

NUVEEN NEW YORK DIVIDEND ADVANTAGE MUNICIPAL INCOME FUND

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FORM N-Q

QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT  
COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-09473

Nuveen New York Dividend Advantage Municipal Income Fund  
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Nuveen Investments  
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Date of fiscal year end: 9/30

Date of reporting period: 12/31/12

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## Item 1. Schedule of Investments

Portfolio of Investments (Unaudited)  
 Nuveen New York Dividend Advantage  
 Municipal Income Fund (NKO)  
 December 31, 2012

Principal Amount (000)	Description (1)	Optional Call Provisions (2)	Ratings (3)	Value
	Consumer Staples – 2.2% (1.5% of Total Investments)			
\$ 1,210	New York Counties Tobacco Trust II, Tobacco Settlement Pass-Through Bonds, Series 2001, 5.250%, 6/01/25	3/13 at 100.00	A3	\$ 1,171,885
915	New York Counties Tobacco Trust III, Tobacco Settlement Pass-Through Bonds, Series 2003, 5.750%, 6/01/33	6/13 at 100.00	A1	910,599
695	Puerto Rico, The Children’s Trust Fund, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed Refunding Bonds, Series 2002, 5.375%, 5/15/33	3/13 at 100.00	BBB+	695,653
2,820	Total Consumer Staples Education and Civic Organizations – 27.4% (18.5% of Total Investments)			2,778,137
395	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Housing Revenue Bonds, Fashion Institute of Technology, Series 2007, 5.250%, 7/01/34 – FGIC Insured	No Opt. Call	BBB	459,188
4,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Insured Revenue Bonds, Mount Sinai School of Medicine, Series 1994A, 5.150%, 7/01/24 – NPMG Insured	No Opt. Call	A–	4,653,840
1,280	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Insured Revenue Bonds, New York Medical College, Series 1998, 5.000%, 7/01/21 – NPMG Insured	3/13 at 100.00	BBB	1,284,096
1,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Lease Revenue Bonds, State University Dormitory Facilities, Series 2003B, 5.250%, 7/01/32 (Mandatory put 7/01/13) – SYNCORA GTY Insured	7/13 at 100.00	Aa2	1,024,280
140		7/15 at 100.00	Aa2	150,672

	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Lease Revenue Bonds, State University Dormitory Facilities, Series 2004A, 5.000%, 7/01/29 – NPFPG Insured			
920	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Lease Revenue Bonds, State University Dormitory Facilities, Series 2006A, 5.000%, 7/01/31 – NPFPG Insured	7/16 at 100.00	Aa2	1,008,274
240	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Barnard College, Series 2007A, 5.000%, 7/01/37 – FGIC Insured	7/17 at 100.00	BBB	261,341
2,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Columbia University, Series 2011A, 5.000%, 10/01/41	4/21 at 100.00	AAA	2,335,680
580	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Convent of the Sacred Heart, Series 2011, 5.750%, 11/01/40 – AGM Insured	5/21 at 100.00	AA–	688,576
1,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Marymount Manhattan College, Series 2009, 5.250%, 7/01/29	7/19 at 100.00	Baa2	1,073,590
3,250	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, New York University, Series 1998A, 6.000%, 7/01/18 – NPFPG Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	4,077,905
330	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, New York University, Series 2007, 5.000%, 7/01/32 – AMBAC Insured	7/17 at 100.00	AA–	365,277
3,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Non State Supported Debt, Cornell University, Series 2010A, 5.000%, 7/01/40	7/20 at 100.00	Aa1	3,449,160
510	Madison County Industrial Development Agency, New York, Civic Facility Revenue Bonds, Colgate University, Tender Option Bond Trust 3127, 13.023%, 1/01/14 – AMBAC Insured (IF)	No Opt. Call	AA+	577,534
300	New York City Industrial Development Agency, New York, Payment in Lieu of Taxes Revenue Bonds, Queens Baseball Stadium Project, Series 2009, 6.125%, 1/01/29 – AGC Insured	1/19 at 100.00	AA–	352,677
	New York City Industrial Development Agency, New York, PILOT Revenue Bonds, Queens Baseball			

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	Stadium Project, Series 2006:			
1,000	5.000%, 1/01/36 – AMBAC Insured	1/17 at 100.00	Ba1	1,004,310
1,060	5.000%, 1/01/46 – AMBAC Insured	1/17 at 100.00	Ba1	1,060,763
	New York City Industrial Development Agency, New York, Revenue Bonds, Yankee Stadium Project			
885	PILOT, Series 2009A, 7.000%, 3/01/49 – AGC Insured	3/19 at 100.00	AA–	1,081,054
	New York City Industrial Development Authority, New York, PILOT Revenue Bonds, Yankee Stadium Project, Series 2006:			
395	5.000%, 3/01/31 – FGIC Insured	9/16 at 100.00	BBB	415,971
2,210	5.000%, 3/01/36 – NPFPG Insured	9/16 at 100.00	BBB	2,305,627
1,920	4.500%, 3/01/39 – FGIC Insured	9/16 at 100.00	BBB	1,949,914
	New York City Trust for Cultural Resources, New York, Revenue Bonds, American Museum of Natural History, Series 2004A, 5.000%, 7/01/36 – NPFPG Insured			
1,560	New York City Trust for Cultural Resources, New York, Revenue Bonds, Whitney Museum of American Art, Series 2011, 5.000%, 7/01/31	7/14 at 100.00	AA	1,641,884
	Tompkins County Development Corporation, New York, Revenue Bonds, Ithaca College, Series 2011, 5.250%, 7/01/36 – AGM Insured			
1,000	Troy Capital Resource Corporation, New York, Revenue Bonds, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Series 2010A, 5.125%, 9/01/40	1/21 at 100.00	A	1,133,330
	Total Education and Civic Organizations Financials – 1.5% (1.0% of Total Investments)			
1,000	Liberty Development Corporation, New York, Goldman Sachs Headquarter Revenue Bonds, Series 2005, 5.250%, 10/01/35	1/21 at 100.00	Aa3	1,139,520
	Health Care – 11.2% (7.6% of Total Investments)			
350	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Hospital Revenue Bonds, St. Barnabas Hospital, Series 2002A, 5.125%, 2/01/22 – AMBAC Insured	9/20 at 100.00	A–	388,560
30,325	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Hudson Valley Hospital Center, Series 2007, 5.000%, 8/15/27 – AGM Insured	No Opt. Call	A	33,883,023
1,590				1,857,422
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Hospital Revenue Bonds, St. Barnabas Hospital, Series 2002A, 5.125%, 2/01/22 – AMBAC Insured			
1,400	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Hudson Valley Hospital Center, Series 2007, 5.000%, 8/15/27 – AGM Insured	3/13 at 100.00	N/R	1,404,508
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Hudson Valley Hospital Center, Series 2007, 5.000%, 8/15/27 – AGM Insured			
760		8/17 at 100.00	AA–	859,590
425		2/15 at 100.00	BBB	449,586

	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Mortgage Revenue Bonds, Montefiore Hospital, Series 2004, 5.000%, 8/01/33 – FGIC Insured			
1,500	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, FHA-Insured Revenue Bonds, Montefiore Medical Center, Series 2005, 5.000%, 2/01/22 – FGIC Insured	2/15 at 100.00	BBB	1,612,755
3,000	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, North Shore Long Island Jewish Obligated Group Revenue Bonds, Series 2011A, 5.000%, 5/01/41	5/21 at 100.00	A–	3,333,000
1,540	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Health Quest System Inc., Series 2007B, 5.250%, 7/01/27 – AGC Insured	7/17 at 100.00	AA–	1,753,660
835	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, New York and Presbyterian Hospital, Series 2004A, 5.250%, 8/15/15 – AGM Insured	8/14 at 100.00	AA–	901,149
1,500	New York City Health and Hospitals Corporation, New York, Health System Revenue Bonds, Series 2003A: 5.250%, 2/15/21 – AMBAC Insured	2/13 at 100.00	Aa3	1,507,710
1,000	5.250%, 2/15/22 – AMBAC Insured	2/13 at 100.00	Aa3	1,005,820
850	Westchester County Health Care Corporation, New York, Senior Lien Revenue Bonds, Series 2010-C2, 6.125%, 11/01/37	11/20 at 100.00	A3	1,007,106
12,810	Total Health Care Housing/Multifamily – 0.9% (0.6% of Total Investments)			13,834,884
1,000	Canton Capital Resource Corporation, New York, Student Housing Facility Revenue Bonds, Grasse River LLC at SUNY Canton Project Series 2010A, 5.000%, 5/01/40 Long-Term Care – 2.4% (1.6% of Total Investments)	5/20 at 100.00	AA–	1,069,850
510	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, GNMA Collateralized Revenue Bonds, Cabrini of Westchester Project, Series 2006, 5.200%, 2/15/41	2/17 at 103.00	AA+	558,430
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, GNMA Collateralized Revenue Bonds,			

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	Willow Towers Inc., Series 2002:			
875	5.250%, 2/01/22	8/13 at 100.50	AA+	887,224
1,500	5.400%, 2/01/34	8/13 at 100.50	AA+	1,520,220
2,885	Total Long-Term Care Tax Obligation/General – 7.8% (5.3% of Total Investments)			2,965,874
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, Fiscal 2009 Series E,			
200	5.000%, 8/01/28	8/19 at 100.00	AA	237,990
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, Fiscal 2012 Series I,			
1,000	5.000%, 8/01/30	8/22 at 100.00	AA	1,187,930
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, Fiscal Series 2006C,			
525	5.000%, 8/01/16 – AGM Insured	8/15 at 100.00	AA	582,850
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, Subseries G-1 Fiscal Series			
3,800	2012, 5.000%, 4/01/26	4/22 at 100.00	AA	4,576,606
	New York City, New York, General Obligation Bonds, 2004E:			
1,700	5.000%, 11/01/19 – AGM Insured (UB)	11/14 at 100.00	AA	1,838,992
1,100	5.000%, 11/01/20 – AGM Insured (UB)	11/14 at 100.00	AA	1,189,936
8,325	Total Tax Obligation/General Tax Obligation/Limited – 65.3% (44.2% of Total Investments)			9,614,304
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, 853 Schools Program Insured Revenue Bonds,			
165		3/13 at 100.00	N/R	165,574
	Vanderheyden Hall Inc., Issue 2, Series 1998F, 5.250%, 7/01/18 – AMBAC Insured			
5	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, School Districts Financing Program, Series 2002D, 5.250%, 10/01/23 – NPFG Insured	3/13 at 100.00	A+	5,019
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal Income Tax Revenue Bonds, General Purpose Series 2011C, 5.000%, 3/15/41			
2,000		3/21 at 100.00	AAA	2,286,600
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal Income Tax Revenue Bonds, General Purpose Series 2012D, 5.000%, 2/15/31			
6,000		2/22 at 100.00	AAA	7,106,398
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal Income Tax Revenue Bonds, Series			
10		3/15 at 100.00	AAA	10,954

	2005F, 5.000%, 3/15/21 – AGM Insured			
	Erie County Industrial Development Agency, New York, School Facility Revenue Bonds, Buffalo City			
	School District, Series 2008A:			
590	5.750%, 5/01/27 – AGM Insured (UB)	5/18 at 100.00	AA–	701,870
190	5.750%, 5/01/28 – AGM Insured (UB)	5/18 at 100.00	AA–	224,865
	Erie County Industrial Development Agency, New York, School Facility Revenue Bonds, Buffalo			
2,485	City School District, Series 2007A, 5.750%, 5/01/28 – AGM Insured (UB)	5/17 at 100.00	AA–	2,877,605
	Hudson Yards Infrastructure Corporation, New York, Revenue Bonds, Senior Fiscal 2012 Series			
1,850	2011A, 5.000%, 2/15/47 – AGM Insured	2/21 at 100.00	AA–	2,060,142
	Hudson Yards Infrastructure Corporation, New York, Revenue Bonds, Series 2006A, 5.000%, 2/15/47 – FGIC Insured			
4,760	New York City Sales Tax Asset Receivable Corporation, New York, Dedicated Revenue Bonds, Local Government Assistance Corporation, Series 2004A:	2/17 at 100.00	A	5,035,794
		10/14 at		
3,400	5.000%, 10/15/25 – NPFPG Insured	100.00	AAA	3,660,066
		10/14 at		
1,040	5.000%, 10/15/26 – NPFPG Insured	100.00	AAA	1,113,476
		10/14 at		
300	5.000%, 10/15/29 – AMBAC Insured	100.00	AAA	320,586
		10/14 at		
3,950	5.000%, 10/15/32 – AMBAC Insured	100.00	AAA	4,217,415
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Building Aid Revenue Bonds, Fiscal			
2,500	Series 2007S-2, 5.000%, 1/15/28 – FGIC Insured	1/17 at 100.00	AA–	2,802,300
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured Bonds, Fiscal 2012			
4,235	Series E-1, 5.000%, 2/01/42	2/22 at 100.00	AAA	4,883,971
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured Bonds, Fiscal 2012			
2,000	Series F-1, 5.000%, 5/01/39	5/22 at 100.00	AAA	2,311,980
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured Bonds, Fiscal Series			
5	2002B, 5.250%, 5/01/16 – NPFPG Insured	3/13 at 100.00	AAA	5,021
3,000			AAA	3,421,590

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	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured Revenue Bonds, Subordinate Lien Series 2011C, 5.000%, 11/01/39	11/20 at 100.00		
1,000	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured Revenue Bonds, SubSeries 2011D-1, 5.250%, 2/01/30	2/21 at 100.00	AAA	1,202,150
5,130	New York City, New York, Educational Construction Fund, Revenue Bonds, Series 2011A: 5.750%, 4/01/33 – AGM Insured	4/21 at 100.00	AA+	6,214,533
1,000	5.750%, 4/01/41	4/21 at 100.00	AA–	1,193,560
	New York Convention Center Development Corporation, Hotel Fee Revenue Bonds, Tender Option Bonds Trust 3095:			
165	13.599%, 11/15/30 – AMBAC Insured (IF) (4)	11/15 at 100.00	AA+	197,622
140	13.585%, 11/15/44 – AMBAC Insured (IF) (4)	11/15 at 100.00	AA+	161,102
	New York State Thruway Authority, Highway and Bridge Trust Fund Bonds, Second General, Series 2005B:			
2,625	5.500%, 4/01/20 – AMBAC Insured	No Opt. Call 10/15 at	AA	3,342,675
500	5.000%, 4/01/21 – AMBAC Insured	100.00	AA	556,245
	New York State Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed and State Contingency Contract-Backed Bonds, Series 2003A-1:			
1,900	5.250%, 6/01/20 – AMBAC Insured	6/13 at 100.00	AA–	1,937,943
1,000	5.250%, 6/01/22 – AMBAC Insured	6/13 at 100.00	AA–	1,019,460
	New York State Tobacco Settlement Financing Corporation, Tobacco Settlement Asset-Backed and State Contingency Contract-Backed Bonds, Series 2003B-1C, 5.500%, 6/01/21			
750	New York State Urban Development Corporation, Revenue Refunding Bonds, State Facilities, Series 1995, 5.700%, 4/01/20 – AGM Insured (UB)	6/13 at 100.00	AA–	765,503
8,600	Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation, Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, First Subordinate Series 2010C, 5.125%, 8/01/42 – AGM Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	10,379,942
295		8/20 at 100.00	AA–	309,721

	Puerto Rico Sales Tax Financing Corporation, Sales Tax Revenue Bonds, Series 2007A:			
7,500	0.000%, 8/01/41 – NPMG Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	1,503,225
15,000	0.000%, 8/01/44 – NPMG Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	2,488,050
17,310	0.000%, 8/01/46 – NPMG Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	2,490,736
29,215	0.000%, 8/01/47 – AMBAC Insured	No Opt. Call	AA–	3,904,293
130,615	Total Tax Obligation/Limited Transportation – 8.0% (5.4% of Total Investments)			80,877,986
	Metropolitan Transportation Authority, New York, Transportation Revenue Bonds, Series 2003A, 5.000%, 11/15/25 – AGM Insured	11/13 at 100.00	AA–	2,069,480
2,000	Metropolitan Transportation Authority, New York, Transportation Revenue Bonds, Series 2005A, 4.750%, 11/15/27 – NPMG Insured	11/15 at 100.00	AA–	327,171
300	New York Liberty Development Corporation, Liberty Revenue Bonds, 4 World Trade Center Project, Series 2011, 5.000%, 11/15/44	11/21 at 100.00	A+	831,508
740	New York State Thruway Authority, General Revenue Bonds, Refunding Series 2007H, 5.000%, 1/01/25 – FGIC Insured	1/18 at 100.00	A+	361,935
315	New York State Thruway Authority, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2005F, 5.000%, 1/01/20 – AMBAC Insured	1/15 at 100.00	A+	935,593
865	New York State Thruway Authority, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2005G, 5.000%, 1/01/30 – AGM Insured (UB)	7/15 at 100.00	AA–	380,625
350	New York State Thruway Authority, General Revenue Bonds, Series 2012I, 5.000%, 1/01/42	1/22 at 100.00	A+	1,427,312
1,275	Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, Consolidated Revenue Bonds, One Hundred Fortieth Series 2005:			
500	5.000%, 12/01/19 – AGM Insured	6/15 at 101.00	AA–	557,040
1,000	5.000%, 12/01/28 – SYNCORA GTY Insured	6/15 at 101.00	AA–	1,089,770
345	5.000%, 12/01/31 – SYNCORA GTY Insured	6/15 at 101.00	AA–	373,735
	Port Authority of New York and New Jersey, Consolidated Revenue Bonds, One Hundred Forty Eighth Series 2008, Tender Option Bond	8/17 at 100.00	AA–	564,455
390	Trust 2920, 17.424%, 8/15/32 – AGM Insured (IF)			
780	Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority, New York, Subordinate Lien General Purpose	No Opt. Call	A+	995,865

	Revenue			
	Refunding Bonds, Series 2002E, 5.500%, 11/15/20 – NPFG Insured			
8,860	Total Transportation			9,914,489
	U.S. Guaranteed – 4.0% (2.7% of Total Investments) (5)			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Judicial Facilities Lease Revenue			
85	Bonds, Suffolk	No Opt. Call	Aaa	95,645
	County Issue, Series 1986, 7.375%, 7/01/16 (ETM)			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, Memorial			
1,725	Sloan-Kettering Cancer	7/13 at 100.00	AA (5)	1,765,520
	Center, Series 2003-1, 5.000%, 7/01/21 (Pre-refunded 7/01/13) – NPFG Insured			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, South Nassau			
600	Communities	7/13 at 100.00	Baa1 (5)	615,594
	Hospital, Series 2003B, 5.500%, 7/01/23 (Pre-refunded 7/01/13)			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, Revenue Bonds, The New York and			
690	Presbyterian	8/14 at 100.00	AA– (5)	740,977
	Hospital Project, Series 2007, 5.000%, 8/15/36 (Pre-refunded 8/15/14) – AGM Insured			
	Dormitory Authority of the State of New York, State Personal Income Tax Revenue			
150	Bonds, Series	3/15 at 100.00	AA– (5)	165,020
	2005F, 5.000%, 3/15/21 (Pre-refunded 3/15/15) – AGM Insured			
	Nassau County Interim Finance Authority, New York, Sales Tax Secured Revenue			
1,000	Bonds, Series	11/13 at 100.00	AAA	1,041,310
	2003A, 5.000%, 11/15/18 (Pre-refunded 11/15/13) – AMBAC Insured			
	New York City Transitional Finance Authority, New York, Future Tax Secured			
500	Bonds, Fiscal Series	2/14 at 100.00	AAA	525,470
	2004C, 5.000%, 2/01/19 (Pre-refunded 2/01/14) – SYNCORA GTY Insured			
4,750	Total U.S. Guaranteed			4,949,536
	Utilities – 12.5% (8.4% of Total Investments)			
	Guam Power Authority, Revenue Bonds, Series 2012A, 5.000%, 10/01/34	10/22 at 100.00	BBB	105,966
95	Long Island Power Authority, New York, Electric System General Revenue Bonds, Series 2006A:			
1,700	5.000%, 12/01/23 – FGIC Insured	6/16 at 100.00	A	1,888,054
1,300	5.000%, 12/01/25 – FGIC Insured	6/16 at 100.00	A	1,438,788

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1,500	5.000%, 12/01/26 – AGC Insured Long Island Power Authority, New York, Electric System General Revenue Bonds,	6/16 at 100.00	AA+	1,660,140
250	Series 2006B, 5.000%, 12/01/35 – CIFG Insured Long Island Power Authority, New York, Electric System Revenue Bonds, Series	6/16 at 100.00	A	272,577
4,000	2011A, 5.000%, 5/01/38 New York State Energy Research and Development Authority, Pollution Control	5/21 at 100.00	A	4,477,800
5,000	Revenue Refunding Bonds, Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation, Series 1998A, 5.150%, 11/01/25 – AMBAC Insured	3/13 at 100.00	A–	5,009,500
575	Niagara Area Development Corporation, New York, Solid Waste Disposal Facility Revenue Refunding Bonds, Covanta Energy Project, Series 2012B, 4.000%, 11/01/24	No Opt. Call	BB+	584,585
14,420	Total Utilities Water and Sewer – 4.7% (3.2% of Total Investments)			15,437,410
1,900	New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York, Water and Sewer System Revenue	12/21 at 100.00	AA+	2,160,490
1,140	Bonds, Second Generation Resolution, Fiscal 2012 Series BB, 5.000%, 6/15/44 New York City Municipal Water Finance Authority, New York, Water and Sewer System Revenue	6/16 at 100.00	AAA	1,262,732
2,295	Bonds, Series 2006B, 5.000%, 6/15/36 – NPF Insured (UB) Suffolk County Water Authority, New York, Waterworks Revenue Bonds, Series 2005C, 5.000%,	6/15 at 100.00	AAA	2,428,959
5,335	6/01/28 – NPF Insured Total Water and Sewer			5,852,181
\$ 223,735	Total Investments (cost \$171,677,349) – 147.9%			183,035,096
	Floating Rate Obligations – (9.4)%			(11,620,000)
	Variable Rate Demand Preferred Shares, at Liquidation Value – (40.4)% (6)			(50,000,000)
	Other Assets Less Liabilities – 1.9%			2,377,707
	Net Assets Applicable to Common Shares – 100%			\$ 123,792,803

## Fair Value Measurements

Fair value is defined as the price that the Fund would receive upon selling an investment or transferring a liability in an orderly transaction to an independent buyer in the principal or most advantageous market for the investment. A three-tier hierarchy is used to maximize the use of observable market data and minimize the use of unobservable inputs and to establish classification of fair value measurements for disclosure purposes. Observable inputs reflect the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Observable inputs are based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity. Unobservable inputs reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Unobservable inputs are based on the best information available in the circumstances. The following is a summary of the three-tiered hierarchy of valuation input levels.

Level 1 - Inputs are unadjusted and prices are determined using quoted prices in active markets for identical securities.

Level 2 - Prices are determined using other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.).

Level 3 - Prices are determined using significant unobservable inputs (including management's assumptions in determining the fair value of investments).

The inputs or methodologies used for valuing securities are not an indication of the risks associated with investing in those securities. The following is a summary of the Fund's fair value measurements as of the end of the reporting period:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Long-Term Investments:				
Municipal Bonds	\$ -	\$183,035,096	\$ -	\$183,035,096

The Nuveen funds' Board of Directors/Trustees is responsible for the valuation process and has delegated the oversight of the daily valuation process to the Adviser's Valuation Committee. The Valuation Committee, pursuant to the valuation policies and procedures adopted by the Board of Directors/Trustees, is responsible for making fair value determinations, evaluating the effectiveness of the funds' pricing policies, and reporting to the Board of Directors/Trustees. The Valuation Committee is aided in its efforts by the Adviser's dedicated Securities Valuation Team, which is responsible for administering the daily valuation process and applying fair value methodologies as approved by the Valuation Committee. When determining the reliability of independent pricing services for investments owned by the funds, the Valuation Committee, among other things, conducts due diligence reviews of the pricing services and monitors the quality of security prices received through various testing reports conducted by the Securities Valuation Team.

The Valuation Committee will consider pricing methodologies it deems relevant and appropriate when making fair value determinations. Examples of possible methodologies include, but are not limited to, multiple of earnings; discount from market of a similar freely traded security; discounted cash-flow analysis; book value or a multiple thereof; risk premium/yield analysis; yield to maturity; and/or fundamental investment analysis. The Valuation Committee will also consider factors it deems relevant and appropriate in light of the facts and circumstances. Examples of possible factors include, but are not limited to, the type of security; the issuer's financial statements; the purchase price of the security; the discount from market value of unrestricted securities of the same class at the time of

purchase; analysts' research and observations from financial institutions; information regarding any transactions or offers with respect to the security; the existence of merger proposals or tender offers affecting the security; the price and extent of public trading in similar securities of the issuer or comparable companies; and the existence of a shelf registration for restricted securities.

For each portfolio security that has been fair valued pursuant to the policies adopted by the Board of Directors/Trustees, the fair value price is compared against the last available and next available market quotations. The Valuation Committee reviews the results of such testing and fair valuation occurrences are reported to the Board of Directors/Trustees.

#### Income Tax Information

The following information is presented on an income tax basis. Differences between amounts for financial statement and federal income tax purposes are primarily due to timing differences in recognizing taxable market discount, timing differences in recognizing certain gains and losses on investment transactions and the treatment of investments in inverse floating rate securities reflected as financing transactions, if any. To the extent that differences arise that are permanent in nature, such amounts are reclassified within the capital accounts on the Statement of Assets and Liabilities presented in the annual report, based on their federal tax basis treatment; temporary differences do not require reclassification. Temporary and permanent differences do not impact the net asset value of the Fund.

As of December 31, 2012, the cost of investments was \$160,788,367.

Gross unrealized appreciation and gross unrealized depreciation of investments as of December 31, 2012, were as follows:

Gross unrealized:	
Appreciation	\$ 12,247,401
Depreciation	(1,603,449 )
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) of investments	\$ 10,643,952

- (1) All percentages shown in the Portfolio of Investments are based on net assets applicable to Common shares unless otherwise noted.
  - (2) Optional Call Provisions: Dates (month and year) and prices of the earliest optional call or redemption. There may be other call provisions at varying prices at later dates. Certain mortgage-backed securities may be subject to periodic principal paydowns.
  - (3) Ratings: Using the highest of Standard & Poor's Group ("Standard & Poor's"), Moody's Investors Service, Inc. ("Moody's") or Fitch, Inc. ("Fitch") rating. Ratings below BBB by Standard & Poor's, Baa by Moody's or BBB by Fitch are considered to be below investment grade. Holdings designated N/R are not rated by any of these national rating agencies.
  - (4) Investment, or portion of investment, has been pledged to collateralize the net payment obligations for investments in inverse floating rate transactions.
  - (5) Backed by an escrow or trust containing sufficient U.S. Government or U.S. Government agency securities, which ensure the timely payment of principal and interest. Certain bonds backed by U.S. Government or agency securities are regarded as having an implied rating equal to the rating of such securities.
  - (6) Variable Rate Demand Preferred Shares, at Liquidation Value as a percentage of Total Investments is 27.3%.
- N/R Not rated.
- (ETM) Escrowed to maturity.
- (IF) Inverse floating rate investment.
- (UB) Underlying bond of an inverse floating rate trust reflected as a financing transaction.



Item 2. Controls and Procedures.

- a. The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officers, or persons performing similar functions, have concluded that the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 30a-3(c) under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act") (17 CFR 270.30a-3(c))) are effective, as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report that includes the disclosure required by this paragraph, based on their evaluation of the controls and procedures required by Rule 30a-3(b) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(b)) and Rule 13a-15(b) or 15d-15(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR 240.13a-15(b) or 240.15d-15(b)).
  
- b. There were no changes in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Rule 30a-3(d) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-3(d))) that occurred during the registrant's last fiscal quarter that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Item 3. Exhibits.

File as exhibits as part of this Form a separate certification for each principal executive officer and principal financial officer of the registrant as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act (17 CFR 270.30a-2(a)), exactly as set forth below: See EX-99 CERT attached hereto.

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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.

(Registrant) Nuveen New York Dividend Advantage Municipal Income Fund

By (Signature and Title) /s/ Kevin J. McCarthy  
Kevin J. McCarthy  
Vice President and Secretary

Date: March 1, 2013

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 (Signature and Title) /s/ Gifford R. Zimmerman  
Gifford R. Zimmerman  
Chief Administrative Officer (principal executive officer)

Date: March 1, 2013

By (Signature and Title) /s/ Stephen D. Foy  
Stephen D. Foy  
Vice President and Controller (principal financial officer)

Date: March 1, 2013