

Trust Fact Sheet

31 October 2017



Trust Facts

Ordinary Shares

Share Price	200.00p
NAV per share	202.14p
Premium	-
Discount	-1.06%
Capital	122,750,000 shares of 25p

ZDP Shares

Share Price	103.25p
NAV per share	100.84p
Premium	2.13%
Capital	32,128,437 shares of 1p

Assets & Gearing ²

Total Gross Assets	£280.3m
Total Net Assets	£248.1m
AIC Gearing Ratio	11.41%
AIC Net Cash Ratio	0.00%

Historic Yield (%) **1.58**

Dividends (p/share)

May 2017 (paid)	1.65
February 2017 (paid)	0.75
November 2016 (paid)	0.75
August 2016 (paid)	2.00

Benchmark

MSCI All Country World Index / Healthcare (Sterling)

Fees ^{3, 4, 5}

Management	0.85%
Performance	10% over performance hurdle
Ongoing Charges	1.01%

Risk Warning

Your capital is at risk. You may not get back the full amount you invested. Please note the Important Information at the end of this document and the Investment Policy and full Risk Warnings set out in the Prospectus, Annual Report and/or Investor Disclosure Document.

Discount Warning

The shares of investment trusts may trade at a discount or a premium to Net Asset Value for a variety of reasons including market sentiment and market conditions. On a sale you could realise less than the Net Asset Value and less than you initially invested.

Company Profile

Investment Objective

The Company's investment objective is to generate capital growth by investing in a global portfolio of healthcare stocks.

Investment Policy

The Company seeks to achieve this objective by investing in a diversified global portfolio consisting primarily of listed equities issued by healthcare companies involved in pharmaceuticals, medical services, medical devices and biotechnology. The portfolio is expected to be diversified by factors such as geography, industry sub-sector and investment size.

Dividends

The Company pays two dividends a year.

Life of Company

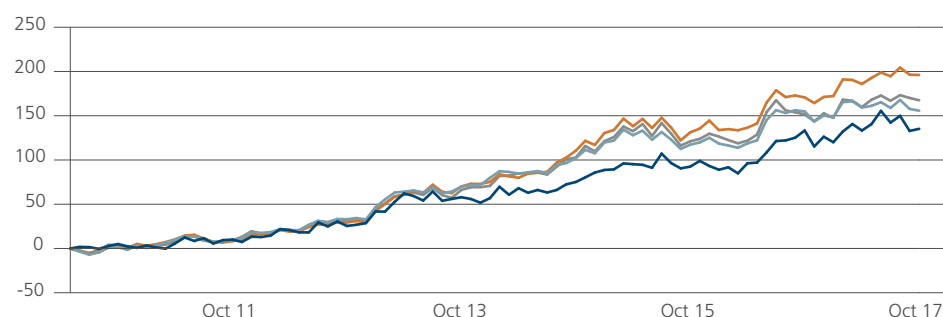
The Company will propose a special resolution for voluntary winding up at its 14th AGM expected to be held around 1 March 2025.

Zero Dividend Preference Shares (ZDPs)

Through its wholly owned subsidiary, PCGH ZDP plc, the Company issued 32,128,437 ZDP shares, which entitles ZDP shareholders to a pre-determined redemption value of 122.99p per ZDP share on 19 June 2024.

Performance

Performance Since Launch (%)



	1 Month	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year	Since Launch
■ Ordinary Share Price (TR) ¹	1.01	-2.91	0.81	0.83	135.18
■ NAV per Share (TR) ⁶	-0.79	-1.21	-1.36	0.34	155.77
■ MSCI ACWI / Healthcare TR	-0.09	0.50	3.56	9.39	196.08
■ NYSE Arca Pharmaceutical CR	-0.95	0.21	2.92	6.38	165.50

Discrete Performance (%)

	29/09/17 31/10/17	30/09/16 29/09/17	30/09/15 30/09/16	30/09/14 30/09/15	30/09/13 30/09/14
Ordinary Share Price (TR) ¹	1.01	3.41	18.18	10.46	10.56
NAV per Share (TR) ⁶	-0.79	0.60	20.54	8.12	19.69
MSCI ACWI / Healthcare TR	-0.09	8.60	22.80	9.63	24.76
NYSE Arca Pharmaceutical CR	-0.95	6.34	17.41	7.65	26.80

Source: Bloomberg & HSBC Securities Services (UK) Limited, percentage growth, Net of Fees in GBP terms. Past performance is not indicative or a guarantee of future results.

- The ordinary share price has been adjusted for dividends paid in the period in GBP.
- Gearing calculations are exclusive of current year Revenue/Loss.
- All fees are allocated 80% to capital and 20% to income. Further details can be found in the Report and Accounts.
- The management fee is based on the lower of the Group Market Capitalisation or Adjusted NAV (which includes all assets referable to the ZDP Shares).
- Ongoing charges calculated at the latest published year end date, excluding any performance fees.
- The NAV per share is adjusted to show dividends reinvested on the payment date in ordinary shares at their Net Asset Value; to remove the dilution of the exercise of the subscription rights and, to remove any effects from any issuance or repurchase of ordinary shares. This is the metric used by the company when assessing the investment manager's performance. For Full details please refer to the Annual Report.

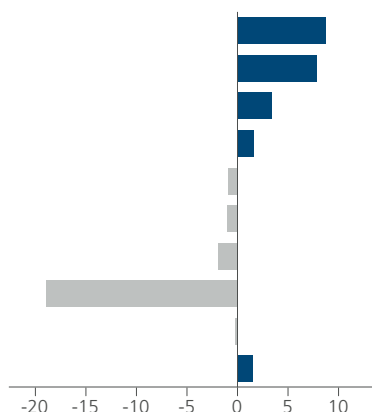
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Portfolio Exposure

As at 31 October 2017

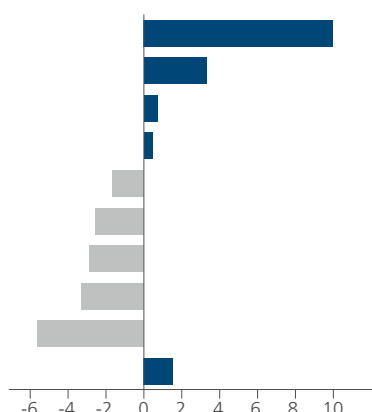
Sector Exposure - Top Overweights & Underweights Relative to Index (%)

	Fund (%)	Relative (%)
Healthcare Equipment	23.2	8.8
Managed Healthcare	16.7	7.9
Healthcare Services	6.5	3.5
Biotechnology	18.1	1.6
Healthcare Facilities	0.3	-1.0
Healthcare Supplies	1.2	-1.0
Healthcare Distributors	0.0	-1.9
Pharmaceuticals	26.7	-19.0
Other	5.8	-0.3
Cash	1.5	1.5



Geographic Exposure- Top Overweights & Underweights Relative to Index (%)

	Fund (%)	Relative (%)
United States	73.5	10.0
Germany	7.0	3.3
United Kingdom	4.8	0.7
Italy	0.6	0.5
Switzerland	6.4	-1.7
Denmark	0.0	-2.6
France	0.0	-2.9
Ireland	0.5	-3.3
Other	5.6	-5.6
Cash	1.5	1.5



The column headed "Fund (%)" refers to the percentage of the Fund's assets invested in each sector. The column headed "Relative (%)" refers to the extent to which the Fund is overweight or underweight in each sector compared (relative) to the index.

Investing in the Trust and Shareholder Information

Trust Characteristics

Launch Date	15 June 2010
Year End	30 September
Results Announced	Mid December
Next AGM (7th)	February 2018
Listed	London Stock Exchange

Market Purchases

The ordinary shares are listed and traded on the London Stock Exchange. Investors may purchase shares through their stockbroker, bank or other financial intermediary.

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Top 10 Holdings (% of net assets)

Johnson & Johnson	7.7
Novartis	5.8
UnitedHealth Group	4.2
Becton Dickinson	4.2
Danaher	3.7
Takeda Pharmaceutical	3.7
Merck & Co	3.7
Aetna	3.7
Abbott Laboratories	3.6
Boston Scientific Corp	3.6

Total **43.9**

Total Number of Positions **48**

Market Capitalisation Exposure (%)

Large Cap (>\$5bn)	88.7
Mid Cap (\$1bn - \$5bn)	2.4
Small Cap (<\$1bn)	7.4
Cash	1.5

Codes

Ordinary Shares

ISIN	GB00B6832P16
SEDOL	B6832P1
London Stock Exchange	PCGH

ZDP Shares

ISIN	GB00BDHXP963
SEDOL	BDHXP96
London Stock Exchange	PGHZ

The entire investment portfolio is published in the annual and semi annual reports and as part of the interim management statement.

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Note: Totals may not sum due to rounding.

Fund Manager Comments

As at 31 October 2017

Global markets performed strongly in October with the healthcare sector an underperformer. Within healthcare there was a large dispersion of returns around the third-quarter earnings reporting season especially for certain large-cap biotechnology and pharmaceutical stocks. For October, the NAV was down 0.8% compared to the 0.1% decrease reported for the benchmark (Morgan Stanley Global Healthcare Index). While the portfolio benefited from a strong earnings report across the managed care sector, where we have a significant weighting, weakness in three large biotechnology companies – especially Celgene – were major detractors to performance.

The contrast in performance across the sector was epitomised by the relative return of Johnson & Johnson (J&J) compared to Celgene in October. J&J is the largest position in the portfolio and has been a strong performer in 2017 with a decent rally in the shares following third-quarter results that demonstrated the strength of business at the world's largest healthcare company. Ironically, with the challenges facing many large-cap pharma and biotechnology stocks, it is the strength of J&J's biopharmaceutical business that is driving the acceleration of growth and operating leverage for the company as opposed to its medical device and consumer health businesses. Despite a strong new product portfolio and a burgeoning pipeline in biopharmaceuticals, we think that J&J is still not a "loved" stock.

Celgene, on the other hand, has been a consensus overweight for many growth investors in the biotechnology sector. The company experienced a torrid time in October with a massive change in sentiment for the stock that we have rarely seen in the healthcare sector. The company started the month poorly after some sell-side analysts began to voice concerns over the intellectual property (IP) protection around Celgene's largest product, Revlimid. This was followed by the early termination of a Phase 3 study investigating the use of a new drug candidate, mogerson, for the treatment of Crohn's disease. We had considered this a high-risk project but the decision to stop development fuelled concerns regarding Celgene's pipeline and long-term growth prospects. Celgene then reported mixed quarterly results and reduced its long-term EPS guidance from more than \$13 per share to more than \$12.50 per share in 2020. The stock suffered another sharp sell off – the stock was down over 30% in US Dollars over the course of October. With a share price of \$100, the current 2018 P/E multiple is 11.5 times earnings and is pricing in little optimism on any pipeline progress or growth beyond 2020.

Drug pricing has been a hot political topic in the US and so we have been avoiding companies involved in the supply chain including distributors and pharmacy benefit managers (PBMs). In particular, we have been concerned that legislation may require greater transparency on which companies benefit by making a margin on the difference between the list price and the net price that a drug company actually receives.

During October, rumours emerged that a new entrant is now looming on the horizon in the shape of Amazon. It appears that Amazon has acquired pharmacy licenses in a number of US states and that it may enter the market before year-end. While Amazon has yet to detail its plans to enter the healthcare market there are significant investor concerns that Amazon will disrupt both the distributor, pharmacy and PBM business models by creating greater transparency and taking market share.

In many ways, Amazon looming on the horizon validates our view that the healthcare industry has begun a process of major structural change. As with many other industries that have been disrupted by technology, the incumbents in healthcare may face competitive challenges not only from small start-ups but also from non-traditional, new entrants to the market.

We made a number of changes to the growth portfolio at the beginning of the month. We sold the positions in Sanofi, Medtronic and HCA ahead of third-quarter results – we remain concerned that 2018 consensus estimates may be too high for all three companies. We used the proceeds to add a number of new positions. In medical devices, we added Stryker, Terumo and Varian. We also added Bio-Rad, a life sciences tools company; Biogen, in biotechnology; and PRA Health, a contract research organisation (CRO) services company.

In the innovation portfolio, we continue to look for new additions and we are patiently exiting some of the small cap positions we have held historically. In September, we sold the position in Primary Health and Religare Health Trust. We added two new positions – Nektar Therapeutics, a US biopharmaceutical company, and MedaPhor, a small UK-based company with innovative technology for the ultrasound market.

While this has been a difficult earnings season, we continue to believe that healthcare offers growth opportunities for investors. Over the next few weeks, members of the team are attending a number of investor conferences that should help us position the portfolio for 2018. We remain positive on the outlook for healthcare as valuations seem reasonable, both on a relative and absolute basis, and we can see many investment opportunities arising from the ongoing structural change.

Dan Mahony & Gareth Powell

7 November 2017

Fund Managers



Daniel Mahony
Fund Manager

Daniel has managed the Trust since launch, he joined Polar Capital in 2007 and has 26 years of industry experience.



Gareth Powell
Fund Manager

Gareth has managed the Trust since launch, he joined Polar Capital in 2007 and has 19 years of industry experience.

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