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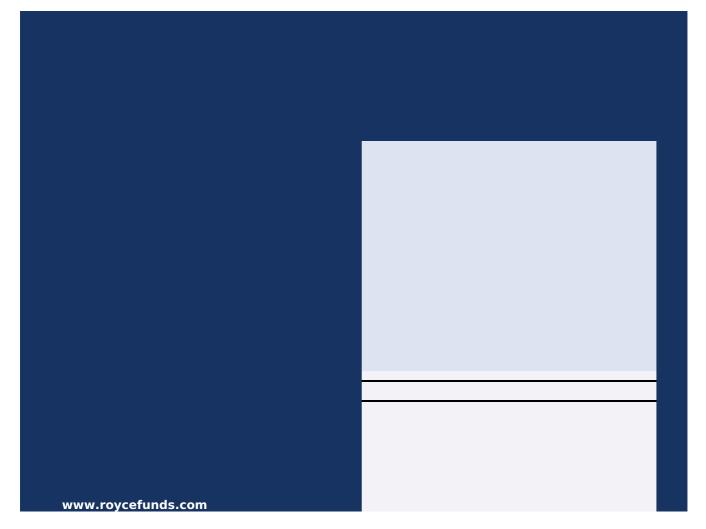
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**Royce Value Trust** 

Royce Micro-Cap Trust

**Royce Focus Trust** 

# SEMIANNUAL REVIEW AND REPORT TO STOCKHOLDERS



# A Few Words on Closed-End Funds

Royce & Associates, LLC manages three closed-end funds: Royce Value Trust, the first small-cap value closed-end fund offering; Royce Micro-Cap Trust, the only micro-cap closed-end fund; and Royce Focus Trust, a closed-end fund that invests in a limited number of primarily small-cap companies.

A closed-end fund is an investment company whose shares are listed and traded on a stock exchange. Like all investment companies, including open-end mutual funds, the assets of a closed-end fund are professionally managed in accordance with the investment objectives and policies approved by the fund s Board of Directors. A closed-end fund raises cash for investment by issuing a fixed number of shares through initial and other public offerings that may include shelf offerings and periodic rights offerings. Proceeds from the offerings are invested in an actively managed portfolio of securities. Investors wanting to buy or sell shares of a publicly traded closed-end fund after the offerings must do so on a stock exchange, as with any publicly traded stock. This is in contrast to open-end mutual funds, in which the fund sells and redeems its shares on a continuous basis.

# A Closed-End Fund Offers Several Distinct Advantages Not Available From An Open-End Fund Structure

- n Since a closed-end fund does not issue redeemable securities or offer its securities on a continuous basis, it does not need to liquidate securities or hold uninvested assets to meet investor demands for cash redemptions, as an open-end fund must.
- n In a closed-end fund, not having to meet investor redemption requests or invest at inopportune times is ideal for value managers who attempt to buy stocks when prices are depressed and sell securities when prices are high.
- n A closed-end fund may invest more freely in less liquid portfolio securities because it is not subject to potential stockholder redemption demands. This is particularly beneficial for Royce-managed closed-end funds, which invest in small- and micro-cap securities.

- n The fixed capital structure allows permanent leverage to be employed as a means to enhance capital appreciation potential.
- Unlike Royce s open-end funds, our closed-end funds are able to distribute capital gains on a quarterly basis. Each of the Funds has adopted a quarterly distribution policy for its common stock.

We believe that the closed-end fund structure is very suitable for the long-term investor who understands the benefits of a stable pool of capital.

#### Why Dividend Reinvestment Is Important

A very important component of an investor s total return comes from the reinvestment of distributions. By reinvesting distributions, our investors can maintain an undiluted investment in a Fund. To get a fair idea of the impact of reinvested distributions, please see the charts on pages 13, 15 and 17. For additional information on the Funds Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Options and the benefits for stockholders, please see page 19 or visit our website at www.roycefunds.com.

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For more than 30 years, we have used a value approach to invest in smaller-cap securities. We focus primarily on the quality of a company[]s balance sheet, its ability to generate free cash flow and other measures of profitability or sound financial condition. At times, we may also look at other factors, such as a company[]s unrecognized asset values, its future growth prospects or its turnaround potential following an earnings disappointment or other business difficulties. We then use these factors to assess the company[]s current worth, basing the assessment on either what we believe a knowledgeable buyer might pay to acquire the entire company, or what we think the value of the company should be in the stock market.

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# Performance Table

# Average Annual NAV Total Returns

Through June 30, 2007

	Royce Value Trust	Royce Micro-Cap Trust	Royce Focus Trust	Russell 2000
Second Quarter 2007 <u>*</u>	6.30%	4.39%	8.24%	4.41%
Year-to-Date 2007 <u>*</u>	9.83	9.23	15.94	6.45
One-Year	19.70	19.87	24.26	16.43
Three-Year	16.39	16.08	21.31	13.45
Five-Year	15.46	16.54	21.57	13.88
10-Year	13.63	14.34	14.16	9.06
15-Year	14.45	n/a	n/a	11.92
20-Year	13.01	n/a	n/a	10.10
Since Inception	13.17	14.76	15.22	
Inception Date	11/26/86	12/14/93	11/1/96 <u>**</u>	

### **Important Performance and Risk Information**

All performance information in this Review and Report reflects past performance, is presented on a total return basis and reflects the reinvestment of distributions. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Performance information does not reflect the deduction of taxes that a stockholder would pay on distributions or on the sale of Fund shares. Investment return and principal value of an investment will fluctuate, so that shares may be worth more or less than their original cost when sold. Current performance may be higher or lower than performance quoted. Current month-end performance may be obtained at www.roycefunds.com. The Royce Funds invest primarily in securities of small-cap and/or micro-cap companies, which may involve considerably more risk than investments in securities of larger-cap companies.

The thoughts expressed in this Review and Report to Stockholders concerning recent market movements and future prospects for small company stocks are solely the opinion of Royce at June 30, 2007, and, of course, historical market trends are not necessarily indicative of future market movements. Statements regarding the future prospects for particular securities held in the Funds] portfolios and Royce]s investment intentions with respect to those securities reflect Royce]s opinions as of June 30, 2007 and are subject to change at any time without notice. There can be no assurance that securities mentioned in this Review and Report to Stockholders will be included in any Royce-managed portfolio in the future.

#### \*Not annualized.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Date Royce & Associates, LLC assumed investment management responsibility for the Fund.

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# **Rolling Stone Blues**

At first blush, the mid-point of 2007 looked very similar to the end of 2006. The economy s condition was mostly positive, interest rates remained low and global liquidity levels remained flush following some vexing signs of contraction earlier in the year. The stock market kept moving mostly upwards, and the long bull market for small-caps in particular showed few signs of slowing down prior to July of this year. What s new for 2007 is that larger companies have emerged in the short run as market leaders, though the margin of outperformance versus small-cap both year-to-date and for the one-year period ended June 30 was not enormous. Within small-cap, there has been a move toward larger, arguably higher-quality companies that s distinct from the generally better returns achieved by more speculative issues in 2006. The overall direction remained positive for smaller companies, as it did for stocks as a whole. Equity investors continued to benefit from a remarkable run that included more of the overall market than is usually thought, small-cap having long since stolen the headlines from its larger peers as The Only Asset Class Worth Owning in some quarters.

Like the Rolling Stones, the bull market just kept going and going and going, almost automatic in its overall upward movement, its success seemingly taken for granted, with so many investors sure that the big hits would not fade away. As value investors, prone to a cautious, if not pessimistic, temperament, this blissful confidence on the part of certain observers was the object of our skepticism. Our view for the past few years has been that the bull market is nearly out of time. Although the market has so far seen fit to prove us wrong (though July s correction could be a sign of things to come), we remain convinced

One of the advantages of employing an all-weather strategy to select smaller company stocks is that we continue to do what we have always done regardless of the market[]s behavior. When smaller company stock prices were on the rise, it was more challenging to find the compelling values that have always been our stock in trade, but the search goes on whether the overall small-cap market is moving up or down.

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that a more historically typical correction of 15% or better is in the near future for smaller companies. The positive-performance phase that began in the fall of 2002 was interrupted by only two corrections in the 10%-14% range[]one in 2004-5 and another in 2006[]and a handful of others that were shy of double digits. To paraphrase the poet, the course of true market cycles never did run smooth. At least not as smooth as this current cycle. And to us, this was a warning. As we saw in July, when stock prices fell harder then they did during any other month this year, things can change very quickly. **Along with our belief in regression to the mean, our conviction that markets are inherently cyclical is too firm to counter any temptation to abandon the lessons of history.** 

As active small-cap managers with large stakes throughout the small-cap universe, perhaps we should be more consistently happy with a market that before July had been gathering no moss and few, if any bears. Maybe we should try a little harder to relax and simply enjoy the good times. Make no mistake, we are mostly very pleased and more than happy to reap the benefits of the robust returns that smaller stocks have been providing since the most recent small-cap market trough in October 2002. However, as the small-cap bull stampeded its way toward a fifth full year, we were also in the midst of our own 19th Nervous Breakdown (and at least as many bear market predictions) as we awaited what seemed to us an inevitable small-cap downturn. Even as the market was swaying to higher and higher levels, we could not escape the nagging and persistent reality that historically strong bull markets often give way to serious corrections, and the longer the good times last, the more likely it seems that the bear s bite will be

Over the past decade or so the arowth in the number and variety of equity market indices has been explosive. Russell, Standard & Poor ([S&P]), Wilshire, and Barra have all become accepted names in the equity world with stables of various indices. Considering the burgeoning number and scope of equity market indices, it is critical that investors better understand the composition, attribution and construction methodology among similar equity market indices.

As the Standard & Poor[]s 500 index recently celebrated its 50th anniversary, we thought that it might be helpful to delve into the particulars of the more prominent small-cap indices, and how we at The Royce Funds view them. Two of the most prominent are the Russell 2000 and the S&P SmallCap 600, both widely accepted benchmarks for small-cap equities. Yet each is different in composition, attribution and construction methodology.

The Russell 2000 index is the oldest dating back to 1979[]and broadest of the two small-cap indices. It measures the performance of the 2,000 smallest companies in the Russell 3000 Index (which represents 99% of the U.S.

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deep. Of course, one of the advantages of employing an all-weather strategy to select smaller company stocks is that we continue to do what we have always done regardless of the market sbehavior. When smaller company stock prices were on the rise, it was more challenging to find the compelling values that have always been our stock in trade, but the search goes on whether the overall small-cap market is moving up or down.

# It[]s All Over Now

If our call for overall lower returns has not yet panned out, and our prediction of a small-cap correction has thus far proved at best premature, we can take a small measure of comfort for

4 | This page is not part of the 2007 Semiannual Report to Stockholders our forecasting acumen in the emergence of large-cap as a market leader, a development we thought first looked likely by the beginning of 2006. As usually happens, the case for large-cap leadership took on a certain inevitability only with the gift of hindsight. In 2005, the large-cap S&P 500 and the small-cap Russell 2000 finished the year with near-identical results [] the S&P 500 was up 4.9% while the Russell 2000 gained 4.6%. The large-cap index relinquished the performance crown in 2006 (+15.8% versus 18.4%), but small-cap regained its edge mostly through the courtesy of a torrid first quarter and a strong fourth quarter. In both 2006 bearish second quarter and large-cap in part because we do not flat-to-down third quarter, the S&P 500 beat the Russell 2000, events we regarded as especially telling of a shift to large-cap leadership. That third-quarter outperformance (+5.7% versus +0.4%) was the key to giving the large-cap index an edge for the second half of 2006; it also contributed to large-cap outgaining small-cap for the one-year period ended 6/30/07, up 20.6% versus 16.4%.

Two thousand seven has been different in terms of its first-half performance patterns, yet the end result through the end of June showed the S&P 500 ahead of its small-cap counterpart. During this year s first quarter, a period that was positive for almost every segment of the stock market save certain small-cap growth companies and many micro-cap stocks, the S&P 500 gained a paltry 0.6% versus 2.0% for the Russell 2000. (The Nasdag Composite, meanwhile, managed a 0.3% gain.) The second guarter saw higher returns spread more consistently throughout the market. Large-cap led small-cap, with the S&P 500 up 6.3% versus 4.4% for its small-cap sibling, while the Nasdaq Composite led both indices with a gain of 7.5%. For the year-to-date period ended 6/30/07, the Nasdaq Composite actually led, its 7.8% gain ahead of the S&P 500 7.0% return and the Russell 2000∏s 6.5% showing.

These first-half results, as well as the large- and small-cap indices one-year returns, were consistent with our thought that when large-cap stocks did finally assume a leadership role, the margin of outperformance would be slight. We remain committed to the idea that large-cap $\Box$ s stay at the top should be brief, as frequent leadership rotation seems likely to roll on. Considering the recent status of large-cap<sup>¬</sup>s leadership, it should come as no surprise that the long-term performance edge remained with smaller companies. The Russell 2000 outpaced the S&P 500 for the three-, five-, 10- and 15-year periods ended 6/30/07. In addition, the small-cap index outgained its large-cap counterpart in two-thirds of the S&P 500[]s positive quarters in each three-, five- and 10-year period ended 6/30/07.

### Not Fade Away

During the first half, a similar shift in leadership arrived via a different route between value and growth within small-cap. The Russell 2000 Value index had maintained a near-

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equity market) and accounts for approximately 8% of the total market capitalization of the larger Russell index. As of the end of June 2007, the median market cap of the Russell 2000 was \$695 million. The largest company by market cap in the index was \$3.3 billion and the smallest was \$125 million. **Companies with** market capitalizations in excess of \$2.5 billion represented 6% of the index, while micro-caps, which Royce defines as companies with market capitalizations less than \$500 million, comprised roughly 13% of the index. In terms of attribution. **Financial Services** represented the largest sector weight in the index at the end of June 2007, at 22.6%. Industrials (autos and transportation. materials and processing and producer durable) and Consumer Discretionary followed, with weightings of 21.5% and 19.2%, respectively.

Introduced in 1994, the S&P SmallCap 600 is more concentrated than the Russell 2000, consisting of 600 names that cover approximately 3% of the domestic equity market.

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stranglehold on small-cap leadership until the first quarter of 2007, when it slipped under the thumb of its small-cap growth sibling. During both the first guarter (+1.5%)versus +2.5%) and second guarter (+2.3%versus +6.7%), the Russell 2000 Value index lost ground to the Russell 2000 Growth index. Interestingly for us, value also underperformed growth from the interim small-cap peak on 2/22/07 through 6/30/07, down 0.8% compared to a gain of 2.9%. This consistent underperformance, even during the year s more volatile periods, not only put small-cap value in second place for the year-to-date period ended 6/30/07 (+3.8% versus +9.3%), it also cost small-cap value the performance edge for the most recent 12-month period. For the one-year period ended 6/30/07, the Russell 2000 Value index was up 16.1% versus 16.8% for the Russell 2000 Growth index.

Paralleling the performance patterns of small-cap versus large-cap, the Russell 2000 Value index maintained its lead over the Russell 2000 Growth index for longer-term periods. It bested small-cap growth for the three-, five-, 10-, 15-, 20- and 25-year periods ended 6/30/07. A critical element in this performance edge came from small-cap value s better performance during the nearly five-year bull-market period following the small-cap market trough in October 2002, and from its superior results from the previous small-cap market peak on 3/9/00 through 6/30/07. What gives us some pause about the current period is the relative strength of small-cap growth in the more volatile period from that February 2007 interim peak. This is in stark contrast to 2006, a period in which small-cap value beat small-cap growth in up, down and more mixed quarters. However, we have been less focused on the leadership issue within small-cap than we are in the wider worlds of small- and large-cap in part because we do not limit ourselves in the broad small-cap universe by attaching labels to stocks such as [value] or [growth.]

Cool, Calm & Collected

The median market cap of the S&P SmallCap 600 was \$820 million as of the end of June 2007. The largest company by market cap in the index was \$5.0 billion and the smallest was \$70 million. Companies with more than \$2.5 billion in market cap comprised approximately 7%, while micro-caps represented 20% of the overall index. Industrials (materials and processing and producer durable) represented the largest sector weighting in the index at 19.1%, followed by Information

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Another reason for our bemusement is rooted in our own Funds∏ recent results. While the Russell 2000 Value index was dominating small-cap performance in 2006, our closed-end portfolios were underperforming the small-cap value index. Yet during the first half of 2007, these same portfolios each outperformed the Russel 2000 Value Index on a net asset value (NAV) basis. So it would seem that the distinctions between small-cap value and growth stocks being drawn by the wider world may no longer be as significant as they were also even a few years ago. All three portfolios were also ahead of their small-cap benchmark, the Russell 2000, for the year-to-date period ended 6/30/07 on an NAV basis, and each outpaced the small-cap index on both and NAV and market price basis for the 12 months ended 6/30/07. When we turn to the long view, the news becomes even better. Each of our closed-end Funds outperformed the **Russell 2000 from the previous** small-cap market peak on 3/9/00 through 6/30/07 and from the small-cap market

6 | This page is not part of the 2007 Semiannual Report to Stockholders trough on 10/9/02 through 6/30/07. In addition, each closed-end Royce Fund outgained the Russell 2000 for the three-, five- and 10-year periods ended 6/30/07 on both an NAV and market price basis.

First-half strength came from holdings in several sectors, but the leader in each portfolio was the Industrial Products sector. It prevailed in part owing to the success of certain holdings. Synalloy Corporation was a top performer on a dollar basis in Royce Value Trust and Royce Micro-Cap Trust, while Florida Rock Industries and IPSCO dominated dollar-based gains in Royce Focus Trust. Holdings in Natural Resources and Technology were generally solid as well. Although micro-cap stocks finished the first half trailing their larger small-cap peers, any ill effects scarcely registered in the Funds∏ first-half returns. We were therefore generally pleased with the Funds□ first-half returns, especially in a market climate that has made it more and more challenging to find the sort of attractive values that we like.

# You Can It Always Get What You Want

Indeed, the reality of small-cap[]s status as a permanent, professional asset class[]something that we are happy to report does not seem likely to change, even in the event of a correction more severe than what we think is probable[]cuts both ways for us. The popularity of ETFs and other index-based investments has played an important role in helping small-cap to be taken more seriously as an asset class. We also think that the related success of small-cap value approaches has been a factor in this growing esteem because a large number of investors saw that you could invest in small-cap stocks or indices with attractively low volatility scores. However, this has also created new tests for our purchase habits, in which we seek high-quality companies selling for bargain prices.

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Technology at 17.1%, and Financial Services at 15.8% at the end of June 2007.

Another important difference between the two indices is the respective construction methodology. The S&P SmallCap 600 is designed to be an efficient portfolio of companies that meet specific inclusion criteria to ensure that they are investable and financially viable. Inclusion in the index is determined subjectively by the S&P Index Committee, which adds new stocks to the index based not only on size, but also on financial viability, liquidity, adequate float size and other trading requirements.

In contrast, the Russell 2000 is more objective in nature; it has no committee to determine membership and stresses the need to accurately represent the market as it is. Kelly Haughton, strategic director for the Russell Indices, believes that []the market should decide which stocks belong in an index, especially if the index is to provide an unbiased benchmark for measuring the results of money managers] investment decisions.]

With differing composition, attribution and construction, performance can also vary dramatically. In fact, examining the annual performance of the two indices over the past 10 years shows that the spread has been as wide as 1400 basis points in a single calendar year. Still, we think that the Russell 2000 and the Standard & Poor[]s SmallCap 600 Index are reasonable proxies of the small capitalization world.

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Unquestionably, in our view, the major player in the extension of the small-cap bull market has been the vast amount of global liquidity. The world has been awash with capital looking for a profitable home, and that⊓s been an enormous factor in keeping stock prices afloat. Many of the investment vehicles that have become increasingly better known[]not just ETFs, but hedge funds, as well as merger and acquisition (M&A) and private equity activity have been fueled to some degree by the large amounts of cash circling the globe. Global liquidity has worked to make M&As, leveraged buyouts and privatizations increasingly commonplace in the financial marketplace. The United States is in the midst of a mega-merger wave, with the number and size of the transactions exploding. During the first half of 2007, 15 companies in the S&P 500 announced takeovers, while 111 companies in the Russell 2000

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had deals pending. Equally important, the trend has shown no signs of slowing down within the small-cap world.

However mindful of the significance of these figures, we still do not believe that the extraordinary amount of global liquidity changes the rules of the road in the U.S. equity market, at least over the long run. Cyclicality remains the norm. Today s small-cap market is no different than large-cap was during the [90s. Global liquidity has extended

a wonderful bull market, but it cannot save the market from history, which means that sooner or later, the good times will end. Smaller companies have been, and will continue to be, the target of private equity funds and larger companies flush with cash. Although it Is forecasts for the market to cloud our clear that M&A activity is not the primary driver of long-term performance, it has already had a hand in the extended run for a small-cap bull market. Yet once the bull market for acquisitions ends, the softening in demand could precipitate a more widespread correction in the very market whose bullish phase it helped to extend in the first place.

Time Is On Our Side

As we look forward, we almost find ourselves wishing for a serious, though short-lived, correction for smaller stocks. We are still buying mostly on short-term dips, which typically do not yield the sort of absolute value that we would ideally prefer. Our goal is to be fully invested, but with purchase decisions becoming harder and harder, it has not been easy. Yet that is the reality of the current market (at least as of this writing), so we make our adjustments and deal with what we have on a daily basis. And even as we remain highly concerned about a correction for smaller companies, we are also confident about the long-term prospects for our chosen asset class. Whether or not a decidedly bearish July marked the beginning of a correction, we are still managing our portfolios with a long-term outlook and an absolute return bias. We have never allowed our thoughts on the short- or intermediate-term forecasts for the market to cloud our stock selection process. Regardless of where we think the market may be headed next, the search for great values in smaller stocks goes on, with the thought that our Funds can provide the kind of terrific long-term absolute returns that help our shareholders to build wealth.

Sincerely,

Charles M. Rovce President July 31, 2007 W. Whitney George Vice President

Jack E. Fockler, Jr. Vice President

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# **Directors and Officers**

All Directors and Officers may be reached c/o The Royce Funds, 1414 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10019

### Charles M. Royce, Director\*, President

Age: 67 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1986 Non-Royce Directorships: Director of Technology Investment Capital Corp.

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: President, Chief Investment Officer and Member of Board of Managers of Royce & Associates, LLC ([Royce]), the Trust]s investment adviser.

### Mark R. Fetting, Director\*

Age: 52 | Number of Funds Overseen: 41 | Tenure: Since 2001

Non-Royce Directorships: Director/Trustee of registered investment companies constituting the 16 Legg Mason Funds.

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Senior Executive Vice President of Legg Mason, Inc.; Member of Board of Managers of Royce. Mr. Fetting[]s prior business experience includes having served as Division President and Senior Officer, Prudential Financial Group, Inc. and related companies; Partner, Greenwich Associates and Vice President, T. Rowe Price Group, Inc.

#### Donald R. Dwight, Director

Age: 76 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1998 Non-Royce Directorships: None

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: President of Dwight Partners, Inc., corporate communications consultant; Chairman (from 1982 to March 1998) and Chairman Emeritus (since March 1998) of Newspapers of New England, Inc. Mr. Dwight[]s prior experience includes having served as Lieutenant Governor of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, as President and Publisher of Minneapolis Star and Tribune Company and as a Trustee of the registered investment companies constituting the Eaton Vance Funds.

### Richard M. Galkin, Director

Age: 69 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1986 Non-Royce Directorships: None

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Private investor. Mr. Galkin s prior business experience includes having served as President of Richard M.

Galkin Associates, Inc., telecommunications consultants, President of Manhattan Cable Television (a subsidiary of Time, Inc.), President of Haverhills Inc. (another Time, Inc. subsidiary), President of Rhode Island Cable Television and Senior Vice President of Satellite Television Corp. (a subsidiary of Comsat).

### Stephen L. Isaacs, Director

Age: 67 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1989 Non-Royce Directorships: None

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: President of The Center for Health and Social Policy (since September 1996); Attorney and President of Health Policy Associates, Inc., consultants. Mr. Isaacs[]s prior business experience includes having served as Director of Columbia University Development Law and Policy Program and Professor at Columbia University (until August 1996).

### William L. Koke, Director

Age: 72 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1996 Non-Royce Directorships: None

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Private investor. Mr. Koke[]s prior business experience includes having served as President of Shoreline Financial Consultants, Director of Financial Relations of SONAT, Inc., Treasurer of Ward Foods, Inc. and President of CFC, Inc.

#### Arthur S. Mehlman, Director

Age: 65 | Number of Funds Overseen: 41 | Tenure: Since 2004

Non-Royce Directorships: Director/Trustee of registered investment companies constituting the 16 Legg Mason Funds and Director of Municipal Mortgage & Equity, LLC.

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Director of The League for People with Disabilities, Inc.; Director of University of Maryland Foundation (non-profits). Formerly: Director of University of Maryland College Park Foundation (non-profit) (from 1998 to 2005); Partner, KPMG LLP (international accounting firm) (from 1972 to 2002); Director of Maryland Business Roundtable for Education (from July 1984 to June 2002).

#### David L. Meister, Director

Age: 67 | Number of Funds Overseen: 25 | Tenure: Since 1986 Non-Royce Directorships: None

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Consultant. Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of The Tennis Channel (from June 2000 to March 2005). Chief Executive officer of Seniorlife.com (from December 1999 to May 2000). Mr. Meister sprior business experience includes having served as a consultant to the communications industry, President of Financial News Network, Senior Vice President of

HBO, President of Time-Life Films and Head of Broadcasting for Major League Baseball.

#### G. Peter O[Brien, Director

Age: 61 | Number of Funds Overseen: 41 | Tenure: Since 2001

Non-Royce Directorships: Director/Trustee of registered investment companies constituting the 16 Legg Mason Funds; Director of Technology Investment Capital Corp.

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Trustee Emeritus of Colgate University (since 2005); Board Member of Hill House, Inc. (since 1999); Formerly: Trustee of Colgate University (from 1996 to 2005), President of Hill House, Inc. (from 2001 to 2005) and Managing Director/Equity Capital Markets Group of Merrill Lynch & Co. (from 1971 to 1999).

John D. Diederich, Vice President and Treasurer Age: 55 | Tenure: Since 2001

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Chief Operating Officer, Managing Director and member of the Board of Managers of Royce; Chief Financial Officer of Royce; Director of Administration of the Trust; and President of RFS, having been employed by Royce since April 1993.

Jack E. Fockler, Jr., Vice President Age: 48 | Tenure: Since 1995

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Managing Director and Vice President of Royce, and Vice President of RFS, having been employed by Royce since October 1989.

W. Whitney George, Vice President Age: 49 | Tenure: Since 1995

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Managing Director and Vice President of Royce, having been employed by Royce since October 1991.

Daniel A. O[Byrne, Vice President and Assistant Secretary Age: 45 | Tenure: Since 1994

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Principal and Vice President of Royce, having been employed by Royce since October 1986.

John E. Denneen, Secretary and Chief Legal Officer Age: 40 | Tenure: 1996-2001 and Since April 2002

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: General Counsel (Deputy General Counsel prior to 2003), Principal, Chief Legal and Compliance Officer and Secretary of Royce; Secretary and Chief Legal Officer of The Royce Funds.

Lisa Curcio, Chief Compliance Officer Age: 47 | Tenure: Since 2004

Principal Occupation(s) During Past Five Years: Chief Compliance Officer of The Royce Funds (since October 2004); Compliance Officer of Royce (since June 2004); Vice President, The Bank of New York (from February 2001 to June 2004).

\* Interested Director.

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# **AVERAGE ANNUAL NAV TOTAL** RETURNS Through 6/30/07

Second Quarter 2007 <u>*</u>	6.30%
Jan - June 2007 <u>*</u>	9.83
One-Year	19.70
Three-Year	16.39
Five-Year	15.46
10-Year	13.63
15-Year	14.45
20-Year	13.01
Since Inception (11/26/86)	13.17

\* Not annualized.

# **CALENDAR YEAR NAV TOTAL** RETURNS

Year	RVT	Year	RVT
2006	19.5%	1997	27.5%
2005	8.4	1996	15.5
2004	21.4	1995	21.1
2003	40.8	1994	0.1
2002	-15.6	1993	17.3
2001	15.2	1992	19.3
2000	16.6	1991	38.4
1999	11.7	1990	-13.8
1998	3.3	1989	18.3

**TOP 10 POSITIONS** % of Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders

AllianceBernstein Holding L.P.	2.3%
Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers	1.5
Sotheby∏s Cl. A	1.4
Universal Compression Holdings	1.3
Lincoln Electric Holdings	1.1
SEACOR Holdings	1.1
PAREXEL International	1.0
Ash Grove Cement Cl. B	1.0
Brady Corporation Cl. A	0.9
Adaptec	0.8

## **PORTFOLIO SECTOR BREAKDOWN**

% of Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders

Technology	23.4%
Industrial Products	16.6
Industrial Services	11.0
Financial Intermediaries	10.8
Natural Resources	9.6
Financial Services	8.5
Health	6.8
Consumer Services	5.6
Consumer Products	4.8
Utilities	0.2
Diversified Investment Companies	0.1
Miscellaneous	2.2

Bonds and Preferred Stocks	0.2
Cash and Cash Equivalents	17.5

# **Royce Value Trust**

#### Manager S Discussion

Royce Value Trust[]s (RVT) diversified portfolio of small- and micro-cap stocks posted solid results during the first half of 2007. For the year-to-date period ended 6/30/07, the Fund was up 9.8% on a net asset value (NAV) basis and 0.6% on a market price basis versus a 6.5% return for the Russell 2000 and 8.6% for the S&P 600. For the first quarter, the Fund returned 3.3% on an NAV basis, and 1.5% on a market price basis compared with 2.0% and 3.2% for the Russell 2000 and S&P 600, respectively. The Fund[]s NAV results were also strong in the second quarter, with RVT posting a 6.3% gain compared with 4.4% and 5.3% for the Russell 2000 and S&P 600, while on a market price basis, the Fund disappointed, losing 0.8%.

RVT demonstrated strong absolute and relative results over market-cycle and other long-term periods. From the small-cap market peak on 3/9/00 through 6/30/07, RVT gained 154.2% on an NAV basis, versus 50.8% for the Russell 2000 and 106.4% for the S&P 600. During the mostly bullish phase from the small-cap market trough on 10/9/02 through 6/30/07, the Fund was up 189.4% compared to a gain of 169.9% for the Russell 2000 and 164.7% for the S&P 600. Fortunately, market-price performance difficulties during the first half did little to hurt performance over more extended periods. On both an NAV and market price basis, RVT held a performance advantage over both benchmarks for the one-, three-, five-, 10-, 15-, 20-year, and since inception (11/26/86) periods ended 6/30/07. **RVT** 

Positive performances could be found throughout RVT[]s portfolio, with the Industrial Products sector leading the way in dollar-based net gains. The worldwide boom in large-scale infrastructure construction,

; h	GOOD IDEAS THAT WO Net Realized and Unrealiz Return <u>*</u> Year-to-Date Through 6/3	ed Investment
	Sotheby∏s Cl. A	\$6,976,529
;	Synalloy Corporation	6,707,090
; ;	PAREXEL International	4,106,333

Synalloy, hails from

particularly in China, seems to be	ITT Educational Services	4,080,800
c h a n g i n g t h e business cycle. Many traditionally cyclical	AllianceBernstein Holding L.P.	3,024,548
industries are morphing into	*Includes dividends	
high-growth areas		
with rapidly		
increasing demand		
for their shares. It[]s a		
situation that we will		
continue to watch, as		
industrial companies		
have historically		
b e e n		
well-represented in		
the portfolio. The		
Fund[]s second-best		
performer in the first		
half of 2007,		

the Industrial Products sector in the top-performing construction materials industry. This conservatively capitalized pipe and piping systems maker saw its share price climb (before cooling off a bit toward the end of June) owing to ongoing earnings strength. We began to reduce our position in Mav.

### **Important Performance and Risk Information**

All performance information reflects past performance, is presented on a total return basis and reflects the reinvestment of distributions. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may be higher or lower than performance quoted. Returns as of the recent month-end may be obtained at www.roycefunds.com. The market price of the Fund<sub>[]</sub>s shares will fluctuate, so that shares may be worth more or less than their original cost when sold. The Fund invests primarily in securities of small-cap and micro-cap companies, which may involve considerably more risk than investing in a more diversified portfolio of larger-cap companies. Standard deviation is a statistical measure within which a fund s total returns have varied over time. The greater the standard deviation, the greater a fund s volatility. The Russell 2000 is an unmanaged index of domestic small-cap common stocks.

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# Performance and Portfolio Review

Other strong gainers in the sector included Lincoln Electric Holdings, Peerless Manufacturing Company, Kaydon Corporation and Florida Rock Industries, a takeover target that we have owned in the portfolio since 1986.

There were also notable successes outside of Industrial Products. We have held a position in Sotheby⊓s, the Fund⊓s top performing holding in the first half, since 1990. First and second guarter earnings strength helped the share price for this leading auction house to climb, and we trimmed our position in February and April. Impressive net gains also came from PAREXEL International, a company we have owned since 1998. This bio-pharmaceutical services company provides contract research, medical marketing, consulting, informatics, and advanced technology products and services to the pharmaceutical, biotechnology, and medical device industries worldwide. Its growing business and strong earnings helped its stock price stay healthy in the first half. Having recently celebrated its 25th anniversary in business, its standing as a long-term success in a volatile industry may also have helped.

GOOD IDEAS AT THE TI Net Realized and Unrealiz Investment Loss* Year-to-Date Through 6/3	zed
Opteum Cl. A	\$4,334,925
Newport Corporation	3,239,334
Kimball International Cl. B	2,893,948
First Consulting Group	2,389,434
Adaptec	2,196,485

\*Includes dividends

Corporation, which and consistent dividend. Although the fignes apong the Fund s top performers in 2006, its stock price sipped in the first half. We reduced our position in Febree Mucts, saw its

price slide throughout the first half. The firm r e p o r t e d lower-than-expected first-quarter profits that were especially acute in its laser

to help. Newport

Although every sector posted net gains, even the best performing periods have their blemishes. The slumping housing market and the related implosion of the subprime mortgage industry spelled trouble for real estate investment trusts such as Opteum. The departure of some of its veteran executives did little

#### **PORTFOLIO DIAGNOSTICS**

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division. Kimball International, which manufactures wood furniture, cabinets and electronic assembly products, is a company that we have owned in RVT[]s portfolio since 1986. We have long liked its low debt

Average Market Capitalization	\$1,254 million
Weighted Average P/E Ratio	21.0x
Weighted Average P/B Ratio	2.5x
Weighted Average Yield	0.9%
Fund Net Assets	\$1,270 million
Fund Net Assets Turnover Rate	
	million

\*Net leverage is the percentage, in excess of 100%, of the total value of equity type investments, divided by net assets, excluding preferred stock.

The Funds P/E ratio calculations exclude companies with zero or negative earnings.

### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**

Publicly Traded Securities Outstanding at 6/30/07 at NAV or Liquidation Value

58.5 million shares	\$1,270
of Common Stock	million
5.90% Cumulative	\$220
Preferred Stock	million

### **RISK/RETURN COMPARISON**

Five-Year Period Ended 6/30/07

	Average Annual Total Return	Standard Deviation	Return fficiency <u>*</u>
RVT (NAV)	15.46%	16.12	0.96
S&P 600	14.38	14.85	0.97
Russell 2000	13.88	16.47	0.84

\*Return Efficiency is the average annual total return divided by the annualized standard deviation over a designated time period.

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# AVERAGE ANNUAL NAV TOTAL RETURNS

Through 6/30/07

Second Quarter 2007 <u>*</u>	4.39%
Jan-June 2007 <u>*</u>	9.23
One-Year	19.87
Three-Year	16.08
Five-Year	16.54
10-Year	14.34
Since Inception (12/14/93)	14.76

\*Not annualized.

### CALENDAR YEAR NAV TOTAL RETURNS

Year	RMT	Year	RMT
2006	22.5%	1999	12.7%
2005	6.8	1998	-4.1
2004	18.7	1997	27.1
2003	55.6	1996	16.6
2002	-13.8	1995	22.9
2001	23.4	1994	5.0
2000	10.9		

### **TOP 10 POSITIONS**

% of Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders

Seneca Foods	1.3%
Highbury Financial	1.2

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MVC Capital	1.1
Sapient Corporation	1.1
Edge Petroleum	1.0
Pegasystems	1.0
PAREXEL International	0.9
Transaction Systems Architects Cl. A	0.9
Pason Systems	0.9
Weyco Group	0.9

# **PORTFOLIO SECTOR BREAKDOWN**

% of Net Assets Applicable

10	Common	Stockholders	

Technology	23.4%
Health	14.2
Industrial Products	14.2
Industrial Services	12.9
Financial Intermediaries	10.7
Natural Resources	10.4
Consumer Products	5.0
Consumer Services	4.6
Financial Services	4.2
Diversified Investment Companies	1.4
Miscellaneous	2.7
Preferred Stocks	1.5
Cash and Cash Equivalents	11.1

# Royce Micro-Cap Trust

#### Manager S Discussion

Royce Micro-Cap Trust[s diversified portfolio of diminutive companies fared well in the first half on both an absolute and relative basis. For the year-to-date period ended 6/30/07, the Fund gained 9.2% on a net asset value (NAV) basis, though on a market price basis it lost 2.9%, versus a return of 6.5% for its small-cap benchmark, the Russell 2000. The Fund[s strong absolute and relative NAV showing was consistent during the first half of 2007. RMT gained 4.6% in the first quarter versus 2.0% for the Russell 2000, while the Fund was down 0.7% on a market price basis. On an NAV basis, the Fund matched the gain of its benchmark in the second quarter, each up 4.4%, though its market price result was again disappointing, down 2.2%.

The Fund∏s market price struggles during the first half represented a cooling off after a terrific performance in 2006. Its poor first half fortunately did little harm to its long-term returns. From the previous small-cap market peak on 3/9/00 through 6/30/07, RMT was up 170.0% on a net asset value basis, and 223.0% on a market price basis, compared to the Russell 2000∏s 50.8% gain. During the more dynamic upswing from the small-cap market trough on 10/9/02 through 6/30/07, RMT gained 212.6% on an NAV basis and 243.3% on a market price basis, versus 169.9% for the small-cap benchmark. The Fund s returns during these market cycle periods were equally impressive on an absolute basis, something of greater importance to us, as much as we like to beat our benchmark. On both an NAV and market price basis, RMT outperformed the Russell 2000 for the one-, three-, five-, 10-year and since inception (12/14/93) periods ended 6/30/07. The Fund average annual NAV total return since inception was 14.8%.

One interesting development that we saw over the last several months has been a performance disparity within the micro-cap sector. Roughly coinciding with the move to higher quality that we have observed in the upper tier of the small-cap world has been better performance from larger, more established micro-cap companies. This benefited the Fund in the first half of 2007, as RMT[s average market

GOOD IDEAS THAT WORKED Net Realized and Unrealized Investment Return <u>*</u> Year-to-Date Through 6/30/07		
Synalloy Corporation	\$ 2,353,845	
The Geo Group	1,560,339	
PAREXEL International	1,541,307	
Covansys Corporation	1,474,748	
CMG Information Services	1,457,136	

\*Includes dividends

capitalization of \$290 million at the end of June leaned toward the higher range of the micro-cap world. Of course, we always seek quality in our portfolio selections even as we∏re aware that the micro-cap segment is only gradually finding acceptance as an area in which quality can be reliably found.

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# Performance and Portfolio Review

The Industrial Products sector led the way during the first half in terms of dollar-based net gains. The ongoing worldwide boom in large-scale infrastructure construction, particularly in China, has made industrial companies, historically well-represented in the portfolio, highly desirable. The Fund[]s top performer came from the sector. Synalloy is a conservatively capitalized pipe and piping services business that saw its share price increase driven by ongoing earnings strength before it cooled off a bit toward the end of June. We reduced our position in February and June. Holdings in machinery and other industrial products also posted strong first-half gains.

We have owned shares of privatized correctional and detention management company Geo Group, since January 2000. Its business grew during the first half[]allowing the company to reduce its debt[]and its stock split early in June, which helped its share price to break out while leading us to reduce our position later that same month. We have owned bio-pharmaceutical services company PAREXEL International in RMT[]s portfolio since 1999. Growing business and strong earnings helped its stock price to climb. Its standing as a long-term success in an otherwise volatile industry may also have helped. We reduced our position in June.

GOOD IDEAS AT THE TIME Net Realized and Unrealized Investment Loss <u>*</u> Year-to-Date Through 6/30/07		p o per peri
First Consulting Group	\$1,159,112	disa H e cons
Opteum Cl. A	943,260	Con lost
CorVel Corporation	859,879	that abou firm
Volt Information Sciences	793,760	Afte sold we i
Allied Defense Group	744,541	posi the the
		uie.

\*Includes dividends

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estate investment trusts suffered from the slumping housing market and the subprime mortgage industry crisis during the first half of 2007. Opteum, which we have owned since 2005, was no exception, and the firm [] s problems were exacerbated by the departure of some veteran executives. Its share price

dropped dramatically, and while that did not deliver positive results in the short run, we saw enough promise in the company to justify adding to our position.

### **PORTFOLIO DIAGNOSTICS**

Average Market Capitalization	\$290 million
Weighted Average P/E Ratio	20.6x <u>*</u>
Weighted Average P/B Ratio	2.1x
Weighted Average Yield	0.7%
Fund Net Assets	\$369 million
Turnover Rate	19%
Net Leverage	5%
Symbol Market Price NAV	RMT XOTCX

\*Excludes 22% of portfolio holdings with zero or negative earnings as of 6/30/07.

Net leverage is the percentage, in excess of 100%, of the total value of equity type investments, divided by net assets, excluding preferred stock.

# CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Publicly Traded Securities Outstanding at 6/30/07 at NAV or Liquidation Value

23.8 million shares of Common Stock	\$369 million
6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock	\$60 million

### **RISK/RETURN COMPARISON**

Five-Year Period Ended 6/30/07

	Average Annual Total Return	Standard Deviation	Return Efficiency <u>*</u>
RMT (NAV)	16.54%	17.02	0.97
Russell 2000	13.88	16.47	0.84

\*Return Efficiency is the average annual total return divided by the annualized standard deviation over a designated time period.

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### AVERAGE ANNUAL NAV TOTAL RETURNS Through 6/30/07

Second Quarter 2007 <u>*</u>	8.24%
Jan-June 2007 <u>*</u>	15.94
One-Year	24.26
Three-Year	21.31
Five-Year	21.57
10-Year	14.16
Since Inception (11/1/96)	15.22

#### \* Not annualized.

Royce & Associates assumed investment management responsibility for the Fund on 11/1/96.

### **CALENDAR YEAR NAV TOTAL RETURNS**

Year	FUND	Year	FUND
2006	15.9%	2001	10.0%
2005	13.3	2000	20.9
2004	29.2	1999	8.7
2003	54.3	1998	-6.8
2002	-12.5	1997	20.5

### **TOP 10 POSITIONS**

% of Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders
Australia Government 7.50% Bond

New Zealand Government 6.00% Bond	4.2
Ivanhoe Mines	3.5
Unit Corporation	3.5

4.7%

Schnitzer Steel Industries Cl. A	3.3
Reliance Steel & Aluminum	3.1
Thor Industries	3.0
Knight Capital Group Cl. A	2.9
Lincoln Electric Holdings	2.9
KKR Financial Holdings	2.7
<b>PORTFOLIO SECTOR BREAKDOWN</b> % of Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders	
Natural Resources	24.7%
Industrial Products	21.8
Technology	6.6
Consumer Products	6.6
Industrial Services	6.3
Financial Intermediaries	5.6
Health	5.1
Consumer Services	4.2
Financial Services	1.2
Bonds	8.9
	22.8

### **Royce Focus Trust**

#### Manager[]s Discussion

Royce Focus Trust (FUND) made its way successfully through the pleasantly buoyant waters of 2007 s first half, with notable results on both an absolute and relative basis. **The Fund posted dynamic** 

year-to-date returns, up 15.9% on a net asset value (NAV) basis and 8.6% on a market price basis, in both instances ahead of FUND<sub>[]</sub>s small-cap benchmark, the Russell 2000, which was up 6.5% for the same period. Results were positive throughout the year s first six months. In the first quarter, the Fund was up 7.1% on a net asset value (NAV) basis, and 7.4% on a market price basis, both results well out in front of the small-cap index, which was up 2.0%. During the second guarter, the Fund again outpaced the benchmark on an NAV basis, up 8.2% versus 4.4%, while its return on a market price basis was 1.2%.

As gratifying as recent short-term outperformance was, it remains the case that the Fund[]s market cycle and other long-term periods offer what we believe is the best gauge of its strength. We were very pleased, then, that FUND maintained its longstanding record of strong absolute performances over these time periods. From the previous small-cap market peak on 3/9/00 through 6/30/07, FUND was up 248.4% and 327.3% on NAV and market price bases, respectively, versus a 50.8% result for the small-cap index.

The Fund also beat the Russell 2000 during the mostly bullish phase from	GOOD IDEAS THAT WORKED Net Realized and Unrealized Investment Return Year-to-Date Through 6/30/07		
10/9/02 through 6/30/07, gaining	IPSCO	\$3,396,454	
266.3% on an NAV basis and 298.4% on a market price	Florida Rock Industries	2,290,728	
basis, while the Russell 2000	Tesco Corporation	1,996,506	
gained 169.9% for the same	Ivanhoe Mines	1,984,500	
period. These strong market cycle results were a key	Reliance Steel & Aluminum	1,704,000	
factor in EUNDER			

cycle res were a factor in FUND[]s \*Includes dividends outperformance t h e o f benchmark over calendar-based periods. On both an NAV and market price basis, the Fund∏s limited portfolio of primarily small-cap stocks outpaced the index for the one-, three-, five-, 10-year а n d since-inception o f o u r

management periods ended 6/30/07. FUND[]s a v e r a g e annual NAV total return s i n c e t h e inception of o u r management (11/1/96) was 15.2%.

Although there were plenty of positive performances in the portfolio during the first half, the strongest dollar-based net gains came from the Industrial Products and Natural Resources sectors. The Fund]s top two performers, IPSCO and Florida Rock Industries, were Industrial Products holdings. We first began to buy shares of construction aggregates company Florida Rock Industries in other Royce-managed portfolios more than 20 years ago and have had a position in FUND]s portfolio since 1998. In February 2007, the

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company was acquired by a larger competitor at a substantial premium. We finished selling our stake in April. The firm was consistently attractive to us as a conservatively capitalized, well-run business in a cyclical industry that has historically garnered attention from value investors. Canadian steel production and fabrication company IPSCO first attracted our attention in 2004 with its pristine balance sheet, strong history of earnings and high returns on capital. It was also the target of the urge to merge. Earlier this year, several larger firms began looking at the firm as a potential acquisition, with Swedish business SSAB finally closing the deal in May. We sold our shares between April and May.

Within Natural Resources, Tesco Corporation, which designs and manufactures oilfield products such as drilling and hydraulic systems, reported record first-quarter earnings. This helped its already rising stock price to keep climbing. We reduced our position at increasing prices between January and May. Ivanhoe Mines is a conservatively capitalized business with extensive operations in Mongolia. It recently won permission from that nation[]s government to develop what could be the world[]s largest undeveloped copper and gold deposits in tandem with another firm, news that gave a healthy sheen to Ivanhoe[]s stock price. Unit Corporation reaped the rewards of running a strong, well-managed business in a mostly positive market for energy stocks. We added to our stake in January and June.

<b>GOOD IDEAS AT THE TIME</b> Net Realized and Unrealized Investment Loss <u>*</u> Year-to-Date Through 6/30/0	
Gammon Gold	\$792,108
Knight Capital Group	579,621
The Timberland Company	516,700
KKR Financial Holdings	376,960
Nu Skin Enterprises Cl. A	304,000

\*Includes dividends

Even the best performing periods have their blemishes. T n t h е otherwise-profitable precious metals and mining industry within the Natural Resources sector. Gammon Gold disappointed. In a difficult market for gold and silver commodity prices, the firm went through a change in management (that we liked) and had some issues with its Mexican mining operations. We substantially increased our stake in institutional trading and asset management

company Knight Capital Group. Its stock price began to slip in January as the firm experienced slumping profits from i n c r e a s e d compensation costs. In the second quarter, earnings were hampered by a decline in its hedge fund fees.

#### **PORTFOLIO DIAGNOSTICS**

Average Market Capitalization	\$1,560 million
Weighted Average P/E Ratio	16.2x
Weighted Average P/B Ratio	2.7x
Weighted Average Yield	1.5%
Fund Net Assets	\$182 million
Turnover Rate	36%
Net Leverage <sup>[]</sup>	0%
Symbol Mareket Price NAV	FUND XFUNX
Net leverage is the percentage, in e 100%, of the total value of equity typ investments, divided by net assets, e preferred stock.	be

The Funds P/E ratio calculations exclude companies with zero or negative earnings.

**CAPITAL STRUCTURE** Publicly Traded Securities Outstanding at 6/30/07 at NAV or Liquidation Value

16.5 million shares of Common Stock	\$182 million
6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock	\$25 million

RISK/RETURN COMPARISON Five-Year Period Ended 6/30/07					
	Average Annual Total Return	Standard Deviation			
FUND (NAV)	21.57%	17.04	1.27		
Russell 2000	13.88	13.88	0.84		

\*Return Efficiency is the average annual total return divided by the annualized standard deviation over a designated time period.

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### **History Since Inception**

The following table details the share accumulations by an initial investor in the Funds who reinvested all distributions (including fractional shares) and participated fully in primary subscriptions for each of the rights offerings. Full participation in distribution reinvestments and rights offerings can maximize the returns available to a long-term investor. This table should be read in conjunction with the Performance and Portfolio Reviews of the Funds.

н	istory	Amount Invested	Purchase Price <u>*</u>	Shares	NAV Value <u>**</u>	Market Value <u>**</u>
<b>Royce Val</b>	ue Trust					
11/26/86	Initial Purchase	\$ 10,000	\$ 10.000	1,000	\$ 9,280	\$ 10,000
10/15/87	Distribution \$0.30		7.000	42	, ,	
12/31/87	Distribution \$0.22		7.125	32	8,578	7,250
12/27/88	Distribution \$0.51		8.625	63	10,529	9,238
9/22/89	Rights Offering	405	9.000	45	_0,0_0	0,200
12/29/89	Distribution \$0.52	105	9.125	67	12,942	11,866
9/24/90	Rights Offering	457	7.375	62	12,512	11,000
12/31/90	Distribution \$0.32	107	8.000	52	11,713	11,074
9/23/91	Rights Offering	638	9.375	68	11,715	11,074
12/31/91	Distribution \$0.61	050	10.625	82	17,919	15,697
9/25/92	Rights Offering	825	11.000	75	17,919	15,057
12/31/92	Distribution \$0.90	025	12.500	114	21,999	20,874
9/27/93	Rights Offering	1,469	13.000	114	21,999	20,074
12/31/93	Distribution \$1.15	1,409	13.000	160	26,603	25 420
	Rights Offering	1 100		98	20,005	25,428
10/28/94		1,103	11.250		27.020	24.005
12/19/94	Distribution \$1.05	1 405	11.375	191	27,939	24,905
11/3/95	Rights Offering	1,425	12.500	114		21 2 4 2
12/7/95	Distribution \$1.29		12.125	253	35,676	31,243
12/6/96	Distribution \$1.15		12.250	247	41,213	36,335
	Annual distribution total					
1997	\$1.21		15.374	230	52,556	46,814
	Annual distribution total					
1998	\$1.54		14.311	347	54,313	47,506
	Annual distribution total					
1999	\$1.37		12.616	391	60,653	50,239
	Annual distribution total					
2000	\$1.48		13.972	424	70,711	61,648
	Annual distribution total					
2001	\$1.49		15.072	437	81,478	73,994
	Annual distribution total					
2002	\$1.51		14.903	494	68,770	68,927
1/28/03	Rights Offering	5,600	10.770	520		
	Annual distribution total					
2003	\$1.30		14.582	516	106,216	107,339
	Annual distribution total					•
2004	\$1.55		17.604	568	128,955	139,094
	Annual distribution total					
2005	\$1.61		18.739	604	139,808	148,773
	Annual distribution total		_000			,
2006	\$1.78		19.696	693	167,063	179,945
2000	Year-to-date distribution		10.000	000	107,000	1, 5, 5, 5
2007	total \$0.91		21.352	349		
			21.552	545		
C/20/07		+ 21 022		0.474	+102 474	+101 000
6/30/07		\$ 21,922		8,451	\$183,471	\$181,020

	cro-Cap Trust						
12/14/93	Initial Purchase	\$	7,500	\$ 7.500	1,000	\$ 7,250	\$ 7,500
10/28/94	Rights Offering		1,400	7.000	200		
12/19/94	Distribution \$0.05			6.750	9	9,163	8,462
12/7/95	Distribution \$0.36			7.500	58	11,264	10,136
12/6/96	Distribution \$0.80			7.625	133	13,132	11,550
12/5/97	Distribution \$1.00			10.000	140	16,694	15,593
12/7/98	Distribution \$0.29			8.625	52	16,016	14,129
12/6/99	Distribution \$0.27			8.781	49	18,051	14,769
12/6/00	Distribution \$1.72			8.469	333	20,016	17,026
12/6/01	Distribution \$0.57			9.880	114	24,701	21,924
12,0,01	Annual distribution total			51000		21,701	
2002	\$0.80			9.518	180	21,297	19,142
2002	Annual distribution total			5.510	100	21,237	13,112
2003	\$0.92			10.004	217	33,125	31,311
2005	Annual distribution total			10.004	217	55,125	51,511
2004	\$1.33			13.350	257	39,320	41,788
2004	Annual distribution total			13.330	257	59,520	41,700
2005				12 0/0	202	41.060	45 500
2005	\$1.85			13.848	383	41,969	45,500
2006	Annual distribution total			14.246	254	F1 20F	F7 C 47
2006	\$1.55			14.246	354	51,385	57,647
2007	Year-to-date distribution			15 075			
2007	total \$0.66			15.075	154		
6/30/07		\$	8,900		3,633	\$ 56,130	\$ 55,985
		\$	8,900		3,633	\$ 56,130	\$ 55,985
Royce Fo				¢ 4 275			
<b>Royce Fo</b> 10/31/96	c <b>us Trust</b> Initial Purchase	<b>\$</b> \$	<b>8,900</b> 4,375	\$ 4.375	<b>3,633</b> 1,000	\$ 5,280	\$ 4,375
<b>Royce Fo</b> 10/31/96 12/31/96	Initial Purchase				1,000	\$    5,280 5,520	\$    4,375 4,594
<b>Royce Fo</b> 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97				\$ 4.375 5.250		\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574
<b>Royce Fo</b> 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53			5.250	1,000 101	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145			5.250	1,000 101 34	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34			5.250 4.750 5.563	1,000 101 34 69	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14			5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010	1,000 101 34 69 28	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09			5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640	1,000 101 34 69 28 19	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62			5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010	1,000 101 34 69 28	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total			5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406
<b>Royce For</b> 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03 2004	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74		4,375	5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250 9.325	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94 259	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74 Rights offering			5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03 2004	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74		4,375	5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250 9.325	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94 259	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406
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Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03 2004 5/6/05	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74 Rights offering Annual distribution total		4,375	5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250 9.325 8.340 9.470	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94 259 320	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105 15,639	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406 16,794
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<b>Royce For</b> 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03 2004 5/6/05 2005	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74 Rights offering Annual distribution total \$1.21 Annual distribution total \$1.57		4,375	5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250 9.325 8.340 9.470	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94 259 320 249	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105 15,639 21,208	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406 16,794 20,709
Royce For 10/31/96 12/31/96 12/5/97 12/31/98 12/6/99 12/6/00 12/6/01 12/6/02 12/8/03 2004 5/6/05 2005 2006	Initial Purchase Distribution \$0.53 Distribution \$0.145 Distribution \$0.34 Distribution \$0.14 Distribution \$0.09 Distribution \$0.62 Annual distribution total \$1.74 Rights offering Annual distribution total \$1.21 Annual distribution total \$1.57 Year-to-date distribution	\$	4,375	5.250 4.750 5.563 6.010 5.640 8.250 9.325 8.340 9.470 9.860	1,000 101 34 69 28 19 94 259 320 249 357	\$ 5,280 5,520 6,650 6,199 6,742 8,151 8,969 7,844 12,105 15,639 21,208	\$ 4,375 4,594 5,574 5,367 5,356 6,848 8,193 6,956 11,406 16,794 20,709

\* Beginning with the 1997 (RVT), 2002 (RMT) and 2004 (FUND) distributions, the purchase price of distributions is a weighted average of the distribution reinvestment prices for the year.

\*\* Other than for initial purchase and June 30, 2007, values are stated as of December 31 of the year indicated, after reinvestment of distributions.

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## **Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Options**

#### Why should I reinvest my distributions?

By reinvesting distributions, a stockholder can maintain an undiluted investment in the Fund. The regular reinvestment of distributions has a significant impact on stockholder returns. In contrast, the stockholder who takes distributions in cash is penalized when shares are issued below net asset value to other stockholders.

## How does the reinvestment of distributions from the Royce closed-end funds work?

The Funds automatically issue shares in payment of distributions unless you indicate otherwise. The shares are generally issued at the lower of the market price or net asset value on the valuation date.

#### How does this apply to registered stockholders?

If your shares are registered directly with a Fund, your distributions are automatically reinvested unless you have otherwise instructed the Funds transfer agent, Computershare, in writing. A registered stockholder also has the option to receive the distribution in the form of a stock certificate or in cash if Computershare is properly notified.

## What if my shares are held by a brokerage firm or a bank?

If your shares are held by a brokerage firm, bank, or other intermediary as the stockholder of record, you should contact your brokerage firm or bank to be certain that it is automatically reinvesting distributions on your behalf. If they are unable to reinvest distributions on your behalf, you should have your shares registered in your name in order to participate.

## What other features are available for registered stockholders?

The Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plans also allow registered stockholders to make optional cash purchases of shares of a Fund[s common stock directly through Computershare on a monthly basis, and to deposit certificates representing your Fund shares with Computershare for safekeeping. The Funds[] investment adviser is absorbing all commissions on optional cash purchases under the Plans through December 31, 2007.

## How do the Plans work for registered stockholders?

Computershare maintains the accounts for registered stockholders in the Plans and sends written confirmation of all transactions in the account. Shares in the account of each participant will be held by Computershare in non-certificated form in the name of the participant, and each participant will be able to vote those shares at a stockholder meeting or by proxy. A participant may also send other stock certificates held by them to Computershare to be held in non-certificated form. There is no service fee charged to participants for reinvesting distributions. If a participant elects to sell shares from a Plan account, Computershare will deduct a \$2.50 fee plus brokerage commissions from the sale transaction. If a nominee is the registered owner of your shares, the nominee will maintain the accounts on your behalf.

#### How can I get more information on the Plans?

You can call an Investor Services Representative at (800) 221-4268 or you can request a copy of the Plan for your Fund from Computershare. All correspondence (including notifications) should be directed to: [Name of Fund] Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan, c/o Computershare, PO Box 43010, Providence, RI 02940-3010, telephone (800) 426-5523.

### **Schedule of Investments**

COMMON STOCKS [] 99.6%	SHARES	VALUE
Consumer Products [] 4.8% Apparel and Shoes - 1.5% Kenneth Cole Productions Cl. A Columbia Sportswear Hugo Boss K-Swiss Cl. A Polo Ralph Lauren Cl. A Tandy Brands Accessories Van De Velde Weyco Group	35,000 34,600 19,200 110,000 6,200 16,900 40,000 307,992	<pre>\$ 864,500 2,376,328 1,260,072 3,116,300 608,282 213,954 2,072,943 8,294,225</pre>
		18,806,604
Collectibles - 0.2% Russ Berrie & Company <u>ª</u>	150,000	2,794,500
Food/Beverage/Tobacco - 0.2% Hain Celestial Group <u>a.b</u> Hershey Creamery	37,800 709	1,025,892 1,559,800 2,585,692
Home Furnishing and Appliances - 0.5% Aaron Rents Ekornes Ethan Allen Interiors La-Z-Boy <u>b</u> Rational	4,500 80,000 45,800 68,200 9,300	131,400 1,824,672 1,568,650 781,572 1,823,238 6,129,532
Publishing - 0.5% Proquest Company <u>a.b</u> Scholastic Corporation <u>a.b</u>	180,000 130,000	1,701,000 4,672,200 6,373,200
Sports and Recreation - 0.7% Beneteau Coachmen Industries Monaco Coach Sturm, Ruger & Company <u>a.b</u> Thor Industries	12,000 47,700 166,650 272,900 26,100	1,634,534 460,782 2,391,427 4,235,408 1,178,154

		9,900,305
Other Consumer Products - 1.2% Blyth Burnham Holdings Cl. B Lazare Kaplan International <u>a</u> Leapfrog Enterprises <u>a,b</u> Matthews International Cl. A RC2 Corporation <u>a</u> Sally Beauty Holdings <u>a,b</u>	14,700 36,000 103,600 175,000 100,000 132,600 194,600	390,726 585,000 820,512 1,793,750 4,361,000 5,305,326 1,751,400
		15,007,714
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$36,850,760)		61,597,547
Consumer Services [] 5.6% Direct Marketing - 0.2% FTD Group Takkt	55,000 95,000	1,012,550 1,695,940 2,708,490
Leisure and Entertainment - 0.1% Shuffle Master <u>a.b</u> Steiner Leisure <u>a.b</u>	15,000 2,100	249,000 103,152
		352,152

SHARES	VALUE
23,000	\$ 327,520
56,100	1,293,105
	1,620,625
6,600 121,400 90,000 183,000 50,000	132,000 4,273,280 2,194,200 3,054,270 1,537,500
	11,191,250
90,400 200,000 82,000 13,670 80,500 50,000	1,228,536 3,223,916 2,091,000 705,919 682,640 669,000
	23,000 56,100 56,100 121,400 90,000 183,000 50,000 90,400 200,000 82,000 13,670 80,500

Fielmann Gander Mountain <u>a,b</u> Hot Topic <u>a,b</u> Krispy Kreme Doughnuts <u>a</u> 99 Cents Only Stores <u>a,b</u> Stein Mart Tiffany & Co. Urban Outfitters <u>a,b</u> West Marine <u>a</u> Wet Seal (The) Cl. A <u>a,b</u>	20,000 53,300 29,000 85,000 95,000 142,800 75,000 27,000 131,100 162,000	1,266,828 604,955 315,230 787,100 1,245,450 1,750,728 3,979,500 648,810 1,803,936 973,620 21,977,168
Other Consumer Services -		
2.6% Corinthian Colleges <u>a.b</u> <b>ITT Educational Services a</b> Laureate Education <u>a</u> MoneyGram International Renaissance Learning <b>Sotheby</b> [] <b>s Cl. A</b> Travelcenters of America <u>a.b</u>	106,500 80,000 37,500 74,900 15,000 382,200 2,500	1,734,885 9,390,400 2,312,250 2,093,455 197,250 17,588,844 101,125
		33,418,209
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$41,745,500)		71,267,894
Diversified Investment Companies [] 0.1% Closed-End Funds - 0.1% Central Fund of Canada Cl. A	111,500	1,013,535
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$589,526)		1,013,535
Financial Intermediaries [] 10.8%		
Banking - 3.2% Ameriana Bancorp BOK Financial Bank of N.T. Butterfield & Son CFS Bancorp Cadence Financial Commercial National Financial Farmers & Merchants Bank of Long Beach Hawthorn Bancshares Heritage Financial HopFed Bancorp	20,000 129,327 118,750 260,000 30,300 52,575 1,266 44,400 12,915 25,000	199,000 6,908,648 7,125,000 3,775,200 590,244 986,307 8,418,900 1,443,000 308,023 402,250

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Financial Intermediaries	SHARES	VALUE
(continued) Banking (continued) Jefferson Bancshares Mechanics Bank Old Point Financial Partners Trust Financial Group Sun Bancorp <u>a.b</u> Tompkins Financial W Holding Company Whitney Holding Wilber Corporation Wilmington Trust Yadkin Valley Financial	32,226 200 20,000 100,000 46,305 17,545 44,700 40,500 31,700 31,000 3,800	<pre>\$ 380,589 3,900,000 510,600 1,050,000 781,165 656,183 118,008 1,219,050 293,225 1,286,810 69,730</pre>
		40,421,932
Insurance - 3.9% ACA Capital Holdings <sup>a,b</sup> Alleghany Corporation <sup>a</sup> Aspen Insurance Holdings Commerce Group Erie Indemnity CI. A IPC Holdings Leucadia National Markel Corporation <sup>a,b</sup> Montpelier Re Holdings NYMAGIC Ohio Casualty PXRE Group <sup>a</sup> ProAssurance Corporation <sup>a,b</sup> RLI Security Capital Assurance Wesco Financial White Mountains Insurance Group	50,000 11,318 64,000 89,000 139,900 27,000 84,940 7,200 66,000 85,200 68,502 166,551 38,070 99,724 30,000 4,750 9,000	595,000 4,600,767 1,796,480 3,090,080 7,560,196 871,830 2,994,135 3,488,832 1,223,640 3,425,040 2,966,822 772,797 2,119,357 5,579,558 926,100 1,828,750 5,454,180 49,293,564
Real Estate Investment Trusts - 0.4% Capstead Mortgage Gladstone Commercial Opteum Cl. A	181,100 34,700 897,500	1,756,670 680,120 2,441,200 4,877,990
Securities Brokers - 1.0% Cowen Group <u>a</u>	32,000	573,120

a.b       30,400       1,317,232         Knight Capital Group Cl. A a.b       229,700       3,813,020         Lazard Cl. A       31,000       1,395,930         optionsXpress Holdings       53,000       1,359,980         Shinko Securities       464,300       2,405,875         Other Financial Intermediaries         - 2.3%       13,568,784         Other Financial Intermediaries       -         - 2.3%       4,281,450         JAFCO       37,300       1,720,723         KKR Financial       171,200       4,264,592         KKR Private Equity Investors       105,000       2,362,500         Kohlberg Capital       81,800       1,517,390         MCG Capital       138,000       2,210,760	Dundee Wealth Management Evercore Partners Cl. A First Albany Companies <sup>a,b</sup> Investment Technology Group	100,000 19,400 350,100	1,541,422 577,538 584,667
Lazard Cl. A 31,000 1,395,930 optionsXpress Holdings 53,000 1,359,980 Shinko Securities 464,300 2,405,875 13,568,784 Other Financial Intermediaries - 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. 234,600 4,281,450 JAFCO 37,300 1,720,723 KKR Financial 171,200 4,264,592 KKR Private Equity Investors LLP 105,000 2,362,500 Kohlberg Capital 81,800 1,517,390	a,b	30,400	1,317,232
optionsXpress Holdings         53,000         1,359,980           Shinko Securities         464,300         2,405,875           13,568,784           Other Financial Intermediaries           - 2.3%         13,568,784           AP Alternative Assets L.P.         234,600         4,281,450           JAFCO         37,300         1,720,723           KKR Financial         171,200         4,264,592           KKR Private Equity Investors         105,000         2,362,500           Kohlberg Capital         81,800         1,517,390			
Shinko Securities       464,300       2,405,875         13,568,784       13,568,784         Other Financial Intermediaries       13,568,784         AP Alternative Assets L.P.       234,600       4,281,450         JAFCO       37,300       1,720,723         KKR Financial       171,200       4,264,592         KKR Private Equity Investors       105,000       2,362,500         Kohlberg Capital       81,800       1,517,390	Lazard Cl. A	31,000	1,395,930
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KKR Private Equity Investors         105,000         2,362,500           LLP         105,000         1,517,390	- 2.3%	234,600	4,281,450
LLP105,0002,362,500Kohlberg Capital81,8001,517,390	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P.	•	
Kohlberg Capital         81,800         1,517,390	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO	37,300	1,720,723
5 1	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO KKR Financial	37,300	1,720,723
MCG Capital 138,000 2,210,760	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO KKR Financial KKR Private Equity Investors	37,300 171,200	1,720,723 4,264,592
	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO KKR Financial KKR Private Equity Investors LLP	37,300 171,200 105,000	1,720,723 4,264,592 2,362,500
	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO KKR Financial KKR Private Equity Investors LLP Kohlberg Capital	37,300 171,200 105,000 81,800	1,720,723 4,264,592 2,362,500 1,517,390 2,210,760
MarketAxess Holdings <u>a</u> 67,000         1,205,330	- 2.3% AP Alternative Assets L.P. JAFCO KKR Financial KKR Private Equity Investors LLP Kohlberg Capital MCG Capital MVC Capital	37,300 171,200 105,000 81,800 138,000 397,200	1,720,723 4,264,592 2,362,500 1,517,390 2,210,760 7,471,332

	SHARES	VALUE
NGP Capital Resources RHJ International <u>a</u>	50,000 177,500	\$ 836,000 3,507,464
		29,377,541
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$100,428,652)		137,539,811
<b>Financial Services</b> [] <b>8.5%</b> Information and Processing - 1.7%		
eFunds Corporation <u>a,b</u> FactSet Research Systems Global Payments Interactive Data PRG-Schultz International <u>a,b</u> SEI Investments	126,875 35,350 68,500 134,300 14,420 282,400	4,477,419 2,416,172 2,716,025 3,596,554 229,278 8,200,896
		21,636,344
Insurance Brokers - 1.2% Crawford & Company Cl. A <u>a</u> Crawford & Company Cl. B <u>a</u> BeHealth <u>a.b</u> Enstar Group <u>a.b</u> Gallagher (Arthur J.) & Co. Hilb Rogal & Hobbs National Financial Partners	289,200 162,300 25,000 7,000 111,200 155,050 22,000	1,821,960 1,097,148 477,250 844,970 3,100,256 6,645,443 1,018,820
		15,005,847
Investment Management - 5.1% ADDENDA Capital	150,900 333,100	3,208,529 29,009,679

AllianceBernstein Holding		
<b>L.P.</b> BKF Capital Group <u>ª</u>	227,050	522,215
Calamos Asset Management	227,030	522,215
Cl. A	45,000	1,149,750
Eaton Vance	140,400	6,202,872
Federated Investors Cl. B	161,900	6,205,627
GAMCO Investors Cl. A	158,600	8,889,530
Nuveen Investments CI. A	138,600	8,613,990
SPARX Group	2,300	1,709,239
		65,511,431
Other Financial Services -		
0.5%		
AmeriCredit Corporation <u>a,b</u>	18,870	500,998
Centerline Holding Company	59,600	1,072,800
Credit Acceptance <u>a,b</u>	86,601	2,323,505
Municipal Mortgage & Equity	40,300	982,514
Ocwen Financial <u>a,b</u> World Acceptance <u>a,b</u>	50,000 21,700	666,500 927,241
	21,700	927,241
		6,473,558
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$61,728,918)		108,627,180
Health 🛛 6.8%		
Commercial Services - 1.4%		
First Consulting Group <sup>a,b</sup>	560,900	5,328,550
PAREXEL International a,b	313,700	13,194,222
		18,522,772
Drugs and Biotech - 1.6%		
Affymetrix a,b	10,000	248,900
Antigenics <u><sup>a,b</sup></u> Biovail Corporation	99,300 41,200	283,998 1,047,304
Endo Pharmaceuticals	41,200	1,047,304
Holdings <u>a</u>	155,000	5,305,650
Gene Logic <u>a</u>	365,000	503,700
Genitope Corporation <u>a,b</u>	100,000	386,000
Human Genome Sciences $\frac{a,b}{b}$	90,000	802,800
K-V Pharmaceutical Cl. A <u>a,b</u>	51,500	1,402,860

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Health (continued) Drugs and Biotech		
(continued) Medicines Company (The) <u>a.b</u> Millennium Pharmaceuticals	20,000	\$ 352,400
<u>a,b</u> Mylan Laboratories	100,000 52,200	1,057,000 949,518
Myriad Genetics <u>a.b</u> Origin Agritech <u>a</u> Perrigo Company	50,000 3,500 191,950	1,859,500 28,875 3,758,381
Pharmanet Development Group <u>a</u>	10,000	318,800
QLT <u>a</u> VIVUS <u>a,b</u>	114,070 163,300	844,118 854,059
		20,003,863
Health Services - 1.4% Albany Molecular Research <u>a</u> Cross Country Healthcare <u>a</u> Eclipsys Corporation <u>a.b</u> Gentiva Health Services <u>a</u> HMS Holdings <u>a.b</u> HealthSouth Corporation <u>a.b</u> Lincare Holdings <u>a.b</u> MedQuist <u>a</u> National Home Health Care On Assignment <u>a.b</u> Paramount Acquisition (Units) <u>a</u> Res-Care <u>a.b</u>	85,000 30,000 20,000 30,150 50,000 200,000 52,562 73,893 20,000 375,400 280,000 65,460	1,262,250 500,400 396,000 604,809 957,000 3,622,000 2,094,596 673,165 252,000 4,024,288 1,976,800 1,383,824
Medical Products and Devices - 2.2%		
Allied Healthcare Products <u>a</u> Arrow International ArthroCare Corporation <u>a,b</u> Atrion Corporation Bruker BioSciences <u>a</u> Coloplast Cl. B CONMED Corporation <u>a,b</u> IDEXX Laboratories <u>a,b</u> INvacare Corporation STERIS Corporation Young Innovations Zoll Medical <u>a,b</u>	210,612 61,028 10,000 15,750 370,200 17,000 81,500 79,000 103,100 98,600 62,550 40,400	1,377,402 2,336,152 439,100 1,543,500 3,335,502 1,383,584 2,386,320 7,475,770 1,889,823 3,017,160 1,825,209 901,324

		27,910,846
Personal Care - 0.2% Nutraceutical International <u>a</u> USANA Health Sciences <u>a,b</u>	22,800 38,900	377,796 1,740,386
		2,118,182
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$57,167,473)		86,302,795
Industrial Products [ 16.6% Automotive - 0.6% ElringKlinger Fuel Systems Solutions <u>a,b</u> LKQ Corporation <u>a,b</u> Quantam Fuel Systems Technologies Worldwide <u>a,b</u> Superior Industries International	16,900 22,500 200,000 15,500 52,000	1,545,091 373,050 4,932,000 24,180 1,131,520
		8,005,841
Building Systems and Components - 1.0% Decker Manufacturing Preformed Line Products	6,022 91,600	218,900 4,397,716

	SHARES	VALUE
Simpson Manufacturing	250,800	\$ 8,461,992
		13,078,608
Construction Materials - 1.8% Ash Grove Cement Cl. B Heywood Williams Group <sup>a</sup> Synalloy Corporation USG Corporation <sup>a,b</sup>	50,518 958,837 198,800 25,000	12,124,320 1,906,187 6,938,120 1,226,000
		22,194,627
Industrial Components - 1.3% Barnes Group C & D Technologies <u>a</u> CLARCOR Donaldson Company GrafTech International <u>a,b</u> PerkinElmer Powell Industries <u>a,b</u> II-VI <u>a</u>	20,000 345,700 83,500 92,800 64,790 135,000 92,400 13,500	633,600 1,935,920 3,125,405 3,299,040 1,091,064 3,518,100 2,934,624 366,795
		16,904,548
Machinery - 5.2% A.S.V. <u>a.b</u> Baldor Electric Coherent <u>a.b</u> Exco Technologies	14,800 62,900 243,500 91,000	255,744 3,099,712 7,429,185 394,668

Federal Signal	58,600	929,396
Franklin Electric	84,200	3,972,556
Graco	101,825	4,101,511
Hardinge	26,193	891,348
IDEX Corporation	54,000	2,081,160
Intermec <sup>a,b</sup>	23,000	582,130
Lincoln Electric Holdings	188,680	14,007,603
Mueller Water Products Cl. A	50,000	853,000
Nordson Corporation	172,200	8,637,552
Pfeiffer Vacuum Technology	18,500	1,784,015
Rofin-Sinar Technologies		
a,b	128,000	8,832,000
Williams Controls <u>a</u>	37,499	655,858
Woodward Governor	144,800	7,771,416
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		66,278,854
Metal Fabrication and		
Distribution - 1.8%		
Commercial Metals	36,600	1,235,982
CompX International Cl. A	292,300	5,407,550
Gerdau Ameristeel	61,100	893,893
Kaydon Corporation	177,400	9,246,088
NN	197,100	2,325,780
Novamerican Steel <sup>a</sup>	10,800	575,964
RBC Bearings <sup>a</sup>	30,000	1,237,500
Reliance Steel & Aluminum	25,920	1,458,259
Reliance Steel & Aluminum	25,920	1,450,259
		22,381,016
		22,301,010
Paper and Packaging - 0.2%		
Mayr-Melnhof Karton	0 100	1 0/2 7/7
	8,100	1,843,747
Peak International <u>a</u>	408,400	1,155,772
		2 000 510
		2,999,519
Specialty Chemicals and		
Materials - 1.4%	70 410	700.007
Aceto Corporation	78,410	726,861
American Vanguard	26,666	381,857
Balchem Corporation	16,875	306,619
Cabot Corporation	163,500	7,795,680
Fuel Tech <sup>a,b</sup>	10,000	342,500
Hawkins	206,878	3,196,265

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Industrial Products	SHARES	VALUE
(continued) Specialty Chemicals and Materials (continued) Lydall <u>a.b</u> Schulman (A.) Sensient Technologies	35,500 143,100 22,000	\$     518,655 3,481,623 558,580
		17,308,640
Textiles - 0.1% Unifi <u>a.b</u>	145,100	380,162
Other Industrial Products - 3.2%		
<b>Brady Corporation Cl. A</b> Diebold Distributed Energy Systems	293,400 86,700	10,896,876 4,525,740
<sup>a</sup> Kimball International Cl. B Maxwell Technologies <sup>a,b</sup>	32,000 286,180 21,500	41,600 4,009,382 305,730
Mettler-Toledo International <sup>a</sup> Munters Myers Industries	28,700 100,000 30,499	2,741,137 1,571,821 674,333
Peerless Manufacturing <u>a</u> Raven Industries Solar Integrated	297,200 86,200	6,131,236 3,078,202
Technologies <u>a</u> Somfy Waters Corporation <u>a</u>	75,000 7,000 75,990	168,680 2,285,164 4,510,766
		40,940,667
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$103,760,088)		210,472,482
Industrial Services [] 11.0% Advertising and Publishing -		
1.0% Focus Media Holding ADR <u>a.b</u> Interpublic Group of	70,000	3,535,000
Companies <u>a.b</u> Lamar Advertising Cl. A MDC Partners Cl. A <u>a</u> ValueClick <u>a.b</u>	510,000 26,000 60,000 45,000	5,814,000 1,631,760 525,000 1,325,700
		12,831,460

Commercial Services - 3.2% Allied Waste Industries <u>a</u> Anacomp Cl. A <u>a</u> BB Holdings <u>a</u> Canadian Solar <u>a,b</u> Convergys Corporation <u>a</u> Copart <u>a,b</u> eResearch Technology <u>a,b</u> First Advantage Cl. A <u>a,b</u> Hewitt Associates Cl. A <u>a,b</u> Iron Mountain <u>a,b</u> Learning Tree International <u>a,b</u> MPS Group <u>a</u> Michael Page International New Horizons Worldwide <u>a</u> OneSource Services <u>a</u> Onex Corporation Spherion Corporation <u>a,b</u> TRC Companies <u>a</u> Viad Corporation Wright Express <u>a,b</u>	188,800 26,000 289,400 50,000 121,000 158,100 181,000 208,720 234,262 53,400 564,600 140,000 228,600 25,437 50,000 53,000 3,600 9,025 30,000	2,541,248 191,100 1,525,504 470,000 2,933,040 4,836,279 1,721,310 115,050 6,679,040 6,121,266 699,540 7,548,702 1,477,360 205,740 328,189 1,727,294 497,670 53,388 380,584 1,028,100
Engineering and Construction - 0.9% Boskalis Westminster Dycom Industries <u>a.b</u>	40,200 35,500	1,605,599 1,064,290

	SHARES	VALUE
Fleetwood Enterprises <u>ª</u> Insituform Technologies Cl. A	234,300	\$ 2,120,415
<sup>a,b</sup> KBR <u>a</u>	137,000 115,000	2,987,970 3,016,450
		10,794,724
Food and Tobacco Processors - 0.4% MGP Ingredients Performance Food Group <sup>a,b</sup> Seneca Foods Cl. A <u>a</u> Seneca Foods Cl. B <u>a</u>	127,400 10,000 80,000 13,251	2,153,060 324,900 2,081,600 353,802
		4,913,362
Industrial Distribution - 1.9% Central Steel & Wire MSC Industrial Direct Cl. A <b>Ritchie Bros. Auctioneers</b>	6,062 20,000 310,400	3,867,556 1,100,000 19,437,248 24,404,804
Printing - 0.1% Bowne & Co.	68,100	1,328,631

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Transportation and Logistics		
- 3.0% Alexander & Baldwin	60,000	3,186,600
Atlas Air Worldwide Holdings		3,100,000
a,b	17,000	1,001,980
C. H. Robinson Worldwide	80,000	4,201,600
Forward Air	244,750	8,343,527
Frozen Food Express Industries	286,635	2,906,479
Hub Group Cl. A <u>a,b</u>	174,400	6,131,904
Landstar System	11,200	540,400
Patriot Transportation		
Holding <u>a</u>	80,300	6,962,010
UTI Worldwide	105,000	2,812,950
Universal Truckload Services <sup>a</sup>	115,100	2,287,037
-	115,100	2,207,037
		38,374,487
Other Industrial Services -		
0.5% Landauer	117,900	5,806,575
Landadei	117,500	5,000,575
Total (Cost \$73,843,574)		139,534,447
		133,331,117
Natural Resources 🛛 9.6%		
Energy Services - 4.3%		
Atwood Oceanics <u>a,b</u>	29,400	2,017,428
Cal Dive International <u>a,b</u>	35,000	582,050
Carbo Ceramics	158,400	6,939,504
Core Laboratories <u>a,b</u>	10,000	1,016,900
Ensign Energy Services Environmental Power a.b	126,300 326,000	2,252,711 2,917,700
Global Industries <sup>a</sup>	54,500	1,461,690
Hanover Compressor <sup>a,b</sup>	208,000	4,960,800
Helmerich & Payne	80,600	2,854,852
Input/Output <u>ª</u>	434,500	6,782,545
National Fuel Gas	47,500	2,057,225
TETRA Technologies <u>a,b</u> Universal Compression	68,000	1,917,600
Holdings <sup>a,b</sup>	221,300	16,037,611
Willbros Group <sup>a,b</sup>	103,800	3,080,784
		54,879,400
Oil and Gas - 2.3%		
Bill Barrett <sup>a,b</sup>	50,000	1,841,500
Carrizo Oil & Gas <u>a</u> , <u>b</u> Cimarex Energy	41,700 193,990	1,729,299 7,645,146
Falcon Oil & Gas <sup>a</sup>	360,000	479,887
Helix Energy Solutions Group	200,000	., 5,657
a,b	34,226	1,365,960
Particle Drilling Technologies		
a - Dopp Virginia	61,500	135,300
Penn Virginia	32,880	1,321,776

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Natural Resources	SHARES	VALUE
(continued) Oil and Gas (continued) PetroCorp <u>a.c</u> SEACOR Holdings <u>a.b</u> Storm Cat Energy <u>a.b</u> W &T Offshore	61,400 147,000 330,800 25,000	\$ 0 13,723,920 377,112 699,750 29,319,650
Precious Metals and Mining -		
2.2% Agnico-Eagle Mines Centerra Gold a Constellation Copper a Etruscan Resources a Gammon Gold a Golden Star Resources a,b Hecla Mining a,b IAMGOLD Corporation International Coal Group a,b Ivanhoe Mines a,b Kinross Gold a,b Meridian Gold a,b Miramar Mining a Northgate Minerals a Pan American Silver a,b Randgold Resources ADR Royal Gold Yamana Gold	34,000 30,000 186,900 675,900 178,300 175,000 598,000 315,620 189,000 140,000 140,000 110,286 111,000 445,000 100,000 41,000 53,000 34,400 80,000	1,241,000 297,113 252,651 1,966,947 2,250,146 649,250 5,106,920 2,417,649 1,130,220 1,993,600 1,288,140 3,061,380 1,909,050 290,000 1,079,530 1,176,070 817,688 889,600
		27,816,954
Real Estate - 0.6% Alico Consolidated-Tomoka Land The St. Joe Company	27,000 13,564 98,900	1,646,730 939,850 4,583,026
		7,169,606
Other Natural Resources - 0.2% PICO Holdings <u>a</u>	50,200	2,171,652
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$67,078,639)		121,357,262
Technology 🛛 23.4%		

Aerospace and Defense - 0.6%		
Allied Defense Group (The)	45,700	351,433
Astronics Corporation <sup>a</sup>	52,400	1,670,512
Axsys Technologies <u>ª</u> Ducommun <u>ª</u>	10,000 117,200	213,900 3,015,556
Hexcel Corporation <sup>a,b</sup>	47,500	1,000,825
Integral Systems	49,800	1,210,638
		7,462,864
Components and Systems - 5.6%		
Analogic Corporation	40,135	2,950,324
Belden CDT	57,800	3,199,230
Checkpoint Systems <u>a</u> Dionex Corporation <u>a</u>	56,060 81,000	1,415,515 5,750,190
Electronics for Imaging a	25,000	705,500
Energy Conversion Devices	-,	
a,b 	105,500	3,251,510
Excel Technology <u>a</u>	168,500	4,707,890
Hutchinson Technology <u>a,b</u>	47,500	893,475
Imation Corporation	15,700	578,702
InFocus Corporation <u>a</u> KEMET Corporation <u>a</u>	228,100 95,600	508,663 673,980
Methode Electronics	50,000	782,500
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	SHARES	VALUE
Newport Corporation <u>a,b</u> On Track Innovations <u>a,b</u> Perceptron <u>a,b</u> Plexus Corporation <u>a,b</u> Radiant Systems <u>a,b</u> Richardson Electronics TTM Technologies <u>a,b</u> <b>Technitrol</b> Tektronix Vishay Intertechnology <u>a,b</u> Zebra Technologies Cl. A <u>a,b</u>	592,200 40,000 397,400 325,700 32,500 116,700 221,400 311,200 159,680 186,000 76,525	<pre>\$ 9,167,256 252,000 3,930,286 7,487,843 430,300 1,079,475 2,878,200 8,922,104 5,387,603 2,942,520 2,964,578</pre>
		70,859,644
Distribution - 1.6% Agilysys Anixter International <u>a</u> Benchmark Electronics <u>a</u> Solectron Corporation <u>a</u> Tech Data <u>a,b</u>	165,125 61,795 208,200 1,070,100 86,500	3,715,313 4,647,602 4,709,484 3,937,968 3,326,790
		20,337,157
Internet Software and Services - 1.4% Arbinet-thexchange <u>a</u> CMGI <u>a</u> . <u>b</u> CNET Networks <u>a</u> . <u>b</u> CryptoLogic CyberSource Corporation <u>a</u> . <u>b</u> EarthLink <u>a</u> . <u>b</u>	87,200 1,535,000 155,400 68,500 10,000 55,200	525,816 2,993,250 1,272,726 1,671,400 120,600 412,344

Internap Network Services <sup>a,b</sup> j2 Global Communications <sup>a,b</sup> Jupitermedia Corporation <sup>a,b</sup> Lionbridge Technologies <sup>a</sup> RealNetworks <sup>a,b</sup> SupportSoft <sup>a</sup>	144,890 43,420 500,000 37,500 245,400 220,000	2,089,314 1,515,358 3,640,000 220,875 2,004,918 1,201,200
		17,667,801
IT Services - 4.3% Alten <u>a</u> answerthink <u>a</u> BearingPoint <u>a,b</u> Black Box CACI International CI. A <u>a,b</u> CIBER <u>a,b</u> Cogent Communications Group <u>a,b</u> Computer Task Group <u>a</u> Covansys Corporation <u>a,b</u>	52,000 655,000 788,800 47,000 10,000 10,000 204,200 101,100 188,900	2,049,447 2,371,100 5,766,128 1,944,860 488,500 81,800 6,099,454 451,917 6,409,377
Diamond Management & Technology Consultants Forrester Research <u>a</u> Gartner <u>a</u> MAXIMUS Perot Systems Cl. A <u>a</u> , <u>b</u> Sapient Corporation <u>a</u> , <u>b</u> Syntel TriZetto Group (The) <u>a</u> , <u>b</u>	80,400 40,300 126,000 127,900 165,100 806,602 152,679 215,200	1,061,280 1,133,639 3,098,340 5,548,302 2,813,304 6,235,033 4,639,915 4,166,272 54,358,668
Semiconductors and Equipment - 3.7% Axcelis Technologies <u>a,b</u> BE Semiconductor Industries <u>a,b</u> Brooks Automation <u>a,b</u> Cabot Microelectronics <u>a</u>	135,000 58,000 28,500 131,200	876,150 377,000 517,275 4,656,288

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Technology (continued)		
Semiconductors and		
Equipment (continued)	21.000	¢ 200.101
CEVA <sup>a</sup>	31,666	\$ 269,161
Cognex Corporation DSP Group <sup>a,b</sup>	197,700	4,450,227
DTS <sup>a,b</sup>	115,000 64,100	2,354,050 1,395,457
Diodes <sup>a,b</sup>	167,900	7,013,183
Dolby Laboratories Cl. A <sup>a</sup>	148,900	5,272,549
Exar Corporation <u>a,b</u>	231,976	3,108,478
Fairchild Semiconductor	232,373	5,200,170
International <u>a,b</u>	51,200	989,184
Himax Technologies ADR 👌	100,000	577,000
International Rectifier a,b	120,000	4,471,200
Intevac <sup>a,b</sup>	57,450	1,221,387
Jazz Technologies (Units) 🛓	600,000	2,760,000
Kulicke & Soffa Industries a,b	105,800	1,107,726
Novellus Systems <u>a,b</u>	12,000	340,440
Pericom Semiconductor <u>a,b</u>	58,000	647,280
Power Integrations <u>a</u>	49,000	1,274,000
Sanmina-SCI Corporation <u>a,b</u>	200,000	626,000
Semitool <sup>a,b</sup>	50,000	480,500
Staktek Holdings <u>a</u>	184,700	725,871
Veeco Instruments <u>a,b</u>	65,000	1,348,100
Vimicro International ADR <u>a,b</u>	160,000	928,000
		47,786,506
Software - 3.6%		
Advent Software <u>a,b</u>	116,800	3,801,840
ANSYS <sup>a,b</sup>	100,000	2,650,000
Aspen Technology <u>a</u>	27,100	379,400
Avid Technology <u>a,b</u>	50,000	1,767,500
BEA Systems <u>a</u>	65,610	898,201
Borland Software <u>a,b</u>	280,000	1,663,200
Epicor Software <u>a,b</u>	79,900	1,188,113
iPass <u>a,b</u>	268,400	1,454,728
JDA Software Group <sup>a,b</sup>	99,900	1,961,037
MSC.Software <u>a</u>	70,000	947,800
ManTech International CI. A a,b	110 400	2 601 102
NAVTEQ Corporation <u>a,b</u>	119,400 70,000	3,681,102 2,963,800
Net 1 UEPS Technologies <u>a,b</u>	50,000	1,207,500
PLATO Learning <sup>a</sup>	149,642	688,353
Progress Software <u>a</u> ,b	30,500	969,595
SPSS a	179,600	7,927,544
Sybase <sup>a</sup>	82,600	1,973,314
THQ <sup>a,b</sup>	20,000	610,400
Transaction Systems	_0,000	510,100
Architects Cl. A <u>a</u>	228,150	7,679,529

Verint Systems <u>a,b</u>	40,000	1,224,000
		45,636,956
Telecommunications - 2.6%		
Adaptec <sup>a,b</sup>	2,584,100	9,845,421
ADTRAN	65,000	1,688,050
Catapult Communications <u>a,b</u>	87,100	864,032
Covad Communications		
Group <u>a,b</u>	35,000	31,500
Foundry Networks <u>a</u>	373,400	6,220,844
Globalstar <u>a,b</u>	50,000	517,500
Globecomm Systems <u>a</u>	233,700	3,416,694
Golden Telecom <u>a</u>	40,000	2,200,400
IDT Corporation	108,400	1,089,420
IDT Corporation Cl. B <u>b</u>	65,000	670,800
Level 3 Communications <u>a,b</u>	401,341	2,347,845

	SHARES	VALUE
NMS Communications <u>a,b</u> Orbcomm <u>a,b</u> Sycamore Networks <u>a,b</u> Tandberg Tollgrade	300,000 30,000 171,000 70,500	\$ 516,000 492,300 687,420 1,587,070
Communications <u>a</u> USA Mobility	20,000 37,500	211,000 1,003,500
		33,389,796
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$206,468,593)		297,499,392
Utilities [] 0.2% CH Energy Group Southern Union	44,500 11,576	2,001,165 377,262
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$2,127,413)		2,378,427
Miscellaneous <u>d</u> [] 2.2% Total (Cost \$26,852,585)		27,740,047
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$778,641,721)		1,265,330,819
PREFERRED STOCKS 0.1% Aristotle Corporation 11.00% Conv.	4,800	40,080
Seneca Foods Conv. <sup>a,c</sup>	85,000	1,990,530
TOTAL PREFERRED STOCKS (Cost \$1,310,255)		2,030,610
	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	

#### CORPORATE BONDS

<b>0.1%</b> Dixie Group 7.00% Conv. Sub. Deb. due 5/15/12	\$352,000	337,920
TOTAL CORPORATE BONDS		
(Cost \$293,507)		337,920
REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS 17.0% State Street Bank & Trust Company, 5.10% dated 6/29/07, due 7/2/07, maturity value \$71,123,215 (collateralized by obligations of various U.S. Government Agencies, valued at \$72,870,420)		
(Cost \$71,093,000)		71,093,000
Lehman Brothers (Tri-Party), 5.05% dated 6/29/07, due 7/2/07, maturity value \$145,061,021 (collateralized by obligations of various U.S. Government Agencies, valued at \$147,966,873) (Cost \$145,000,000)		145,000,000
TOTAL REPURCHASE		
AGREEMENTS (Cost \$216,093,000)		216,093,000

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Schedule of Investments		
COLLATERAL RECEIVED FOR SECURITIES LOANED [] 9.6% Money Market Funds	VALUE	
State Street Navigator Securities Lending Prime Portfolio (7 day yield-5.27%)	\$ 122,173,543	
(Cost \$122,173,543)	122,173,543	
TOTAL INVESTMENTS [] 126.4% (Cost \$1,118,512,026)	1,605,965,892	
LIABILITIES LESS CASH AND OTHER ASSETS [] (9.1)%	(116,029,775)	
PREFERRED STOCK [] (17.3)%	(220,000,000)	
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS [] 100.0%	\$1,269,936,117	

<sup>a</sup> Non-income producing.

<sup>b</sup> All or a portion of these securities were on loan at June 30, 2007. Total market value of loaned securities at June 30, 2007 was \$118,693,269.

<sup>c</sup> Securities for which market quotations are no longer readily available represent 0.2% of net assets. These securities have been valued at their fair value under procedures established by the Fund<sub>□</sub>s Board of Directors.

<sup>d</sup> Includes securities first acquired in 2007 and less than 1% of net assets applicable to Common Stockholders.

New additions in 2007.

#### Bold indicates the Fund s largest 20 equity holdings in terms of June 30, 2007 market value.

**INCOME TAX INFORMATION:** The cost of total investments for Federal income tax purposes was \$1,119,700,514. At June 30, 2007, net unrealized appreciation for all securities was \$486,265,378, consisting of aggregate gross unrealized appreciation of \$527,222,556 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation of \$40,957,178. The primary difference in book and tax basis cost is the timing of the recognition of losses on securities sold.

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### June 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Statement of Assets and Liabilities	
ASSETS: Investments at value (including collateral on loaned securities) <u>*</u> Repurchase agreements (at cost and value) Receivable for investments sold Receivable for dividends and interest Prepaid expenses and other assets	\$ 1,389,872,892 216,093,000 9,790,553 768,978 185,210
Total Assets	1,616,710,633
LIABILITIES: Payable for collateral on loaned securities Payable to custodian for cash overdrawn and foreign currency Payable for investments purchased Payable for investment advisory fee Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared Accrued expenses	122,173,543 369,622 2,209,377 1,412,077 288,454 321,443
Total Liabilities	126,774,516
PREFERRED STOCK: 5.90% Cumulative Preferred Stock - \$0.001 par value, \$25 liquidation value per share; 8,8 shares outstanding	220,000,000
Total Preferred Stock	220,000,000
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	\$ 1,269,936,117
ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Common Stock paid-in capital - \$0.001 par value per share; 58,497,690 shares outstandin (150,000,000 shares authorized) Undistributed net investment income (loss) Accumulated net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared	g \$ 741,443,771 1,839,388 98,366,907 487,454,293 (59,168,242)
Net Assets applicable to Common Stockholders (net asset value per share - \$21.71)	\$ 1,269,936,117
* Investments at identified cost (including \$122,173,543 of collateral on loaned securities) Market value of loaned securities	\$ 902,419,026 118,693,269
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### Six Months Ended June 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Statement of Operations	
INVESTMENT INCOME: Income: Dividends <u>*</u>	
Non-Affiliates Affiliated Companies Interest	\$ 6,154,391 51,750 4,614,393
Securities lending	229,921
Total income	11,050,455
Expenses: Investment advisory fees Stockholder reports Custody and transfer agent fees Directors[] fees Administrative and office facilities expenses Professional fees Other expenses	7,095,425 200,162 98,289 65,041 57,037 27,189 121,067
Total expenses Compensating balance credits	7,664,210 (58,427)
Net expenses	7,605,783
Net investment income (loss)	3,444,672
<b>REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON INVESTMENTS AND FOREIGN CURRENCY:</b> Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	
Non-Affiliates	79,703,578
Affiliated Companies Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency	5,317,318 33,514,490
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	118,535,386
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	121,980,058
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS	(6,490,000)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	\$ 115,490,058

**RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS** \* Net of foreign withholding tax of \$187,777.

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### **Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

	Six months ended 6/30/07 (unaudited)	Year ended 12/31/06
INVESTMENT OPERATIONS: Net investment income (loss) Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on	\$ 3,444,672 85,020,896	\$     6,996,692 110,169,442
investments and foreign currency	33,514,490	93,033,099
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from investment operations	121,980,058	210,199,233
<b>DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS:</b> Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	□ □ (6,490,000)	(1,020,228) (11,959,772) []
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(6,490,000)	(12,980,000)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	115,490,058	197,219,233
<b>DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS:</b> Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	[] [] (52,389,793)	(7,788,658) (91,303,684) □
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(52,389,793)	(99,092,342)
<b>CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS:</b> Reinvestment of distributions to Common Stockholders	26,408,289	50,180,586
Total capital stock transactions	26,408,289	50,180,586
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	89,508,554	148,307,477
<b>NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS:</b> Beginning of period	1,180,427,563	1,032,120,086
End of period (including undistributed net investment income (loss) of \$1,839,388 at 6/30/07 and \$(1,605,284) at 12/31/06)	\$1,269,936,117	\$1,180,427,563

\*To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.

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### **Financial Highlights**

This table is presented to show selected data for a share of Common Stock outstanding throughout each period, and to assist stockholders in evaluating the Fund s performance for the periods presented.

	Six months ended June 30, 2007 (unaudited)	Years ended December 31,					
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	
NET ASSET VALUE, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$20.62	\$18.87	\$18.95	\$17.03	\$13.22	\$17.31	
INVESTMENT OPERATIONS: Net investment income (loss) Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments and	0.06	0.13	0.01	(0.08)	(0.05)	(0.02)	
foreign currency	2.04	3.63	1.75	3.81	5.64	(2.25)	
Total investment operations	2.10	3.76	1.76	3.73	5.59	(2.27)	
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS:							
Net investment income Net realized gain		(0.02)				(0.01)	
on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>		(0.21)	(0.24)	(0.26)	(0.26)	(0.28)	
	(0.11)						
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(0.11)	(0.23)	(0.24)	(0.26)	(0.26)	(0.29)	
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	1.99	3.53	1.52	3.47	5.33	(2.56)	

RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS						
DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment						
Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly		(0.14)				(0.07)
		(1.64)	(1.61)	(1.55)	(1.30)	(1.44)
distributions <u>*</u>	(0.91)					
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(0.91)	(1.78)	(1.61)	(1.55)	(1.30)	(1.51)
CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS: Effect of reinvestment of distributions by Common Stockholders Effect of rights	0.01	(0.00)	0.01	0.00	(0.00)	(0.02)
offering and Preferred Stock offering					(0.22)	
Total capital stock transactions	0.01	(0.00)	0.01	0.00	(0.22)	(0.02)
NET ASSET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$21.71	\$20.62	\$18.87	\$18.95	\$17.03	\$13.22
MARKET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$21.42	\$22.21	\$20.08	\$20.44	\$17.21	\$13.25
TOTAL RETURN (a): Market Value Net Asset Value RATIOS BASED ON AVERAGE NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Total expenses	0.60% <u>***</u> 9.83% <u>***</u>	20.96% 19.50%	6.95% 8.41%	29.60% 21.42%	41.96% 40.80%	(6.87)% (15.61)%
(b,c) Management fee	1.25% <u>**</u>	1.29%	1.49%	1.51%	1.49%	1.72%
expense <u>(d)</u> Other operating	1.17% <u>**</u>	1.20%	1.37%	1.39%	1.34%	1.56%
expenses Net investment	0.08% <u>**</u>	0.09%	0.12%	0.12%	0.15%	0.16%
income (loss)	0.57% <u>**</u>	0.62%	0.03%	(0.50)%	(0.36)%	(0.09)%

## SUPPLEMENTAL

DATA: Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders, End of Period (in						
thousands) Liquidation Value of Preferred Stock, End of Period (in	\$1,269,936	\$1,180,428	\$1,032,120	\$993,304	\$850,773	\$560,776
thousands) Portfolio Turnover	\$220,000	\$220,000	\$220,000	\$220,000	\$220,000	\$160,000
Rate PREFERRED STOCK: Total shares	5%	21%	31%	30%	23%	35%
outstanding Asset coverage per	8,800,000	8,800,000	8,800,000	8,800,000	8,800,000	6,400,000
share Liquidation preference per	\$169.31	\$159.14	\$142.29	\$137.88	\$121.68	\$112.62
share Average market value per share <u>(e)</u> :	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
5.90% Cumulative 7.80% Cumulative 7.30% Tax-Advantaged	\$24.35 []	\$23.95 []	\$24.75 []	\$24.50 []	\$25.04 \$25.87	□ \$26.37
Cumulative					\$25.53	\$25.82

(a) The Market Value Total Return is calculated assuming a purchase of Common Stock on the opening of the first business day and a sale on the closing of the last business day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for the purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Fund[]s Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan. Net Asset Value Total Return is calculated on the same basis, except that the Fund[]s net asset value is used on the purchase and sale dates instead of market value.

(b) Expense ratios based on total average net assets including liquidation value of Preferred Stock were 1.06% 1.08%, 1.22%, 1.21%, 1.19% and 1.38% for the periods ended June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

(c) Expense ratios based on average net assets applicable to Common Stockholders before waiver of fees by the investment adviser would have been 1.62% and 1.82% for the periods ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

(d) The management fee is calculated based on average net assets over a rolling 60-month basis, while the above ratios of management fee expenses are based on the average net assets applicable to Common Stockholders over a 12-month basis.

(e) The average of month-end market values during the period that the Preferred Stock was outstanding.

\* To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.

\*\* Annualized.

\*\*\* Not annualized.

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## Royce Value Trust

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## Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

Royce Value Trust, Inc. ([[the Fund]]) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland on July 1, 1986 as a diversified closed-end investment company. The Fund commenced operations on November 26, 1986. The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Valuation of Investments:

Securities are valued as of the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern time) on the valuation date. Securities that trade on an exchange, and securities traded on Nasdaq[]s Electronic Bulletin Board, are valued at their last reported sales price or Nasdaq official closing price taken from the primary market in which each security trades or, if no sale is reported for such day, at their bid price. Other over-the-counter securities for which market quotations are readily available are valued at their highest bid price. Securities for which market quotations are not readily available are valued at their fair value under procedures established by the Fund Board of Directors. In addition, if between the time trading ends on a particular security and the close of the customary trading session on the NYSE, events occur that are significant and may make the closing price unreliable, the Fund may fair value the security. The Fund uses an independent pricing service to provide fair value estimates for relevant non-U.S. equity securities on days when the U.S. market volatility exceeds a certain threshold. This pricing service uses proprietary correlations it has developed between the movement of prices of non-U.S. equity securities and indices of U.S.-traded securities, futures contracts and other indications to estimate the fair value of relevant non-U.S. securities. Bonds and other fixed income securities may be valued by reference to other securities with comparable ratings, interest rates and maturities, using established independent pricing services. Investments in money market funds are valued at net asset value per share.

#### **Foreign Currency:**

The Fund values its non-U.S. securities in U.S. dollars on the basis of foreign currency exchange rates provided to the Fund by its custodian, State Street Bank and Trust Company. The effects of changes in foreign exchange rates on investments and other assets and liabilities are included with net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales and maturities of short-term securities, sales of foreign currencies, expiration of currency forward contracts, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund[]s books, and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the value of assets and liabilities,

including investments in securities at the end of the reporting period, as a result of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

# Investment Transactions and Related Investment Income:

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Non-cash dividend income is recorded at the fair market value of the securities received. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Premium and discounts on debt securities are amortized using the effective yield to maturity method. Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are determined on the basis of identified cost for book and tax purposes.

#### **Expenses:**

The Fund incurs direct and indirect expenses. Expenses directly attributable to the Fund are charged to the Fund soperations, while expenses applicable to more than one of the Royce Funds are allocated in an equitable manner. Allocated personnel and occupancy costs related to The Royce Funds are included in administrative and office facilities expenses. The Fund has adopted a deferred fee agreement that allows the Fund Directors to defer the receipt of all or a portion of Directors Fees otherwise payable. The deferred fees are invested in certain Royce Funds until distributed in accordance with the agreement.

#### **Compensating Balance Credits:**

The Fund has an arrangement with its custodian bank, whereby a portion of the custodian s fee is paid indirectly by credits earned on the Fund s cash on deposit with the bank. This deposit arrangement is an alternative to purchasing overnight investments.

#### **Taxes:**

As a qualified regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code, the Fund is not subject to income taxes to the extent that it distributes substantially all of its taxable income for its fiscal year. The Schedule of Investments includes information regarding income taxes under the caption [Income Tax Information].

#### **Distributions:**

The Fund currently has a policy of paying quarterly distributions on the Fund []s Common Stock.

Distributions are currently being made at the annual rate of 9% of the rolling average of the prior four calendar quarter-end NAVs of the Fund[]s Common Stock, with the fourth quarter distribution being the greater of 2.25% of the rolling average or the distribution required by IRS regulations. Distributions to Preferred Stockholders are accrued daily and paid quarterly and distributions to Common Stockholders are recorded on ex-dividend date. The Fund is required to allocate long-term capital gain distributions and other types of income proportionately to distributions made to holders of shares of Common Stock and Preferred Stock. To the extent that distributions are not paid from long-term capital gains, net investment income or net short-term capital gains, they will represent a return of capital. Distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations that may differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Permanent book and tax basis differences relating to stockholder distributions will result in reclassifications within the capital accounts. Undistributed net investment income may include

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temporary book and tax basis differences, which will reverse in a subsequent period. Any taxable income or gain remaining undistributed at fiscal year end is distributed in the following year.

### **Repurchase Agreements:**

The Fund may enter into repurchase agreements with institutions that the Fund s investment adviser has determined are creditworthy. The Fund restricts repurchase agreements to maturities of no more than seven days. Securities pledged as collateral for repurchase agreements, which are held until maturity of the repurchase agreements, are marked-to-market daily and maintained at a value at least equal to the principal amount of the repurchase agreements could involve certain risks in the event of default or insolvency of the counter-party, including possible delays or restrictions upon the ability of the Fund to dispose of the underlying securities.

## **Securities Lending:**

The Fund loans securities to qualified institutional investors for the purpose of realizing additional income. Collateral on all securities loaned for the Fund is accepted in cash and cash equivalents and invested temporarily by the custodian. The collateral is equal to at least 100% of the current market value of the loaned securities. The market value of the loaned securities is determined at the close of business of the Fund and any additional required collateral is delivered to the Fund on the next business day.

## **Recent Accounting Pronouncements:**

Financial Accounting Standards Board ([FASB]) Interpretation No. 48, [Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes[] ([]FIN 48[]) provides guidance for how uncertain tax positions should be recognized, measured, presented and disclosed in the financial statements. FIN 48 requires the evaluation of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Fund s tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are [more-likely-than-not] of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold would be recorded as a tax benefit or expense in the current vear. FIN 48 was adopted for the Fund on June 29, 2007. There was no material impact to the financial statements or disclosures thereto as a result of the adoption of this pronouncement.

FASB Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 157, [Fair Value Measurement] ([FAS 157]), provides enhanced guidance for using fair value to measure assets and liabilities. The standard requires companies

to provide expanded information about the assets and liabilities measured at fair value and the potential effect of these fair valuations on an entity s financial performance. The standard does not expand the use of fair value in any new circumstances, but provides clarification on acceptable fair valuation methods and applications. Adoption of FAS 157 is required for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007. The standard is not expected to materially impact the Fund s financial statements.

### **Capital Stock:**

The Fund issued 1,238,869 and 2,548,023 shares of Common Stock as reinvestment of distributions by Common Stockholders for the six months ended June 30, 2007 and the year ended December 31, 2006, respectively.

At June 30, 2007, 8,800,000 shares of 5.90% Cumulative Preferred Stock were outstanding. Commencing October 9, 2008 and thereafter, the Fund, at its option, may redeem the Cumulative Preferred Stock, in whole or in part, at the redemption price. The Cumulative Preferred Stock is classified outside of permanent equity (net assets applicable to Common Stockholders) in the accompanying financial statements in accordance with Emerging Issues Task Force (EITF) Topic D-98, Classification and Measurement of Redeemable Securities, that requires preferred securities that are redeemable for cash or other assets to be classified outside of permanent equity to the extent that the redemption is at a fixed or determinable price and at the option of the holder or upon the occurrence of an event that is not solely within the control of the issuer.

The Fund is required to meet certain asset coverage tests with respect to the Cumulative Preferred Stock as required by the 1940 Act. In addition, pursuant to the Rating Agency Guidelines established by Moody s, the Fund is required to maintain a certain discounted asset coverage. If the Fund fails to meet these requirements and does not correct such failure, the Fund may be required to redeem, in part or in full, the Cumulative Preferred Stock at a redemption price of \$25.00 per share, plus an amount equal to the accumulated and unpaid dividends, whether or not declared on such shares, in order to meet these requirements. Additionally, failure to meet the foregoing asset coverage requirements could restrict the Fund s ability to pay dividends to Common Stockholders and could lead to sales of portfolio securities at inopportune times. The Fund has met these requirements since issuing the Cumulative Preferred Stock.

### **Investment Advisory Agreement:**

As compensation for its services under the Investment Advisory Agreement, Royce & Associates, LLC ([Royce]) receives a fee comprised of a Basic Fee ([Basic Fee]) and an adjustment to the Basic Fee based on the investment performance of the Fund in relation to the investment record of the S&P SmallCap 600 Index ([]S&P 600]). The Basic Fee is a monthly fee equal to 1/12 of 1% (1% on an annualized basis) of the average of the Fund[]s month-end net assets applicable to Common

Stockholders, plus the liquidation value of Preferred Stock, for the rolling 60-month period ending with such month (the [performance period]). The Basic Fee for each month is increased or decreased at the rate of 1/12 of .05% for each percentage point that the investment performance of the Fund exceeds, or is exceeded by, the percentage change in the investment record of the S&P 600 for the performance period by more than two percentage points. The performance period for each such month is a rolling 60-month period ending with such month. The maximum increase or decrease in the Basic Fee for any month may not exceed 1/12 of .5%. Accordingly, for each

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month, the maximum monthly fee rate as adjusted for performance is 1/12 of 1.5% and is payable if the investment performance of the Fund exceeds the percentage change in the investment record of the S&P 600 by 12 or more percentage points for the performance period, and the minimum monthly fee rate as adjusted for performance is 1/12 of .5% and is payable if the percentage change in the investment record of the S&P 600 exceeds the investment performance of the Fund by 12 or more percentage points for the performance period.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, Royce is not entitled to receive any fee for any month when the investment performance of the Fund for the rolling 36-month period ending with such month is negative. In the event that the Fund[s investment performance for such a performance period is less than zero, Royce will not be required to refund to the Fund any fee earned in respect of any prior performance period.

Royce has voluntarily committed to waive the portion of its investment advisory fee attributable to an issue of the Fund[]s Preferred Stock for any month in which the Fund[]s average annual NAV total return since issuance of the Preferred Stock fails to exceed the applicable Preferred Stock[]s dividend rate.

Transactions in Shares of Affiliated Companies:

For the six rolling 60-month periods ended June 2007, the investment performance of the Fund exceeded the investment performance of the S&P 600 by 4% to 12%. Accordingly, the investment advisory fee consisted of a Basic Fee of \$5,523,766 and an upward adjustment of \$1,571,659 for performance of the Fund above that of the S&P 600. For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the Fund accrued and paid Royce advisory fees totaling \$7,095,425.

### Purchases and Sales of Investment Securities:

For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the cost of purchases and proceeds from sales of investment securities, other than short-term securities and collateral received for securities loaned, amounted to \$68,057,069 and \$194,640,593, respectively.

An [Affiliated Company,] as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, is a company in which a Fund owns 5% or more of the company]s outstanding voting securities at any time during the period. The Fund effected the following transactions in shares of such companies during the six months ended June 30, 2007:

Affiliated	Shares	Market Value	Cost of	Cost of	Realized	Dividend	Shares	Market Value
Company	12/31/06	12/31/06	Purchases	Sales	Gain (Loss)	Income	6/30/07	6/30/07
Synalloy Corporation <u>*</u>	345,000	\$6,361,800 \$6,361,800		\$761,702	\$5,317,318 \$5,317,318	\$51,750 \$51,750		

\* Not an Affiliated Company at June 30, 2007.

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	SHARES	VALUE
COMMON STOCKS [] 103.7%		
Consumer Products [] 5.0% Apparel and Shoes - 1.4% @ELiA*s a.c Hartmarx Corporation a Kleinert[]s a.d Steven Madden True Religion Apparel a Weyco Group	33,600 70,000 14,200 21,750 24,900 120,000	\$ 256,368 557,900 0 712,530 506,217 3,231,600 5,264,615
Collectibles - 0.2% Topps Company (The)	74,200	779,842
Food/Beverage/Tobacco - 0.6% Green Mountain Coffee Roasters <u>a.c</u> Nutrition 21 <u>a.c</u>	25,600 20,000	2,015,744 33,000 2,048,744
Home Furnishing and Appliances - 0.3% Lifetime Brands U.S. Home Systems <u>a.c</u>	42,054 10,000	860,004 99,500 959,504
Publishing - 0.3% Educational Development Proquest Company <u>a.c</u>	7,000 115,000	54,740 1,086,750 1,141,490
Sports and Recreation - 1.0% Cybex International <u>a</u> Monaco Coach Orange 21 <u>a</u> Sturm, Ruger & Company <u>a</u>	70,000 142,400 10,300 75,000	490,000 2,043,440 67,465 1,164,000
Other Consumer Products - 1.2%		3,764,905

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A.T. Cross Company Cl. A <u>a</u> Burnham Holdings Cl. A Cobra Electronics Lazare Kaplan International <u>a</u> NexCen Brands <u>a</u>	100,000 84,000 10,000 151,700 62,500	1,170,000 1,365,000 96,400 1,201,464 696,250
		4,529,114
Total (Cost \$11,637,247)		18,488,214
<b>Consumer Services</b> [] <b>4.6%</b> Direct Marketing - 0.3% Dover Saddlery <u>a</u> FTD Group	9,500 55,000	67,830 1,012,550
		1,080,380
Leisure and Entertainment - 0.1% FortuNet <u>a.c</u> IMAX Corporation <u>a.c</u> TiVo <u>a.c</u>	5,000 25,000 20,000	50,450 105,500 115,800
		271,750
Media and Broadcasting -		
0.2% Outdoor Channel Holdings <u>a.c</u>	69,750	786,083
Restaurants and Lodgings - 0.2% Benihana Cl. A <u>a.c</u> Champps Entertainment <u>a</u> Cosi <u>a.c</u> Famous Dave[]s of America <u>a</u>	800 13,800 85,800 18,270	16,000 65,550 391,248 407,056
		879,854

	SHARES	VALUE
Retail Stores - 3.4%		
A.C. Moore Arts & Crafts <a> </a>	40,000	\$ 784,400
America[]s Car-Mart <u>a,c</u>	200,000	2,718,000
<u></u> Eddie Bauer Holdings <u>a,c</u>	27,600	354,660
Buckle (The)	35,250	1,388,850
Cache <sup>a,c</sup>	9,200	122,084
Casual Male Retail Group <u>a</u>	25,800	260,580
Cato Corporation Cl. A	68,100	1,494,114
Cost Plus <sup>a,c</sup>	45,077	382,253
Deb Shops	19,900	550,235
Stein Mart	148,900	1,825,514
United Retail Group <u>a</u>	60,600	704,778
West Marine <u>a</u> ,c	142,000	1,953,920
		12,539,388
Other Consumer Services - 0.4%		
Ambassadors Group	15,000	532,950

Ambassadors International Collectors Universe Premier Exhibitions <u>ª.c</u> Renaissance Learning	6,100 23,200 21,900 2,365	202,886 354,728 345,144 31,100
		1,466,808
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$12,692,615)		17,024,263
Diversified Investment Companies [] 1.4% Closed-End Funds - 1.4%		
<b>ASA</b> Central Fund of Canada Cl. A	48,900 207,000	3,156,984 1,881,630
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$2,675,077)		5,038,614
Financial Intermediaries [ 10.7% Banking - 3.1% Abigail Adams National Bancorp B of I Holding <u>a</u> Bancorp (The) <u>a.c</u> First National Lincoln Lakeland Financial Meta Financial Group Nexity Financial <u>a</u> Peapack-Gladstone Financial Queen City Investments <u>a</u> Quest Capital Sterling Bancorp Sterling Financial	160,500 100,000 51,180 40,200 45,000 44,800 141,699 27,600 948 30,000 32,869 7,779	2,214,900 721,000 1,144,385 683,400 957,150 1,692,992 1,456,666 747,132 867,420 85,614 526,890 225,124
Insurance - 2.2% AmCOMP a American Safety Insurance Holdings a CRM Holdings a First Acceptance a Independence Holding NYMAGIC	5,600 20,000 99,000 258,405 33,534 65,400	11,322,673 54,600 476,600 757,350 2,625,395 685,100 2,629,080
Navigators Group <u>a</u>	15,200	819,280
Real Estate Investment Trusts - 0.6% Capstead Mortgage Opteum Cl. A	154,900 249,000	1,502,530 677,280 2,179,810

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Financial Intermediaries	SHARES	VALUE
(continued)		
Securities Brokers - 2.3%		
Cowen Group <u>a</u>	63,800	\$ 1,142,658
First Albany Companies <u>a</u> International Assets	95,000	158,650
Holding <sup>a,c</sup>	129,400	3,008,550
Sanders Morris Harris Group	136,000	1,583,040
Stifel Financial <sup>a,c</sup>	38,733	2,280,986
Thomas Weisel Partners		
Group <sup>a,c</sup>	6,500 30,000	108,225 349,500
Tradestation Group <u>a</u>	50,000	549,500
		8,631,609
Other Financial Intermediaries - 2.5%		
Kohlberg Capital	98,100	1,819,755
MVC Capital	216,200	4,066,722
MarketAxess Holdings <sup>a,c</sup>	123,700	2,225,363
NGP Capital Resources	68,079	1,138,283
		9,250,123
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$27,404,232)		39,431,620
Financial Services [] 4.2%		
Insurance Brokers - 0.2%		
Crawford & Company Cl. A a	50,000	315,000
Health Benefits Direct a.c	211,100	496,085
		811,085
Investment Management -		
3.6%		
ADDENDA Capital	131,700	2,800,286
BKF Capital Group <u>a</u> , <u>b</u>	406,500	934,950
Epoch Holding Corporation	211,500	2,831,985
– Hennessy Advisors	24,750	321,750
Highbury Financial <sup>a,b,c</sup>	580,400	3,569,460
Highbury Financial (Warrants) <u>ª</u>	533,900	822,206
Sceptre Investment Counsel	78,000	785,675
Westwood Holdings Group	31,900	1,089,704
		13,156,016

Other Financial Services - 0.4%		
Chardan North China Acquisition <u>a.c</u> Chardan North China	149,000	1,099,620
Acquisition (Warrants) $\underline{a}$	191,900	502,778
		1,602,398
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$12,924,084)		15,569,499
Health [] 14.2% Commercial Services - 1.7%		
First Consulting Group <u>a</u> Medifast <u>a.c</u> <b>PAREXEL International</b> <u>a.c</u>	289,800 10,000 80,900	2,753,100 89,500 3,402,654
		6,245,254
Drugs and Biotech - 5.6%		
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u>	172,000	638,120
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a,c</u>	123,600	638,120 546,312
Adolor Corporation <sup>a,c</sup> Allos Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup> Barrier Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup>	123,600 11,300	638,120 546,312 73,450
Adolor Corporation <sup>a,c</sup> Allos Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup> Barrier Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup> Cambrex Corporation	123,600	638,120 546,312
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Barrier Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical	123,600 11,300 16,000	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Barrier Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories <u>a</u>	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Barrier Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories <u>a</u> Cardiome Pharma <u>a,c</u>	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850 21,000	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123 193,410
Adolor Corporation <u>a,c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Barrier Therapeutics <u>a,c</u> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories <u>a</u> Cardiome Pharma <u>a,c</u> Cell Genesys <u>a</u>	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123 193,410 194,300
Adolor Corporation a.c Allos Therapeutics a.c Barrier Therapeutics a.c Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories a Cardiome Pharma a.c Cell Genesys a Cerus Corporation a.c Coley Pharmaceutical Group a.c	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850 21,000 58,000	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123 193,410
Adolor Corporation <u>a.c</u> Allos Therapeutics <u>a.c</u> Barrier Therapeutics <u>a.c</u> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories <u>a</u> Cardiome Pharma <u>a.c</u> Cell Genesys <u>a</u> Cerus Corporation <u>a.c</u> Coley Pharmaceutical Group	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850 21,000 58,000 166,700 210,000	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123 193,410 194,300 1,126,892 760,200
Adolor Corporation <sup>a,c</sup> Allos Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup> Barrier Therapeutics <sup>a,c</sup> Cambrex Corporation Caraco Pharmaceutical Laboratories <sup>a</sup> Cardiome Pharma <sup>a,c</sup> Cell Genesys <sup>a</sup> Cerus Corporation <sup>a,c</sup> Coley Pharmaceutical Group <sup>a,c</sup> CollaGenex Pharmaceuticals	123,600 11,300 16,000 29,850 21,000 58,000 166,700	638,120 546,312 73,450 212,320 453,123 193,410 194,300 1,126,892

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DUSA Pharmaceuticals <u>a</u>	37,200	\$ 114,576
Dyax Corporation <u>a,c</u>	44,800	187,712
Emisphere Technologies <u>a,c</u>	163,200	789,888
Favrille <u>a,c</u>	271,000	999,990
Gene Logic <u>a</u>	224,900	310,362
Genitope Corporation a,c	294,700	1,137,542
Halozyme Therapeutics <u>a</u> ,c	9,300	85,839
Hi-Tech Pharmacal 🛓	50,030	597,358
Idenix Pharmaceuticals <u>a</u>	7,700	45,430
ImmunoGen <sup>a,c</sup>	24,000	133,200
Infinity Pharmaceuticals <u>a,c</u>	8,750	95,200
Luminex Corporation <u>a,c</u>	20,475	252,047
Mannkind Corporation <u>a,c</u>	42,000	517,860
Maxygen <u>a</u>	5,000	42,850
Momenta Pharmaceuticals <u>a,c</u>	69,500	700,560
Myriad Genetics <u>a,c</u>	25,000	929,750
Nastech Pharmaceutical <u>a,c</u>	2,700	29,457
Neurogen Corporation <u>a,c</u>	40,000	265,600
Nuvelo <u>a,c</u>	214,000	582,080
Oncolytics Biotech <u>a,c</u>	36,000	74,880
Orchid Cellmark <u>a</u>	78,000	361,920
Origin Agritech <u>a,c</u>	221,688	1,828,926
Pharmacyclics <u>a</u>	228,000	620,160
	25,000	797,000

SHARES

VALUE

21,000 72,000 24,800 47,000 125,000 123,600 483,000 145,800 90,000	170,520 706,320 28,520 634,500 325,000 558,672 903,210 607,986 615,600 20,728,427
11,900 40,000 94,800 32,177 23,000 11,900 88,600 18,000 52,600 10,000 41,100 22,000 45,500 41,000 10,000	436,373 594,000 890,172 219,769 461,380 227,766 296,810 572,400 378,720 118,600 440,592 313,280 961,870 594,090 134,700
	6,640,522
273,500 14,000 17,000 4,000 91,200 50,000	1,788,690 252,140 258,230 392,000 644,784 234,500
	72,000 24,800 47,000 125,000 123,600 483,000 145,800 90,000 90,000 11,900 40,000 94,800 32,177 23,000 11,900 88,600 18,000 52,600 10,000 41,100 22,000 45,500 41,000 10,000

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	SHARES	VALUE
Health (continued) Medical Products and Devices (continued)		
Cardiac Science a.c CONMED Corporation a.c Cutera a.c Del Global Technologies a EPIX Pharmaceuticals a Endologix a.c Exactech a.c Golden Meditech Company a IRIDEX Corporation a Kensey Nash a.c Medical Action Industries a.c Merit Medical Systems a NMT Medical a Neurometrix a.c Orthofix International a OrthoLogic Corporation a PLC Systems a Possis Medical a.c Shamir Optical Industry a Synovis Life Technologies a Thermage a Urologix a.c Utah Medical Products Young Innovations	29,947 3,900 15,400 461,301 32,666 10,500 113,100 24,100 30,700 26,650 125,250 8,700 13,101 21,500 28,000 65,000 105,200 28,900 7,500 20,000 51,100 405,500 42,300 66,050	<ul> <li>\$ 328,219</li> <li>114,192</li> <li>383,768</li> <li>1,176,318</li> <li>183,256</li> <li>46,935</li> <li>1,818,648</li> <li>13,870</li> <li>160,868</li> <li>714,487</li> <li>2,262,015</li> <li>104,052</li> <li>155,640</li> <li>208,765</li> <li>1,259,160</li> <li>92,300</li> <li>63,120</li> <li>314,432</li> <li>73,800</li> <li>288,000</li> <li>427,196</li> <li>904,265</li> <li>1,342,602</li> <li>1,927,339</li> </ul>
		17,933,591
Personal Care - 0.2% Helen of Troy <u>a.c</u> Nutraceutical International <u>a</u>	20,000 15,000	540,000 248,550
		788,550
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$41,405,552)		52,336,344
Industrial Products [] 14.2% Automotive - 1.0% International Textile Group <u>a</u> LKQ Corporation <u>a.c</u>	85,000 11,400	595,000 281,124
Noble International SORL Auto Parts <u>a.c</u> Spartan Motors Strattec Security <u>a</u> Wescast Industries CI. A	30,900 67,500 6,300 28,300 12,900	631,596 486,000 107,226 1,330,100 193,757

		3,624,803
Building Systems and Components - 1.1% AAON LSI Industries Modtech Holdings <u>a.c</u> Napco Security Systems <u>a.c</u>	63,000 65,112 51,400 111,200	2,006,550 1,165,505 138,780 700,560
		4,011,395
Construction Materials - 1.5% Ash Grove Cement Monarch Cement Synalloy Corporation	8,000 50,410 58,200	1,920,000 1,572,792 2,031,180
		5,523,972
Industrial Components - 1.9% American Superconducter <u>a,c</u> C & D Technologies <u>a</u> Deswell Industries Gerber Scientific <u>a,c</u>	32,000 53,000 105,300 50,500	617,920 296,800 1,149,876 586,810

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	SHARES	VALUE
Ladish Company <u>a</u> Planar Systems <u>a</u> .c Powell Industries <u>a</u> Tech/Ops Sevcon II-VI <u>a</u>	10,000 142,000 46,800 76,200 20,000	\$ 430,000 1,063,580 1,486,368 723,900 543,400
		6,898,654
Machinery - 3.2% Alamo Group Astec Industries <u>a.c</u> Capstone Turbine <u>a.c</u> Eagle Test Systems <u>a.c</u> Flow International <u>a.c</u> Gorman-Rupp Company Hurco Companies <u>a</u> K-Tron International <u>a</u> Keithley Instruments LeCroy Corporation <u>a</u> MTS Systems Mueller (Paul) Company Sun Hydraulics T-3 Energy Services <u>a</u> <b>Tennant Company</b>	38,600 40,200 200,000 13,000 26,800 4,218 17,000 9,600 14,000 2,000 10,000 9,650 38,950 4,912 88,200	972,720 1,697,244 216,000 208,780 337,680 134,385 849,660 973,152 175,700 19,440 446,700 605,538 1,918,288 164,306 3,219,300 11,938,893
Metal Fabrication and		
Distribution - 1.0% Encore Wire Haynes International <u>a.c</u> Insteel Industries NN Novamerican Steel <u>a.c</u>	15,000 8,020 35,300 114,300 1,900	441,600 677,129 635,400 1,348,740 101,327

Olympic Steel	4,600	131,836
Samuel Manu-Tech Universal Stainless & Alloy	2,500	29,031
Products <u>a</u> ,c	7,700	271,271
		3,636,334
Paper and Packaging - 0.1%		
Mod-Pac Corporation <u>a</u>	23,200	237,800
Pumps, Valves and Bearings - 0.3%		
CIRCOR International	28,000	1,132,040
Specialty Chemicals and Materials - 1.8%		
Aceto Corporation	329,219	3,051,860
American Vanguard	8,233	117,897
Balchem Corporation	33,750	613,237
Foamex International <sup>a</sup>	28,744	326,526
– Hawkins	121,967	1,884,390
NuCo2	20,000	513,400
Park Electrochemical	10,000	281,800
		6,789,110
Textiles - 0.1%		
Unifi <u>a</u>	100,000	262,000
Other Industrial Products - 2.2%		
Basin Water <sup>a,c</sup>	11,500	100,050
Color Kinetics <sup>a,c</sup>	50,000	1,670,500
Eastern Company (The)	39,750	1,155,135
Maxwell Technologies <u>a,c</u>	15,300	217,566
Peerless Manufacturing <sup>a</sup>	84,400	1,741,172
Quixote Corporation Raven Industries	33,300 73,000	622,710 2,606,830
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		8,113,963
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$28,547,253)		52,168,964

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Industrial Convisos D	SHARES	VALUE
Industrial Services [] 12.9%		
Advertising and Publishing - 0.5%		
Greenfield Online <u>a,c</u>	20,000	\$ 318,200
Journal Register	80,200	359,296
MDC Partners Cl. A <u>a</u>	18,400	161,000
Traffix	84,700	465,850
P Corporation <u>a,c</u>	482,000	361,500
		1,665,846
Commercial Services - 5.0%		
Access Integrated	16 100	275 276
Technologies Cl. A <u>a</u> ,c ADDvantage Technologies	46,400	375,376
Group <u>a</u>	80,300	409,530
BB Holdings <u>a</u>	390,000	2,055,793
CBIZ <u>a,c</u> ©anadian Solar <u>a,c</u>	87,000 25,000	639,450 235,000
Carlisle Group <u>a</u>	188,800	506,138
ClearPoint Business		
Resources <u>a,c</u>	216,000	1,075,680
CorVel Corporation <u>a,c</u>	40,125	1,048,867
eResearch Technology a,c	185,000	1,759,350
GP Strategies <u>a</u> Geo Group (The) <u>a</u> , <u>c</u>	35,000 102,400	380,800 2,979,840
Global Sources <u>a</u> .c	102,400	2,979,840
Intersections <sup>a</sup>	35,300	353,000
Kforce <sup>a</sup>	55,000	878,900
Metalico <sup>a,c</sup>	74,800	594,660
OneSource Services <u>a</u>	36,175	466,732
PDI <u>a</u>	29,708	304,804
PeopleSupport <u>a,c</u>	43,300	491,455
SM&A <u>a</u>	31,300	219,413
SYS <u>a,c</u>	480,000	945,600
Volt Information Sciences <u>a,c</u>	52,800	973,632
Westaff <u>a</u>	362,500 9,100	1,573,250
Willdan Group <u>a</u>	9,100	89,180
		18,611,144
Engineering and Construction		
- 1.6% Cavco Industries <u>a</u> ,c	4,400	165,088
Exponent <sup>a</sup>	130,600	2,921,522
Hanfeng Evergreen <u>a</u>	43,700	492,279
Insituform Technologies Cl. A		
a,c	56,400	1,230,084
Nobility Homes	5,800	121,974

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Skyline Corporation Sterling Construction	32,100 6,300	963,321 133,245
		6,027,513
Food and Tobacco Processors		
Cal-Maine Foods Farmer Bros. Galaxy Nutritional Foods <u>a</u> ML Macadamia Orchards L.P. Seneca Foods Cl. A <u>a</u> Seneca Foods Cl. B <u>a</u> Sunopta <u>a</u>	50,000 42,400 432,600 120,200 62,500 42,500 39,280	819,000 959,512 233,604 615,424 1,626,250 1,134,750 437,972
		5,826,512
Industrial Distribution - 0.4% Central Steel & Wire Elamex <u>a</u> Lawson Products	1,088 57,700 19,500	694,144 37,505 754,650
		1,486,299
Printing - 1.2% American Bank Note Holographics <u>a</u> Bowne & Co.	242,200 66,500	898,562 1,297,415

	SHARES	VALUE
Champion Industries	23,500	\$ 169,200
Courier Corporation	22,950	918,000
Ennis	9,700	228,144
Schawk	38,900	778,778
		4,290,099
Transportation and Logistics - 2.3%		
ABX Air <sup>a</sup>	164,900	1,329,094
Dynamex <sup>a,c</sup>	8,300	211,899
ExpressJet Holdings <u>a,c</u>	100,000	598,000
Forward Air	50,700	1,728,363
Frozen Food Express		
Industries	92,000	932,880
MAIR Holdings <u>a</u>	8,600	56,760
Marten Transport <u>a,c</u> Midwest Air Group <u>a,c</u>	6,450	116,165
Patriot Transportation Holding	25,700	386,014
a	3,000	260,100
_ Universal Truckload Services a	134,200	2,666,554
Velocity Express <u>a,c</u>	234,816	201,942
		8,487,771
Other Industrial Services -		
0.3%		
Landauer	21,300	1,049,025
Team <u>a</u>	2,200	98,934

			1,147,959
т	<b>Fotal</b> (Cost \$28,378,497)		47,543,143
	Natural Resources 🛛 10.4%		
	Energy Services - 4.2%		
	Dril-Quip <u>a,c</u>	55,000	2,472,250
	Environmental Power <u>a</u>	90,000	805,500
	<sup>‡</sup> lotek Industries <sup>a,c</sup>	2,600	155,870
	Breen Plains Renewable Energy <u>a.c</u>	21,600	270 512
	Gulf Island Fabrication	35,400	379,512 1,228,380
	GulfMark Offshore <u>a</u>	55,400	2,837,588
	nput/Output <u>a</u>	43,500	679,035
	Pason Systems	209,200	3,275,716
	Willbros Group <u>a,c</u>	77,900	2,312,072
	Norld Energy Solutions <u>a</u>	829,600	1,207,116
		023,000	
			15,353,039
C	Dil and Gas - 1.6%		
	Bonavista Energy Trust	44,600	1,281,164
	Bronco Drilling <u>a</u>	28,200	462,762
	CE Franklin <u>a</u>	32,050	373,382
	<sup>‡</sup> X Energy <sup>a,c</sup>	99,300	908,595
F	Houston American Energy <u>a.c</u>	82,400	444,960
	Nuvista Energy <u>ª</u>	121,000	1,647,031
	Particle Drilling Technologies		
-	a,c	40,000	88,000
	PetroCorp <sup>a,d</sup>	104,200	0
	Pioneer Drilling <u>a</u>	7,500	111,825
	Savanna Energy Services <u>a</u>	2,500	46,937
	Storm Cat Energy <u>a,c</u>	291,200	331,968
I	TXCO Resources <u>a</u> ,c	5,500	56,540
			5,753,164
	Precious Metals and Mining -		
	3.2%		257 207
	Allied Nevada Gold <u>ª.c</u> Aurizon Mines <u>ª</u>	59,700 197,000	257,307 650,100
	Brush Engineered Materials <u>a</u> .c	15,500	650,845
	Central African Gold a	65,800	72,012
	Central African Gold	00,000	12,012
	(Warrants) <u>a</u>	119,950	24,087
	Chesapeake Gold <u>a</u> ,c	20,000	129,547
	Duluth Metals <u>a</u>	57,600	162,215
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## Schedule of Investments

	SHARES	VALUE
Natural Resources (continued)		
Precious Metals and Mining		
(continued) Endeavour Mining Capital Endeavour Silver <u>a</u> Entree Gold <u>a</u> Gammon Gold <u>a</u> , <u>c</u> Golden Star Resources <u>a</u> Kimber Resources <u>a</u> Metallica Resources <u>a</u> Midway Gold <u>a</u>	337,000 50,000 177,900 83,836 168,100 540,000 186,300 227,500	<pre>\$ 3,030,706 225,500 435,855 1,058,010 623,651 691,200 838,350 587,303</pre>
Minefinders Corporation <u>a</u> New Gold <u>a.c</u> Northern Orion Resources <u>a</u> Northgate Minerals <u>a</u> Vista Gold <u>a.c</u>	36,000 141,200 39,200 270,000 50,000	413,640 917,800 223,048 783,000 215,000
		11,989,176
Real Estate - 0.4% HomeFed Corporation <u>a</u> Kennedy-Wilson <u>a</u>	11,352 21,500	715,176 811,625
		1,526,801
Other Natural Resources - 1.0%	45 700	1.076.082
PICO Holdings <u>a</u> Pope Resources L.P.	45,700 33,000	1,976,982 1,605,780
		3,582,762
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$19,149,143)		38,204,942
<b>Technology</b> [] <b>23.4%</b> Aerospace and Defense - 2.5%		
Allied Defense Group (The) <sup>a</sup> Astronics Corporation <sup>a</sup> Ducommun <sup>a</sup> HEICO Corporation HEICO Corporation Cl. A Integral Systems LMI Aerospace <sup>a,c</sup> SIFCO Industries <sup>a,c</sup> TVI Corporation <sup>a</sup>	42,400 26,400 72,100 41,600 24,160 99,922 6,100 45,800 156,790	326,056 841,632 1,855,133 1,750,528 849,224 2,429,104 148,169 857,376 90,938

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		9,148,160
Components and Systems - 3.5% Acacia Research-Acacia Technologies <u>a</u> CSP <u>a</u> DDi Corporation <u>a</u> Excel Technology <u>a</u> Giga-tronics <u>a</u> MOCON Neoware <u>a.c</u> Performance Technologies <u>a</u> REMEC Richardson Electronics Rimage Corporation <u>a</u> §CM Microsystems <u>a.c</u> Spectrum Control <u>a</u> TTM Technologies <u>a</u> TransAct Technologies <u>a</u>	94,450 122,581 54,047 91,900 3,200 15,600 103,200 41,250 143,387 155,050 20,000 70,300 46,100 123,700 78,600	1,526,312 1,097,100 431,836 2,567,686 5,184 179,400 1,397,328 186,450 217,948 1,434,213 631,800 210,900 778,168 1,608,100 470,814
		12,743,239
Distribution - 0.8% Agilysys Bell Industries <u>a</u>	90,000 39,400	2,025,000 143,810

	SHARES	VALUE
Nu Horizons Electronics <u>a,c</u> PC Mall <u>a,c</u>	40,000 26,000	\$ 532,400 317,980
		3,019,190
Internet Software and Services - 2.1%		
Art Technology Group <u>a.c</u> Convera Corporation Cl. A <u>a.c</u> EDGAR Online <u>a.c</u> iGATE Corporation <u>a</u> Jupitermedia Corporation <u>a.c</u> Lionbridge Technologies <u>a.c</u> NIC SkyTerra Communications <u>a</u> Stamps.com <u>a</u>	304,400 190,000 27,700 273,400 355,800 39,900 26,800 62,200 33,200	809,704 828,400 74,790 2,192,668 2,590,224 235,011 183,312 541,140 457,496 7,912,745
IT Services - 4.8% CIBER <u>a.c</u> Cogent Communications	182,662	1,494,175
Group <u>a.c</u> Computer Task Group <u>a</u> Diamond Management & Technology	24,800 431,100	740,776 1,927,017
Consultants Forrester Research <u>a</u> . <u>c</u> Rainmaker Systems <u>a</u> Sapient Corporation <u>a</u> . <u>c</u> Syntel TriZetto Group (The) <u>a</u>	$138,100 \\ 101,500 \\ 52,000 \\ 500,000 \\ 54,300 \\ 145,200$	1,822,920 2,855,195 369,720 3,865,000 1,650,177 2,811,072

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Yucheng Technologies <u>a.c</u>	20,000	154,600
		17,690,652
Semiconductors and Equipment - 2.6%		
Actions Semiconductor ADR <u>a.c</u> Cascade Microtech <u>a.c</u> CEVA <u>a</u> Cohu DTS <u>a.c</u> Electroglas <u>a</u> Exar Corporation <u>a.c</u> Ikanos Communications <u>a.c</u> Intevac <u>a.c</u> Jazz Technologies (Units) <u>a</u> Jinpan International Nanometrics <u>a.c</u> NetList <u>a</u> Nextest Systems <u>a.c</u> PDF Solutions <u>a.c</u> PDF Solutions <u>a.c</u> PDF Solutions <u>a.c</u> Photronics <u>a.c</u> QuickLogic Corporation <u>a</u> Saifun Semiconductors <u>a.c</u> Semitool <u>a.c</u> Vimicro International ADR <u>a.c</u> Virage Logic <u>a.c</u> Zarlink Semiconductor <u>a.c</u>	50,000 50,037 9,800 17,800 7,000 281,700 121,208 8,200 40,550 205,000 25,250 34,000 37,200 13,000 25,000 25,000 25,000 25,000 25,000 25,500 110,000 100,000 208,700	307,500 599,944 83,300 396,050 152,390 605,655 1,624,187 62,402 862,093 943,000 484,800 233,240 130,200 177,710 295,750 442,680 53,400 297,000 245,055 638,000 734,000 375,660
	,	9,744,016
		9,744,010
Software - 4.5% Aladdin Knowledge Systems <u>a</u> Applix <u>a</u> Borland Software <u>a.c</u> Bottomline Technologies <u>a.c</u> Descartes Systems Group (The) <u>a</u> Evans & Sutherland Computer	27,300 20,000 49,700 32,400 55,200	566,202 329,000 295,218 400,140 227,424
	83,500	189,545

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Technology (continued)	SHARES	VALUE
Software (continued) Fundtech <sup>a</sup> ILOG ADR <sup>a,c</sup> iPass <sup>a,c</sup> JDA Software Group <sup>a,c</sup> OpenTV Cl. A <sup>a,c</sup> <b>Pegasystems</b> Phase Forward <sup>a,c</sup> PLATO Learning <sup>a</sup> SPSS <sup>a,c</sup> SeaChange International <sup>a,c</sup>	51,000 35,000 190,000 59,500 373,700 320,200 43,000 100,000 41,800 10,000	\$ 738,990 423,500 1,029,800 1,167,985 792,244 3,499,786 723,690 460,000 1,845,052 77,600
TeleCommunication Systems Cl. A <u>a.c</u> <b>Transaction Systems</b>	10,000	50,800
Architects Cl. A <u>a</u> Trintech Group ADR <u>a</u> . <u>c</u> uWink <u>a</u>	97,600 91,252 23,000	3,285,216 415,197 27,370
		16,544,759
Telecommunications - 2.6% Anaren ª Atlantic Tele-Network C-COR.net ª Captaris ª Communications Systems Hurray! Holding Company ADR ª InPhonic ª.C NMS Communications ª.C North Pittsburgh Systems PC-Tel ª Radyne ª Sunrise Telecom ª Symmetricom ª.C UCN ª.C ViaSat ª.C WJ Communications ª Zhone Technologies ª.C	30,900 5,000 43,300 10,700 4,400 133,600 600,000 23,200 49,600 52,820 122,350 24,782 181,100 76,812 209,300 791,600	544,149 143,200 70,300 221,696 118,877 19,800 622,576 1,032,000 493,000 434,000 563,589 386,626 208,169 778,730 2,465,665 366,275 1,135,946
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$54,632,678)		86,407,359
Miscellaneous <u>e</u> [] 2.7% Total (Cost \$10,009,923)		10,118,939

## TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$249,456,301)

382,331,901

PREFERRED STOCKS	SHARES		VALUE
Edge Petroleum 5.75% Ser. A Conv. Seneca Foods Conv. <u>a</u>	69,000 75,409	\$	3,712,200 1,900,307
<b>TOTAL PREFERRED</b> <b>STOCKS</b> (Cost \$4,393,607)			5,612,507
REPURCHASE AGREEMENT [] 9.0% State Street Bank & Trust Company, 5.10% dated 6/29/07, due 7/2/07, maturity value \$32,960,002 (collateralized by obligations of various U.S. Government Agencies, valued at \$33,773,750) (Coct \$32,046,000)			22.046.000
(Cost \$32,946,000)			32,946,000
COLLATERAL RECEIVED FOR SECURITIES LOANED [] 13.4% U.S. Treasury Bonds	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT		
3.625%-6.25% due 8/15/23-4/15/28	\$319,267		320,876
U.S. Treasury Notes 3.00% due 7/15/12 U.S. Treasury Strip-Principal	9		9
due 11/15/09 U.S. Treasury Strip-Interest	53,321		53,321
due 8/15/23 Money Market Funds State Street Navigator Securities Lending Prime Portfolio (7 day	66		66
yield-5.27%)			48,773,219
TOTAL COLLATERAL RECEIVED FOR SECURITIES LOANED (Cost \$49,147,491)			49,147,491
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b> <b>127.6%</b> (Cost \$335,943,399)		_	470,037,899

(41,526,812)
(60,000,000)
\$368,511,087

- <sup>a</sup> Non-income producing.
- <sup>b</sup> At June 30, 2007, the Fund owned 5% or more of the Company soutstanding voting securities thereby making the Company an Affiliated Company as that term is defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940.
- All or a portion of these securities were on loan at June 30, 2007. Total market value of loaned securities at June 30, 2007 was \$47,404,281.
- <sup>d</sup> Securities for which market quotations are no longer readily available represent 0.0% of net assets. These securities have been valued at their fair value under procedures established by the Fund<sub>D</sub>s Board of Directors.
- <sup>e</sup> Includes securities first acquired in 2007 and less than 1% of net assets applicable to Common Stockholders.
- <sup>I</sup> New additions in 2007.

## Bold indicates the Fund<sub>D</sub>s largest 20 equity holdings in terms of June 30, 2007 market value.

**INCOME TAX INFORMATION:** The cost of total investments for Federal income tax purposes was \$336,635,362. At June 30, 2007, net unrealized appreciation for all securities was \$133,402,537, consisting of aggregate gross unrealized appreciation of \$152,644,845 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation of \$19,242,308. The primary difference in book and tax basis cost is the timing of the recognition of losses on securities sold.

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## June 30, 2007 (unaudited)

## **Statement of Assets and Liabilities**

## **ASSETS:**

Investments at value (including collateral on loaned securities) <u>*</u> Non-Affiliates (cost \$298,071,953) Affiliated Companies (cost \$4,925,446)	\$432,587,489 4,504,410
Total investments at value	437,091,899
Repurchase agreement (at cost and value)	32,946,000
Cash Receivable for investments sold	19,350 10,592,300
Receivable for dividends and interest	301,806
Prepaid expenses	10,422
Total Assets	480,961,777
LIABILITIES:	
Payable for collateral on loaned securities	49,147,491
Payable for investments purchased Payable for investment advisory fee	2,659,400 432,306
Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared	79,999
Accrued expenses	131,494
Total Liabilities	52,450,690
PREFERRED STOCK:	
6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock - \$0.001 par value, \$25 liquidation value per share; 2,400,000 shares outstanding	60,000,000
Total Preferred Stock	60,000,000
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	\$368,511,087

(150,000,000 shares authorized)	\$213,015,351
Undistributed net investment income (loss)	(2,729,655)
Accumulated net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	41,467,814
Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency	134,094,838
Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared	(17,337,261)
Net Assets applicable to Common Stockholders (net asset value per share - \$15.45)	\$368,511,087
*Investments at identified cost (including \$49,147,491 of collateral on loaned securities) Market value of loaned securities	\$302,997,399 47,404,281

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## Six Months Ended June 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Statement of Operations	
INVESTMENT INCOME:	
Income:	
Dividends <u>*</u> Non-Affiliates	\$ 1,794,854
Affiliated Companies	
Interest	633,282
Securities lending	222,031
Total income	2,650,167
Expenses:	
Investment advisory fees	2,454,966
Stockholder reports	72,551
Custody and transfer agent fees	37,917
Directors[] fees	30,348
Professional fees	18,247
Administrative and office facilities expenses	16,359
Other expenses	28,535
Total expenses	2,658,923
Compensating balance credits	(4,995)
Net expenses	2,653,928
Net investment income (loss)	(3,761)
REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON INVESTMENTS AND FOREIGN CURRENC	Y:
Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	
Non-Affiliates	34,201,606
Affiliated Companies	
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency	(840,996)
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	33,360,610
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATION	<b>ONS</b> 33,356,849
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS	(1,800,000)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDER RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	\$ <b>S</b> \$31,556,849
*Net of foreign withholding tax of \$32,263.	
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## **Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

	Six months ended 6/30/07 (unaudited)	Year ended 12/31/06
<b>INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:</b> Net investment income (loss) Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and	\$ (3,761) 34,201,606	\$ 167,273 40,340,273
foreign currency	(840,996)	27,839,554
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from investment operations	33,356,849	68,347,100
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	  (1,800,000)	(475,560) (3,124,440) [
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(1,800,000)	(3,600,000)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	31,556,849	64,747,100
DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	[] [] (15,457,261)	(4,585,208) (30,124,923) □
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(15,457,261)	(34,710,131)
CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS: Reinvestment of distributions to Common Stockholders	8,729,229	19,926,104
Total capital stock transactions	8,729,229	19,926,104
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	24,828,817	49,963,073
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Beginning of period	343,682,270	293,719,197
End of period (including undistributed net investment income (loss) of \$(2,729,655) at 6/30/07 and \$(2,725,894) at 12/31/06)	\$368,511,087	\$ 343,682,270

\*To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.

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## **Financial Highlights**

This table is presented to show selected data for a share of Common Stock outstanding throughout each period, and to assist stockholders in evaluating the Fund<sub>s</sub> performance for the periods presented.

	Six months ended June 30, 2007 (unaudited)	Years ended December 31,				
		2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
NET ASSET VALUE, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$14.77	\$13.43	\$14.34	\$13.33	\$9.39	\$11.83
INVESTMENT OPERATIONS: Net investment income (loss) Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments and	0.00	0.01	(0.03)	(0.08)	(0.09)	(0.13)
foreign currency	1.41	3.04	1.14	2.62	5.28	(1.29)
Total investment operations	1.41	3.05	1.11	2.54	5.19	(1.42)
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment						
income Net realized gain		(0.02)				
on investments and foreign currency		(0.14)	(0.17)	(0.19)	(0.18)	(0.18)
Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	(0.08)					
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(0.08)	(0.16)	(0.17)	(0.19)	(0.18)	(0.18)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	1.33	2.89	0.94	2.35	5.01	(1.60)

RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS						
DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment						
income Net realized gain		(0.20)				
on investments and foreign currency Quarterly		(1.35)	(1.85)	(1.33)	(0.92)	(0.80)
distributions <u>*</u>	(0.66)					
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(0.66)	(1.55)	(1.85)	(1.33)	(0.92)	(0.80)
CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS: Effect of reinvestment of distributions by Common						
Stockholders Effect of Preferred	0.01	(0.00)	0.00	(0.01)	(0.04)	(0.04)
Stock offering					(0.11)	
Total capital stock transactions	0.01	(0.00)	0.00	(0.01)	(0.15)	(0.04)
NET ASSET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$15.45	\$14.77	\$13.43	\$14.34	\$13.33	\$9.39
MARKET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$15.41	\$16.57	\$14.56	\$15.24	\$12.60	\$8.44
TOTAL RETURN (a): Market Value Net Asset Value RATIOS BASED ON AVERAGE NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Total expenses	(2.89)% <u>***</u> 9.23% <u>***</u>	26.72% 22.46%	8.90% 6.75%	33.44% 18.69%	63.58% 55.55%	(12.70)% (13.80)%
(b,c) Management fee	1.49% <u>**</u>	1.64%	1.63%	1.62%	1.82%	1.96%
expense (d) Other operating	1.38% <u>**</u>	1.49%	1.43%	1.43%	1.59%	1.59%
expenses Net investment	0.11% <u>**</u>	0.15%	0.20%	0.19%	0.23%	0.37%
income (loss) SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:	(0.00)% <u>**</u>	0.05%	(0.27)%	(0.56)%	(0.82)%	(1.23)%

Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders, End of Period (in thousands) Liquidation Value of Preferred Stock,	\$368,511	\$343,682	\$293,719	\$290,364	\$253,425	\$167,571
End of Period (in thousands)	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$60,000	\$40,000
Portfolio Turnover	<b>\$00,000</b>	<b>\$00,000</b>	\$00,000	\$00,000	<b>\$00,000</b>	\$40,000
Rate	19%	34%	46%	32%	26%	39%
PREFERRED						
STOCK:						
Total shares						
outstanding	2,400,000	2,400,000	2,400,000	2,400,000	2,400,000	1,600,000
Asset coverage per				+1.15.00		+
share	\$178.55	\$168.20	\$147.38	\$145.98	\$130.59	\$129.73
Liquidation						
preference per share	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
Average market	\$23.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	φ <b>2</b> 3.00	φ <b>2</b> 5.00	\$ <b>2</b> 5.00
value per share <u>(e)</u> :						
6.00% Cumulative	\$24.67	\$24.15	\$24.97	\$24.66	\$25.37	
7.75% Cumulative					\$25.70	\$25.91

- (a) The Market Value Total Return is calculated assuming a purchase of Common Stock on the opening of the first business day and a sale on the closing of the last business day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for the purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Fund[]s Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan. Net Asset Value Total Return is calculated on the same basis, except that the Fund[]s net asset value is used on the purchase and sale dates instead of market value.
- (b) Expense ratios based on total average net assets including liquidation value of Preferred Stock were 1.28%, 1.38%, 1.35%, 1.32%, 1.49% and 1.62% for the periods ended June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003 and 2002, respectively.
- (c) Expense ratios based on average net assets applicable to Common Stockholders before waiver of fees by the investment adviser would have been 1.92% and 2.04% for the periods ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.
- (d) The management fee is calculated based on average net assets over a rolling 36-month basis, while the above ratios of management fee expenses are based on average net assets applicable to Common Stockholders over a 12-month basis.
- (e) The average of month-end market values during the period that the Preferred Stock was outstanding.
- \* To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.
- \*\* Annualized.
- \*\*\* Not annualized.

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### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:**

incorporated under the laws of the State of Maryland on September 9, 1993 as a diversified closed-end investment company. The Fund commenced operations on December 14, 1993.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Valuation of Investments:

Securities are valued as of the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern time) on the valuation date. Securities that trade on an exchange, and securities traded on Nasdaq[]s Electronic Bulletin Board, are valued at their last reported sales price or Nasdaq official closing price taken from the primary market in which each security trades or, if no sale is reported for such day, at their bid price. Other over-the-counter securities for which market quotations are readily available are valued at their highest bid price. Securities for which market quotations are not readily available are valued at their fair value under procedures established by the Fund Board of Directors. In addition, if between the time trading ends on a particular security and the close of the customary trading session on the NYSE, events occur that are significant and may make the closing price unreliable, the Fund may fair value the security. The Fund uses an independent pricing service to provide fair value estimates for relevant non-U.S. equity securities on days when the U.S. market volatility exceeds a certain threshold. This pricing service uses proprietary correlations it has developed between the movement of prices of non-U.S. equity securities and indices of U.S.- traded securities, futures contracts and other indications to estimate the fair value of relevant non-U.S. securities. Bonds and other fixed income securities may be valued by reference to other securities with comparable ratings, interest rates and maturities, using established independent pricing services. Investments in money market funds are valued at net asset value per share.

assets and liabilities, including investments in securities Royce Micro-Cap Trust, Inc. ([the Fund]) was at the end of the reporting period, as a result of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

### Investment Transactions and Related Investment Income:

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Non-cash dividend income is recorded at the fair market value of the securities received. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Premium and discounts on debt securities are amortized using the effective yield to maturity method. Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are determined on the basis of identified cost for book and tax purposes.

### **Expenses:**

The Fund incurs direct and indirect expenses. Expenses directly attributable to the Fund are charged to the Fund<sub>s</sub> operations, while expenses applicable to more than one of the Royce Funds are allocated in an equitable manner. Allocated personnel and occupancy costs related to The Royce Funds are included in administrative and office facilities expenses. The Fund has adopted a deferred fee agreement that allows the Fund<sub>s</sub> Directors to defer the receipt of all or a portion of Directors Fees otherwise payable. The deferred fees are invested in certain Royce Funds until distributed in accordance with the agreement.

### **Compensating Balance Credits:**

The Fund has an arrangement with its custodian bank, whereby a portion of the custodian s fee is paid indirectly by credits earned on the Fund s cash on deposit with the bank. This deposit arrangement is an alternative to purchasing overnight investments.

#### **Taxes:**

As a qualified regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code, the Fund is not subject to income taxes to the extent that it distributes substantially all of its taxable income for its fiscal year. The Schedule of Investments includes information regarding income taxes under the caption □Income Tax Information□.

### **Distributions:**

The Fund currently has a policy of paying quarterly distributions on the Fund[]s Common Stock.

#### **Foreign Currency:**

The Fund values its non-U.S. securities in U.S. dollars on the basis of foreign currency exchange rates provided to the Fund by its custodian, State Street Bank and Trust Company. The effects of changes in foreign exchange rates on investments and other assets and liabilities are included with net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales and maturities of short-term securities, sales of foreign currencies, expiration of currency forward contracts, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund[]s books, and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains and losses arise from changes in the value of

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Distributions are currently being made at the annual rate of 9% of the rolling average of the prior four calendar quarter-end NAVs of the Fund s Common Stock, with the fourth quarter distribution being the greater of 2.25% of the rolling average or the distribution required by IRS regulations. Distributions to Preferred Stockholders are accrued daily and paid quarterly and distributions to Common Stockholders are recorded on ex-dividend date. The Fund is required to allocate long-term capital gain distributions and other types of income proportionately to distributions made to holders of shares of Common Stock and Preferred Stock. To the extent that distributions are not paid from long-term capital gains, net investment income or net short-term capital gains, they will represent a return of capital. Distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations that may differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Permanent book and tax basis differences

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relating to stockholder distributions will result in reclassifications within the capital accounts. Undistributed net investment income may include temporary book and tax basis differences, which will reverse in a subsequent period. Any taxable income or gain remaining undistributed at fiscal year end is distributed in the following year.

#### **Repurchase Agreements:**

The Fund may enter into repurchase agreements with institutions that the Fund<sup>¬</sup>s investment adviser has determined are creditworthy. The Fund restricts repurchase agreements to maturities of no more than seven days. Securities pledged as collateral for repurchase agreements, which are held until maturity of the repurchase agreements, are marked-to-market daily and maintained at a value at least equal to the principal amount of the repurchase agreement (including accrued interest). Repurchase agreements could involve certain risks in the event of default or insolvency of the counter-party, including possible delays or restrictions upon the ability of the Fund to dispose of the underlying securities.

#### Securities Lending:

The Fund loans securities to qualified institutional investors for the purpose of realizing additional income. Collateral on all securities loaned for the Fund is accepted in cash and cash equivalents and invested temporarily by the custodian. The collateral is equal to at least 100% of the current market value of the loaned securities. The market value of the loaned securities is determined at the close of business of the Fund and any additional required collateral is delivered to the Fund on the next business day.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements:**

Financial Accounting Standards Board ([FASB]) Interpretation No. 48, [Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes[] ([]FIN 48[]) provides guidance for howCumulative Preferred Stock. uncertain tax positions should be recognized, measured, presented and disclosed in the financial statements. FIN 48 requires the evaluation of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Fund[]s tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are [more-likely-than-not] of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold would be recorded as a tax benefit or expense in the current year. FIN 48 was adopted for

#### **Capital Stock:**

The Fund issued 578,377 and 1,401,367 shares of Common Stock as reinvestment of distributions by Common Stockholders for the six months ended June 30, 2007 and the year ended December 31, 2006, respectively.

At June 30, 2007, 2,400,000 shares of 6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock were outstanding. Commencing October 16, 2008 and thereafter, the Fund, at its option, may redeem the Cumulative Preferred Stock, in whole or in part, at the redemption price. The Cumulative Preferred Stock is classified outside of permanent equity (net assets applicable to Common Stockholders) in the accompanying financial statements in accordance with Emerging Issues Task Force (EITF) Topic D-98, Classification and Measurement of Redeemable Securities, that requires preferred securities that are redeemable for cash or other assets to be classified outside of permanent equity to the extent that the redemption is at a fixed or determinable price and at the option of the holder or upon the occurrence of an event that is not solely within the control of the issuer.

The Fund is required to meet certain asset coverage tests with respect to the Cumulative Preferred Stock as required by the 1940 Act. In addition, pursuant to the Rating Agency Guidelines established by Moody∏s, the Fund is required to maintain a certain discounted asset coverage. If the Fund fails to meet these requirements and does not correct such failure, the Fund may be required to redeem, in part or in full, the Cumulative Preferred Stock at a redemption price of \$25.00 per share, plus an amount equal to the accumulated and unpaid dividends, whether or not declared on such shares, in order to meet these requirements. Additionally, failure to meet the foregoing asset coverage requirements could restrict the Fund s ability to pay dividends to Common Stockholders and could lead to sales of portfolio securities at inopportune times. The Fund has met these requirements since issuing the

#### **Investment Advisory Agreement:**

As compensation for its services under the Investment Advisory Agreement, Royce & Associates, LLC ([Royce]) receives a fee comprised of a Basic Fee (□Basic Fee□) and an adjustment to the Basic Fee based on the investment performance of the Fund in relation to the investment record of the Russell 2000.

the Fund on June 29, 2007. There was no material impact to the financial statements or disclosures thereto as a result of the adoption of this pronouncement.

FASB Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. enhanced guidance for using fair value to measure assets and liabilities. The standard requires companies to provide expanded information about the assets and liabilities measured at fair value and the potential effect of these fair valuations on an entity s financial performance. The standard does not expand the use of fair value in any new circumstances, but provides clarification on acceptable fair valuation methods and applications. Adoption of FAS 157 is required for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007. The standard is not expected to materially impact the Fund s financial statements.

The Basic Fee is a monthly fee equal to 1/12 of 1% (1% on an annualized basis) of the average of the Fund []s month-end net assets applicable to Common Stockholders, plus the liquidation value of Preferred Stock, for the rolling 36-month period ending with such 157, [Fair Value Measurement] ([FAS 157]), providemonth (the [performance period]). The Basic Fee for each month is increased or decreased at the rate of 1/12 of .05% for each percentage point that the investment performance of the Fund exceeds, or is exceeded by, the percentage change in the investment record of the Russell 2000 for the performance period by more than two percentage points. The performance period for each such month is a rolling 36-month period ending with such month. The maximum increase or decrease in the Basic Fee for any month may not exceed 1/12 of .5%. Accordingly, for each month, the maximum monthly fee rate as adjusted for performance is 1/12 of 1.5% and is payable if the investment performance of the Fund exceeds the percentage change in the investment record of the Russell 2000 by 12 or more

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percentage points for the performance period, and the minimum monthly fee rate as adjusted for performance is 1/12 of .5% and is payable if the percentage change in the investment record of the Russell 2000 exceeds the investment performance of the Fund by 12 or more percentage points for the performance period.

Royce has voluntarily committed to waive the portion of its investment advisory fee attributable to an issue of the Fund[]s Preferred Stock for any month in which the Fund[]s average annual NAV total return since issuance of the Preferred Stock fails to exceed the applicable Preferred Stock[]s dividend rate.

For the six rolling 36-month periods ending June 2007, the investment performance of the Fund exceeded the investment performance of the

#### **Transactions in Shares of Affiliated Companies:**

Russell 2000 by 8% to 10%. Accordingly, the investment advisory fee consisted of a Basic Fee of \$1,818,265 and an upward adjustment of \$636,701 for performance of the Fund above that of the Russell 2000. For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the Fund accrued and paid Royce advisory fees totaling \$2,454,966.

#### **Purchases and Sales of Investment Securities:**

For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the cost of purchases and proceeds from sales of investment securities, other than short-term securities and collateral received for securities loaned, amounted to \$74,142,714 and \$99,563,308, respectively.

An [Affiliated Company,] as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940, is a company in which a Fund owns 5% or more of the company]s outstanding voting securities at any time during the period. The Fund effected the following transactions in shares of such companies during the six months ended June 30, 2007:

Affiliated Company	Shares 12/31/06	Market Value 12/31/06	Cost of Purchases	Cost of Sales	Realized Gain (Loss)	Dividend Income	Shares 6/30/07	Market Value 6/30/07
BKF								
Capital								
Group	406,500	\$1,361,775					406,500	\$ 934,950
Highbury								
Financial	580,400	3,383,732					580,400	3,569,460
		\$4,745,507						\$ 4,504,410

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### **Schedule of Investments**

	SHARES	VALUE
COMMON STOCKS [] 82.1%		
<b>Consumer Products</b> [] <b>6.5%</b> Apparel and Shoes - 1.4% Timberland Company Cl. A <u>a</u>	100,000	\$ 2,519,000
	100,000	\$ 2,519,000
Sports and Recreation - 4.2% Thor Industries Winnebago Industries	120,000 75,000	5,416,800 2,214,000
		7,630,800
Other Consumer Products - 0.9%		
Fossil <u>a</u>	60,000	1,769,400
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$9,971,420)		11,919,200
Consumer Services [] 4.2% Direct Marketing - 1.8% Nu Skin Enterprises Cl. A	200,000	3,300,000
Other Consumer Services -		
2.4% Corinthian Colleges <u>a</u> Universal Technical Institute <u>a</u>	140,000 80,100	2,280,600 2,033,739
		4,314,339
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$5,874,584)		7,614,339
Financial Intermediaries [] 5.6%		
Securities Brokers - 2.9%		
Knight Capital Group Cl. A - -	320,000	5,312,000
Other Financial Intermediaries - 2.7%		
KKR Financial	200,000	4,982,000
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$10,661,560)		10,294,000
Financial Services [] 1.2% Information and Processing -		
1.2% eFunds Corporation <u>a</u>	60,000	2,117,400

<b>Total</b> (Cost \$652,985)		2,117,400
Health [] 5.1% Drugs and Biotech - 3.9% Alpharma Cl. A <u>a</u> Endo Pharmaceuticals Holdings <u>a</u> Lexicon Pharmaceuticals <u>a</u> ViroPharma <u>a</u>	50,000 90,000 499,400 81,900	1,300,500 3,080,700 1,603,074 1,130,220
		7,114,494
Medical Products and Devices - 1.2%		
Caliper Life Sciences <u>a</u> Possis Medical <u>a</u>	252,300 100,000	1,183,287 1,088,000
		2,271,287
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$8,582,110)		9,385,781
Industrial Products [] 21.8% Building Systems and Components - 2.2% Simpson Manufacturing	120,000	4,048,800
Machinery - 6.9% Kennametal Lincoln Electric Holdings Woodward Governor	40,000 70,000 75,000	3,281,200 5,196,800 4,025,250 12,503,250

	SHARES		VALUE
Metal Fabrication and			
Distribution - 12.7%			
Chaparral Steel	60,100	\$	
Dynamic Materials	75,000		2,812,500
Metal Management	100,000		4,407,000
Reliance Steel &			
Aluminum	100,000		5,626,000
Schnitzer Steel Industries			
CI. A	125,000		5,992,500
			23,157,387
			23,137,307
			20 700 427
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$19,997,442)			39,709,437
		-	
Industrial Services [] 6.3%			
Commercial Services - 3.7%			
BB Holdings <u>a</u>	400,000		2,108,506
CRA International <u>a</u>	40,000		1,928,000
LECG Corporation <u>a</u>	180,000		2,719,800
			6,756,306

Transportation and Logistics		
- 2.6% Arkansas Best	120,000	4,676,400
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$10,286,023)		11,432,706
Natural Resources [] 24.8% Energy Services - 8.3%		
Ensign Energy Services Pason Systems Tesco Corporation <u>a</u> Trican Well Service	240,000 180,000 100,000 240,000	4,280,685 2,818,493 3,155,000 4,886,740
		15,140,918
Oil and Gas - 3.5% Unit Corporation <u>a</u>	100,000	6,291,000
Precious Metals and Mining - 13.0%		
Endeavour Mining Capital Gammon Gold <u>a</u> Ivanhoe Mines <u>a</u> Meridian Gold <u>a</u> Pan American Silver <u>a</u> Silver Standard	400,000 250,000 450,000 100,000 140,000	3,597,278 3,155,000 6,408,000 2,758,000 3,686,200
Resources <u>a</u> , <u>b</u>	120,000	4,124,400
		23,728,878
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$24,962,174)		45,160,796
<b>Technology</b> [] <b>6.6%</b> Semiconductors and Equipment - 1.2%		
MKS Instruments <u>a</u>	80,000	2,216,000
Software - 2.1% DivX <u>a</u> ManTech International CI. A <u>a</u>	150,000 50,000	2,250,000 1,541,500
		3,791,500
Telecommunications - 3.3% ADTRAN <b>Foundry Networks <u>ª</u></b>	75,000 250,100	1,947,750 4,166,666
		6,114,416
<b>Total</b> (Cost \$9,272,651)		12,121,916
TOTAL COMMON STOCKS (Cost \$100,260,949)		149,755,575

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### **Schedule of Investments**

	PRINCIPAL AMOUNT	VALUE
<b>GOVERNMENT BONDS</b>	ANCONT	VALUE
<b>8.9%</b> (Principal Amount shown in local currency) Australia Government Bond		
7.50% due 9/15/09 New Zealand Government Bond	10,000,000	\$ 8,656,703
6.00% due 7/15/08	10,000,000	7,596,441
TOTAL GOVERNMENT BONDS		
(Cost \$14,865,423)		16,253,144
REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS [] 23.4% State Street Bank & Trust Company, 5.10% dated 6/29/07, due 7/2/07, maturity value \$17,827,574 (collateralized by obligations of various U.S. Government Agencies, valued at \$18,268,469) (Cost \$17,820,000)		17,820,000
Lehman Brothers (Tri-Party), 5.05% dated 6/29/07, due 7/2/07, maturity value \$25,010,521 (collateralized by obligations of various U.S. Government Agencies, valued at \$25,513,364) (Cost \$25,000,000)		25,000,000
TOTAL REPURCHASE AGREEMENTS		
(Cost \$42,820,000)		42,820,000

VALUE

### COLLATERAL RECEIVED FOR SECURITIES LOANED [] 0.1%

Money Market Funds State Street Navigator Securities Lending

COMMON STOCKHOLDERS [] 100.0%	\$182,467,036
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO	
PREFERRED STOCK [] (13.7)%	(25,000,000)
LIABILITIES LESS CASH AND OTHER ASSETS [] (0.8)%	(1,424,233)
<b>TOTAL INVESTMENTS</b> [] <b>114.5%</b> (Cost \$158,008,922)	208,891,269
Prime Portfolio (7 day yield-5.27%) (Cost \$62,550)	\$ 62,550

<sup>a</sup> Non-income producing.

<sup>b</sup> All or a portion of these securities were on loan at June 30, 2007. Total market value of loaned securities at June 30, 2007 was \$61,866.

<sup>I</sup> New additions in 2007.

Bold indicates the Fund<sub>D</sub>s largest 20 equity holdings in terms of June 30, 2007 market value.

**INCOME TAX INFORMATION:** The cost of total investments for Federal income tax purposes was \$158,298,979. At June 30, 2007, net unrealized appreciation for all securities was \$50,592,290, consisting of aggregate gross unrealized appreciation of \$52,807,570 and aggregate gross unrealized depreciation of \$2,215,280. The primary difference in book and tax basis cost is the timing of the recognition of losses on securities sold.

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Statement of Assets and Liabilities	
ASSETS: Investments at value (including collateral on loaned securities) <u>*</u> Repurchase agreements (at cost and value) Cash Receivable for investments sold Receivable for dividends and interest Prepaid expenses	\$166,071,269 42,820,000 19,042 319,806 477,531 21,231
Total Assets	209,728,879
LIABILITIES: Payable for collateral on loaned securities Payable for investments purchased Payable for investment advisory fee Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared Accrued expenses	62,550 1,919,762 172,683 33,325 73,523
Total Liabilities	2,261,843
PREFERRED STOCK: 6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock - \$0.001 par value, \$25 liquidation value per share; 1,00 shares outstanding	25,000,000
Total Preferred Stock	25,000,000
<b>NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS</b> <b>ANALYSIS OF NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS:</b> Common Stock paid-in capital - \$0.001 par value per share; 16,548,095 shares outstanding (100,000,000 shares authorized) Undistributed net investment income (loss) Accumulated net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency Net unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency Preferred dividends accrued but not yet declared	\$ 182,467,036 9 \$ 111,013,537 362,109 25,225,153 50,899,017 (5,032,780)
Net Assets applicable to Common Stockholders (net asset value per share - \$11.03)	\$182,467,036
*Investments at identified cost (including \$62,550 of collateral on loaned securities) Market value of loaned securities	\$115,188,922 61,866
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### Six Months Ended June 30, 2007 (unaudited)

Statement of Operations				
INVESTMENT INCOME:				
Income:				
Interest <u>*</u>	\$ 1,574,197			
Dividends <u>**</u>	409,849			
Securities lending	1,173			
Total income	1,985,219			
Expenses:				
Investment advisory fees	979,702			
Stockholder reports	32,000			
Custody and transfer agent fees	25,750			
Professional fees	15,972			
Directors fees	14,952			
Administrative and office facilities expenses Other expenses	7,620 31,035			
	51,055			
Total expenses	1,107,031			
Compensating balance credits	(1,276)			
Net expenses	1,105,755			
Net investment income (loss)	879,464			
REALIZED AND UNREALIZED GAIN (LOSS) ON INVESTMENTS AND FOREIGN CURRENCY:				
Net realized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	23,082,886			
Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and foreign currency	1,948,710			
Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments and foreign currency	25,031,596			
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	25,911,060			
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS	(750,000)			
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	\$25,161,060			
* Net of foreign withholding tax of \$18,380.				
**Net of foreign withholding tax of \$22,247.				
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### **Statement of Changes in Net Assets**

	Six months ended 6/30/07 (unaudited)	Year ended 12/31/06
<b>INVESTMENT OPERATIONS:</b> Net investment income (loss) Net realized gain (loss) on investments Net change in unrealized appreciation (depreciation) on investments and	\$ 879,464 23,082,886	\$    2,368,567 20,546,074
foreign currency	1,948,710	1,820,291
Net increase (decrease) in net assets resulting from investment operations	25,911,060	24,734,932
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	[] [] (750,000)	(187,800) (1,312,200) []
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(750,000)	(1,500,000)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT OPERATIONS	25,161,060	23,234,932
<b>DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS:</b> Net investment income Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly distributions <u>*</u>	[] [] (4,249,447)	(2,950,803) (20,617,913) 日
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(4,249,447)	(23,568,716)
CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS: Reinvestment of distributions to Common Stockholders	2,988,172	15,657,293
Total capital stock transactions	2,988,172	15,657,293
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS	23,899,785	15,323,509
NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Beginning of period	158,567,251	143,243,742
End of period (including undistributed net investment income (loss) of \$362,109 at 06/30/07 and \$(517,355) at 12/31/06)	\$182,467,036	\$158,567,251

\*To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.

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### **Financial Highlights**

This table is presented to show selected data for a share of Common Stock outstanding throughout each period, and to assist stockholders in evaluating the Fund performance for the periods presented.

	Six months ended		Years end	led December	31,	
	June 30, 2007 (unaudited)	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002
NET ASSET VALUE, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$9.75	\$9.76	\$9.75	\$9.00	\$6.27	\$7.28
INVESTMENT OPERATIONS: Net investment income (loss) Net realized and unrealized gain (loss) on	0.05	0.16	0.06	0.02	0.08	(0.01)
investments and foreign currency	1.54	1.50	1.44	2.63	3.57	(0.74)
Total investment operations	1.59	1.66	1.50	2.65	3.65	(0.75)
DISTRIBUTIONS TO PREFERRED STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment income		(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.00)	(0.02)	(0.03)
Net realized gain on investments and foreign currency Quarterly		(0.09)	(0.11)	(0.15)	(0.14)	(0.13)
distributions <u>*</u>	(0.05)					
Total distributions to Preferred Stockholders	(0.05)	(0.10)	(0.12)	(0.15)	(0.16)	(0.16)
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS RESULTING FROM INVESTMENT	1.54	1.56	1.38	2.50	3.49	(0.91)

OPERATIONS						
DISTRIBUTIONS TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS: Net investment						
income Net realized gain		(0.20)	(0.06)	(0.02)	(0.06)	(0.02)
on investments and foreign currency Quarterly		(1.37)	(1.15)	(1.72)	(0.56)	(0.07)
distributions <u>*</u>	(0.26)					
Total distributions to Common Stockholders	(0.26)	(1.57)	(1.21)	(1.74)	(0.62)	(0.09)
CAPITAL STOCK TRANSACTIONS: Effect of reinvestment of distributions by Common Stockholders Effect of rights offering and Preferred Stock	0.00	(0.00)	(0.03)	(0.01)	(0.03)	(0.01)
offering			(0.13)		(0.11)	
Total capital stock transactions	0.00	(0.00)	(0.16)	(0.01)	(0.14)	(0.01)
NET ASSET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$11.03	\$9.75	\$9.76	\$9.75	\$9.00	\$6.27
MARKET VALUE, END OF PERIOD	\$11.32	\$10.68	\$9.53	\$10.47	\$8.48	\$5.56
TOTAL RETURN (a): Market Value Net Asset Value RATIOS BASED ON AVERAGE NET ASSETS APPLICABLE TO COMMON STOCKHOLDERS:	8.63% <u>***</u> 15.94% <u>***</u>	30.50% 16.33%	3.03% 13.31%	47.26% 29.21%	63.98% 54.33%	(15.06)% (12.50)%
Total expenses (b,c) Management foo	1.29% <u>**</u>	1.36%	1.48%	1.53%	1.57%	1.88%
Management fee expense Other operating	1.14% <u>**</u>	1.16%	1.21%	1.27%	1.14%	1.13%
expenses Net investment	0.15% <u>**</u>	0.20%	0.27%	0.26%	0.43%	0.75%
income (loss) SUPPLEMENTAL DATA:	1.03% <u>**</u>	1.54%	0.63%	0.24%	1.07%	(0.16)%
DATA	\$182,467	\$158,567	\$143,244	\$105,853	\$87,012	\$57,956

Net Assets Applicable to Common Stockholders, End of Period (in thousands) Liquidation Value of Preferred Stock, End of Period (in						
thousands) Portfolio Turnover	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$25,000	\$20,000
Rate PREFERRED STOCK: Total shares	31%	30%	42%	52%	49%	61%
outstanding Asset coverage per	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	800,000
share Liquidation preference per	\$207.47	\$183.57	\$168.24	\$130.85	\$112.01	\$97.44
share Average market value per share <u>(d)</u> :	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$25.00
6.00% Cumulative 7.45% Cumulative	\$25.10 []	\$24.98 []	\$25.38 []	\$24.83 []	\$25.45 \$25.53	□ \$25.64

(a) The Market Value Total Return is calculated assuming a purchase of Common Stock on the opening of the first business day and a sale on the closing of the last business day of each period reported. Dividends and distributions, if any, are assumed for the purposes of this calculation to be reinvested at prices obtained under the Fund[]s Distribution Reinvestment and Cash Purchase Plan. Net Asset Value Total Return is calculated on the same basis, except that the Fund[]s net asset value is used on the purchase and sale dates instead of market value.

(b) Expense ratios based on total average net assets including liquidation value of Preferred Stock were 1.13%, 1.17%, 1.22%, 1.21%, 1.20% and 1.43% for the periods ended June 30, 2007 and December 31, 2006, 2005, 2004, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

(c) Expense ratios based on average net assets applicable to Common Stockholders before waiver of fees by the investment adviser would have been 1.73% and 2.06% for the periods ended December 31, 2003 and 2002, respectively.

(d) The average of month-end market values during the period that the Preferred Stock was outstanding.

\* To be allocated to net investment income and capital gains at year end.

\*\* Annualized.

\*\*\* Not annualized.

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# THE ACCOMPANYING NOTES ARE AN INTEGRAL PART OF THESE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS.

### Notes to Financial Statements (unaudited)

#### **Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:**

Royce Focus Trust, Inc. ([the Fund[]) is a diversified closed-end investment company. The Fund commenced operations on March 2, 1988 and Royce & Associates, LLC ([Royce]]) assumed investment management responsibility for the Fund on November 1, 1996.

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Valuation of Investments:

Securities are valued as of the close of trading on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE) (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern time) on the valuation date. Securities that trade on an exchange, and securities traded on Nasdaq S Electronic Bulletin Board, are valued at their last reported sales price or Nasdaq official closing price taken from the primary market in which each security trades or, if no sale is reported for such day, at their bid price. Other over-the-counter securities for which market quotations are readily available are valued at their highest bid price. Securities for which market quotations are not readily available are valued at their fair value under procedures established by the Fund Board of Directors. In addition, if between the time trading ends on a particular security and the close of the customary trading session on the NYSE, events occur that are significant and may make the closing price unreliable, the Fund may fair value the security. The Fund uses an independent pricing service to provide fair value estimates for relevant non-U.S. equity securities on days when the U.S. market volatility exceeds a certain threshold. This pricing service uses proprietary correlations it has developed between the movement of prices of non-U.S. equity securities and indices of U.S.- traded securities, futures contracts and other indications to estimate the fair value of relevant non-U.S. securities. Bonds and other fixed income securities may be valued by reference to other securities with comparable ratings, interest rates and maturities, using established independent pricing services. Investments in money market funds are valued at net asset value per share.

and losses arise from changes in the value of assets and liabilities, including investments in securities at the end of the reporting period, as a result of changes in foreign currency exchange rates.

# Investment Transactions and Related Investment Income:

Investment transactions are accounted for on the trade date. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date. Non-cash dividend income is recorded at the fair market value of the securities received. Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis. Premium and discounts on debt securities are amortized using the effective yield to maturity method. Realized gains and losses from investment transactions are determined on the basis of identified cost for book and tax purposes.

#### **Expenses:**

The Fund incurs direct and indirect expenses. Expenses directly attributable to the Fund are charged to the Fund[]s operations, while expenses applicable to more than one of the Royce Funds are allocated in an equitable manner. Allocated personnel and occupancy costs related to The Royce Funds are included in administrative and office facilities expenses. The Fund has adopted a deferred fee agreement that allows the Fund[]s Directors to defer the receipt of all or a portion of Directors[] Fees otherwise payable. The deferred fees are invested in certain Royce Funds until distributed in accordance with the agreement.

#### **Compensating Balance Credits:**

The Fund has an arrangement with its custodian bank, whereby a portion of the custodian s fee is paid indirectly by credits earned on the Fund s cash on deposit with the bank. This deposit arrangement is an alternative to purchasing overnight investments.

#### Taxes:

As a qualified regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code, the Fund is not subject to income taxes to the extent that it distributes substantially all of its taxable income for its fiscal year. The Schedule of Investments includes information regarding income taxes under the caption [Income Tax Information].

#### **Distributions:**

#### **Foreign Currency:**

The Fund values its non-U.S. securities in U.S. dollars on the basis of foreign currency exchange rates provided to the Fund by its custodian, State Street Bank and Trust Company. The effects of changes in foreign exchange rates on investments and other assets and liabilities are included with net realized and unrealized gains and losses on investments.

Net realized foreign exchange gains or losses arise from sales and maturities of short-term securities, sales of foreign currencies, expiration of currency forward contracts, currency gains or losses realized between the trade and settlement dates on securities transactions, the difference between the amounts of dividends, interest, and foreign withholding taxes recorded on the Fund s books, and the U.S. dollar equivalent of the amounts actually received or paid. Net unrealized foreign exchange gains

The Fund currently has a policy of paying guarterly distributions on the Fund s Common Stock. Distributions are currently being made at the annual rate of 5% of the rolling average of the prior four calendar guarter-end NAVs of the Fund∏s Common Stock, with the fourth guarter distribution being the greater of 1.25% of the rolling average or the distribution required by IRS regulations. Distributions to Preferred Stockholders are accrued daily and paid quarterly and distributions to Common Stockholders are recorded on ex-dividend date. The Fund is required to allocate long-term capital gain distributions and other types of income proportionately to distributions made to holders of shares of Common Stock and Preferred Stock. To the extent that distributions are not paid from long-term capital gains, net investment income or net short-term capital gains, they will represent a return of capital. Distributions are determined in accordance with income tax regulations that may differ from accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Permanent book and tax basis differences

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### Notes to Financial Statements (unaudited) (continued)

relating to stockholder distributions will result in reclassifications within the capital accounts. Undistributed net investment income may include temporary book and tax basis differences, which will reverse in a subsequent period. Any taxable income or gain remaining undistributed at fiscal year end is distributed in the following year.

#### **Repurchase Agreements:**

The Fund may enter into repurchase agreements with institutions that the Fund s investment adviser has determined are creditworthy. The Fund restricts repurchase agreements to maturities of no more than seven days. Securities pledged as collateral for repurchase agreements, which are held until maturity of the repurchase agreements, are marked-to-market daily and maintained at a value at least equal to the principal amount of the repurchase agreement (including accrued interest). Repurchase agreements could involve certain risks in the event of default or insolvency of the counter-party, including possible delays or restrictions upon the ability of the Fund to dispose of the underlying securities.

#### **Securities Lending:**

The Fund loans securities to qualified institutional investors for the purpose of realizing additional income. Collateral on all securities loaned for the Fund is accepted in cash and cash equivalents and invested temporarily by the custodian. The collateral is equal to at least 100% of the current market value of the loaned securities. The market value of the loaned securities is determined at the close of business of the Fund and any additional required collateral is delivered to the Fund on the next business day.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements:**

Financial Accounting Standards Board ([FASB]) Interpretation No. 48, [Accounting for Uncertainty in Income Taxes] ([FIN 48]) provides guidance for how uncertain tax positions should be recognized, measured, presented and disclosed in the financial statements. FIN 48 requires the evaluation of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Fund[s tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are [more-likely-than-not] of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Tax positions not deemed to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold would be recorded as a tax benefit or expense in the current year. FIN 48 was adopted for

#### **Capital Stock:**

The Fund issued 285,543 and 1,587,885 shares of Common Stock as reinvestment of distributions by Common Stockholders for the six months ended June 30, 2007 and the year ended December 31, 2006, respectively.

At June 30, 2007, 1,000,000 shares of 6.00% Cumulative Preferred Stock were outstanding. Commencing October 17, 2008 and thereafter, the Fund, at its option, may redeem the Cumulative Preferred Stock, in whole or in part, at the redemption price. The Cumulative Preferred Stock is classified outside of permanent equity (net assets applicable to Common Stockholders) in the accompanying financial statements in accordance with Emerging Issues Task Force (EITF) Topic D-98, Classification and Measurement of Redeemable Securities, that requires preferred securities that are redeemable for cash or other assets to be classified outside of permanent equity to the extent that the redemption is at a fixed or determinable price and at the option of the holder or upon the occurrence of an event that is not solely within the control of the issuer.

The Fund is required to meet certain asset coverage tests with respect to the Cumulative Preferred Stock as required by the 1940 Act. In addition, pursuant to the Rating Agency Guidelines established by Moody s, the Fund is required to maintain a certain discounted asset coverage. If the Fund fails to meet these requirements and does not correct such failure, the Fund may be required to redeem, in part or in full, the Cumulative Preferred Stock at a redemption price of \$25.00 per share, plus an amount equal to the accumulated and unpaid dividends, whether or not declared on such shares, in order to meet these requirements. Additionally, failure to meet the foregoing asset coverage requirements could restrict the Fund<sub>s</sub> ability to pay dividends to Common Stockholders and could lead to sales of portfolio securities at inopportune times. The Fund has met these requirements since issuing the Cumulative Preferred Stock.

#### **Investment Advisory Agreement:**

The Investment Advisory Agreement between Royce and the Fund provides for fees to be paid at an annual rate of 1.0% of the Fund s average daily net assets applicable to Common Stockholders plus the liquidation value of Preferred Stock. Royce has voluntarily committed to waive the portion of its investment advisory fee attributable to an issue of the Fund s Preferred Stock for any month in which the the Fund on June 29, 2007. There was no material impact to the financial statements or disclosures thereto as a result of the adoption of this pronouncement.

FASB Statement of Financial Accounting Standard No. 157, [Fair Value Measurement] ([FAS 157]), provides enhanced guidance for using fair value to measure assets and liabilities. The standard requires companies to provide expanded information about the assets and liabilities measured at fair value and the potential effect of these fair valuations on an entity]s financial performance. The standard does not expand the use of fair value in any new circumstances, but provides clarification on acceptable fair valuation methods and applications. Adoption of FAS 157 is required for fiscal years beginning after November 15, 2007. The standard is not expected to materially impact the Fund]s financial statements.

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Fund[]s average annual NAV total return since issuance of the Preferred Stock fails to exceed the applicable Preferred Stock[]s dividend rate. For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the Fund accrued and paid Royce advisory fees totaling \$979,702.

#### **Purchases and Sales of Investment Securities:**

For the six months ended June 30, 2007, the cost of purchases and proceeds from sales of investment securities, other than short-term securities and collateral received for securities loaned, amounted to \$47,667,421 and \$56,178,829, respectively.

# Board Approval of Investment Advisory Agreements

At meetings held on June 6-7, 2007, each of the Funds respective Board of Directors, including all of the non-interested directors, approved the continuance of the Investment Advisory Agreements between Royce & Associates, LLC ([R&A]) and each of Royce Value Trust, Royce Micro-Cap Trust and Royce Focus Trust (the [Funds]). In reaching these decisions, the Board reviewed the materials provided by R&A, which included, among other things, information prepared internally by R&A and independently by Morningstar Associates, LLC ([Morningstar]) containing detailed expense ratio and investment performance comparisons for the Funds with other funds in their peer group,∏ information regarding the past performance of Funds managed by R&A and a memorandum outlining the legal duties of the Board prepared by independent counsel to the non-interested directors. R&A also provided the directors with an analysis of its profitability with respect to providing investment advisory services to each of the Funds. In addition, the Board took into account information furnished throughout the year at regular Board meetings, including reports on investment performance, shareholder services, regulatory compliance, brokerage commissions and research, brokerage and execution products and services provided to the Funds. The Board also considered other matters they deemed important to the approval process such as payments made to R&A or its affiliates relating to allocation of Fund brokerage commissions, and other direct and indirect benefits to R&A and its affiliates, from their relationship with the Funds. The directors also met throughout the year with investment advisory personnel from R&A. The Board, in its deliberations, recognized that, for many of the Funds shareholders, the decision to purchase Fund shares included a decision to select R&A as the investment adviser and that there was a strong association in the minds of Fund shareholders between R&A and each Fund. In considering factors relating to the approval of the continuance of the Investment Advisory Agreements, the non-interested directors received assistance and advice from, and met separately with, their independent counsel. While the Investment Advisory Agreements for the Funds were considered at the same Board meetings, the directors dealt with each agreement separately. Among other factors, the directors considered the following:

The nature, extent and quality of services provided by R&A: The directors considered the following factors to be of fundamental importance to their consideration of whether to approve the continuance of the Funds Investment Advisory Agreements: (i) R&A[]s more than 30 years of small-cap value investing experience and track record; (ii) the history of long-tenured R&A portfolio managers managing the Funds; (iii) R&A∏s sole focus on mid-cap, small-cap and micro-cap value investing; (iv) the consistency of R&A\sigma approach to managing both the Funds and open-end mutual funds over more than 30 years; (v) the integrity and high ethical standards adhered to at R&A; (vi) R&A[]s specialized experience in the area of trading small- and micro-cap securities; (vii) R&A[]s historical ability to attract and retain portfolio management talent and (viii) R&A[]s focus on shareholder interests as exemplified by its voluntary fee waiver policy on preferred stock assets in certain circumstances where the Funds total return performance from the issuance of the preferred may not exceed the coupon rate on the preferred, and expansive shareholder reporting and communications. The directors reviewed the services that R&A provides to the Funds, including, but not limited to, managing each Fund investments in accordance with the stated policies of each Fund. The directors determined that the services to be provided to each Fund by R&A would be the same as those it previously provided to the Funds. They also took into consideration the histories, reputations and backgrounds of R&Ans portfolio managers for the Funds, finding that these would likely have an impact on the continued success of the Funds. Lastly, the directors noted R&A<sub>\[</sub>s ability to attract quality and experienced personnel. The directors concluded that the services provided by R&A to each Fund compared favorably to services provided by R&A to other R&A client accounts, including other funds, in both nature and guality, and that the scope of services provided by R&A would continue to be suitable for each Fund.

Investment performance of the Funds and R&A: In light of R&A]s risk-averse approach to investing, the directors believe that risk-adjusted performance continues to be an appropriate measure of each Fund]s investment performance. One measure of risk-adjusted performance the directors have historically used in their review of the Funds] performance is the Sharpe Ratio. The Sharpe Ratio is a risk-adjusted measure of performance developed by Nobel Laureate William Sharpe. It is calculated by dividing a fund]s annualized excess returns by its annualized standard deviation to determine reward per unit of risk. The higher the Sharpe Ratio, the better a fund]s historical risk-adjusted performance. The Board attaches primary importance to risk-adjusted performance over relatively long periods of time, typically three to five years. Using Morningstar data, Royce Value Trust]s Sharpe Ratio placed in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quartile for all funds within the small blend category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods ended December 31, 2006. Similarly, Royce Micro-Cap Trust]s Sharpe ratio placed it in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quartile among funds within the small blend category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods. Finally, Royce Focus Trust]s Sharpe ratio placed it in the 1<sup>st</sup> quartile among all funds within the small growth category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods. Finally, Royce Focus Trust]s Sharpe ratio placed it in the 1<sup>st</sup> quartile among all funds within the small growth category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods. Finally, Royce Focus Trust]s Sharpe ratio placed it in the 1<sup>st</sup> quartile among all funds within the small growth category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods. Finally, Royce Focus Trust]s Sharpe ratio placed it in the 1<sup>st</sup> quartile among all funds within the small growth category assigned by Morningstar for the three-, five- and ten-year periods ended December 31, 2006.

The directors noted that R&A manages a number of funds that invest in small-cap and micro-cap issuers, many

of which were outperforming the Russell 2000 Index and their competitors. Although the directors recognized that past performance is not necessarily an indicator of future results, they found that R&A had the necessary qualifications, experience and track record in managing small-cap and micro-cap securities to manage the Funds. The directors determined that R&A continued to be an appropriate investment adviser for the Funds and concluded that each Fund\_s performance supported the renewal of its Investment Advisory Agreement.

Cost of the services provided and profits realized by R&A from its relationship with each Fund: The directors considered the cost of the services provided by R&A and profits realized by R&A from its relationship with each Fund. As part of the analysis, the Board discussed with R&A its methodology in allocating its costs to each Fund and concluded that its allocations were reasonable. The directors concluded that R&A[]s profits were reasonable in relation to the nature and quality of services provided.

The extent to which economies of scale would be realized as the Funds grow and whether fee levels would reflect such economies of scale: The directors considered whether there have been economies of scale in respect of the management of the Funds, whether the Funds have appropriately benefited from any economies of scale and whether there is potential for realization of any further economies of scale. The directors noted the time and effort involved in managing portfolios of small- and micro-cap stocks and that they did not involve the same efficiencies as do portfolios of large-cap stocks. The directors concluded that the current fee structure for each Fund was reasonable, and that no changes were currently necessary.

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# Board Approval of Investment Advisory Agreements (continued)

Comparison of services to be rendered and fees to be paid to those under other investment advisory contracts, such as contracts of the same and other investment advisers or other clients: The directors reviewed the investment advisory fee paid by each Fund and compared both the services to be rendered and the fees to be paid under the Investment Advisory Agreements to other contracts of R&A and to contracts of other investment advisers to registered investment companies investing in small- and micro-cap stocks, as provided by Morningstar. The directors noted that, in the case of Royce Value Trust, the 1.00% basic fee subject to adjustment up or down (up to 0.50% in either direction) based on the Fund s performance versus the S&P 600 SmallCap Index over a rolling period of sixty months. The fee is charged on average month-end net assets over that rolling period. As a result, in a rising market, the fee will be smaller than a fee calculated on the current year s average net assets, and visa versa. The directors determined that the performance adjustment feature continued to serve as an appropriate incentive to R&A to manage the Fund for the benefit of its long-term common stockholders. The directors noted that R&A had also agreed to waive its management fee on Fund assets in an amount equal to the liquidation preference of the Fund soutstanding preferred stock if the Fund stotal return from issuance of the preferred on such amount is less than the preferred s coupon rate. The directors also noted that the fee arrangement, which also includes a provision for no fee in periods where the Fund<sub>l</sub>s trailing three-year performance is negative, requires R&A to measure the Fund performance monthly against the S&P 600, an unmanaged index. Instead of receiving a set fee regardless of its performance, R&A is penalized for poor performance. The directors noted that if the Fund sexpense ratio was based on total average net assets including net assets applicable to Preferred Stock, it would place in the 1<sup>st</sup> quartile of its Morningstar peer group.

In the case of Royce Micro-Cap Trust, the directors noted that the Fund had a 1.00% basic fee subject to adjustment up or down based on the Fund[s performance versus the Russell 2000 Index over a rolling 36-month period. The fee is charged on average net assets over that rolling period. As a result, in a rising market, the fee will be smaller than a fee calculated on the current year[s average net assets, and visa versa. The directors determined that the performance adjustment feature continued to serve as an incentive to R&A to manage the Fund for the benefit of its long-term stockholders. The directors also noted R&A[s voluntarily waiver of its fee on the liquidation value of the outstanding preferred stock in circumstances where the Fund[s total return performance from the issuance of the preferred is less than the coupon rate on the preferred for each month during the year. The directors noted that if the Fund[s expense ratio were based on total average net assets including net assets applicable to Preferred Stock, it would place in the 2<sup>nd</sup> quartile of its Morningstar peer group.

Finally, in the case of Royce Focus Trust, the directors noted that R&A had agreed to waive its management fee on the liquidation value of outstanding preferred stock if the Fund[]s total return from issuance of the preferred is less than the preferred[]s coupon rate. The directors noted that if the Fund[]s expense ratio were based on total average net assets including net assets applicable to Preferred Stock, it would place in the 2<sup>nd</sup>quartile of its Morningstar peer group.

The directors also considered fees charged by R&A to institutional and other clients and noted that the Funds base advisory fees compared favorably to those other accounts.

After the non-interested directors deliberated in executive session, the entire Board, including all the non-interested directors, approved the renewal of the existing Investment Advisory Agreements, concluding that a contract renewal on the existing terms was in the best interest of the shareholders of each Fund and that each investment advisory fee rate was reasonable in relation to the services provided.

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# Notes to Performance and Other Important Information

The thoughts expressed in this *Review and Report* concerning recent market movements and future prospects for small company stocks are solely the opinion of Royce at June 30, 2007, and, of course, historical market trends are not necessarily indicative of future market movements. Statements regarding the future prospects for particular securities held in the Funds portfolios and Royce investment intentions with those projected in the forward-looking statements for respect to those securities reflect Royce s opinions as of June 30, 2007 and are subject to change at any time without notice. There can be no assurance that securities mentioned in this Review and Report will be included in any Royce-managed portfolio in the future. The Funds invest primarily in securities of mid-, smalland micro-cap companies, that may involve considerably more risk than investments of larger-cap companies. All publicly released material information is always disclosed by the Funds on the website at www.roycefunds.com.

Standard deviation is a statistical measure within which a fund s total returns have varied over time. The greater the standard deviation, the greater a fund s volatility.

The Russell 2000, Russell 2000 Value, Russell 2000 Growth, Nasdaq Composite, S&P 500 and S&P 600 are unmanaged indices of domestic common stocks. Returns for the market indices used in this Review and *Report* were based on information supplied to Royce by Frank Russell and Morningstar. Royce has not independently verified the above described information. The Royce Funds is a service mark of The Rovce Funds.

### Forward-Looking Statements

This material contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the [Exchange Act]), that involve risks and uncertainties, including, among others, statements as to:

- the Funds future operating results
- the prospects of the Funds portfolio companies, Π

the impact of investments that the Funds have made Π or may make

the dependence of the Funds future success on the general economy and its impact on the companies and industries in which the Funds invest, and

□ the ability of the Funds□ portfolio companies to achieve their objectives.

This Review and Report uses words such as [anticipates,] [believes,] [expects,] [future,] [intends,] similar expressions to identify forward-looking statements. Actual results may differ materially from any reason.

The Royce Funds have based the forward-looking statements included in this Review and Report on information available to us on the date of the report, and we assume no obligation to update any such forward-looking statements. Although The Royce Funds undertake no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, you are advised to consult any additional disclosures that we may make through future stockholder communications or reports.

### Authorized Share Transactions

Royce Value Trust, Royce Micro-Cap Trust and Royce Focus Trust may each repurchase up to 300,000 shares of its respective common stock and up to 10% of the issued and outstanding shares of its respective preferred stock during the year ending December 31, 2007. Any such repurchases would take place at then prevailing prices in the open market or in other transactions. Common stock repurchases would be effected at a price per share that is less than the share∏s then current net asset value, and preferred stock repurchases would be effected at a price per share that is less than the share s liquidation value.

Royce Value Trust, Royce Micro-Cap Trust and Royce Focus Trust are also authorized to offer their common stockholders an opportunity to subscribe for additional shares of their common stock through rights offerings at a price per share that may be less than the share∏s then current net asset value. The timing and terms of any such offerings are within each Board⊓s discretion.

### Change to Funds Investment Restrictions

At the June 6-7, 2007 regular meetings of the Boards of Directors of Royce Value Trust and Royce Micro-Cap Trust, the Boards approved a change in each Fund s investment restrictions to allow Royce Value Trust and Royce Micro-Cap Trust to each invest up to 25% (increased from 10%) of its assets in the securities of foreign issuers.

### **Proxy Voting**

A copy of the policies and procedures that The Royce Funds use to determine how to vote proxies relating to portfolio securities and information regarding how each of The Royce Funds voted proxies relating to portfolio securities during the most recent 12-month period ended June 30 is available, without charge, on the Royce Funds website at www.roycefunds.com, by calling 1-800-221-4268 (toll-free) and on the website of the Securities and Exchange Commission ([SEC]), at www.sec.gov.

### Form N-Q Filing

The Funds file their complete schedules of investments with the SEC for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. The Funds Forms N-Q are available on The Royce Funds website at www.roycefunds.com and on the SEC website at www.sec.gov. The Funds Forms N-Q may also be reviewed and copied at the SEC s Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. To find out more about this public service, call the SEC at 1-800-732-0330. The Funds complete schedules of investments are updated quarterly, and are available at www.roycefunds.com.

The Royce Funds 2007 Semiannual Report to Stockholders

#### Wealth Of Experience

With approximately \$32.7 billion in open- and closed-end fund assets under management, Royce & Associates is committed to the same small-company investing principles that have served us well for more than 30 years. Charles M. Royce, our Chief Investment Officer, enjoys one of the longest tenures of any active mutual fund manager. Royce[]s investment staff includes eight Portfolio Managers, as well as 11 assistant portfolio managers and analysts, and six traders.

#### **Multiple Funds, Common Focus**

Our goal is to offer both individual and institutional investors the best available small-cap value portfolios. Unlike a lot of mutual fund groups with broad product offerings, we have chosen to concentrate on small-company value investing by providing investors with a range of funds that take full advantage of this large and diverse sector.

#### **Consistent Discipline**

Our approach emphasizes paying close attention to risk and maintaining the same discipline, regardless of market movements and trends. The price we pay for a security must be significantly below our appraisal of its current worth. This requires a thorough analysis of the financial and business dynamics of an enterprise, as though we were purchasing the entire company.

#### **Co-Ownership Of Funds**

It is important that our employees and shareholders share a common financial goal; our officers, employees and their families currently have approximately \$122 million invested in The Royce Funds.

#### **General Information**

Additional Report Copies and Fund Inquiries (800) 221-4268

#### Computershare

Transfer Agent and Registrar (800) 426-5523

#### **Advisor Services**

For Fund Materials, Performance Updates, Account Inquiries (800) 33-ROYCE (337-6923)

#### **Broker/Dealer Services**

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Item 2. Code(s) of Ethics Not applicable to this semi-annual report.

Item 3. Audit Committee Financial Expert Not applicable to this semi-annual report.

Item 4. Principal Accountant Fees and Services Not applicable to this semi-annual report.

Item 5. Audit Committee of Listed Registrants Not applicable to this semi-annual report.

Item 6. Schedule of Investments See Item 1.

Item 7. Disclosure of Proxy Voting Policies and Procedures for Closed-End Management Investment Companies Not applicable to this semi-annual report.

Item 8. Portfolio Managers of Closed-End Management Investment Companies Not applicable to this semi-annual report

Item 9. Purchases of Equity Securities by Closed-End Management Investment Company and Affiliated Purchasers Not applicable.

Item 10. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders None.

#### Item 11. Controls and Procedures.

(a) Disclosure Controls and Procedures. The Principal Executive and Financial Officers concluded that the Registrant s Disclosure Controls and Procedures are effective based on their evaluation of the Disclosure Controls and Procedures as of a date within 90 days of the filing date of this report.

(b) Internal Control over Financial Reporting. There were no significant changes in Registrant s internal control over financial reporting or in other factors that could significantly affect this control subsequent to the date of the evaluation, including any corrective actions with regard to significant deficiencies and material weaknesses during the second fiscal quarter of the period covered by this report. **Item 12. Exhibits attached hereto.** 

(a)(1) Not applicable.

(a)(2) Separate certifications by the Registrant s Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer as required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

(a)(3) Not Applicable

(b) Separate certifications by the Registrant s Principal Executive Officer and Principal Financial Officer, pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and required by Rule 30a-2(b) under the Investment Company Act of 1940.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

#### **ROYCE FOCUS TRUST, INC.**

BY:

/s/ Charles M. Royce Charles M. Royce President

Date: August 29, 2007

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and the Investment Company Act of 1940, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

#### **ROYCE FOCUS TRUST, INC.**

BY:

<u>/s/ Charles M. Royce</u> Charles M. Royce President

Date: <u>August 29, 2007</u> **ROYCE FOCUS TRUST, INC.** 

BY:

<u>/s/ John D. Diederich</u> John D. Diederich Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 29, 2007