BLACKROCK CALIFORNIA MUNICIPAL INCOME TRUST

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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 811-10331

Name of Fund: BlackRock California Municipal Income Trust (BFZ)

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Date of fiscal year end: 07/31/2010

Date of reporting period: 10/31/2009

Item 1 Schedule of Investments

BlackRock California Municipal Income Trust (BFZ)

Schedule of Investments October 31, 2009 (Unaudited)

	Municipal Bonds	Par (000)			Value
California - 104.3%					
Corporate - 3.4%	California Pollution Control Financing Authority, RB, Waste Management Inc. Project, Series C, AMT, 6.75%, 12/01/27	\$ 2,	475	\$	2,546,527
	City of Chula Vista California, RB, San Diego Gas, Series A, 5.88%, 2/15/34		580	ų.	733,441
	Los Angeles Regional Airports Improvement Corp., California, RB, Series C, AMT, 7.50%, 12/01/24		110		3,914,117
				_	7,194,085
County/City/Special					
District/School District - 32.5%	Butte-Glenn Community College District, GO, Election of 2002, Series C, 5.50%, 8/01/30	4,	125		4,742,007
	California State Department of Water Resources, Refunding RB, Water System, Series AF, 5.00%, 12/01/29	2,	500		2,636,150
	City & County of San Francisco, California, COP, Multiple Capital Improvement Projects, Series A, 5.00%, 4/01/29	2,0	000		2,001,400
	Elk Grove Unified School District, California, Special Tax, CAB, Community Facilities No. 1 (AMBAC), 5.60%, 12/01/29 (a) Elle Grove Unified School District, California, Special Tay, CAB	7,	185		2,265,186
	Elk Grove Unified School District, California, Special Tax, CAB, Community Facilities No. 1 (AMBAC), 5.60%, 12/01/30 (a) Elk Grove Unified School District, California, Special Tax, CAB,	7,	485		2,112,566
	Community Facilities No. 1 (AMBAC), 5.60%, 12/01/31 (a) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B	7,	185		1,972,597
	(Syncora), 5.59%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B	9	985		291,865
	(Syncora), 5.60%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B	1,0	030		288,328
	(Syncora), 5.61%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B		080		285,541
	(Syncora), 5.62%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B		125		280,890
	(Syncora), 5.63%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B		175		276,983
	(Syncora), 5.64%, 8/01/18 (a)(b) Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B (Syncora), 5.65%, 8/01/18 (a)(b)		230285		273,700 269,863
	Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B (Syncora), 5.66%, 8/01/18 (a)(b)		340		265,548
	Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B (Syncora), 5.67%, 8/01/18 (a)(b)		400		261,730
Portfolio Abbreviatio	nns				

To simplify the listings of portfolio holdings in the Schedule of Investments, the names and descriptions of many of the securities have been abbreviated according to the following list.

AGC Assured Guaranty Corp.

AMBAC American Municipal Bond Assurance Corp.
AMT Alternative Minimum Tax (subject to)

CAB Capital Appreciation Bonds
COP Certificates of Participation
FGIC Financial Guaranty Insurance Co.
FSA Financial Security Assurance Inc.
GO General Obligation Bonds

MBIA Municipal Bond Investors Assurance (National Public Finance Guaranty Corp.)

RB Revenue Bonds

TAN Tax Anticipation Notes

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	Live Oak Unified School District, GO, CAB, Election of 2004, Series B		
	(Syncora), 5.68%, 8/01/18 (a)(b)	\$ 1,465	\$ 258,338
	Long Beach Unified School District, California, GO, Election of 2008,		
	Series A, 5.75%, 8/01/33	2,135	2,338,337
	Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority,		
	Refunding RB, Proposition C, 2nd Senior Series E, 5.00%, 7/01/27	2,775	2,902,595
	Los Angeles Municipal Improvement Corp., RB, Real Property,		
	Series B (AGC), 5.50%, 4/01/30	2,570	2,708,909
	Modesto Irrigation District, COP, Series B, 5.50%, 7/01/35	3,300	3,476,385
	Oak Grove School District, California, GO, Election of 2008,		
	Series A, 5.50%, 8/01/33	4,000	4,250,960
	Orange County Water District, COP, Refunding, 5.25%, 8/15/34	2,000	2,090,180
	Peralta Community College District, California, GO, 2006 Election,		
	Series C, 5.00%, 8/01/39	7,500	7,574,400
	Pittsburg Redevelopment Agency, TAN, Refunding, Subordinate, Los		
	Medanos Community Project, Series A, 6.50%, 9/01/28	2,500	2,700,100
	San Diego Community College District, California, GO, Election of		
	2002, 5.25%, 8/01/33	1,000	1,049,740
	San Diego Regional Building Authority, California, RB, County		
	Operations Center & Annex, Series A, 5.38%, 2/01/36	2,900	2,988,189
	San Jose Unified School District, Santa Clara County California, GO,		
	Election of 2002, Series D, 5.00%, 8/01/32	2,875	2,961,078
	Santa Ana Unified School District, GO, Election of 2008, Series A,		
	5.13%, 8/01/33	8,000	7,907,280
	Santa Cruz County Redevelopment Agency, California, TAN, Live		
	Oak, Soquel Community Improvement, Series A, 7.00%, 9/01/36	1,200	1,273,404
	Torrance Unified School District, California, GO, Election of 2008,		
	Measure Z, 6.00%, 8/01/33	2,500	2,797,400
	Westminster Redevelopment Agency, California, TAN, Subordinate,		
	Commercial Redevelopment Project No. 1 (AGC), 6.25%, 11/01/39	2,350	2,679,752
			68,181,401
Education - 3.1%	California Infrastructure & Economic Development Bank, RB, J David		
	Gladstone Institute Project, 5.25%, 10/01/34	6,000	5,627,640
	University of California, RB, Series L, 5.00%, 5/15/38	795	807,959
		7,70	
			6,435,599
Health - 13.9%	ABAG Finance Authority for Nonprofit Corp., RB, California Sharp		
	Healthcare, 6.38%, 8/01/34	1,000	1,049,250
	ABAG Finance Authority for Nonprofit Corp., RB, California Sharp	2,000	-,,0
	Healthcare, 6.25%, 8/01/39	3,000	3,224,040
	California Health Facilities Financing Authority, RB, Catholic	2,000	-,,0.0
	Healthcare West, Series A, 6.00%, 7/01/34	3,000	3,152,400
	California Health Facilities Financing Authority, RB, Catholic	5,000	3,132,100
	Healthcare West, Series E, 5.63%, 7/01/25 (c)	3,000	3,095,460
		2,000	2,000,100

California Infrastructure & Economic Development Bank, RB, Kaiser Hospital Assistance I, LLC, Series A, 5.55%, 8/01/31	13,500	13,566,690
California Statewide Communities Development Authority, RB, Catholic Healthcare West, Series B, 5.50%, 7/01/30	3,000	3,050,400

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	California Statewide Communities Development Authority, RB, Catholic Healthcare West, Series E, 5.50%, 7/01/31	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,019,760
			29,158,000
Housing - 0.5%	California Housing Finance Agency, RB, Series J, AMT, 5.75%, 8/01/47	1,005	974,659
State - 9.7%	California State Public Works Board, RB, Department Development Services, Porterville, Series C, 6.00%, 4/01/26	1,165	1,201,266
	California State Public Works Board, RB, Department Development Services, Porterville, Series C, 6.00%, 4/01/27 California State Public Works Board, RB, Department Education,	1,355	1,390,189
	Riverside Campus Project, Series B, 6.00%, 4/01/27 California State Public Works Board, RB, Department Education,	1,675	1,718,500
	Riverside Campus Project, Series B, 6.50%, 4/01/34 State of California, GO, Various Purpose, 6.50%, 4/01/33	5,000 9,700	5,455,650 10,720,537
			20,486,142
Transportation - 12.1%	County of Orange California, RB, Series B, 5.75%, 7/01/34 County of Sacramento California, RB, Senior, Series B, 5.75%,	3,000	3,227,640
	7/01/39 Foothill Eastern Transportation Corridor Agency, California,	1,350	1,445,418
	Refunding RB, 5.75%, 1/15/40 Foothill Eastern Transportation Corridor Agency, California, Refunding RB, CAB, 5.88%, 7/15/26 (d)	7,000 5,000	6,387,360
	Foothill Eastern Transportation Corridor Agency, California, Refunding RB, CAB, 6.18%, 1/15/35 (a)	10,000	4,950,550 1,760,800
	Port of Oakland, RB, Series K, AMT (MBIA), 5.75%, 11/01/29 Port of Oakland, RB, Series L, AMT (MBIA), 5.38%, 11/01/27	3,970 3,710	3,973,692 3,640,808
			25,386,268
Utilities - 29.1%	California Infrastructure & Economic Development Bank, RB,		
	California Independent System Operator, Series A, 6.25%, 2/01/39 Calleguas-Las Virgenes Public Financing Authority, California, RB, Calleguas Municipal Water District Project, Series A (MBIA), 5.13%,	2,500	2,654,300
	7/01/32 City of Chula Vista California, Refunding RB, San Diego Gas,	5,475	5,631,804
	Series E, 5.88%, 1/01/34 City of Richmond California, RB, CAB (FGIC), 5.77%, 8/01/31 (a)(e) Los Angeles Department of Water & Power PR, Power System	4,375 1,905	4,718,831 687,591
	Los Angeles Department of Water & Power, RB, Power System, Sub-Series A-1, 5.25%, 7/01/38 Los Angeles Department of Water & Power, RB, Power System,	3,500	3,681,370
	Sub-Series A-1 (AMBAC), 5.00%, 7/01/37	10,000	10,171,300

	os Angeles Department of Water & Power, RB, System, Series A,	4 400	
5.3	38%, 7/01/34	1,400	1,480,332
Los	os Angeles Department of Water & Power, RB, System, Series A,		
5.3	38%, 7/01/38	1,800	1,903,284
Me	etropolitan Water District of Southern California, Refunding RB,		
Ser	ries C, 5.00%, 7/01/35	3,500	3,641,330
Ora	range County Sanitation District, COP, Series B (FSA), 5.00%,		
2/0	01/37	10,000	10,188,000
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	San Diego County Water Authority, COP, Series 2008 A, COP (FSA), 5.00%, 5/01/33	\$ 10,040	\$ 10,060,682
	San Diego Public Facilities Financing Authority, RB, Senior, Series A, 5.25%, 5/15/34	4,000	4,065,960
	San Diego Public Facilities Financing Authority, RB, Senior, Series A, 5.25%, 5/15/39	2,250	2,286,405
		_,	61,171,189
	Total Municipal Bonds in California		218,987,343
Multi-State - 6.1%			
Housing - 6.1%	Charter Mac Equity Issuer Trust, 6.80%, 11/30/50 (f)(g)	4,000	4,124,120
	MuniMae TE Bond Subsidiary LLC, 6.30%, 6/30/49 (f)(g) MuniMae TE Bond Subsidiary LLC, 6.80%, 6/30/50 (f)(g)	7,000 3,000	6,492,360 2,099,940
	Total Municipal Bonds in Multi-State		12,716,420
	Total Municipal Bonds - 110.4%		231,703,763
	Municipal Bonds Transferred to Tender Option Bond Trusts (h)		
California - 45.1%			
Corporate - 14.6%	Mount San Antonio Community College District, California, GO, Election 2001, Series C (FSA), 5.00%, 9/01/31	10,770	11,051,312
	San Diego Community College District, California, GO, Election of 2006 (FSA), 5.00%, 8/01/32	9,000	9,225,990
	Santa Clara County Financing Authority, Refunding RB, Lease, Series L, 5.25%, 5/15/36	10,000	10,462,029
			30,739,331
County/City/Special			
District/School District - 15.1%	Los Angeles Community College District, California, GO, 2008 Election, Series A, 6.00%, 8/01/33	9,596	10,842,974
	Los Angeles Unified School District, California, GO, Series I, 5.00%, 1/01/34	5,000	5,057,000
	San Diego Community College District, California, GO, Election of 2002, 5.25%, 8/01/33	4,487	4,710,605
	San Diego Community College District, California, GO, Election of 2002 (FSA), 5.00%, 5/01/25	10,615	11,059,664

			31,670,243
Education - 11.4%	California Educational Facilities Authority, RB, Stanford University,		
	Series Q, 5.25%, 12/01/32	10,000	10,374,787
	California Educational Facilities Authority, RB, University of Southern California, Series A, 5.25%, 10/01/39	6,900	7,271,289
	University of California, RB, Series O, 5.75%, 5/15/34	5,595	6,187,454
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			23,833,530
Utilities - 4.0%	Eastern Municipal Water District, California, Water and Sewer, COP,		
	Series H, 5.00%, 7/01/33	8,356	8,467,300
	Total Municipal Bonds Transferred to		
	Tender Option Bond Trusts - 45.1%		94,710,404
	Total Long-Term Investments		
	(Cost - \$321,126,164) - 155.5%		326,414,167
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