

## The Brunner Investment Trust PLC

Key Information	
<b>Total Assets<sup>†</sup></b>	£325.4m
<b>Gearing<sup>††</sup> (net)</b>	7.2%
<b>No. of Shares<sup>†</sup> (Ordinary 1p)</b>	47,340,115
<b>Net asset value<sup>†</sup></b>	574.6p
<b>Net asset value (debt at Market Value)<sup>†</sup></b>	552.1p
<b>Premium/-discount to NAV<sup>†</sup></b>	-17.3%
<b>Premium/-discount to NAV (debt at Market Value)<sup>†</sup></b>	-14.0%
<b>Share price*</b>	475p
<b>AIC Sector</b>	Global Growth
<b>RIC</b>	BUT
<b>Year end</b>	30th November
<b>Reports and Accounts</b>	Final posted in February, Interim posted in July
<b>AGM</b>	March
<b>Dividends</b>	March and August
<b>Price Information</b>	Financial Times, The Daily Telegraph, www.allianzgi.co.uk
<b>Board of Directors</b>	Keith Percy (Chairman), Ben Siddons, William Worsley, Richard Wakeling, Vivian Bazalgette
<b>Investor services</b>	020 7065 1407
<b>Brochure request</b>	0800 317 537

† Source: Allianz Global Investors as at 31.12.07

Investment trusts are quoted companies listed on the London Stock Exchange. Their share price is determined by factors including demand, or lack of, which means that the shares may trade below (at a discount to) or above (at a premium to) the underlying net asset value.

A trust's net asset value (NAV) is calculated as available shareholders' funds divided by the number of shares in issue, with shareholders' funds taken to be the net value of all the company's assets after deducting liabilities. In line with current industry best practice NAVs are shown that take into account the 'fair value' of debt. This means NAVs are calculated after allowing for the valuation of debt at fair value or current market price, rather than at final repayment value. NAVs with debt at market value provide a more realistic impact of the cost of debt, and thus a more realistic discount.

†† Source: Allianz Global Investors as at 31.12.07.

Please also refer to Trust aim & characteristics, above right.

\* Source: Lipper as at 31.12.07

### Trust aim & characteristics

The Trust's objective is to increase its total return above the benchmark index of 60% FTSE All-Share and 40% FT/S&P World Index (ex UK sterling adjusted) over the long term, by investing in UK and international securities. The strategy of the Trust is designed to meet the requirements of those seeking a single investment in a diversified and professionally managed portfolio.

††The Trust also seeks to enhance returns for its shareholders through gearing, in the form of bank borrowings. Gearing can boost the Trust's returns when investments perform well, though losses can be magnified when investments do badly. You should be aware that this Trust may be subject to sudden and large falls in value and you could suffer substantial capital loss.

### Fund Managers' review

Equity market returns in December were slightly positive for the month as record commodity prices were mostly offset by the poor performance of Banks and Real Estate in the wake of the US sub-price mortgage crisis and the resultant credit crunch. The portfolio outperformed its benchmark during the month, with Hansen Transmissions, a manufacturer of gearboxes for wind turbines, a standout performer after we participated in the IPO. Reed Elsevier and BG Group also performed well in December, as did the portfolio's underweight in the Banking sector. The Trust's worst performers in December were International Personal Finance, Spectris and HBOS.



Mark Lovett

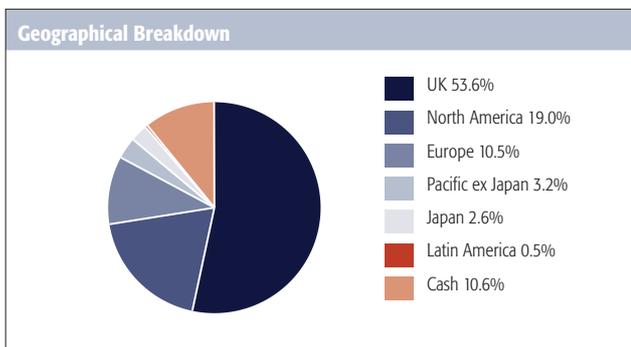


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### Top 10 holdings

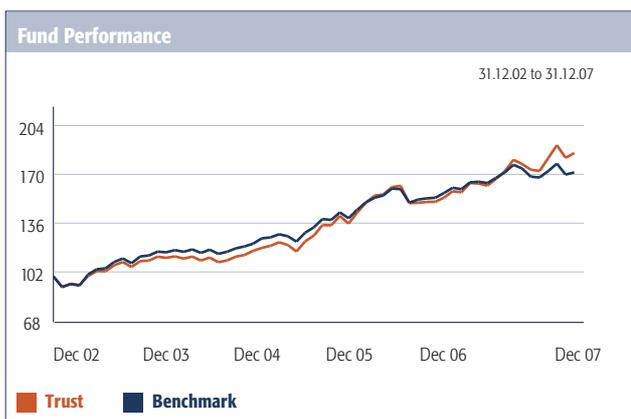
Name	%
5% Treasury Stock 2008	6.1
HSBC	3.6
Royal Dutch Shell "B" Shares	3.4
BP	3.4
Vodafone Group	3.1
GlaxoSmithKline	2.7
Rio Tinto	2.1
BG Group	1.7
BAE	1.6
Unilever	1.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>29.3</b>

Source: Allianz Global Investors as at 31.12.07.



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Changes in rates of exchange may cause the value of investments and the income from them to go down or up.



Source: Allianz Global Investors/ Mellon. 31st December 2002 to 31st December 2007. Capital only, calculation indexed. UK Sterling.

Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. You should not make any assumptions on the future on the basis of performance information. The value of an investment and the income from it can fall as well as rise as a result of market and currency fluctuations and you may not get back the amount originally invested. This investment trust charges 70% of its annual management fee to the capital account and 30% to revenue. This could lead to a higher level of income but a lower capital return.

### Standardised Past Performance

From to	31/12/2002 to 31/12/2003	31/12/2003 to 31/12/2004	31/12/2004 to 30/12/2005	30/12/2005 to 29/12/2006	29/12/2006 to 31/12/2007
<b>Share Price</b>	<b>14.7%</b>	<b>11.0%</b>	<b>34.6%</b>	<b>14.6%</b>	<b>13.1%</b>

Source: Allianz Global Investors/Lipper Hindsight. Discrete years, mid to mid, basic rate tax, based in UK sterling. Standardised past performance figures comply with the Financial Services Authority's regulations to enable investors to compare different products from different providers.

## History

The Trust was formed from the Brunner family's interest in the sale of Brunner, Mond & Co, the largest of the four companies which came to form ICI in 1926. The Trust has been managed by Allianz Global Investors (formerly Kleinwort Benson and now part of Allianz) since inception.

**Launch Date:** 1927 **Wind-up Date:** None

## Share buybacks

16,659,885 shares have been repurchased for cancellation to date.