HERZFELD CARIBBEAN BASIN FUND INC

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871 Grupo Iusacell, S.A. de C.V. Series V

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QUARTERLY SCHEDULE OF PORFOLIO HOLDINGS OF REGISTERED MANAGEMENT INVESTMENT COMPANY

Investment Company Act file number 811-06445

The Herzfeld Caribbean Basin Fund, Inc. (Exact name of registrant as specified in charter) P.O. BOX 161465, MIAMI, FLORIDA 33116 ______ (Address of principal executive offices) (Zip code) THOMAS J. HERZFELD P.O. BOX 161465, MIAMI, FL 33116 (Name and address of agent for service) Registrant's telephone number, including area code: 305-271-1900 Date of fiscal year end: 06/30/09 Date of reporting period: 09/30/08 ITEM 1. SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AS OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2008 (unaudited) ______ Shares or Principal Amount Description ______ Common stocks - 99.71% of net assets Banking and finance - 9.45% 34,500 Bancolombia, S.A 981,525 640,536 44,420 Banco Latinoamericano de Exportaciones, S.A 50,000 Banco Popular, Inc. 414,500 6,500 Doral Financial Corp. 70,980 52,092 16,400 Grupo Financiero Banorte, S.A. de C.V. Series O 33,879 9,900 Grupo Financiero Inbursa, S.A. de C.V. Series O 192,200 W Holding Co.Inc. 103,788 Communications - 19.27% 35,600 America Movil, S.A. de C.V. Series A 79,382 50,891 America Movil, S.A. de C.V. Series L 117,461 20,000 America Movil 927,200 36,819 Atlantic Tele-Network, Inc. 1,030,932 11,900 Carso Global Telecom, S.A. de C.V. Series A1 60,651 176,000 Fuego Entertainment 8,800

644,860

6,228

32,400 13,400 80,304 15,000 23,800 78,600 15,000 23,800 78,600	Grupo Radio Centro, S.A. ADR Grupo Televisa, S.A. ADR Grupo Televisa, S.A. Series CPO Spanish Broadcasting System Inc. Telefonos de Mexico ADR Telefonos de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. Series A Telefonos de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. Series L Telmex International S.A.B. de C.V ADR Telmex International Series A Telmex International Series L	222,816 708,588 58,698 30,516 386,250 30,109 100,151 195,000 14,296 51,506
13,900	TV Azteca, S.A. de C.V. Series CPO	8,691
5,400 42,595 30,300	Conglomerates and holdings companies - 1.48% Admiralty Holding Co. Alfa, S.A. de C.V. Series A BB Holdings Ltd. Cocleshell Ltd. Ord	625 24,180 161,337 28,894
3,200	Corporacion Interamericana de Entretenimiento,	F 104
1,580	S.A. de C.V. Series B Grupo Carso, S.A. de C.V. Series A1 Grupo Kuo SAB de CV Grupo Pochetca S.A.B. de C.V.	5,184 41,848 892
	Shellshock Ltd. Ord.	3 , 592
	Vitro, S.A. Series A	3,210
27,918	Vitro, S.A. ADR	90,175
	Construction and related - 5.69%	
	Cemex, S.A. de C.V. Series CPO	376,481
	Cemex S.A. de C.V. ADR	85,318
	Ceramica Carabobo Class A ADR Consorcio ARA, S.A. de C.V.	4,657 9,549
	Dine S.A.B de C.V.	1,136
	Empresas ICA, Sociedad Controladora, S.A. de C.V.	10,370
	Grupo Cementos de Chihuahua, S.A. de C.V	3,131
67 , 132	Mastec, Inc.	892,184
	Consumer products and related manufacturing - 7.97%	
13,273	Grupo Casa Saba, S.A. ADR	378 , 281
31,000	Watsco Incorporated	1,558,680
	Food, beverages and tobacco - 6.59%	
1,219	Alsea, S.A. de C.V.	921
3,000	Chiquita Brands International Inc.	47,430
	Coca-Cola Femsa, S.A. de C.V. ADR	983 , 970
	Coca-Cola Femsa, S.A. de C.V., Series L	1,012
	Fomento Economico Mexicano, S.A. de C.V. Series UBD Fresh Del Monte Produce Inc.	71,954 414,918
	Gruma S.A. de C.V. Series B	1,638
	Grupo Bimbo, S.A. de C.V. Series A	47,589
	Grupo Modelo, S.A.Series B	32,587
	Housing - 2.13%	
1,700	Corporacion Geo S.A. de C.V., Series B	3,861
	Desarrolladora Homex, S.A. de C.V.	739
	Lennar Corp.	508,865
	Sare Holding, S.A. de C.V. Series B	160
1,500	Urbi Dessarrollos Urbanos, S.A. de C.V.	3,485
	Investment companies - 5.52%	
18,110	Latin America Equity Fund	593,103
	The Mexico Fund	653,500
4,420	Shellproof Limited	4,294

9,000	Western Asset Worldwide Income Fund	87,840
141	Western Asset Emerging Markets Debt Fund	1,806
	Leisure - 10.28%	
37 500	Carnival Corp.	1,325,625
	Royal Caribbean Cruises Ltd.	695,125
	Steiner Leisure Ltd.	477,882
13,300	beenner herbure hea.	177,002
	Medical - 1.97%	
8,386	Micromet, Inc.	37,150
	Orthofix International N.V.	440,786
20,000	010101111 1110011140101141 11111	110,700
	Mining - 0.02%	
3,624	Grupo Mexico, S.A. de C.V., Series B	3,793
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	Pulp and paper - 0.11%	
6,100	Kimberly-Clark de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. Series A	26,371
	Railroad and landholdings - 4.36%	
16,000	Norfolk South Corp	1,059,360
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	Retail - 0.86%	
3,700	Controladora Comercial Mexicana, S.A. de C.V	
	Series UBC	8,503
1,270	Grupo Elektra, S.A. de C.V. Series CPO	43,923
	Wal-Mart de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. Series V	157,248
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	Service - 0.01%	
700	Grupo Aeroportuario del Sureste, S.A. de C.V. Series B	3,424
	Promotora Ambiental S.A. de C.V.	190
	Trucking and marine freight - 11.51%	
61,404	Grupo TMM, S.A. ADR	54,650
	Seaboard Corporation	1,509,657
	Teekay Corporation	553,980
	Teekay LNG Partners LP.	131,268
	Trailer Bridge, Inc.	368,052
23,000	Ultrapetrol Bahamas Ltd.	180,550
	Utilities - 7.99%	
12,000	Caribbean Utilities Ltd. Class A	118,200
68,241	Consolidated Water, Inc.	1,161,462
700	Cuban Electric Company	8,400
41,500	Teco energy Inc.	652 , 795
	Other - 4.79%	
33,000	Copa Holdings	1,072,500
13,000	Impellam Group	11,007
55 , 921	Margo Caribe, Inc.	69,901
300	Mexichem S.A. de C.V.	543
895	Siderurgica Venezolana Sivensa ADR	9,649
79	Siderurgica Venezolana Sivensa Series B	852
Total comm	on stocks (cost \$27,453,224)	\$ 24,301,682
	Bonds and fixed income - 0.00% of net	assets
165,000	Republic of Cuba - 4.5%, 1977 -	
	in default (cost \$63,038)	
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Other asse	ts less liabilities - 0.29% of net assets	\$ 69,913
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to \$6.56 per share) (a)

\$ 24,371,595

(a) The cost for federal income tax purposes was \$27,633,258. At September 30, 2008, net unrealized loss for all securities based on tax cost was \$3,361,576. This consisted of aggregate gross unrealized appreciation for all securities in which there was an excess value over tax cost of \$2,567,531 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation for all securities in which there was an excess of tax cost over value of \$5,929,107. The cost of securities owned for financial statement purposes is lower than the cost basis for income tax purposes by approximately \$68,382 due to wash sale adjustments.

ITEM 2. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

- (a) The registrant's principal executive and principal financial officer 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 Form N-Q 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 Rules 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 has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

ITEM 3. EXHIBITS

The certifications required by Rule 30a-2 of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, is attached as an exhibit to this filing.

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.

The Herzfeld Caribbean Basin Fund, Inc.

By /s/ Thomas J. Herzfeld

Thomas J. Herzfeld Chairman and President

Date: February 20, 2009

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/ Thomas J. Herzfeld

Thomas J. Herzfeld Chairman and President

Date: February 20, 2009

By /s/ Cecilia L. Gondor

Cecilia L. Gondor

Treasurer

Date: February 20, 2009