

Eaton Vance Floating-Rate Income Trust
Form N-Q
October 29, 2004

**UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549**

FORM N-Q

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

Investment Company Act file number 811-21574
Eaton Vance Floating Rate Income Trust
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)
The Eaton Vance Building, 255 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02109
(Address of principal executive offices)
Eaton Vance Management, 255 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02109
(Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (617) 482-8260

Date of fiscal year end: November 30

Date of reporting period: August 31, 2004

Item 1. Schedule of Investments

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Eaton Vance Floating-Rate Income Trust
 PORTFOLIO OF INVESTMENTS (Unaudited)

as of August 31, 2004

Senior, Floating Rate Interests 76.7% (1)

Principal Amount		Borrower/Tranche Description	Value
Advertising 0.4%			
		Adams Outdoor Advertising, L.P.	
	2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing October 15, 2011 (1)	2,024,166
		Lamar Media Corp.	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	1,010,000
		\$	3,034,166
Aerospace and Defense 1.2%			
		ARINC, Inc.	
	2,992,500	Term Loan, Maturing March 10, 2010	3,037,387
		DRS Technologies, Inc.	
	3,844,814	Term Loan, Maturing November 4, 2010	3,880,859
		Standard Aero Holdings, Inc.	
	844,848	Term Loan, Maturing August 24, 2012	844,848
		Transdigm, Inc.	
	995,006	Term Loan, Maturing July 22, 2010	1,010,243
		\$	8,773,337
Auto Components 7.3%			
		Dayco Products, LLC	
	1,550,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2011	1,575,673
		Exide Technologies	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 5, 2010	1,004,375
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 5, 2010	1,005,000
		Federal-Mogul Corp.	
	2,852,861	Revolving Loan, Maturing December 31, 2004	2,654,944
	2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	1,869,376
	563,750	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	567,978
	4,366,382	Revolving Loan, Maturing February 24, 2005	4,355,466
		Gleason Corp.	
	585,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 27, 2011	592,312

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1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 31, 2012	1,010,000
	HLI Operating Co., Inc.	
1,345,781	Term Loan, Maturing June 3, 2009	1,373,537
	Key Automotive Group	
3,750,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 29, 2010	3,796,875
	Metaldyne, Inc.	
6,271,519	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	6,288,502
	Plastech Engineered Products, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	1,015,000
	R.J. Tower Corp.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 29, 2010	2,042,500
	The Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.	
5,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2006	5,572,187
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2007	2,023,750
	TI Automotive, Ltd.	
9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011	9,030,942
	TRW Automotive, Inc.	
3,990,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 28, 2011	4,062,319
	United Components, Inc.	
1,870,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	1,896,881
		\$ 51,737,617
Broadcast Media 2.8%		
	CanWest Media, Inc.	
3,004,375	Term Loan, Maturing August 15, 2009	3,043,807
	Cumulus Media, Inc.	
1,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 28, 2009	1,107,562
3,300,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 28, 2010	3,327,845
	Emmis Operating Co.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 10, 2011	2,016,250
	NEP Supershooters, L.P.	
1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 3, 2011	1,507,500
	Rainbow National Services, LLC	

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3,600,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2012	3,646,800
	Sinclair Television Group, Inc.	
1,900,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2009	1,911,875
3,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	3,135,520
		\$ 19,697,159

Cable Television 3.6%

	Atlantic Broadband Finance, LLC	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 10, 2011	2,027,500
	Bresnan Communications, LLC	
1,884,762	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2010	1,912,446
	Canadian Cable Acquisition Company, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 27, 2011	1,009,688
	Charter Communications Operating, LLC	
5,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2010	4,884,260
10,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2011	10,376,404
	Insight Midwest Holdings, LLC	
1,880,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	1,881,645
995,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009	1,010,547
	MCC Iowa, LLC	
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	2,495,702
		\$ 25,598,192

Casinos and Gaming 0.9%

	Alliance Gaming Corp.	
1,819,326	Term Loan, Maturing September 5, 2009	1,843,583
	Marina District Finance Co.	
769,717	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2007	774,207
3,853,979	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	3,875,658
		\$ 6,493,448

Chemicals 5.5%

	Brenntag AG	
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2012	2,532,812

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	Celanese AG		
3,104,170	Term Loan, Maturing June 4, 2011		3,146,368
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 8, 2011		2,042,084
	Hercules, Inc.		
3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing October 8, 2010		3,025,314
	Huntsman International, LLC		
921,129	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2010		934,946
	Huntsman, LLC		
322,380	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007		324,049
2,032,948	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007		2,043,477
	Innophos, Inc.		
461,182	Term Loan, Maturing August 13, 2010		464,929
	Kosa B.V.		
9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 29, 2010		9,000,000
	Kraton Polymers, LLC		
980,834	Term Loan, Maturing December 5, 2008		982,060
	Nalco Co.		
2,701,282	Term Loan, Maturing November 4, 2010		2,745,902
	Polymer Group, Inc.		
3,914,286	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2010		3,942,829
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 27, 2011		2,509,375
	Ripplewood Phosphorus, LLC		
575,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 20, 2011		580,750
	Rockwood Specialties Group, Inc.		
3,590,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2012		3,619,811
	VWR International, Inc.		
1,246,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011		1,266,092
		\$	39,160,798
Coal 0.6%			
	Foundation Coal Corp.		
2,065,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011		2,087,973
	Peabody Energy Corp.		
1,975,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010		1,998,145
		\$	4,086,118

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Commercial Services	1.8%		
		Acosta Sales Company, Inc.	
	1,150,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 13, 2010	1,161,500
		Advanstar Communications, Inc.	
	456,349	Term Loan, Maturing October 11, 2007	459,296
		Corrections Corp. of America	
	2,363,455	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2008	2,404,815
		Environmental Systems Products Holdings, Inc.	
	1,672,784	Term Loan, Maturing December 12, 2008	1,684,285
		Geo Group	
	1,051,169	Term Loan, Maturing July 9, 2009	1,062,994
		Pike Electric	
	3,747,533	Term Loan, Maturing July 1, 2012	3,817,020
		United Rentals, Inc.	
	334,029	Term Loan, Maturing February 14, 2011	339,179
	1,665,971	Term Loan, Maturing February 14, 2011	1,685,338
			\$ 12,614,427
Communications Equipment	0.7%		
		Language Line, LLC	
	5,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 11, 2011	5,053,125
			\$ 5,053,125
Computer Software & Services	1.0%		
		CCC Information Services Group	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 20, 2010	1,000,000
		Mitchell International, Inc	
	500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 13, 2011	503,750
	1,250,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 13, 2012	1,250,000
		UGS Corp.	
	4,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 27, 2011	4,030,000
			\$ 6,783,750
Construction Materials	0.7%		
		Formica Corp.	
	359,910	Term Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	365,309
	879,711	Term Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	892,906

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449,888	Term Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	456,636
1,310,491	Term Loan, Maturing June 10, 2010	1,330,149
	Ply Gem Industries, Inc.	
1,700,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 12, 2011	1,706,907
300,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 12, 2011	301,219
	\$	5,053,126
Containers and Packaging - Metal and Glass 1.8%		
	BWAY Corp.	
6,810,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011	6,912,150
	Kranson Industries, Inc.	
860,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	869,137
	Owens-Illinois, Inc.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 1, 2007	2,023,542
	Silgan Holdings, Inc.	
2,727,506	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2008	2,756,060
	\$	12,560,889
Containers and Packaging - Paper 1.1%		
	Graham Packaging Co.	
1,497,355	Term Loan, Maturing February 16, 2010	1,508,585
	Graphic Packaging International, Inc.	
1,960,101	Term Loan, Maturing August 8, 2009	1,989,502
	Solo Cup Co.	
3,989,975	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2011	4,035,692
	\$	7,533,779
Educational Services 0.4%		
	Jostens, Inc.	
909,633	Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010	923,277
	Knowledge Learning Corp.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 15, 2010	1,007,500
	Weekly Reader Corp.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 18, 2009	1,000,625
	\$	2,931,402

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Electronic Equipment & Instruments 1.3%			
		Communications & Power Industries, Inc.	
1,992,500		Term Loan, Maturing July 23, 2010	2,028,614
		Invensys International Holdings, Ltd.	
3,492,730		Term Loan, Maturing September 5, 2009	3,540,755
		SecurityCo, Inc.	
1,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2010	1,005,000
3,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2011	3,015,000
			\$ 9,589,369
Entertainment 2.8%			
		Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Studios, Inc.	
12,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing April 26, 2011	12,058,500
		Six Flags Theme Parks, Inc.	
4,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2009	4,021,252
		WMG Acquisition Corp.	
3,989,975		Term Loan, Maturing February 28, 2011	4,046,976
			\$ 20,126,728
Environmental Services 0.6%			
		Allied Waste Industries, Inc.	
714,286		Term Loan, Maturing January 15, 2009	725,179
1,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing January 5, 2010	1,015,625
2,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010	2,033,076
		Ionics, Inc.	
797,144		Term Loan, Maturing February 13, 2011	809,599
			\$ 4,583,479
Financials 0.6%			
		Refco Group Ltd., LLC	
4,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing August 5, 2011	3,992,916
			\$ 3,992,916
Food, Beverages and Tobacco 2.2%			
		Constellation Brands, Inc.	
3,125,000		Term Loan, Maturing November 30, 2008	3,140,991
		Dr. Pepper/Seven Up Bottling Group, Inc.	
3,087,754		Term Loan, Maturing December 19, 2010	3,122,973

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	Michael Foods, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 20, 2011	1,029,375
	Pierre Merger Corp.	
720,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	725,850
	Reddy Ice Group, Inc.	
2,588,750	Term Loan, Maturing July 31, 2009	2,623,807
	Seminis Vegetable Seeds, Inc.	
1,282,989	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2009	1,302,234
	Southern Wine & Spirits of America, Inc.	
1,994,839	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2008	2,019,152
	Sunny Delight	
745,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 20, 2010	752,450
600,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 20, 2010	606,000
		\$ 15,322,832
Funeral Service 0.1%		
	Alderwoods Group	
574,496	Term Loan, Maturing August 19, 2010	581,408
		\$ 581,408
Health Care - Equipment & Supplies 1.1%		
	Hanger Orthopedic Group, Inc.	
2,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing September 30, 2009	2,503,125
	Leiner Health Products, Inc.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 27, 2011	2,025,000
	Sola International, Inc.	
2,962,500	Term Loan, Maturing December 11, 2009	3,003,234
		\$ 7,531,359
Health Care - Providers & Services 2.5%		
	Accredo Health, Inc.	
2,300,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 30, 2011	2,314,375
	DaVita, Inc.	
4,973,750	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2009	5,023,931
	Express Scripts, Inc.	
3,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 13, 2010	3,029,376

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		Fresenius Medical Care Holdings, Inc.	
1,496,250		Term Loan, Maturing February 21, 2010	1,508,718
		Iasis Healthcare, LLC	
4,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing June 16, 2011	4,054,376
		Medcath Holdings Corp.	
1,565,000		Term Loan, Maturing July 2, 2011	1,587,497
			\$ 17,518,273
Hotels 0.9%			
		Boca Resorts, Inc.	
2,200,000		Term Loan, Maturing July 22, 2009	2,200,000
		Wyndham International, Inc.	
1,861,771		Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2004	1,824,149
2,328,197		Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2006	2,281,149
			\$ 6,305,298
Household Furnishing & Appliances 1.2%			
		Home Interiors & Gifts, Inc.	
3,000,000		Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,775,000
		Sealy Mattress Co.	
1,963,303		Term Loan, Maturing April 6, 2012	1,985,798
		Simmons Co.	
3,917,038		Term Loan, Maturing December 19, 2011	3,953,149
			\$ 8,713,947
Household Products 0.5%			
		United Industries Corp.	
1,200,000		Term Loan, Maturing April 29, 2011	1,215,750
2,500,000		Term Loan, Maturing October 31, 2011	2,542,187
			\$ 3,757,937
Insurance 1.8%			
		Conseco, Inc.	
12,500,000		Term Loan, Maturing June 22, 2010	12,690,100
			\$ 12,690,100
Leisure Equipment & Products 0.6%			
		Bombardier Recreational Products, Inc.	
2,933,000		Term Loan, Maturing December 18, 2010	2,979,746

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	1,257,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 18, 2010	1,277,034
			\$ 4,256,780
Machinery 0.1%			
		Bucyrus International, Inc.	
	750,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 28, 2010	757,031
			\$ 757,031
Manufacturing 2.6%			
		Dresser, Inc.	
	570,732	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2007	579,382
		Energys Holdings, Inc.	
	1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 17, 2011	1,012,500
		Harbor Freight Tools USA, Inc.	
	3,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2010	3,519,687
		IPG (US), Inc.	
	800,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 28, 2011	809,000
		Mueller Group, Inc.	
	2,834,862	Term Loan, Maturing April 23, 2011	2,849,037
		Polypore, Inc.	
	500,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 12, 2011	504,063
		St. Marys Cement, Inc.	
	3,984,987	Term Loan, Maturing December 4, 2010	4,019,856
		Synthetic Industries, Inc.	
	4,981,916	Term Loan, Maturing December 30, 2007	4,944,551
			\$ 18,238,076
Miscellaneous 1.8%			
		Coinstar, Inc.	
	6,075,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011	6,177,516
		Laidlaw International, Inc.	
	6,524,929	Term Loan, Maturing June 19, 2009	6,635,037
			\$ 12,812,553
Office Equipment and Supplies 0.2%			
		Buhrmann US, Inc.	
	1,478,711	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2010	1,498,735
			\$ 1,498,735

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Oil & Gas 1.4%			
		Beldon & Blake Corp.	
2,520,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 21, 2011		2,543,625
		BPL Acquisition, L.P.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 4, 2010		2,025,000
		La Grange Acquisition, L.P.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 18, 2008		2,030,000
		Pride Offshore, Inc.	
2,630,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011		2,663,422
		Williams Production RMT Co.	
497,500	Term Loan, Maturing May 30, 2007		505,170
			\$ 9,767,217
Paper and Forest Products 1.8%			
		Appleton Papers, Inc.	
3,900,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 11, 2010		3,946,313
		Buckeye Technologies, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 15, 2008		1,013,333
		Koch Cellulose, LLC	
1,088,377	Term Loan, Maturing May 7, 2011		1,098,580
4,404,605	Term Loan, Maturing May 7, 2011		4,445,898
		RLC Industries Co.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 24, 2010		2,020,000
			\$ 12,524,124
Personal Products 0.6%			
		Prestige Brands, Inc.	
1,496,250	Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011		1,501,237
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 7, 2011		2,050,834
		Revlon Consumer Products Corp.	
625,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 9, 2010		635,938
			\$ 4,188,009
Publishing & Printing 3.5%			
		CBD Media, LLC	
918,367	Term Loan, Maturing December 31, 2009		930,612
		Dex Media East, LLC	
4,873,104	Term Loan, Maturing May 8, 2009		4,941,123
		Dex Media West, LLC	
4,569,618	Term Loan, Maturing March 9, 2010		4,640,068

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	Freedom Communications Holdings, Inc.	
3,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 18, 2012	3,554,142
	Herald Media, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing January 22, 2012	1,013,750
	Merrill Communications, LLC	
1,550,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 9, 2009	1,565,500
	Morris Publishing Group, LLC	
2,950,000	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,985,031
	Newspaper Holdings, Inc.	
2,400,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 24, 2011	2,392,800
	R.H. Donnelley, Inc.	
985,259	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	993,880
	Transwestern Publishing Co., LLC	
1,995,000	Term Loan, Maturing February 25, 2011	2,009,651
		\$ 25,026,557

Restaurants 0.9%

	Buffets, Inc.	
1,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2009	1,011,250
1,477,881	Term Loan, Maturing June 28, 2009	1,494,507
	CKE Restaurants, Inc.	
2,535,357	Term Loan, Maturing July 2, 2008	2,573,388
	Jack in the Box, Inc.	
997,494	Term Loan, Maturing January 8, 2011	1,011,209
		\$ 6,090,354

Retail - Food and Drug 2.0%

	Domino's, Inc.	
1,973,232	Term Loan, Maturing June 25, 2010	2,006,838
	General Nutrition Centers, Inc.	
2,985,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 5, 2009	3,019,328
	Giant Eagle, Inc.	
4,626,521	Term Loan, Maturing August 6, 2009	4,681,461
	Pathmark Stores, Inc.	
1,511,021	Term Loan, Maturing July 15, 2007	1,531,167
	The Jean Coutu Group (PJC), Inc.	

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	3,100,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	3,130,296
			\$ 14,369,090
Retail - Specialty	1.7%		
		FTD, Inc.	
	1,988,753	Term Loan, Maturing February 28, 2011	2,008,641
		Getty Petroleum Marketing, Inc.	
	4,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 19, 2010	4,574,534
		Oriental Trading Co.	
	2,348,459	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2010	2,381,730
		Savers, Inc.	
	875,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2009	880,469
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 4, 2010	1,512,188
		Travelcenters of America, Inc.	
	500,000	Term Loan, Maturing November 30, 2008	506,667
			\$ 11,864,229
Road & Rail	0.4%		
		NFIL Holdings Corp.	
	238,095	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2010	241,518
	729,762	Term Loan, Maturing February 27, 2010	739,568
		RailAmerica, Inc.	
	209,262	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2009	212,375
	1,426,233	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2009	1,447,448
			\$ 2,640,909
Semiconductor Equipment and Products	0.2%		
		Memec Group, Ltd.	
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 15, 2009	1,490,625
			\$ 1,490,625
Services	0.1%		
		Allied Security Holdings, LLC	
	880,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2010	888,800
			\$ 888,800
Telecommunications - Wireless	5.5%		
		American Tower, L.P.	
	1,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing August 31, 2011	1,522,734

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	Cellular South, Inc.	
500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 4, 2011	506,250
	Centennial Cellular Operating Co., LLC	
4,987,469	Term Loan, Maturing February 9, 2011	5,005,005
	Dobson Cellular Systems, Inc.	
5,972,462	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2010	5,970,223
	Nextel Finance Co.	
9,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing December 15, 2010	9,057,636
	Nextel Partners Operating Corp.	
6,500,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 31, 2011	6,591,813
	SBA Senior Finance, Inc.	
2,230,769	Term Loan, Maturing October 31, 2008	2,250,636
	Western Wireless Corp.	
8,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing May 28, 2011	8,121,432
		\$ 39,025,729

Telecommunications - Wireline 2.1%

	Consolidated Communications, Inc.	
2,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing April 14, 2012	2,027,500
	NTELOS, Inc.	
4,721,709	Term Loan, Maturing July 25, 2008	4,674,491
	Qwest Corp.	
8,000,000	Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2007	8,278,000
		\$ 14,979,991

Theaters 2.1%

	Cinemark, Inc.	
1,992,500	Term Loan, Maturing March 31, 2011	2,007,444
	Loews Cineplex Entertainment Corp.	
4,325,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 30, 2011	4,362,394
	Regal Cinemas Corp.	
8,704,773	Term Loan, Maturing November 10, 2010	8,813,582
		\$ 15,183,420

Transportation 0.4%

	Horizon Lines, LLC	
3,025,000	Term Loan, Maturing July 7, 2011	3,076,676

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		\$	3,076,676
Utility	3.3%		
	Allegheny Energy Supply Company, LLC		
	2,000,000 Term Loan, Maturing March 8, 2011		2,031,750
	1,995,000 Term Loan, Maturing March 8, 2011		2,029,705
	CenterPoint Energy, Inc.		
	7,486,413 Term Loan, Maturing October 7, 2006		7,522,909
	Coletto Creek WLE, L.P.		
	1,000,000 Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2011		1,015,625
	670,000 Term Loan, Maturing June 30, 2012		680,888
	Dynegy Holdings, Inc.		
	6,000,000 Term Loan, Maturing May 28, 2010		6,114,378
	NRG Energy, Inc.		
	1,483,040 Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2010		1,533,093
	2,664,419 Term Loan, Maturing June 23, 2010		2,755,009
		\$	23,683,357
Total Senior, Floating Rate Interests	(identified cost \$545,496,693)	\$	544,187,241

Corporate Bonds & Notes 10.5%

Principal Amount (000 s omitted)	Security	Value
Aerospace and Defense	0.2%	
	Argo Tech Corp., Sr. Notes	
500	9.25%, 6/1/11 (2)	530,000
	Sequa Corp.	
500	8.875%, 4/1/08	541,250
	Standard Aero Holdings, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
100	8.25%, 9/1/14 (2)	103,250
		\$ 1,174,500
Apparel	0.1%	
	J Crew Operating Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
110	10.375%, 10/15/07	112,750
	Levi Strauss & Co.	
530	7.00%, 11/1/06	524,700
		\$ 637,450

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Auto Components 0.2%			
		Collins and Aikman Prodcets Co., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	70	12.875%, 8/24/12 (2)	70,175
		Keystone Automotive Operations, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	500	9.75%, 11/1/13	541,250
		Metaldyne Corp., Sr. Notes	
	500	10.00%, 11/1/13	496,250
			\$ 1,107,675
Banks and Money Services 0.1%			
		Refco Finance Holdings LLC, Sr. Sub. Notes	
	770	9.00%, 8/1/12 (2)	800,800
			\$ 800,800
Broadcast Media 0.2%			
		CCO Holdings LLC / CCO Capital Corp., Senior Notes	
	1,000	8.75%, 11/15/13	990,000
		Insight Communications, Sr. Disc. Notes	
	20	12.25%, 2/15/11	18,050
		Rainbow National Services LLC, Sr. Notes	
	115	8.75%, 9/1/12 (2)	118,737
		Rainbow National Services LLC, Sr. Sub. Notes	
	255	10.375%, 9/1/14 (2)	265,200
			\$ 1,391,987
Cable Television 0.1%			
		Cablevision Systems Corp., Sr. Notes	
	70	8.00%, 4/15/12 (2)	72,100
		Kabel Deutschland GMBH	
	870	10.625%, 7/1/14 (2)	896,100
			\$ 968,200
Casinos and Gaming 0.3%			
		Inn of the Mountain Gods, Sr. Notes	
	1,000	12.00%, 11/15/10	1,135,000
		Majestic Star Casino LLC	
	500	9.50%, 10/15/10	513,750

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Waterford Gaming LLC, Sr. Notes		
423	8.625%, 9/15/12 (2)	452,610
		\$ 2,101,360
Chemicals	1.0%	
BCP Caylux Holdings, Sr. Sub. Notes		
815	9.625%, 6/15/14 (2)	879,182
Borden U.S. Finance/Nova Scotia Finance, Sr. Note		
1,115	9.00%, 7/15/14 (2)	1,154,025
Innophos, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
1,070	8.875%, 8/15/14 (2)	1,118,150
Lyondell Chemical Co.		
1,005	9.50%, 12/15/08	1,079,119
OM Group, Inc.		
1,010	9.25%, 12/15/11	1,045,350
Polyone Corp.		
750	10.625%, 5/15/10	819,375
Rhodia SA, Sr. Notes		
780	10.25%, 6/1/10	799,500
Rockwood Specialties Group, Sr. Sub. Notes		
450	10.625%, 5/15/11	492,750
		\$ 7,387,451
Coal	0.0%	
Alpha Natural Resources, Sr. Notes		
90	10.00%, 6/1/12 (2)	99,000
		\$ 99,000
Commercial Services	0.6%	
Advanstar Communications, Inc.		
1,000	10.75%, 8/15/10	1,107,500
Affinity Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes		
500	9.00%, 2/15/12	525,000
Amerco, Inc.		
1,000	9.00%, 3/15/09	1,045,000
Norcross Safety Products LLC/Norcross Capital Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes, Series B		
1,000	9.875%, 8/15/11	1,100,000

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		United Rentals North America, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
145		7.00%, 2/15/14	129,050
		Waste Services, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
635		9.50%, 4/15/14 (2)	565,150
			\$ 4,471,700
Communications Services 0.2%			
		US Oncology, Inc., Sr. Notes	
390		9.00%, 8/15/12 (2)	410,475
		US Oncology, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
700		10.75%, 8/15/14 (2)	740,250
			\$ 1,150,725
Computer Software & Services 0.2%			
		UGS Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
1,055		10.00%, 6/1/12 (2)	1,155,225
			\$ 1,155,225
Construction Materials 0.1%			
		Collins & Aikman Floor Cover	
400		9.75%, 2/15/10	412,000
		Ply Gem Industries, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
115		9.00%, 2/15/12 (2)	116,150
		THL Buildco (Nortek, Inc.), Sr. Sub. Notes	
210		8.50%, 9/1/14 (2)	219,975
			\$ 748,125
Consumer Products 0.2%			
		Amscan Holdings, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
1,030		8.75%, 5/1/14 (2)	1,031,287
		Fedders North America, Inc., Sr. Notes	
15		9.875%, 3/1/14	12,075
		Samsonite Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
500		8.875%, 6/1/11 (2)	517,500
			\$ 1,560,862
Containers and Packaging - Paper 0.2%			
		Intertape Polymer US, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	

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	950	8.50%, 8/1/14 (2)	959,500
		Solo Cup Co., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	120	8.50%, 2/15/14	117,000
			\$ 1,076,500
Containers and Packaging - Plastics	0.2%		
		Plastipak Holdings, Inc.	
	500	10.75%, 9/1/11	542,500
		Pliant Corp.	
	750	11.125%, 9/1/09	808,125
			\$ 1,350,625
Engineering	0.0%		
		Shaw Group, Inc., Sr. Notes	
	45	10.75%, 3/15/10	45,394
			\$ 45,394
Entertainment	0.2%		
		LCE Acquisition Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	790	9.00%, 8/1/14 (2)	805,800
		Marquee Holdings, Inc., Sr. Disc. Notes	
	385	0.00%, 8/15/14 (2)	227,631
		Marquee, Inc., Sr. Notes	
	215	8.625%, 8/15/12 (2)	225,750
			\$ 1,259,181
Financials	0.6%		
		Paxson Communications Corp.	
	4,500	4.35%, 1/15/10 (2)	4,500,000
			\$ 4,500,000
Food, Beverages and Tobacco	0.1%		
		WH Holdings Ltd. and WH Capital Corp., Sr. Notes	
	500	9.50%, 4/1/11	537,500
			\$ 537,500
Funeral Service	0.0%		
		Alderwoods Group, Inc., Sr. Notes	
	70	7.75%, 9/15/12 (2)	73,150
			\$ 73,150

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Health Care - Equipment & Supplies 0.1%		
	Inverness Medical Innovations, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
530	8.75%, 2/15/12 (2)	511,450
	Medical Device Manufacturing, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
230	10.00%, 7/15/12 (2)	243,800
		\$ 755,250
Health Care - Providers & Services 0.2%		
	Healthsouth Corp.	
50	7.625%, 6/1/12	48,125
	Healthsouth Corp., Sr. Notes	
1,050	8.375%, 10/1/11	1,034,250
	Tenet Healthcare Corp., Sr. Notes	
490	9.875%, 7/1/14 (2)	513,275
		\$ 1,595,650
Investment Services 0.1%		
	First CLO, Ltd., Sr. Sub. Notes	
1,000	Variable Rate, 3.96%, 7/27/16 (2)	1,000,000
		\$ 1,000,000
Machinery 0.1%		
	Blount Inc.	
45	8.875%, 8/1/12	47,250
	Thermadyne Holdings Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
750	9.25%, 2/1/14	738,750
		\$ 786,000
Manufacturing 0.5%		
	Amsted Industries, Inc., Sr. Notes	
1,000	10.25%, 10/15/11 (2)	1,085,000
	MAAX Corp., Sr. Sub. Notes	
750	9.75%, 6/15/12 (2)	795,000
	Mueller Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
600	10.00%, 5/1/12 (2)	649,500
	Oxford Industries, Inc., Sr. Notes	
1,000	8.875%, 6/1/11 (2)	1,075,000
		\$ 3,604,500

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Miscellaneous 2.8%			
		Dow Jones CDX HY	
	20,000	8.00%, 12/29/09 (2)	19,762,500
			\$ 19,762,500
Oil & Gas 0.1%			
		Belden & Blake Corp., Sr. Notes	
	45	8.75%, 7/15/12 (2)	47,137
		Transmontaigne, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	515	9.125%, 6/1/10	574,225
			\$ 621,362
Paper and Forest Products 0.2%			
		Caraustar Industries, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	855	9.875%, 4/1/11	908,438
		Newark Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	500	9.75%, 3/15/14 (2)	487,500
			\$ 1,395,938
Publishing and Printing 0.1%			
		Houghton Mifflin Co., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	500	9.875%, 2/1/13	524,375
			\$ 524,375
Retail - Food and Drug 0.1%			
		Jean Coutu Group, Inc., Sr. Sub. Notes	
	815	8.50%, 8/1/14 (2)	825,188
			\$ 825,188
Retail - Specialty 0.1%			
		Petro Stopping Centers LP/Petro Financial Corp., Sr. Notes	
	500	9.00%, 2/15/12	522,500
			\$ 522,500
Semiconductor Equipment and Products 0.0%			
		Amkor Technologies, Inc.	
	315	5.75%, 6/1/06	293,344
		Freescale Semiconductor, Sr. Notes	
	35	6.875%, 7/15/11 (2)	35,831
			\$ 329,175

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Services 0.0%		
	Allied Security Escrow, Sr. Sub. Notes	
45	11.375%, 7/15/11 (2)	47,700
		\$ 47,700
Telecommunications - Wireless 0.6%		
	Alamosa Delaware, Inc.	
15	0.00%, 7/31/09	15,000
35	11.00%, 7/31/10	38,500
1,045	8.50%, 1/31/12	1,045,000
	Centennial Cellular Operating Co./Centennial Communications Corp., Sr. Notes	
500	10.125%, 6/15/13	516,250
	Inmarsat Finance PLC	
145	7.625%, 6/30/12 (2)	142,825
	PanAmSat Corp.	
170	9.00%, 8/15/14 (2)	178,075
	Rural Cellular Corp.	
1,000	5.61%, 3/15/10 (2)	1,020,000
	UbiquiTel Operating Co., Sr. Notes	
1,075	9.875%, 3/1/11	1,107,250
	Western Wireless Corp., Sr. Notes	
30	9.25%, 7/15/13	30,975
		\$ 4,093,875
Telecommunications - Wireline 0.2%		
	Qwest Capital Funding, Inc.	
70	7.75%, 8/15/06	70,350
	Qwest Services Corp.	
1,000	13.00%, 12/15/07 (2)	1,137,500
170	14.00%, 12/15/14 (2)	202,725
		\$ 1,410,575
Transportation 0.3%		
	Horizon Lines, LLC	
1,150	9.00%, 11/1/12 (2)	1,213,250
	OMI Corp., Sr. Notes	
65	7.625%, 12/1/13	65,650
	Quality Distribution LLC/QD Capital Corp.	

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	750	9.00%, 11/15/10 (2)		698,438
			\$	1,977,338
Utility	0.2%			
		NRG Energy, Inc., Sr. Notes		
	1,250	8.00%, 12/15/13 (2)		1,318,750
			\$	1,318,750
Total Corporate Bonds & Notes				
(identified cost \$73,645,435)			\$	74,168,086

Commercial Paper 6.8%

Principal Amount (000 s omitted)		Security		Value
		CRC Funding, LLC		
14,000	1.50%, 9/1/04			14,000,000
		Kitty Hawk Funding Corp.		
10,000	1.52%, 9/22/04			9,991,133
		Receivables Capital Corp., LLC		
10,000	1.53%, 9/20/04			9,991,925
		Yorktown Capital, LLC		
14,000	1.52%, 9/2/04			13,999,409
			\$	47,982,467
Total Commercial Paper				
(identified cost \$47,982,467)			\$	47,982,467

Short-Term Investments 3.0%

Principal Amount	Maturity Date	Borrower	Rate	Amount
21,492,000	09/01/04	Investors Bank and Trust Time Deposit	1.58%	21,492,000
Total Short-Term Investments				
(at amortized cost)			\$	21,492,000
Total Investments 97.0%				
(identified cost \$688,616,595)			\$	687,829,794

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Other Assets, Less Liabilities	3.0%	\$	21,539,478
Net Assets	100.0%	\$	709,369,272

Note: The Trust has made commitments to fund specified amounts under certain existing credit arrangements. Pursuant to the terms of these arrangements, the Trust had unfunded loan commitments of \$2,152,221 as of August 31, 2004.

(1) Senior floating-rate interests often require prepayments from excess cash flows or permit the borrower to repay at its election. The degree to which borrowers repay, whether as a contractual requirement or at their election, cannot be predicted with accuracy. As a result, the actual remaining maturity may be substantially less than the stated maturities shown. However, it is anticipated that the senior floating-rate interests will have an expected average life of approximately two to three years.

(2) Security exempt from registration under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933. These securities may be sold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers. At August 31, 2004, the aggregate value of the securities is \$51,097,616 or 7.2% of the Trust's net assets.

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The Trust did not have any open financial instruments at August 31, 2004.

The cost and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in value of the investments owned at August 31, 2004, as computed on a federal income tax basis, were as follows:

Aggregate cost	\$	688,631,188
Gross unrealized appreciation	\$	1,563,365
Gross unrealized depreciation		(2,364,759)
Net unrealized depreciation	\$	(801,394)

Item 2. Controls and Procedures

(a) It is the conclusion of the registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer that the effectiveness of the registrant's current disclosure controls and procedures (such disclosure controls and procedures having been evaluated within 90 days of the date of this filing) provide reasonable assurance that the information required to be disclosed by the registrant on this Form N-Q has been recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time period specified in the Commission's rules and forms and that the information required to be disclosed by the registrant on this Form N-Q has been accumulated and communicated to the registrant's principal executive officer and principal financial officer in order to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

(b) There have been no changes in the registrant's internal controls over financial reporting during the fiscal quarter for which the report is being filed that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

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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.

Eaton Vance Floating Rate Income Trust

By: /s/ Payson F. Swaffield
Payson F. Swaffield
President and Principal Executive Officer

Date: October 22, 2004

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/ Payson F. Swaffield
Payson F. Swaffield
President and Principal Executive Officer

Date: October 22, 2004

By: /s/ Barbara E. Campbell
Barbara E. Campbell
Treasurer and Principal Financial Officer

Date: October 22, 2004
