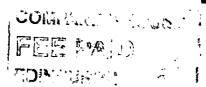
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/ What this form is for

You may use this form to confirm that the company information is correct as at the date of this return. You must file an Annual Return at least once every year.

What this form is NOT for You cannot use this form to notice of changes to the corresponding officers, registered office ad company type or informatio to the company records.



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Part 1	Company details

The section must be completed by all companies.

→ Filling in this form

Please complete in typescript or in bold black capitals.

All fields are mandatory unless specified or indicated by *

A1	Сол	pan	y de	tails
Company number	 S	С		1

Company name in full

Dunedin Smaller Companies Investment Trust plc

O Company name change

If your company has recently changed its name, please provide the company name as at the date of this return.

A2

Return date

Please give the annual return made up date. The return date must not be a future date The annual return must be delivered within 28 days of the date given below.

Date of this return @

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O Date of this return

Your company's return date is usually the anniversary of incorporation or the anniversary of the last annual return filed at Companies House. You may choose an earlier return date but it must not be a later date.

A3 Principal business activity

	Please show the trade classification code number(s) for the prin or activities.			assification code number(s) for the principal activity		
Classification code 1	6	5	2	3		•
Classification code 2	<u> </u>	厂				•
Classification code 3	Ī					•
Classification code 4	\top	Γ				-
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Principal business activity

You must provide a trade classification code (SIC code) or a description of your company's main business in this section.

A full list of the trade classification codes are available on our website: www.companieshouse.gov.uk

Principal activity description

Investment Trust

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A4	Company type •						
	Please confirm your company type by ticking the appropriate box below (only one box must be ticked): Public limited company Private company limited by shares Private company limited by guarantee Private company limited by shares exempt under section 60 Private company limited by guarantee exempt under section 60 Private unlimited company with share capital Private unlimited company without share capital	Company type If you are unsure of your company type, please check your latest certificate of incorporation or our website: www.companieshouse.gov.uk					
A5	Registered office address 9						
Building name/number	7th Floor	O Change of registered office This must agree with the address					
Street	40 Princes Street	that is held on the Companies House record at the date of this return. If the registered office address has					
Post town	Edinburgh	changed, you should complete form AD01 and submit it together with this					
County/Region		annual return.					
Postcode	E H 2 2 B Y						
A6	Single alternative inspection location (SAIL) of the company records (if applicable)						
Building name/number	Equinití Ltd	SAIL address This must agree with the address					
Street	1st Floor, 34 South Gyle Crescent	that is held on the Companies House record at the date of this return.					
Post town	Edinburgh	If the address has changed, you should complete form AD02 and submit it together with this annual					
County/Region		return.					
Postcode	E H 1 2 9 E B						
A7	Location of company records 6						
	Please tick the appropriate box to indicate which records are kept at the SAIL address in Section A6: Register of members. Register of directors. Directors' service contracts. Directors' indemnities. Register of secretaries.	◆ Location of company records If the company records are held at the registered office address, do not tick any of the boxes in this section. Certain records must be kept by every company while other records are only kept by certain company types where appropriate.					
	Records of resolutions etc. Contracts relating to purchase of own shares. Documents relating to redemption or purchase of own share out of capital by private company. Register of debenture holders. Report to members of outcome of investigation by public company into interests in its shares. Register of interests in shares disclosed to public company. Instruments creating charges and register of charges: England and Wales or Northern Ireland. Instruments creating charges and register of charges: Scotland.	If the records are not kept at the SAIL address, they must be available at the registered office. If any of the company records have moved from the registered office to the address in Section A6 since the last annual return, you must complete form AD03 and submit it together with this annual return.					

Annual Return Officers of the company Part 2 Continuation pages This section should include details of the company at the date to which this annual Please use a continuation page if you return is made up. need to enter more officer details. → For a secretary who is an individual, go to Section B1. → For a corporate secretary, go to Section C1. → For a director who is an individual, go to Section D1. → For a corporate director, go to Section E1. Secretary Secretary's details 9 Secretary appointments Please use this section to list all the secretaries of the company. You may not use this form to appoint a For a corporate secretary, complete Section C1-C4. secretary. To do this, please complete form AP03 and submit it together with Title* this annual return. Full forename(s) Corporate details Please use Section C1-C4 to enter Surname corporate secretary details. Former name(s) @ Secretary details All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies House. If you have made changes since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form CH03. Former name(s) Please provide any previous names which have been used for business purposes during the period of this return. Married women do not need to give former names unless previously used for business purposes. **B**2 Secretary's service address 9 Service address Building name/number If you have previously notified Street Companies House that the service address is at 'The Company's Registered Office' please state 'The Company's Registered Office' in the

Post town

Postcode

Country

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address.

public record.

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Corporate secretary

C1	Corporate secretary's details 9					
_	Please use this section to list all the corporate secretaries of the company.	◆ Corporate secretary appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a corporate secretary. To do this, please				
Corporate body/firm	Aberdeen Asset Management PLC	complete form AP04 and submit it together with this annual return.				
		Corporate secretary details All details must agree with those				
Building name/number	10	previously notified to Companies House. If you have made changes				
Street	Queens Terrace	since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form CH04.				
Post town	Aberdeen	This information will appear on the public record.				
County/Region	Aberdeenshire	public record.				
Postcode	A B 1 0 1 Y G					
Country	United Kingdom					
C2	Location of the registry of the corporate body or firm					
	Is the corporate secretary registered within the European Economic Area (EEA)? → Yes Complete Section C3 only → No Complete Section C4 only					
C3	EEA companies ®					
	Please give details of the register where the company file is kept (including the relevant state) and the registration number in that register.	● EEA A full list of countries of the EEA can be found in our guidance:				
Where the company/ firm is registered	United Kingdom	www.companieshouse.gov.uk This is the register mentioned in Article 3 of the First Company Law				
Designation number	00000015	Directive (68/151/EEC).				
Registration number	SC082015	<u> </u>				
C4	Non-EEA companies					
	Please give details of the legal form of the corporate body or firm and the law by which it is governed. If applicable, please also give details of the register in which it is entered (including the state) and its registration number in that register.	Where you have provided details of the register (including state) where the company or firm is registered, you must also provide its number in that				
Legal form of the corporate body or firm		register.				
Governing law						
If applicable, where						
the company/firm is registered •						
If applicable, the registration number						

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Director

Postcode Country

D1	Director's details •				
	Please use this section to list all the directors of the company. For a corporate director, complete Section E1-E4.	O Director appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a director. To do this, please complete			
Title*		form AP01 and submit it together with this annual return.			
Full forename(s)	Timothy James Kentish	Corporate details			
Surname	Barnes	Please use Section E1-E4 to enter corporate director details.			
Former name(s)		Director details All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies			
Country/State of residence	United Kingdom	House. If you have made changes since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form			
Nationality	British	CH01.			
Date of birth	d 2 d 6 m 0 m 1 y 1 y 9 y 6 y 1	ூ Former name(s) Please provide any previous names			
Business occupation	Chief Executive which have been used for to purposes during the period				
(if any)		return. Married women do not need to give former names unless previously used for business purposes.			
D2	Director's service address •				
Building name/number	Aberdeen Asset Management PLC	Service address If you have previously notified			
Street	7th Floor	Companies House that the service address is at 'The Company's			
	40 Princes Street	Registered Office', please state 'The			
Post town	Edinburgh Company's Registered Caddress.				
County/Region		This information will appear on the public record.			

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Director

D1	Director's details •			
	Please use this section to list all the directors of the company. For a corporate director, complete Section E1-E4.	O Director appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a director. To do this, please complete		
Title*		form AP01 and submit it together with this annual return.		
Full forename(s)	Ray Marvin	Corporate details Please use Section E1-E4 to enter		
Surname	Entwistle	corporate director details.		
Former name(s) @		Director details All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies House. If you have made changes		
Country/State of residence	United Kingdom	since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form		
Nationality	British	CH01.		
Date of birth	^d 1 ^d 2	Please provide any previous names		
Business occupation (if any)	Banker	which have been used for business purposes during the period of this return. Married women do not need to give former names unless previously used for business purposes.		
D2	Director's service address Output Director's service address			
Building name/number	Aberdeen Asset Management PLC	Service address If you have previously notified		
Street .	7th Floor	Companies House that the service address is at 'The Company's		
	40 Princes Street	Registered Office', please state 'The Company's Registered Office' in the		
Post town	Edinburgh	address.		
County/Region		This information will appear on the public record.		
Postcode	E H 2 2 B Y			
Country				

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Director

D1	Director's details •			
	Please use this section to list all the directors of the company. For a corporate director, complete Section E1-E4.	O Director appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a director. To do this, please complete		
Title*	Lord	form AP01 and submit it together with		
Full forename(s)	James Hubert	Corporate details		
Surname	Ramsay	Please use Section E1-E4 to enter corporate director details.		
Former name(s) 2		Director details All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies		
Country/State of residence	Scotland	House. If you have made changes since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form		
Nationality	British CH01.			
Date of birth	^d 1 ^d 7 ^m 0 ^m 1 ^y 1 ^y 9 ^y 4 ^y 8	• Former name(s) Please provide any previous names		
Business occupation	Director	which have been used for business purposes during the period of this		
(if any)	. ,	return. Married women do not need to give former names unless previously used for business purposes.		
D2	Director's service address 9			
Building name/number	Aberdeen Asset Management PLC	Service address If you have previously notified		
Street	7th Floor	Companies House that the service address is at 'The Company's		
	40 Princes Street	Registered Office', please state 'The Company's Registered Office' in the		
Post town	Edinburgh Company's Registered Only address.			
County/Region		This information will appear on the public record.		
Postcode	E H 2 2 B Y	, paris 131-1-1		
Country				

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Director

D1	Director's details •					
_	Please use this section to list all the directors of the company. For a corporate director, complete Section E1-E4.	Director appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a director. To do this, please complete				
Title*	Mr	form AP01 and submit it together with this annual return.				
Full forename(s)	Norman Murray	Corporate details Please use Section E1-E4 to enter				
Surname	Yarrow	corporate director details.				
Former name(s) 2		Director details All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies				
Country/State of residence	Scotland	House. If you have made changes since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form				
Nationality	British	CH01.				
Date of birth	^d 0 ^d 5 ^m 0 ^m 2 ^y 1 ^y 9 ^y 6 ^y 0	Please provide any previous names				
Business occupation	Investment Manager	which have been used for business purposes during the period of this				
(if any)		return. Married women do not need to give former names unless previously used for business purposes.				
D2	Director's service address 9					
Building name/number	Aberdeen Asset Management PLC	Service address If you have previously notified				
Street	7th Floor	Companies House that the service address is at 'The Company's				
	40 Princes Street	Registered Office', please state 'The Company's Registered Office' in the				
Post town	Edinburgh	address.				
County/Region		This information will appear on the public record.				
Postcode	E H 2 2 B Y					
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Part 3	Statement of	of capital •				
	Does your company have share capital? → Yes Complete the sections below and the following Part 4. → No Go to Part 5 (Signature). This should reflect the corcapital status at the made this annual return.			atus at the made up date of		
F1	Share capital in pound sterling (£)					
		ach class of shares held in p omplete Section F1 and the				
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference etc.	.)	Amount paid up on each share	Amount (if any) unpaid on each share	Number of share	es Ø	Aggregate nominal value
Ordinary 5p		0.05	0.00	47,8	352 , 573	£ 2,392,628.65
Subscription S	hares	0.00	0.00	8,5	529,027	£ 85.29
<u></u>						£
						£
	· .		Totals	56,	381,600	£ 2,392,713.94
F2	Share capital in	other currencies		•		
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Currency						-
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			Totals			
Currency						
Class of shares (E.g. Ordinary/Preference etc.	.)	Amount paid up on each share @	Amount (if any) unpaid on each share	Number of share	es 👀	Aggregate nominal value 4
<u></u>			Totals	<u> </u>		
F3	Totals					
	Please give the total share capital.	al number of shares and tot	al aggregate nominal valu	ue of issued	Please lis	gregate nominal value st total aggregate values in
Total number of shares						currencies separately. For : £100 + €100 + \$10 etc.
Total aggregate nominal value						
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Corporate director

E1	Corporate director's details •	 		
Corporate body/firm	Please use this section to list all the corporate director's of the company.	◆ Corporate director appointments You cannot use this form to appoint a corporate director. To do this, please complete form AP02 and submit it		
name		together with this annual return. Corporate director details		
Building name/number		All details must agree with those previously notified to Companies		
Street		House. If you have made changes since the last annual return and have not notified us, please complete form CH02.		
Post town		This information will appear on the public record.		
County/Region		public record.		
Postcode				
Country				
E2	Location of the registry of the corporate body or firm			
	Is the corporate director registered within the European Economic Area (EEA)? → Yes Complete Section E3 only → No Complete Section E4 only			
E3	EEA companies ©			
	Please give details of the register where the company file is kept (including the relevant state) and the registration number in that register.	● EEA A full list of countries of the EEA can be found in our guidance:		
Where the company/ firm is registered •		www.companieshouse.gov.uk This is the register mentioned in Article 3 of the First Company Law		
Registration number		Directive (68/151/EEC).		
E4	Non-EEA companies			
	Please give details of the legal form of the corporate body or firm and the law by which it is governed. If applicable, please also give details of the register in which it is entered (including the state) and its registration number in that register.	Where you have provided details of the register (including state) where the company or firm is registered, you must also provide its number in that		
Legal form of the corporate body or firm		register		
Governing law				
If applicable, where the company/firm is registered				
If applicable, the registration number				

F4	Statement of capital (Voting rights)
	Please give the prescribed particulars of rights attached to shares for each class of share shown in the statement of capital share tables in Sections F1 and F2 .
Class of share	£0.05 Ordinary 5p
Voting rights	67.VOTES ATTACHING TO SHARES 67.10n a vote on a resolution on a show of hands: 67.1.leach member entitled to vote on the resolution who is present in person has one vote; 67.1.2every proxy present who has been duly appointed by one or more members entitled to vote on the resolution has one vote, unless he has been duly appointed by more than one member entitled to vote on the resolution and he has been instructed by one or more of those members to vote for the resolution and by one or more others to vote against it, in which case he has one vote for and one vote against the resolution.
Class of share	£0.00001 Subscription Shares
Voting rights	The Subscription Shares shares have no voting rights
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Part 4	Shareholders	Shareholders					
	Does your company have share capital? → Yes Complete the sections below. → No Go to Part 5 (Signature).	This should reflect the shareholder details at the made up date of this annual return.					
G1	Traded public companies 0	Traded public companies O					
	Please tick the box if your company was a traded public company at any time during the period of this return.	● Traded company definition A traded company means a compa any of whose shares are admitted trading on a regulated market.					
G2	List of past and present shareholders						
	Private and non-traded public companies are required to provide a 'full list' if one was not included with either of the last two returns.						
	Traded public companies are required to provide a list of shareholders who held at least 5% of the issued shares of any share class if a list was not provided with either of the last two returns.						
	Please tick the appropriate box below:						
	A full list of shareholders for a private or non-traded public company is enclosed. Please complete Section G3 ; or						
	A list of shareholders holding at least 5% of the issued shares of any share class for a traded public company is enclosed. Please complete Section G4 .						
	A list of shareholder changes is enclosed. For private or non-traded public companies, please complete Section G3. For traded public companies, please complete Section G4.						
	There were no shareholder changes in this period. Go to Part 5 (Signature).						
	Please tick the appropriate box below to indicate the format of your shareholder details:						
	 ☐ The list of shareholders is enclosed on paper. ☐ The list of shareholders is enclosed in another format. 	,					

G3

Private or non-traded public companies – list of past and present shareholders

This section should only be completed by companies that have not traded on a regulated market at any time during the period of this return.

Changes during this period to shareholders' particulars or details of the amount of stock or shares transferred must be completed each year.

You must provide a 'full list' of all company shareholders on:

- The company's first annual return following incorporation;
- Every third annual return after a full list has been provided.

Please list the company shareholders in alphabetical order.

Joint shareholders should be listed consecutively.

Further shareholders

Please use a 'Private or non-traded public companies – list of past and present shareholders' continuation page if necessary.

	currently held	Shares or stock transferred (if appropriate)		
Class of share	Number of shares or amount of stock	Number of shares or amount of stock	Date of registration of transfer	
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	Class of share	Class of share Number of shares or amount of stock	Class of share Number of shares or amount of stock Number of shares or amount of stock Number of shares or amount of stock	

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Traded public companies - list of past and present shareholders

This section should show the shareholders that hold at least 5% of any class of share(s) of the company at the date of this return. It should only be completed by public companies that have traded on a regulated market at any time during the period of this return.

Changes during this period to shareholders' particulars or details of the amount of stock or shares transferred must be completed each year.

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Please list the company shareholders in alphabetical order.

Joint shareholders should be listed consecutively.

Further shareholders

Please use a 'Traded public companies – list of past and present shareholders' continuation page if necessary.

ı		Shares or stock Shares or stock transferred (if appropriate) currently held		
Shareholder's details	Class of share	Number of shares or amount of stock	Number of shares or amount of stock	Date of registration of transfer
Name				1 1
Address				1 1
				1 1
Name				1 1
Address				1 1
				1 1
Name				1 1
Address				1 1
				1 1
Name				1 1
Address				1 1
				1 1

Part 5 Signature This must be completed by all companies. Societas Europaea If the form is being filed on behalf of a I am signing this form on behalf of the company. Societas Europaea (SE) please delete 'director' and insert details of which Volutue PO/3/10 X organ of the SE the person signing Signature has membership. X Person authorised Under either section 270 or 274 of the Companies Act 2006. This form may be signed by: Director Secretary, Person authorised Charity commission receiver and manager, CIC manager, Judicial factor.

Presenter information

You do not have to give any contact information, but if you do it will help Companies House if there is a query on the form. The contact information you give will be visible to searchers of the public record.

Contact name	
Company name	Aberdeen Asset Management
	PLC
Address	40 Princes Street
Post town	Edinburgh
County/Region	
Postcode	E H 2 2 B Y
Country	
DX	
Telephone	

Checklist

We may return forms completed incorrectly or with information missing.

Please make sure you have remembered the following:

- ☐ The company name and number match the information held on the public Register.
- ☐ You have completed your principal business activity.
- You have not used this form to make changes to the registered office address.
- You have not used this form to make changes to secretary and director details.
- ☐ You have fully completed the Statement of capital (if applicable).
- ☐ You have signed the form.
- ☐ You have enclosed the correct fee.

Important information

Please note that all information on this form will appear on the public record.

How to pay

A fee of £30 is payable to Companies House in respect of an Annual Return

Make cheques or postal orders payable to 'Companies House.'

Where to send

You may return this form to any Companies House address, however for expediency we advise you to return it to the appropriate address below:

For companies registered in England and Wales:

The Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Crown Way, Cardiff, Wales, CF14 3UZ. DX 33050 Cardiff.

For companies registered in Scotland:

The Registrar of Companies, Companies House, Fourth floor, Edinburgh Quay 2, 139 Fountainbridge, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH3 9FF. DX ED235 Edinburgh 1 or LP - 4 Edinburgh 2 (Legal Post).

For companies registered in Northern Ireland:

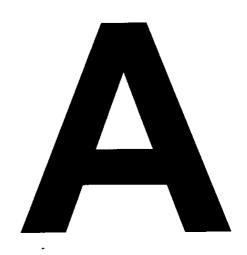
The Registrar of Companies, Companies House, First Floor, Waterfront Plaza, 8 Laganbank Road, Belfast, Northern Ireland, BT1 3BS. DX 481 N.R. Belfast 1.

Further information

For further information, please see the guidance notes on the website at www.companieshouse.gov.uk or email enquiries@companieshouse.gov.uk

This form is available in an alternative format. Please visit the forms page on the website at www.companieshouse.gov.uk

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BULK LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS OR MEMBERS FOR

COMPANY NUMBER :SC014692

COMPANY NAME : DUNEDIN SMALLER COMPANIES

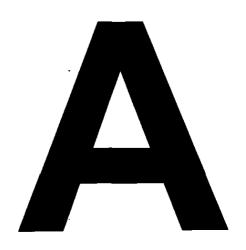
INVESTMENT TRUST PLC

A BULK LIST OF SHAREHOLDERS OR MEMBERS FOR THIS COMPANY HAS BEEN LODGED BUT DOES NOT APPEAR ON THIS ANNUAL RETURN. THE LIST WILL BE AVAILABLE TO REQUEST ON MICROFICHE OR PAPER APPROXIMATELY 10 DAYS FROM 10/03/2010. TO ORDER A COPY OF THE BULK LIST ON MICROFICHE OR PAPER CALL THE NUMBERS BELOW:

COMPANIES HOUSE DIRECT CUSTOMERS PLEASE PHONE 08457 573991

WEB CUSTOMERS
PLEASE PHONE 0870 333 3636

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