MORGAN STANLEY INDIA INVESTMENT FUND, INC. Form N-Q May 25, 2016

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 811-08238

Morgan Stanley India Investment Fund, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

522 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York (Address of principal executive offices)

10036 (Zip code)

John H. Gernon

522 Fifth Avenue, New York, New York 10036 (Name and address of agent for service)

Registrant s telephone number, including area code: 212-296-0289

Date of fiscal year December 31,

end:

Date of reporting period: March 31, 2016

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The Fund s schedule of investments as of the close of the reporting period prepared pursuant to Rule 12-12 of Regulation S-X is as follows:

Morgan Stanley India Investment Fund, Inc.

Portfolio of Investments

First Quarter Report

March 31, 2016 (unaudited)

Common Stocks (97.5%) Auto Components (4.1%) Bosch Ltd. 15,137 \$ Motherson Sumi Systems Ltd. 3,203,391 Automobiles (1.7%) Maruti Suzuki India Ltd. 130,569 Banks (19.3%) Axis Bank Ltd. 2,329,129	4,751 12,889 17,640 7,327 15,621 17,156 28,311 3,836 11,683 5,878 82,485
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HDFC Bank Ltd. 905,499	3,836 11,683 5,878
IndusInd Bank Ltd. 1,937,576	11,683 5,878
Jammu & Kashmir Bank Ltd. (The) 4,199,166	5,878
State Bank of India 3,982,966	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Yes Bank Ltd. 450,000	07 105
	62,483
Capital Markets (1.3%)	
Motilal Oswal Financial Services Ltd. 1,362,724	5,623
Construction & Engineering (4.8%)	
Ashoka Buildcon Ltd. 2,638,621	6,809
Larsen & Toubro Ltd. 745,861	13,704
	20,513
Construction Materials (6.3%)	
Prism Cement Ltd. (a) 3,462,649	4,209
Ramco Cements Ltd. (The) 1,100,579	6,646
Shree Cement Ltd. 86,140	16,156
	27,011
Consumer Finance (8.1%)	
Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Co., Ltd. 489,064	5,326
Shriram Transport Finance Co., Ltd. 1,394,117	20,066
SKS Microfinance Ltd. (a) 1,106,583	9,121
	34,513
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components (2.5%)	
Redington India Ltd. 6,139,235	10,629
Gas Utilities (1.9%)	
Gujarat State Petronet Ltd. 3,726,154	7,973
Information Technology Services (14.9%)	
Cognizant Technology Solutions Corp., Class A (a) 304,186	19,072
HCL Technologies Ltd. 1,013,116	12,455
Infosys Ltd. 1,746,083	32,123
	63,650
Machinery (11.6%)	
Ashok Leyland Ltd. 10,076,789	16,525

Cummins India Ltd. 355,460 4,519

Eicher Motors Ltd.	98,132	28,423
		49,467
Media (0.3%)		
Zee Entertainment Enterprises Ltd.	224,793	1,313
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels (4.7%)	4.400 = 4.6	4 < 2=0
Bharat Petroleum Corp., Ltd.	1,198,746	16,370
Reliance Industries Ltd.	237,790	3,753
		20,123
Personal Products (1.4%)		
Marico Ltd.	1,621,466	5,982
Pharmaceuticals (6.5%)		
Glenmark Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	818,931	9,832
Lupin Ltd.	521,230	11,643
Natco Pharma Ltd.	1,000,190	6,233
Ivaco i nama Etc.	1,000,190	27,708
Tobacco (2.0%)		21,100
ITC Ltd.	1,725,902	8,555
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Transportation Infrastructure (5.4%)	2 402 122	1.4.775
Gateway Distriparks Ltd.	3,493,132	14,775
Gujarat Pipavav Port Ltd. (a)	3,062,788	8,163
W-4 11414- (0.76)		22,938
Water Utilities (0.7%)	411.972	2 224
VA Tech Wabag Ltd.	411,872	3,224
Total Common Stocks (Cost \$294,236)		416,674
Short-Term Investment (0.5%)		
Investment Company (0.5%)		
Morgan Stanley Institutional Liquidity Funds - Money Market Portfolio - Institutional		
Class (b) (Cost \$1,933)	1,933,260	1,933
Total Investments (98.0%) (Cost \$296,169) (c)	, ,	418,607
Other Assets in Excess of Liabilities (2.0%)		8,379
Net Assets (100.0%)	\$	426,986
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⁽a) Non-income producing security.

⁽b) The Fund invests in the Institutional Class of the Morgan Stanley Institutional Liquidity Funds - Money Market Portfolio - (the Liquidity Funds), an open-end management investment company managed by the Adviser. Advisory fees paid by the Fund are reduced by an amount equal to its pro-rata share of the advisory and administration fees paid by the Fund due to its investment in the Liquidity Funds. For the three months ended March 31, 2016, advisory fees paid were reduced by approximately \$1,000 relating to the Fund s investment in the Liquidity Funds.

⁽c) At March 31, 2016, the aggregate cost for Federal income tax purposes approximates the aggregate cost for book purposes. The aggregate gross unrealized appreciation is approximately \$142,503,000 and the aggregate gross unrealized depreciation is approximately \$20,065,000 resulting in net unrealized appreciation of approximately \$122,438,000.

Portfolio Composition

Classification	Percentage of Total Investments
Other*	26.5%
Banks	19.7
Information Technology Services	15.2
Machinery	11.8
Consumer Finance	8.2
Pharmaceuticals	6.6
Construction Materials	6.5
Transportation Infrastructure	5.5
Total Investments	100.0%

 $^{^{\}ast}$ $\,$ $\,$ Industries and/or investment types representing less than 5% of total investments.

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Notes to the Portfolio of Investments • March 31, 2016 (unaudited)

Security Valuation: (1) An equity portfolio security listed or traded on an exchange is valued at its latest reported sales price (or at the exchange official closing price if such exchange reports an official closing price), if there were no sales on a given day, the security is valued at the mean between the last reported bid and asked prices; (2) all other equity portfolio securities for which over-the-counter (OTC) market quotations are readily available are valued at its latest reported sales price. In cases where a security is traded on more than one exchange, the security is valued on the exchange designated as the primary market; (3) when market quotations are not readily available, including circumstances under which Morgan Stanley Investment Management Inc. (the Adviser) or Morgan Stanley Investment Management Company (MSIM Company) (the Sub-Adviser) determines that the closing price, last sale price or the mean between the last reported bid and asked prices are not reflective of a security s market value, portfolio securities are valued at their fair value as determined in good faith under procedures established by and under the general supervision of the Fund s Board of Directors (the Directors). Occasionally, developments affecting the closing prices of securities and other assets may occur between the times at which valuations of such securities are determined (that is, close of the foreign market on which the securities trade) and the close of business of the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE). If developments occur during such periods that are expected to materially affect the value of such securities, such valuations may be adjusted to reflect the estimated fair value of such securities as of the close of the NYSE, as determined in good faith by the Directors or by the Adviser using a pricing service and/or procedures approved by the Directors; (4) quotations of foreign portfolio securities, other assets and liabilities and forward contracts stated in foreign currency are translated into United States dollar equivalents at the prevailing market rates prior to the close of the NYSE; (5) investments in mutual funds, including the Morgan Stanley Institutional Liquidity Funds, are valued at the net asset value as of the close of each business day; and (6) short-term debt securities with remaining maturities of 60 days or less at the time of purchase may be valued at amortized cost, unless the Adviser determines such valuation does not reflect the securities market value, in which case these securities will be valued at their fair market value determined by the Adviser.

The Directors have responsibility for determining in good faith the fair value of the investments, and the Directors may appoint others, such as the Fund s Adviser or a valuation committee, to assist the Directors in determining fair value and to make the actual calculations pursuant to the fair valuation methodologies previously approved by the Directors. Under procedures approved by the Directors, the Fund s Adviser has formed a Valuation Committee whose members are approved by the Directors. The Valuation Committee provides administration and oversight of the Fund s valuation policies and procedures, which are reviewed at least annually by the Directors. These procedures allow the Fund to utilize independent pricing services, quotations from securities and financial instrument dealers, and other market sources to determine fair value.

The Fund has procedures to determine the fair value of securities and other financial instruments for which market prices are not readily available. Under these procedures, the Valuation Committee convenes on a regular and ad hoc basis to review such securities and considers a number of factors, including valuation methodologies and significant unobservable valuation inputs, when arriving at fair value. The Valuation Committee may employ a market-based approach which may use related or comparable assets or liabilities, recent transactions, market multiples, book values, and other relevant information for the investment to determine the fair value of the investment. An income-based

valuation approach may also be used in which the anticipated future cash flows of the investment are discounted to calculate fair value. Discounts may also be applied due to the nature or duration of any restrictions on the disposition of the investments. Due to the inherent uncertainty of valuations of such investments, the fair values may differ significantly from the values that would have been used had an active market existed. The Valuation Committee employs various methods for calibrating these valuation approaches including a regular review of valuation methodologies, key inputs and assumptions, transactional back-testing or disposition analysis, and reviews of any related market activity.

Fair Value Measurement: Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) Accounting Standards CodificationTM (ASC) 820, Fair Value Measurement (ASC 820), defines fair value as the value that the Fund would receive to sell an investment or pay to transfer a liability in a timely transaction with an independent buyer in the principal market, or in the absence of a principal market the most advantageous market for the investment or liability. ASC 820 establishes a three-tier hierarchy to distinguish between (1) inputs that reflect the assumptions market participants would use in valuing an asset or liability developed based on market data obtained from sources independent of the reporting entity (observable inputs) and (2) inputs that reflect the reporting entity s own assumptions about the assumptions market participants would use in valuing an asset or liability developed based on the best information available in the circumstances (unobservable inputs) and to establish classification of fair value measurements for disclosure purposes. Various inputs are used in determining the value of the Fund s investments. The inputs are summarized in the three broad levels listed below.

- Level 1 unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical investments
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar investments, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.)
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs including the Fund s own assumptions in determining the fair value of investments. Factors considered in making this determination may include, but are not limited to, information obtained by contacting the issuer, analysts, or the appropriate stock exchange (for exchange-traded securities), analysis of the issuer s financial statements or other available documents and, if necessary, available information concerning other securities in similar circumstances

The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities and the determination of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment and considers factors specific to each security.

The following is a summary of the inputs used to value the Fund s investments as of March 31, 2016.

Investment Type	Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices (000)	Level 2 Other significant observable inputs (000)	Level 3 Significant unobservable inputs (000)	Total (000)
Assets:				
Common Stocks				
Auto Components	\$ 17,640	\$	\$	\$ 17,640
Automobiles	7,327			7,327
Banks	65,329	17,156		82,485

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Capital Markets	5,623			5,623
Construction & Engineering	20,513			20,513
Construction Materials	27,011			27,011
Consumer Finance	34,513			34,513
Electronic Equipment, Instruments & Components	10,629			10,629
Gas Utilities	7,973			7,973
Information Technology Services	63,650			63,650
Machinery	49,467			49,467
Media	1,313			1,313
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	20,123			20,123
Personal Products	5,982			5,982
Pharmaceuticals	27,708			27,708
Tobacco	8,555			8,555
Transportation Infrastructure	14,775	8,163		22,938
Water Utilities	3,224			3,224
Total Common Stocks	391,355	25,319)	416,674
Short-Term Investment				
Investment Company	1,933			1,933
Total Assets	\$ 393,288	\$ 25,319	\$	\$ 418,607

Transfers between investment levels may occur as the markets fluctuate and/or the availability of data used in an investment s valuation changes. The Fund recognizes transfers between the levels as of the end of the period. As of March 31, 2016, securities with a total value of approximately \$366,218,000 transferred from Level 2 to Level 1. Securities that were valued using significant other inputs at December 31, 2015 were valued using unadjusted quoted prices at March 31, 2016.

Item 2.	Controls	and	Procedures.
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(a) The Fund s principal executive officer and principal financial officer have concluded that the Fund s disclosure contro	ls and procedures are
sufficient to ensure that information required to be disclosed by the Fund in this Form N-Q was recorded, processed, summ	arized and reported
within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission s rules and forms, based upon such officers	evaluation of these
controls and procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of the report.	

(b) There were no changes in the Fund s internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant s fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Fund s internal control over financial reporting.

Item 3. Exhibits.

(a) A separate certification for each principal executive officer and principal financial officer of the registrant are attached hereto.

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.

Morgan Stanley India Investment Fund, Inc.

/s/ John H. Gernon John H. Gernon Principal Executive Officer May 19, 2016

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

/s/ John H. Gernon John H. Gernon Principal Executive Officer May 19, 2016

/s/ Francis Smith Francis Smith Principal Financial Officer May 19, 2016