Corporate Objective

To deliver long-term capital growth, while preserving shareholders' capital;

to invest without the constraints of a formal benchmark, but to deliver for shareholders increases in capital value in excess of the relevant indices over time.

Investment Policy

To invest in a widely diversified, international portfolio across a range of asset classes, both quoted and unquoted;

to allocate part of the portfolio to exceptional managers in order to ensure access to the best external talent available.

Financial summary

The net asset value (NAV) per share at 31 March was 1,840 pence. The year to date NAV total return was +0.1% and the share price total return was -3.2%. Over the same period, the Company's two indices; RPI plus 3% and MSCI All Country World Index (50% Sterling) were up +1.6% and down -3.2% respectively. The share price closed at 1,900 pence per share.

Performance	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years	10 years
NAV per share total return	0.1%	5.1%	22.4%	51.1%	93.9%
Share price total return	-3.2%	3.3%	28.0%	73.0%	90.8%
RPI plus 3.0% per annum	1.6%	6.3%	18.0%	29.3%	75.0%
MSCI All Country World Index (50% £)	-3.2%	6.9%	28.7%	66.2%	116.2%

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Net assets	£2,857m
NAV per share (Diluted)	1,840p
Share price	1,900p
Premium	3.3%
Ongoing Charges Figure *	0.66%
Gearing	8.3%
Shares in issue	155,351,431
Financial year end	31 December 2018
Next dividend payment date	30 April 2018
Dividend to be paid	16.5p per share

 $^{^{\}star}$ As at 31 December 2017. RIT's own OCF, excluding costs incurred in externally managed funds.

Currency Exposure** (% of NAV) Sterling 48% US Dollar 33% Euro 6% Chinese Renminbi 4% Japanese Yen 2% Swiss Franc 2% Other 5%

NAV per share total return performance over ten years



Asset Allocation (% of NAV)



Share price total return performance over ten years



Geographical Exposure (% of NAV)*



The above table excludes the notional exposure from derivatives. When factoring in the exposure from equity futures and equity swaps, the exposure to Global decreases by -5%. The exposure to Europe, UK, North America and Japan increases by 4%, 2%, 1% and 1% respectively.

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^{**} Excluding currency options