# **MAJEDIE INVESTMENTS PLC**

## Monthly Factsheet

### **Company Information**

Founded in 1910, Majedie Investments PLC is an investment trust listed on the London Stock Exchange. In January 2023, the Company appointed Marylebone Partners LLP as its investment manager, whilst moving to a 'liquid endowment' strategy designed to deliver attractive real returns. With equities at its heart, the approach is long-term and fundamental. It emphasises differentiated return sources but does not incorporate deeply illiquid or hard-to-value assets. Marylebone Partners draws upon a proprietary ideas network, which the firm's principals have built over several decades at industry-leading firms, to source each portfolio investment.

The Majedie Investments PLC portfolio concentrates on three complementary strategies:

#### Special Investments

These are eclectic opportunities with high return potential, including co-investments, thematic funds and special purpose vehicles. These situations are often challenging to access and rarely come to the attention of other investors. All Special Investments are marked to market on a regular basis, and are expected to be monetised within 36 months of initiation.

#### **External Managers**

This strategy involves allocations to leading specialist funds that pursue a fundamental skill-based approach, capitalising on structural inefficiencies in specific niche areas. Each manager in the Majedie portfolio has a distinct style and/or expertise in a geographic region or industry sector. Marylebone Partners has extensive experience of identifying best-in-class funds globally, with a preference for independent owner-operated boutiques whose managers' interests are aligned.

#### **Direct Investments**

This strategy focuses on long-term, non-consensual investments in the public equities of value-creating companies. Portfolio companies have robust growth prospects, good levels of business profitability, and unappreciated earnings power. The selection process targets idiosyncratic bottom-up opportunities, combined to provide high active share and no inherent style or sectoral bias.

#### As at 30 September 2023

#### **Investment Objective**

The Company's investment objective is to deliver long-term capital growth whilst preserving shareholders' capital and paying a regular dividend.

The performance target is to achieve net annualised total returns (in GBP) of at least 4 per cent. above the UK CPI, over rolling five-year periods.

#### **Kev Facts**

Key Facts	
Share Price	196.5p
Market Capitalisation	£104.1m
Total Assets	£148.8m
Shares in issue	52,998,795
Ticker	MAJE.LN
Sector	Flexible
Dividend payable	Quarterly
NAV per Share (Debt at Fair Value)	241.4p
Premium / Discount (Debt at Fair Value)	-18.6%
Debt at Fair Value	£20.8m
Financial Year End	30 September
Final dividend for the year to 30.09.22	4.2p
Special dividend for the year to 30.09.22	1.8p
Quarterly dividend to 31.03.23	1.8p
AGM	January



Price per share and Premium / Discount are based on the Company's estimated Net Asset Value released to the market. Marylebone Partners assumed management of the portfolio on 25 January 2023.

### **Performance Analysis**

	MTD	FY-to-Date 30/09/22 to 30/09/23	3YR (ann.)	5YR (ann.)
Net Asset Value (Debt at FV)	-2.1%	+14.1%	+4.5%	-1.9%
Total Shareholder Return	+5.5%	+26.2%	+9.1%	-1.9%

Strategy		Curre	it Month
		Allocation	Contribution
Special Investments		9%	-4 bps
External Managers		61%	-127 bps
Direct Investments		20%	-62 bps
Other		0%	-6 bps
Cash & Equivalents*		9%	-2 bps
· · · · · ·	Total	100%	-204 bps

\*Including gilts. Excludes the effects of gearing.

**Exposure Analysis** 

Strategy Allocation





Refers to GICS regional classification (in the case of direct investments), or area of primary geographic focus (in the case of external managers).





37%

39%

18%

6%

Profile

Thematic

Co-invest

Co-invest

Co-invest

Co-invest

Largest Special Investment Holdings

•	Equity-centric	53%

- Absolute Return 31%
- Real Assets 3%

29%

70%

1%

1%

Cash 9%

Fair Value Hierarchy<sup>(ii)</sup>

Level I

Level II

Level III

Cash

Holding

1.8%

1.6%

1.5%

1.4%

1.0%



USD

Special Investments	External Managers
Asset Hedge	Others

Active Net of Hedges

GBP

ernal Managers	Direct Investments
ners	Cash

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Largest External Manager Holdings			Largest Direct Investment Holdings		
Security	Specialism	Holding	Security	Profile	Holding
Silver Point	Credit	6.4%	KBR Inc	Govt Servs	2.0%
Helikon Long Short Equity Fund	Regional (Europe)	6.0%	Weir Group plc	Industrials	1.8%
Millstreet	Credit	6.0%	UnitedHealth Group Inc	Healthcare	1.7%
Contrarian Emerging Markets	EM Credit	5.4%	Wabtec Corp.	Industrials	1.7%
Praesidium	Software	4.2%	Sage Group plc	Software	1.5%

#### Important Information

Liquidity Analysis<sup>(i)</sup>

<30 days

30-90 days

>365 days

Security

90-365 days

Project Uranium

**Project Bungalow** 

Project Challenger

Project Diameter

**Project Sherpa** 

(i) Liquidity analysis assumes a liquidation of all assets under management. For Direct holdings, the days liquidity is calculated at one-third of the three-month average daily trading volume. For external manager and (ii) As part of the disclosure requirements for fair value measurements, an entity shall classify fair value measurements using a "fair value hierarchy" that categorises the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure

fair value. The fair value hierarchy has three different levels and gives the highest priority to quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs. Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets and liabilities the entity can access at the measurement date; Level 2 inputs are inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset and liability, either directly or indirectly and Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. Investments in external funds for which a NAV is calculated on a monthly basis and in which subscriptions and redemptions are permitted on a monthly or quarterly basis have been classified as Level 2, whilst special investments in which there is no observable pricing in markets have been classified as Level 3

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