

Monthly fact sheet

31 October 2011



CALEDONIA
INVESTMENTS

Caledonia is one of the UK's largest investment trusts and is self-managed. We aim to be a core investment for those seeking a store of increasing value, by investing for the longer term in a range of assets.

Our ability to identify opportunities through our extensive network, invest in significant stakes and involve ourselves with the managements of investee companies underpins our investment approach, through which we seek to deliver both a long term shareholder return in excess of the FTSE All-Share Total Return, whilst maintaining a progressive annual dividend.

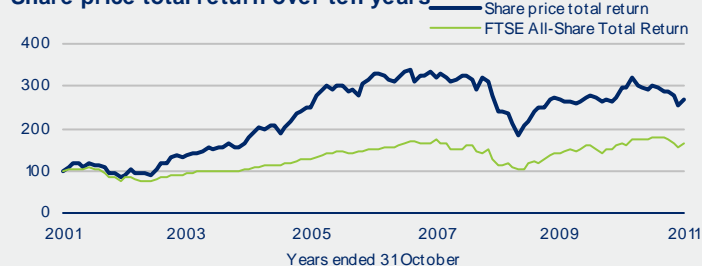
Review

During the month, we invested a total of £6.1m, and realised £4.7m, mainly within our Income & Growth and Funds pools.

At the month end, cash and other items totalled -£20.0m, including £20.0m of debt drawn against our £100.0m revolving credit facility.

Effective from 1 October until 21 November 2011, being the close period before the release of our half-year results planned for 22 November 2011, we have given an irrevocable mandate to J.P. Morgan Securities to purchase the company's shares on our behalf, within certain pre-set parameters. No shares have been purchased under this mandate to date.

Share price total return over ten years



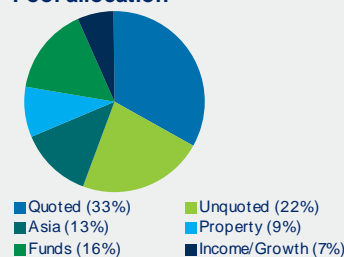
Diluted NAV per share over five years



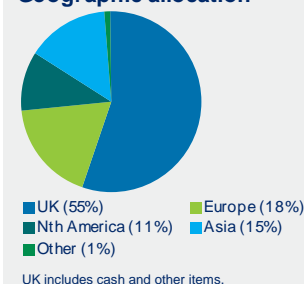
Ten largest holdings

Name	Business	£m	%
Close Brothers	Financial services	139.3	12.2
British Empire Securities	Investment trust	96.2	8.4
Cobepa	Investment company	85.3	7.4
Bristow Group	Helicopter services	75.1	6.6
AG Barr	Soft drinks	41.3	3.6
Avanti Communications	Satellite communications	39.3	3.4
London & Stamford Property	Property investment	36.4	3.2
Oval	Insurance broking	32.2	2.8
Satellite Information Services	Broadcasting services	30.0	2.6
Dewan Housing Finance	Housing finance	29.0	2.5
		604.1	52.7
Other investments		541.6	47.3
Cash and other items		-	-
Total assets		1,145.7	100.0
Borrowings		(20.0)	
Net assets		1,125.7	

Pool allocation



Geographic allocation



Performance

	Value at 31/10/11	Cumulative change % 5 years	10 years
Diluted NAV per share (p)	1934	(6.7)	
FTSE All-Share	2861	(8.9)	
Relative NAV performance		2.2	
Share price (p)	1562	(26.6)	113.2
Share price total return		(19.1)	166.6
FTSE All-Share Total Return		8.9	66.4
Relative TSR performance		(28.0)	100.2

NAV per share is calculated on a cum-income basis.

Source: Caledonia Investments plc and FTSE/Datastream.

Investor information

Sector Global Growth
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