NFJ DIVIDEND, INTEREST & PREMIUM STRATEGY FUND

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Investment Company Act File Number: 811-21417

Registrant Name: NFJ DIVIDEND, INTEREST & PREMIUM STRATEGY FUND

Address of Principal Executive Offices: 1345 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10105

Name and Address of Agent for Service: Lawrence G. Altadonna $\ \square$ 1345 Avenue of the Americas New York. New York 10105

Registrant ⊓s telephone number, including area code: 212-739-3371

Date of Fiscal Year End: 1/31/07

Date of Reporting Period: 4/30/06

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Item 1. Schedule of Investments

NFJ Dividend, Interest & Premium Strategy Fund Schedule of Investments $\mbox{\sc April}\ 30,\ 2006\ (\mbox{\sc unaudited})$

(000)		Value*
IMON STO	CK-69.0%	
	Agriculture-2.0%	
600	Altria Group, Inc. (a)	\$43,896,000
10	Reynolds American, Inc.	1,096,500
		44,992,500
	Apparel-0.8%	
300	VF Corp.	18,357,000
	Banking-6.2%	
719	Bank of America Corp. (a)	35,902,464
1,000	Keycorp (a)	38,220,000
950	Regions Financial Corp. (a)	34,684,500
750	Washington Mutual, Inc. (a)	33,795,000
		142,601,964
	Beverages-2.6%	
1,000	Anheuser-Busch Cos., Inc. (a)	44,580,000
380	Coca-Cola Co.	15,932,212
		60,512,212
	Building Materials-0.7%	
544	Masco Corp. (a)	17,359,980
	Chemicals-7.3%	
2,000	Dow Chemical Co. (a)	81,220,000
3,600	Lyondell Chemical Co. (a)	86,760,000
		167,980,000
	Commercial Services-2.1%	
1,243	Deluxe Corp. (a)	29,633,120
591	RR Donnelley & Sons Co. (a)	19,924,266
		49,557,386
	Computers-0.0%	
10	Seagate Technology, Inc.	265,600

	Electric-4.0%	
1,100	DTE Energy Co.	44,858,000
1,100	Progress Energy, Inc. (a)	47,080,000
1,100	rrogross Energy, mo. (a)	
		91,938,000
	Financial Services-2.1%	
241	Freddie Mac	14,684,930
400	JP Morgan Chase & Co. (a)	18,152,000
250	Morgan Stanley	16,075,000
		48,911,930
	Food-2.3%	
2,300	ConAgra Foods, Inc. (a)	52,164,000
	Hand/Machine Tools-1.0%	
430	Stanley Works	22,488,400
	Home Furnishings-0.0%	
10	Whirlpool Corp.	897,500
	Household Products-1.8%	
700	Kimberly-Clark Corp.	40,971,000
	Insurance-5.1%	
800	Allstate Corp. (a)	45,192,000
500	Lincoln National Corp. (a)	29,040,000
1,000	St. Paul Travelers Cos., Inc.	44,030,000
		118,262,000

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(000)		Value*
	Oil & Gas-15.3%	
400	Anadarko Petroleum Corp. (a)	\$41,928,
1,400	Chevron Corp. (a)	85,428,
1,100	ConocoPhillips	73,590,
1,914	KeySpan Corp. (a)	77,267,
500	Marathon Oil Corp.	39,680,
250	Occidental Petroleum Corp.	25,685,
10	PetroChina Co., Ltd. ADR	1,124,
10	Petroleo Brasileiro S.A. ADR	988,
200	Sempra Energy	9,204,
		354,894,
	Pharmaceuticals-8.2%	
400	GlaxoSmithKline PLC ADR	22,752,
2,400	Merck & Co., Inc. (a)	82,608,
3,300	Pfizer, Inc. (a)	83,589,
		188,949,
	Real Estate-0.0%	
10	Duke Realty CorpREIT	354,
	Retail-1.7%	
1,500	Limited Brands, Inc. (a)	38,460,
	Telecommunications-5.1%	
10	Alltel Corp.	643,
1,000	AT&T, Inc. (a)	26,210,
2,750	Verizon Communications, Inc. (a)	90,832,
		117,686,
	Toys, Games & Hobbies-0.7%	
1,059	Mattel, Inc.	17,129,
	Total Common Stock (cost-\$1,585,246,792)	1,594,732,

CONVERTIBLE BONDS & NOTES-13.5%

Principal

Amount Credit Rating

(000)		(Moody's/S&P)	
	Aerospace-0.2%		
\$ 3,500	GenCorp, Inc., 4.00%, 1/16/24	Caa2/B-	4,711,875
	Airlines-0.5%		
12,900	Continental Airlines, Inc., 4.50%, 2/1/07	Caa2/CCC+	12,658,125
	Commercial Services-1.3%		
5,000	Bowne & Co., Inc., 5.00%, 10/1/33	B2/B-	5,369,000
2,000	Quanta Services, Inc., 4.00%, 7/1/07	NR/NR	1,975,000
13,400	Quebecor World USA, Inc., 6.00%, 10/1/07	B2/B	13,249,250
7,500	Vertrue Corp. Ltd., 5.50%, 10/1/10	NR/B-	8,756,250
			29,349,500
	Computers-1.0%		
11,250	Electronic Data Systems Corp., 3.875%, 7/15/23	Ba1/BBB-	11,742,188
10,100	Maxtor Corp., 6.80%, 4/30/10	B2/NR	11,602,375
			23,344,563
	Electric-0.4%		
3,500	PG&E Corp., 9.50%, 6/30/10	NR/NR	10,220,000
	Electrical Components & Equipment-0.3%		
5,750	Artesyn Technologies, Inc., 5.50%, 8/15/10	NR/NR	7,863,125
	Financial Services-0.0%		
21	E*Trade Financial Corp., 6.00%, 2/1/07	NR/NR	21,181
	Household Products-0.3%		
4,900	American Greetings Corp., 7.00%, 7/15/06	Ba2/BB+	8,036,000
	Insurance-0.1%		
1,600	American Equity Investment Life Holding Co., 5.25%, 12/6/24	NR/BB+	1,936,000

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Principal Amount (000)		Credit Rating (Moody's/S&P)	Value*
	Media-0.6%		
\$13,000	EchoStar Communications Corp., 5.75%, 5/15/08, GDR	B2/B	\$12,886,250
	Metals & Mining-0.5%		
5,060	Freeport-McMoRan Copper & Gold, Inc., 7.00%, 2/11/11	NR/B+	10,954,90
	Miscellaneous Manufacturing-0.1%		
2,435	Tyco International Group S.A., 3.125%, 1/15/23	Baa3/BBB+	3,065,05
	Oil & Gas-0.7%		
9,675	Devon Energy Corp., 4.95%, 8/15/08	Baa2/BBB	11,634,18
800	Halliburton Co., 3.125%, 7/15/23	Baa1/BBB+	1,689,00
1,000	Hanover Compressor Co., 4.75%, 3/15/08	B3/B	976,250
500	Schlumberger Ltd., 1.50%, 6/1/23	A1/A+	961,87
			15,261,31
	Pharmaceuticals-1.4%		
6,000	Ligand Pharmaceuticals, Inc., 6.00%, 11/16/07	NR/NR	11,985,00
6,000	Omnicare, Inc., 3.25%, 12/15/35	B1/BB+	5,917,50
14,000	Sepracor, Inc., 5.00%, 2/15/07	NR/B-	13,965,00
			31,867,500
	Retail-0.6%		
12,800	Sonic Automotive, Inc., 5.25%, 5/7/09	B/B3	12,672,00
	Semi-conductors-1.0%		
11,850	Amkor Technology, Inc., 5.75%, 6/1/06, GDR	Caa3/CCC	11,909,25
11,500	Fairchild Semiconductor Corp., 5.00%, 11/1/08	NR/B	11,428,12
			23,337,37
	Telecommunications-3.4%		
11,000	American Tower Corp., 5.00%, 2/15/10	B/BB-1	10,958,75
10,500	CenturyTel, Inc., 4.75%, 8/1/32	Baa2/BBB	10,972,50
5,410	Ciena Corp., 3.75%, 2/1/08	B2/B	5,240,93
6,260	Harris Corp., 3.50%, 8/15/22, GDR	Baa2/BBB	13,020,80
14,100	Lucent Technologies, Inc., 8.00%, 8/1/31	B3/CCC+	14,276,25
14,000	Nextel Communications, Inc., 5.25%, 1/15/10	Baa2/A-	13,877,50
11,500	Nortel Networks Corp., 4.25%, 9/1/08, GDR	B3/B-	10,953,75
			79,300,48

11,450	GATX Corp., 7.50%, 2/1/07, GDR	Baa3/BBB	16,244,68
6,450	YRC Worldwide, Inc., 5.00%, 8/8/23	Ba1/BBB-	8,594,62
			24,839,31
	Total Convertible Bonds & Notes (cost-\$306,823,248)		312,324,56
Shares (000)	PREFERRED STOCK-10.4%		
	Automotive-0.2%		
171	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 1/15/32	B2/B-	4,770,90
171		B2/B-	4,770,90
171 210	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 1/15/32	B2/B- Baa1/BBB	
	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 1/15/32 Banking-0.5%		
	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 1/15/32 Banking-0.5% Washington Mutual Capital Trust, 5.375%, 5/3/41		4,770,90 11,774,70 6,407,13
210	Ford Motor Co. Capital Trust II, 6.50%, 1/15/32 Banking-0.5% Washington Mutual Capital Trust, 5.375%, 5/3/41 Chemicals-0.3%	Baa1/BBB	11,774,70

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Shares (000)		Credit Rating (Moody's/S&P)	Value*
	Electric-1.0%		
244	AES Trust III, 6.75%, 10/15/29	ВЗ/В	\$11,194,426
48	NRG Energy, Inc., 5.75%, 3/16/09	B3/CCC+	11,947,906
		_	23,142,332
	Financial Services-0.9%		
323	E*Trade Financial Corp., 6.125%, 11/18/08	B3/NR	10,416,750
430	Lehman Brothers Holdings, Inc., 6.25%, 10/15/07	A1/A+	11,184,300
		_	21,601,050
	Food-0.5%	_	
483	Albertson's, Inc., 7.25%, 5/16/07	Ba3/BBB-	11,937,510
	Insurance-2.2%	_	
300	Genworth Financial, Inc., 6.00%, 5/16/07	A2/A	10,881,000
405	Metlife, Inc., 6.375%, 8/15/08	NR/BBB+	11,339,694
165	Platinum Underwriters Holdings Ltd., 6.00%, 2/15/09	NR/BB+	4,620,000
450	PMI Group, Inc., 5.875%, 11/15/06	A1/A	11,868,750
495	XL Capital Ltd., 6.50%, 5/15/07	A3/A-	10,919,700
		_	49,629,144
	Iron/Steel-0.7%		
71	United States Steel Corp., 7.00%, 6/15/06, Ser. B	NR/B	15,439,500
	Office/Business Equipment-0.5%		
95	Xerox Corp., 6.25%, 7/1/06	B1/B+	10,973,862
	Oil & Gas-1.0%		
90	Hess Corp., 7.00%, 12/1/06	Ba3/BB	10,891,083
113	Chesapeake Energy Corp., 5.00%, 12/31/49	B2/B	12,893,884
			23,784,967
	Pharmaceuticals-0.5%	_	
235	Schering-Plough Corp., 6.00%, 9/14/07	Baa3/BBB	12,047,772
	Real Estate-0.5%	_	
465	FelCor Lodging Trust, Inc., 1.95%, 12/31/49, Ser. A	B2/CCC+	11,571,850
	Telecommunications-0.5%	_	
204	Crown Castle International Corp., 6.25%, 8/15/12	NR/NR	11,265,199

38	Waste Disposal-0.6% Allied Waste Industries, Inc., 6.25%, 3/1/08	Caa3/B	14,625,638
	Total Convertible Preferred Stock (cost-\$237,163,799)		240,670,309
HORT-TERM	INVESTMENTS-8.3%		
Principal			
Amount (000			
	Time Deposits-8.3%		
\$ 59,605	BNP Paribas□ Grand Cayman, 4.14%, 5/01/06		59,605,431
4,384	JP Morgan Chase & Co.□Grand Cayman, 4.14%, 5/01/06		4,383,853
110,406	Rabobank∏Grand Cayman, 4.14%, 5/01/06		110,406,010
17,754	Societe Generale, 4.14%, 5/01/06		17,753,587
	Total Time Deposits (cost-\$192,148,881)		192,148,881
	Total Investments before call options written		
	Total investments service can options written		

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Contracts		Value*
. OPTION	S WRITTEN (b)-(1.1)%	
	American Stock Exchange Morgan Stanley Cyclical Index,	
650	strike price \$820, expires 5/20/06	\$(2,125,500
150	strike price \$830, expires 5/20/06	(366,000
200	strike price \$842, expires 6/2/06	(348,200
350	strike price \$860, expires 6/17/06	(423,500
150	strike price \$870, expires 6/17/06	(120,000
	American Stock Exchange Oil Index,	
150	strike price \$1090, expires 5/5/06	(576,000
100	strike price \$1090, expires 5/20/06	(484,000
200	strike price \$1100, expires 5/5/06	(597,200
300	strike price \$1100, expires 5/20/06	(1,260,000
100	strike price \$1110, expires 5/20/06	(343,000
100	strike price \$1120, expires 5/20/06	(278,000
100	strike price \$1130, expires 5/20/06	(232,000
200	strike price \$1200, expires 6/17/06	(252,000
200	strike price \$1210, expires 6/17/06	(190,000
200	strike price \$1220, expires 6/17/06	(154,000
300	strike price \$1230, expires 6/17/06	(174,000
	American Stock Exchange Pharmaceutical Index,	
1,000	strike price \$339.50, expires 5/12/06	(29,630
500	strike price \$340, expires 5/20/06	(15,000
	Financial Basket Index,	
5,000	strike price \$100.85, expires 5/12/06	(1,445,000
	Pharmaceutical HOLDRS,	
5,000	strike price \$101, expires 6/23/06	(1,245,000
5,000	strike price \$101.25, expires 5/5/06	(165,000
	Philadelphia Stock Exchange KBW Bank Sector Index,	
4,000	strike price \$107.50, expires 5/20/06	(2,280,000
2,000	strike price \$107.50, expires 6/17/06	(1,240,000
2,000	strike price \$107.75, expires 5/5/06	(1,026,000
2,000	strike price \$108.75, expires 5/12/06	(850,000
3,500	strike price \$110, expires 5/20/06	(1,225,000
3,000	strike price \$110, expires 6/17/06	(1,230,000
1,500	strike price \$112.50, expires 6/17/06	(356,250
	Philadelphia Stock Exchange Utility Index,	
200	strike price \$420, expires 6/17/06	(174,000
1,100	strike price \$425, expires 6/17/06	(693,000
900	strike price \$430, expires 5/20/06	(153,000
180	strike price \$430, expires 6/17/06	(79,200
100	strike price \$435, expires 5/20/06	(8,000
300	strike price \$440, expires 5/20/06	(9,000
	Standard & Poors 500 Flex Index,	(0)-0-0
250	strike price \$1315, expires 5/12/06	(204,515

	Net Assets-100.0%	\$2,312,170,837
	Liabilities in excess of other assets-(0.1)%	(2,439,292)
	Total Investments net of call options written (cost-\$2,302,433,160) -100.1%	2,314,610,129
	Total Call Options Written (premiums received-\$18,949,560)	(25,266,491)
5,000	strike price \$101, expires 6/2/06	(155,000)
5,000	strike price \$100.80, expires 6/2/06	(155,000)
	Telecommunication Basket Index,	
300	strike price \$1425, expires 5/20/06	(220,500)
200	strike price \$1330, expires 6/17/06	(250,000)
550	strike price \$1325, expires 6/17/06	(877,250)
350	strike price \$1320, expires 6/17/06	(658,000)
600	strike price \$1320, expires 5/20/06	(582,000)
100	strike price \$1315, expires 6/17/06	(216,500)
500	strike price \$1315, expires 5/20/06	(620,000)
100	strike price \$1305, expires 5/20/06 strike price \$1310, expires 6/17/06	(188,000) (247,500)
200 100	strike price \$1300, expires 5/20/06	(447,000)
200	strike price \$1300, expires 5/5/06	(298,746)
	Standard & Poors 500 Index,	

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Notes to Schedule of Investments:

- Portfolio securities and other financial instruments for which market quotations are readily available are stated at market value. Portfolio securities and other financial instruments for which market quotations are not readily available or if a development/event occurs that may significantly impact the value of a security, may be fair-valued, in good faith, pursuant to guidelines established by the Board of Trustees. The Fund's investments are valued daily using prices supplied by an independent pricing service or dealer quotations, using the last sale price on the exchange that is the primary market for such securities, or the mean between the last quoted bid and ask price for those securities for which the over-the-counter market is the primary market or for listed securities in which there were no sales. Independent pricing services use information provided by market makers or estimates of market values obtained from yield data relating to investments or securities with similar characteristics. Exchange traded options are valued at the settlement price determined by the relevant exchange. Short-term investments maturing in 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost, if their original maturity was 60 days or less, or by amortizing their value on the 61st day prior to maturity, if the original term to maturity exceeded 60 days. The prices used by the Fund to value securities may differ from the value that would be realized if the securities were sold. The Fund's net asset value is determined daily as of the close of regular trading (normally, 4:00 p.m. Eastern time) on the New York Stock Exchange ([NYSE]) on each day the NYSE is open for business.
- (a) All or partial amount segregated as collateral for call options written.
- (b) Non-income producing.

Glossary:

ADR-American Depositary Receipt GDR-Global Depositary Receipt NR-Not Rated REIT-Real Estate Investment Trust

Item 2. Controls and Procedures

- a) The registrant's President and Chief 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 Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended are effective based on their evaluation of these controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this document.
- (b) There were no significant changes in the registrant's internal controls or in factors that could affect these controls subsequent to the date of their evaluation, including any corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies and material weaknesses.

Item 3. Exhibits

(a) Exhibit 99.CERT. ☐ Certification pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

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.

Registrant: NFJ Dividend, Interest & Premium Strategy Fund

By /s/ Brian S. Shlissel President & Chief Executive Officer

Date: June 20, 2006

By /s/ Lawrence G. Altadonna Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer

Date: June 20, 2006

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 dated indicated.

By /s/ Brian S. Shlissel President & Chief Executive Officer

Date: June 20, 2006

By /s/ Lawrence G. Altadonna Treasurer, Principal Financial & Accounting Officer

Date: June 20, 2006