal controls or in other factors that could significantly affect these controls subsequent to the date of their evaluation, including corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies and material weaknesses.

#### Item 12. Exhibits

- (a) Code of Business Conduct and Ethics for Principal Executive and Senior Financial Officers attached hereto as Exhibit 100.COE.
- (b)(1) Certification pursuant to Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940 (17 CFR 270.30a-2) attached hereto as Exhibit 99.CERT.
- (2) Certification pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 attached hereto as Exhibit 99.906.CERT.

#### **SIGNATURES**

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.

By: /s/ Mitchell E. Appel

Mitchell E. Appel, President

Date: /s/ March 11, 2014

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/ Mitchell E. Appel

Mitchell E. Appel, President, Principal Executive

Officer

By: /s/ Emily D. Washington

Emily D. Washington, Treasurer, Principal Financial

Officer

Date: March 11, 2014