NUVEEN FLOATING RATE INCOME FUND Form N-Q June 29,2007

# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549 FORM N-Q

## QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-21494

**Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund** 

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter) 333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606

(Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code)

Kevin J. McCarthy Vice President and Secretary 333 West Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois 60606

(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 312-917-7700

Date of fiscal year end: 7/31
Date of reporting period: 4/30/2007

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#### Portfolio of Investments (Unaudited) Nuveen Floating Rate Income Fund (JFR)

April 30, 2007

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Weighted Average Coupon	Maturity (3)	Ratings (4)	Value
	Variable Rate Senior Loan Interests 143.8% (9.	3.1% of T	otal Investmen	nts) (2)	
	Aerospace & Defense 1.6% (1.0% of Total Inve	estments)			
\$ 5,043 2,300 2,403 545	Mid-Western Aircraft Systems Inc., Term Loan B Transdigm Inc., Term Loan B Vought Aircraft Industries, Inc., Term Loan Vought Aircraft Industries, Inc., Tranche B, Letter of Credit Total Aerospace & Defense	7.105% 7.348% 7.830% 7.822%	12/31/11 6/23/13 12/22/11 12/22/10	BB+ Ba3 Ba2 Ba2	\$ 5,070,885 2,316,388 2,423,589 549,545 10,360,407
	Airlines 2.5% (1.6% of Total Investments)				
8,000 8,700	Northwest Airlines Inc., Term Loan United Air Lines Inc., Delayed Draw, Term Loan	7.320% 7.375%	7/19/08 2/01/14	BBB- B+	8,037,504 8,713,594
16,700	Total Airlines				16,751,098
	Auto Components 4.3% (2.8% of Total Investm	nents)			
3,000	Delphi Automotive Systems Corporation, DIP Term Loan	8.125%	12/31/07	BBB-	3,013,763
· ·	Federal-Mogul Corporation, Term Loan A, (6) Federal-Mogul Corporation, Term Loan B, (6) Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, Second Lien Term Loan	7.570% 7.820% 7.100%	2/24/04 2/24/05 4/30/14	N/R N/R Ba2	17,601,287 1,994,792 6,030,945
28,662	Total Auto Components				28,640,787
	Beverages 0.3% (0.1% of Total Investments)				
2,083	Constellation Brands, Inc., Term Loan	6.875%	6/05/13	BB-	2,091,580

**Building Products** 8.0% (5.2% of Total Investments)

1,768	Atrium Companies Inc., Term Loan	8.518%	5/31/12	B1	1,761,862
5,000	Building Materials Corporation of America,	11.125%	9/15/14	В	4,958,333
	Second Lien Term Loan				
8,978	Building Materials Corporation of America, Term Loan	8.188%	2/22/14	BB-	8,939,346
14,625	Nortek, Inc., Term Loan B	7.365%	8/27/11	Ba2	14,687,156
4,412	PP Acquisition Corporation, Term Loan	8.320%	11/12/11	Ba3	4,433,836
7,344	Stile Acquisition Corporation, Canadian Term	7.350%	4/05/13	BB-	7,198,019
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7,356	Stile Acquisition Corporation, Term Loan B	7.350%	4/05/13	BB-	7,210,281
3,980	TFS Acquisition, Term Loan	8.850%	8/11/13	B+	4,009,850
53,463	Total Building Products				53,198,683
	Capital Markets 1.1% (0.7% of Total Investm	ents)			
2,773	Ameritrade Holdings Corporation, Term Loan B	6.820%	12/31/12	Ba1	2,781,886
4,643	BNY Convergex Group LLC, Term Loan	8.350%	10/02/13	B+	4,686,964
7 /16	Total Capital Markata				7,468,850
7,416	Total Capital Markets				7,408,830
	Chemicals 9.8% (6.4% of Total Investments)				
5,600	Celanese Holdings, LLC, Term Loan C	7.099%	4/02/14	BB-	5,635,876
1,400	Celanese Holdings, LLC, Credit-Linked Deposit	5.320%	4/02/14	BB-	1,408,969
1,882	Foamex LP, Term Loan	7.597%	2/12/13	B1	1,888,628
820	Headwaters Inc., First Lien Term Loan	7.360%	4/30/11	BB-	822,363
11,507	Hercules Inc., Term Loan B	6.820%	10/08/10	Baa3	11,531,671
4,892	Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc., Term Loan C1	7.875%	5/05/13	Ba3	4,933,352
1,063	Hexion Specialty Chemicals, Inc., Term Loan C2	7.875%	5/05/13	Ba3	1,071,664
8,150	Huntsman International LLC, Term Loan	7.070%	8/16/12	Ba1	8,177,088
,	Ineos Group Holdings PLC, Term Loan B	7.580%	12/06/13	Ba2	4,009,500
3,960	Ineos Group Holdings PLC, Term Loan C	8.080%	12/16/14	Ba2	4,009,500
461	JohnsonDiversey Inc., Term Loan	7.860%	12/16/11	Ba2	466,903
1,470	Lucite International, Term Loan B-1	8.070%	7/07/13	Ba3	1,488,182
519	Lucite International, Term Loan B-2, (5)	3.108%	7/07/13	Ba3	140,840
6,965	Lyondell Citgo Refining LP, Term Loan	6.860%	8/16/13	BB	6,995,691
12,740	Rockwood Specialties Group, Inc., Term Loan E	7.355%	7/30/12	Ba2	12,858,648
65,389	Total Chemicals				65,438,875
	Commercial Services & Supplies 4.8% (3.1% commercial Services & Supplies 4.8% commercial Services & Supplies 4.8% (3.1% commercial Services & Supplies 4.8% commercial Services & Supplies & Supp	of Total Inve	stments)		
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4,278	Allied Waste North America, Inc., Letter of	7.073%	1/15/12	BB	4,303,233
0.646	Credit	7,0070	1/15/10	חח	0.600.041
9,646 4,606	Allied Waste North America, Inc., Term Loan B Aramark Corporation, Term Loan	7.097% 7.475%	1/15/12 1/26/14	BB Ba3	9,699,041 4,633,402

329	Aramark, Letter of Credit	7.475%	1/26/14	Ba3	331,134	
998	NCO Group Inc., Term Loan	8.355%	5/15/13	Ba3	1,005,293	
3,000	Rental Services Corporation, Term Loan	8.857%	11/30/13	B-	3,051,000	
5,500	Williams Scotsman, Inc., Term Loan B	6.820%	6/28/10	BB	5,498,281	
1,362	Workflow Management, Inc., Term Loan	9.355%	11/30/11	BB-	1,360,876	
1,800	E i i	8.100%	5/18/12	В+	1,804,284	
1,800	Xerium Technologies Inc. Term Loan B	8.100%	3/16/12	D+	1,804,284	
31,519	Total Commercial Services & Supplies				31,686,544	
	Communications Equipment 1.0% (0.6% of To	otal Investm	ents)			
2.095	Acnost Software Torm Loop P	9 275 <i>0</i> / <sub>2</sub>	7/11/11	Do2	2 016 002	
2,985	Aspect Software, Term Loan B	8.375%	7/11/11	Ba3	3,016,093	
1,990	IPC Acquisition Corporation, First Lien Term	7.850%	9/29/14	B1	2,009,485	
427	Loan Valassis Communications, Inc., Delayed Draw,	1.000%	3/02/14	Ba2	(267)	
1,573	Term Loan, (5) (7) Valassis Communications, Inc., Term Loan B	7.100%	3/02/14	Ba2	1,576,939	
1,373	Valassis Communications, Inc., Term Loan B	7.100%	3/02/14	Daz	1,370,939	
6,975	Total Communications Equipment				6,602,250	
	Consumer Finance 0.5% (0.3% of Total Invest	tments)				
2,981	Peach Holdings Inc., Term Loan	9.100%	11/30/13	В	3,007,336	
	Containers & Packaging 4.9% (3.2% of Total	Investments)	)			
1,980	Amscan Holdings Inc., Term Loan B	8.385%	4/30/12	Ba3	1,997,945	
1,143	Bluegrass Container Company LLC, Delayed	7.589%	6/30/12	BB-	1,156,961	
1,173	Draw, First Lien Term Loan	7.30770	0/30/13	DD-	1,130,701	
3,820	Bluegrass Container Company, LLC, Term Loan	7.591%	6/30/13	BB-	3,866,685	
3,620	B	7.391 /0	0/30/13	DD-	3,800,083	
10 601	_	7.625%	2/14/10	B1	10 742 500	
19,601	Graham Packaging Company, L.P., Term Loan B				19,743,590	
699	Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation,	7.748%	11/01/11	Ba2	704,714	
2.762	Deposit-Funded Commitment	7.52107	11/01/11	D - 2	2705 550	
2,762	Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation, Term Loan	7.531%	11/01/11	Ba2	2,785,558	
1 (70	B	7.5460	11/01/11	D 0	1 (02 012	
1,679	Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation, Term Loan	7.546%	11/01/11	Ba2	1,693,912	
507	C	7 2750	11/01/11	D - 2	<b>521 5</b> 00	
527	Smurfit-Stone Container Corporation, Tranche C-1	7.375%	11/01/11	Ba2	531,588	
32,211	Total Containers & Packaging				32,480,953	
	Diversified Consumer Services 1.7% (1.1% of Total Investments)					
2.002	Divardaan Crayn Limited Tarm Laan	9 100 <i>0</i> 7	12/20/12	D 1	2 015 602	
2,992	Riverdeep Group Limited, Term Loan	8.100%	12/20/13	B1	3,015,693	
8,112	West Corporation, Term Loan	7.750%	10/24/13	B+	8,179,751	

11,104	Total Diversified Consumer Services				11,195,444		
Diversified Financial Services 0.8% (0.5% of Total Investments)							
3,400 1,971	NASDAQ Stock Market, Inc., Term Loan B NASDAQ Stock Market, Inc., Term Loan C	7.070% 7.070%	12/01/11 4/18/12	BB+ BB+	3,411,809 1,977,746		
5,371	Total Diversified Financial Services				5,389,555		
	Diversified Telecommunication Services 5.5%	% (3.6% of Tot	cal Investments)	)			
6,000 1,000 1,000 6,000 3,930	Cequel Communications LLC., Term Loan B Choice One Communications, Term Loan B Choice One Communications, Term Loan B Crown Castle International Corporation, Term Loan Intelsat Corporation, Term Loan	7.349% 9.375% 8.875% 6.893% 7.349%	11/05/13 6/27/12 6/30/12 1/26/14 7/01/13	B+ Ba3 B1 BB+	6,000,750 1,015,000 1,015,000 6,018,048 3,962,183		
6,800	Level 3 Communications Incorporated, Term Loan	7.605%	3/13/14	B1	6,830,814		
5,965 5,500	MetroPCS Inc., Term Loan Qwest Corporation, Term Loan B	7.625% 6.950%	11/03/13 6/30/10	B1 BB	6,010,496 5,666,147		
36,195	Total Diversified Telecommunication Services				36,518,438		
	Electric Utilities 3.0% (1.9% of Total Investm	nents)					
17,778 2,222 188 1,808 21,996	Calpine Corporation, DIP Term Loan Calpine Corporation, DIP Revolver, (5) (7) MACH Gen LLC, Synthetic Letter of Credit MACH Gen LLC, Term Loan Total Electric Utilities	7.590% 0.250% 7.350% 7.360%	3/29/09 3/29/09 2/22/13 2/22/14	N/R N/R B B	17,890,738 (33,333) 187,764 1,809,777 19,854,946		
	Electrical Equipment 0.9% (0.6% of Total Investments)						
6,017	Mueller Group, Inc., Term Loan	7.348%	10/03/12	BB-	6,063,388		
Electronic Equipment & Instruments 1.7% (1.1% of Total Investments)							
10,000 993	Sanmina-SCI Corporation, Term Loan Sensata Technologies B.V., Term Loan	8.375% 7.105%	7/31/08 4/27/13	Ba3 BB-	10,052,085 993,149		
10,993	Total Electronic Equipment & Instruments				11,045,234		

#### **Energy Equipment & Services** 0.1% (0.1% of Total Investments)

573	Petroleum Geo-Services, Term Loan	7.600%	12/15/12	BB-	577,821		
	Food & Staples Retailing 2.3% (1.5% of Total Investments)						
10,997 3,930	Jean Coutu Group, Inc., Term Loan B Supervalu, Term Loan B	7.875% 6.840%	7/30/11 6/02/12	BB- BB-	11,022,960 3,950,766		
14,927	Total Food & Staples Retailing				14,973,726		
	Food Products 0.7% (0.5% of Total Investment	nts)					
465	Dole Foods Company Inc., Deposit-Funded Commitment	7.356%	4/12/13	Ba3	465,181		
1,036	Dole Foods Company Inc., Term Loan B	7.541%	4/12/13	Ba3	1,036,191		
3,453	Dole Foods Company Inc., Term Loan C	7.456%	4/12/13	Ba3	3,453,968		
4,954	Total Food Products				4,955,340		
	Gas Utilities 0.2% (0.1% of Total Investments)	)					
1,000	Energy Transfer Partners LP, Term Loan	7.080%	2/08/12	BBB-	1,007,679		
	Health Care Equipment & Supplies 0.4% (0.3)	% of Total In	nvestments)				
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2,802	Kinetic Concepts Inc., Term Loan B-1	6.850%	8/11/10	Ba1	2,807,701		
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	Health Care Providers & Services 10.7% (6.9%)	% of Total In	vestments)				
9,745	Davita Inc., Term Loan B	6.842%	10/05/12	Ba1	9,785,054		
10,973	HCA, Inc., Term Loan	7.600%	11/17/13	BB	11,100,011		
10,000	Health Management Associates, Term Loan	7.100%	2/28/14	Ba2	10,051,040		
3,970	HealthSouth Corporation, Term Loan	7.847%	3/10/13	B+	4,002,256		
3,246	IASIS Healthcare, LLC, Delayed Draw Term Loan, WI/DD	TBD	TBD	Ba2	3,258,666		
866	IASIS Healthcare, LLC, Letter of Credit, WI/DD	TBD	TBD	Ba2	868,978		
9,501	IASIS Healthcare, LLC, Term Loan, WI/DD	TBD	TBD	Ba2	9,537,029		
1,995	Invacare Corporation, Term Loan B	7.600%	2/12/13	Ba2	2,007,469		
3,940	LifeCare Holdings Inc., Term Loan B	7.600%	8/01/12	B1	3,913,405		
1,010	LifePoint Hospitals Holdings, Inc., Term Loan B	6.985%	4/15/14	BB-	1,008,910		
2,940	Select Medical Corporation, Term Loan	7.349%	2/24/12	Ba2	2,935,156		
12,740	Vanguard Health Holding Company, LLC,	7.600%	9/23/11	Ba3	12,837,919		
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	Replacement Term Loan						
70,926	Total Health Care Providers & Services				71,305,893		

## **Health Care Technology** 0.3% (0.2% of Total Investments)

1,982	Emdeon Business Services Term Loan	7.600%	11/16/13	B+	1,992,902
	Hotels, Restaurants & Leisure 11.6% (7.5% o	of Total Invest	ments)		
9,350	24 Hour Fitness Worldwide, Inc., Term Loan B	7.850%	7/01/09	Ba3	9,414,698
3,149	Ameristar Casinos, Inc., Term Loan B	6.820%	11/10/12	BB+	3,151,708
5,835	Boyd Gaming Corporation, Term Loan B	6.820%	6/30/11	Ba1	5,859,361
1,293	Burger King Corporation, Term Loan B	6.875%	6/30/12	Ba2	1,297,830
778	CBRL Group, Inc., Term Loan B-1	6.860%	4/27/13	BB	779,791
122	CBRL Group, Inc., Delayed Draw, Term Loan	0.750%	4/27/13	BB	(51)
	B-2 (5) (7)				
4,963	Cedar Fair LP, Term Loan	7.320%	8/30/12	BB-	5,015,227
964	Green Valley Ranch Gaming, Term Loan B	7.360%	2/16/14	B+	969,831
4,727	Intrawest Corporation, Term Loan	9.250%	12/31/07	N/R	4,738,363
7,875	Penn National Gaming, Inc., Term Loan B	7.114%	10/03/12	BB	7,939,048
518	Seminole Gaming, Delayed Draw, Term Loan B-1 (5)	2.844%	3/05/14	BBB-	