

# Raiffeisen European SmallCap

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## **annual fund report**

financial year Aug 1, 2017 – Jul 31, 2018

**Note:**

The audit opinion issued by KPMG Austria GmbH only applies for the full German-language version.

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# Report for the financial year from Aug 1, 2017 to Jul 31, 2018

## General fund information

ISIN	Tranche	Income class	Currency	Launch date
AT0000638986	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (R) A	income-distributing	EUR	Jul 25, 2003
AT0000A1U5F7	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (RZ) A	income-distributing	EUR	Apr 3, 2017
AT0000638994	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (R) T	income-retaining	EUR	Jul 25, 2003
AT0000A1U5E0	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (RZ) T	income-retaining	EUR	Apr 3, 2017
AT0000A0LQ44	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (I) VTA	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	Feb 1, 2011
AT0000639000	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (R) VTA	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	Oct 28, 2003
AT0000A1U5G5	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (RZ) VTA	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	Apr 3, 2017
AT0000A15HP6	Raiffeisen European SmallCap (R) VTI	full income-retaining (Austria)	EUR	Mar 3, 2014

## Fund characteristics

Fund currency	EUR
Financial year	Aug 1 – Jul 31
Distribution/payment/reinvestment date	Oct 15
Type of fund	Investment fund pursuant to § 2 of the Austrian Investment Fund Act, InvFG (UCITS)
Effective management fee for the fund	I-Tranche (EUR): 1.000 % R-Tranche (EUR): 2.000 % RZ-Tranche (EUR): 1.000 %
Custodian bank	Raiffeisen Bank International AG
Management company	Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. Mooslackengasse 12, A-1190 Vienna Tel. +43 1 71170-0 Fax +43 1 71170-761092 www.rcm.at Companies register number: 83517 w
Fund management	Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
Auditor	KPMG Austria GmbH

### **Legal notice**

The software used performs calculations on the basis of more than the two decimal places displayed. Minor discrepancies cannot be ruled out due to further calculations using published results.

The value of a unit is calculated by dividing the entire value of the investment fund inclusive of its income by the number of units. The total value of the investment fund is calculated on the basis of the current market prices of the securities, money market instruments and subscription rights in the fund plus the value of the fund's financial investments, cash holdings, credit balances, receivables and other rights net of its payables. That value will be calculated by the custodian bank.

The net assets are calculated in accordance with the following principles:

- a) The value of assets quoted or traded on a stock exchange or other regulated market shall be determined, in principle, on the basis of the most recently available price.
- b) Where an asset is not quoted or traded on a stock market or another regulated market or where the price for an asset quoted or traded on a stock market or another regulated market does not appropriately reflect its actual market value, the prices provided by reliable data providers or, alternatively, market prices for equivalent securities or other recognized market valuation methods shall be used.

Dear unitholder,

Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. is pleased to present its annual fund report for Raiffeisen European SmallCap for the financial year from Aug 1, 2017 to Jul 31, 2018. The accounting is based on the price calculation as of Jul 31, 2018.

## Fund details

	Jul 31, 2016	Jul 31, 2017	Jul 31, 2018
Total fund assets in EUR	73,087,264.89	89,776,482.47	84,399,922.01
Net asset value/distributing units (R) (AT0000638986) in EUR	234.08	265.04	276.97
Issue price/distributing units (R) (AT0000638986) in EUR	245.78	278.29	290.82
Net asset value/distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5F7) in EUR	-	107.24	114.21
Issue price/distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5F7) in EUR	-	107.24	114.21
Net asset value/reinvested units (R) (AT0000638994) in EUR	252.39	288.70	304.70
Issue price/reinvested units (R) (AT0000638994) in EUR	265.01	303.14	319.94
Net asset value/reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5E0) in EUR	-	107.15	113.98
Issue price/reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5E0) in EUR	-	107.15	113.98
Net asset value/fully reinvested units (I) (AT0000A0LQ44) in EUR	274.52	321.40	343.87
Issue price/fully reinvested units (I) (AT0000A0LQ44) in EUR	288.25	337.47	361.06
Net asset value/fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000639000) in EUR	260.13	301.54	319.42
Issue price/fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000639000) in EUR	273.14	316.62	335.39
Net asset value/fully reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5G5) in EUR	-	107.24	114.74
Issue price/fully reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5G5) in EUR	-	107.24	114.74
Net asset value/fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000A15HP6) in EUR	260.62	301.95	320.00
Issue price/fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000A15HP6) in EUR	273.65	317.05	336.00
		<b>Oct 16, 2017</b>	<b>Oct 15, 2018</b>
Distribution/unit (R) (A) EUR		3.7400	7.9000
Distribution/unit (RZ) (A) EUR		0.4100	3.6000
Outpayment/unit (R) (T) EUR		1.1244	3.0747
Outpayment/unit (RZ) (T) EUR		0.4423	1.2590
Reinvestment/unit (R) (T) EUR		4.3622	14.4060
Reinvestment/unit (RZ) (T) EUR		1.8481	6.1749
Reinvestment/unit (I) (VTA) EUR		9.0536	22.9669
Reinvestment/unit (R) (VTA) EUR		5.7548	18.3069
Reinvestment/unit (RZ) (VTA) EUR		2.3700	7.6650
Reinvestment/unit (R) (VTI) EUR		5.6334	18.4642

The distribution will occur free-of-charge at the fund's paying agents. Payment will be made by the custodian banks.

## Units in circulation

	Units in circulation on Jul 31, 2017	Sales	Repurchases	Units in circulation on Jul 31, 2018
AT0000638986 (R) A	20,345.294	1,954.302	-1,281.073	21,018.523
AT0000A1U5F7 (RZ) A	10.000	1,653.271	-172.159	1,491.112
AT0000638994 (R) T	177,725.864	26,061.309	-37,846.467	165,940.706
AT0000A1U5E0 (RZ) T	97.445	13,096.517	-673.219	12,520.743
AT0000A0LQ44 (I) VTA	440.005	0.000	0.000	440.005
AT0000639000 (R) VTA	58,378.508	25,142.292	-26,638.507	56,882.293
AT0000A1U5G5 (RZ) VTA	10.000	0.000	0.000	10.000
AT0000A15HP6 (R) VTI	50,719.241	42,047.051	-67,468.900	25,297.392
<b>Total units in circulation</b>				<b>283,600.774</b>

## Development of the fund assets and income statement

### Performance in financial year (fund performance)

#### Distributing units (R) (AT0000638986)

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	265.04
Distribution on Oct 16, 2017 (net asset value: EUR 274.70) of EUR 3.7400, corresponds to 0.013615 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	276.97
Total value incl. units purchased through distribution (1.013615 x 276.97)	280.74
Net income/net reduction per unit	15.70

#### Performance of one unit during the financial year in %

5.92

#### Distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5F7)

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	107.24
Distribution on Oct 16, 2017 (net asset value: EUR 112.49) of EUR 0.4100, corresponds to 0.003645 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	114.21
Total value incl. units purchased through distribution (1.003645 x 114.21)	114.63
Net income/net reduction per unit	7.39

#### Performance of one unit during the financial year in %

6.89

#### Reinvested units (R) (AT0000638994)

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	288.70
Outpayment on Oct 16, 2017 (net asset value: EUR 302.20) of EUR 1.1244, corresponds to 0.003721 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	304.70
Total value incl. units purchased through outpayment (1.003721 x 304.70)	305.83
Net income/net reduction per unit	17.13

#### Performance of one unit during the financial year in %

5.93

#### Reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5E0)

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	107.15
Outpayment on Oct 16, 2017 (net asset value: EUR 112.22) of EUR 0.4423, corresponds to 0.003941 units	
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	113.98
Total value incl. units purchased through outpayment (1.003941 x 113.98)	114.43
Net income/net reduction per unit	7.28

#### Performance of one unit during the financial year in %

6.79

#### Fully reinvested units (I) (AT0000A0LQ44)

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	321.40
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	343.87
Net income/net reduction per unit	22.47

#### Performance of one unit during the financial year in %

6.99

**Fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000639000)**

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	301.54
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	319.42
Net income/net reduction per unit	17.88

**Performance of one unit during the financial year in %** **5.93**

**Fully reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5G5)**

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	107.24
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	114.74
Net income/net reduction per unit	7.50

**Performance of one unit during the financial year in %** **6.99**

**Fully reinvested units (R) (AT0000A15HP6)**

Net asset value per unit at start of financial year in EUR	301.95
Net asset value per unit at end of financial year in EUR	320.00
Net income/net reduction per unit	18.05

**Performance of one unit during the financial year in %** **5.98**

The performance is calculated assuming wholesale reinvestment of distributed/paid-out amounts at their net asset value on the distribution/payment date.

The custodian bank calculates the unit value separately for each unit certificate class. Discrepancies may arise in the annual performance figures for individual unit certificate classes.

Raiffeisen KAG uses the method developed by OeKB (Österreichische Kontrollbank AG) to calculate the fund's performance, on the basis of data provided by the custodian bank (where payment of the redemption price is suspended, using indicative values). Some costs – the subscription fee (not exceeding 5.00 % of the invested amount) and any redemption fee (not exceeding 0.00 % of the sold amount) – are not included in the performance calculation. Depending on their concrete value, they will reduce a performance accordingly. Past results do not permit any reliable inferences as to the future performance of the fund.



## Development of fund assets in EUR

<b>Fund assets on Jul 31, 2017 (307,726.357 units)</b>		<b>89,776,482.47</b>
Distribution on Oct 16, 2017 (EUR 3.7400 x 20,848.687 distributing units (R) (AT0000638986))		-77,974.09
Distribution on Oct 16, 2017 (EUR 0.4100 x 10.000 distributing units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5F7))		-4.10
Outpayment on Oct 16, 2017 (EUR 1.1244 x 175,135.918 reinvested units (R) (AT0000638994))		-196,922.83
Outpayment on Oct 16, 2017 (EUR 0.4423 x 2,283.117 reinvested units (RZ) (AT0000A1U5E0))		-1,009.82
Issuance of units	31,036,353.95	
Redemption of units	-41,040,094.86	
Pro rata income adjustment	140,865.58	-9,862,875.33
<b>Overall fund result</b>		<b>4,762,225.71</b>
<b>Fund assets on Jul 31, 2018 (283,600.774 units)</b>		<b>84,399,922.01</b>

## Fund result in EUR

### A. Realized fund result

<b>Ordinary fund result</b>	
<b>Income (excl. closing price)</b>	
Interest expenses (incl. negative credit interest)	-11,031.61
Dividend income (incl. dividend equivalent)	1,699,652.14
Austrian dividend income	91,307.39
	<b>1,779,927.92</b>
<b>Expenses</b>	
Management fees	-1,748,368.40
Custodian bank fees / Custodian's fees	-80,683.78
Auditing expenses	-5,796.98
Tax consulting fees	-5,547.00
Custody charge	-34,011.12
Statutory/publication expenses	-12,471.41
Research expenses	-10,889.59
	<b>-1,897,768.28</b>
<b>Ordinary fund result (excl. income adjustment)</b>	<b>-117,840.36</b>
<b>Realized closing price</b>	
Profits realized from securities	7,271,850.78
Losses realized from securities	-2,155,615.30
<b>Realized closing price (excl. income adjustment)</b>	<b>5,116,235.48</b>
<b>Realized fund result (excl. income adjustment)</b>	<b>4,998,395.12</b>
<b>B. Unrealized closing price</b>	
Change in unrealized closing price	-88,686.27
Change in dividends receivable	-6,617.56
	<b>-95,303.83</b>
<b>C. Income adjustment</b>	
<b>Income adjustment for income during financial year</b>	<b>-140,865.58</b>
	<b>-140,865.58</b>
<b>Overall fund result</b>	<b>4,762,225.71</b>

The result for the past financial year includes explicitly reported transaction costs (incl. external transaction-related costs, see item 15a "Transaction costs" in section II of the prospectus) in the amount of 34,732.70 EUR.

## Capital market report

At the beginning of the year, the stock markets added to the substantial gains that they had recorded in 2017. A brief but significant downward correction occurred thereafter and since then most markets have moved more or less sideways. Inflation anxiety, a beginning reduction of global liquidity and the threat of global trade wars have weighed on investor sentiment and led to higher market volatilities over the past few months. Emerging market equities in particular have weakened with country-specific factors at work, too, in a number of cases. Euro-area bourses temporarily faced headwinds from political turbulences surrounding Italy. Once again, US equities stand out. Seemingly unstoppable, stock market indices in the USA keep hitting new record highs. Positive economic data and rising corporate profits are fuelling their surge. Bond markets have been facing an increasingly challenging environment for quite some time now. Especially in the USA, yields have risen substantially over the past twelve months, primarily for short and medium maturities. In turn, their yields got more attractive for investors. The rising U.S. yields have also affected European bond markets, albeit to a much smaller extent. Total returns for corporate bonds in Europe oscillate around zero for the current year. Yield spreads over government bonds have widened a bit. On the one hand, they got a tad more attractive for investors relative to government bonds. On the other hand, the European Central Bank (ECB) will terminate its bond-buying programme by year-end that has acted as a strong underpinning for the Euro area's bond markets. Emerging market bonds have come under pressure this year from higher U.S. interest rates, a strengthening US-Dollar and a beginning tightening of global dollar liquidity. Among major commodities, primarily oil has advanced this year. In contrast, industrial metals for most part could not add to their gains of the past year. They have weakened further recently, as did prices of precious metals. The US dollar has gained since spring, especially against emerging market currencies. In turn, the euro has retreated somewhat, following a period of significant strength. The US central bank (Fed) has raised the key interest rate in June 2018, for a seventh time in the current interest rate cycle. One or two more hikes may follow later this year. On top of this, the Fed will gradually reduce its enormous bond holdings. However, despite the extremely low starting level, the Fed's overall scope for interest-rate hikes is likely to be much lower than in the past. The decade-long upward trend for bond prices in the USA may well be over, and a long-term trend change could be in the making. This development will most likely rub off on the Eurozone, albeit to a considerably reduced extent. Unlike the US central bank, the ECB is still maintaining its ultra-loose monetary policy for the time being, with negative interest rates and bond purchases. However, it has substantially reduced the latter and will end it in December 2018. Nevertheless, the ECB has signalled that any key interest rate hikes are unlikely to happen before summer of 2019. The unprecedentedly loose monetary policy pursued by key central banks over the past few years reflected a very weak global economic growth trend. However, many regions have now returned to robust growth. Inflation is picking up in most of the world's major economic regions. This trend is much more pronounced in the USA than in the Euro area. The impact of a gradual reduction of the generous liquidity supply on global growth and price trends remains to be seen. By historical standards, the yield levels are very low almost everywhere in the world. To date, this "new normal" of consistently low bond yields in the key economic blocs has provided strong support for stock prices. Nonetheless, several stock markets – particularly in the USA – sport rather ambitious valuation levels. They are thus increasingly prone to corrections, especially in case of escalating trade conflicts. The market environment will certainly remain challenging and may once again entail stronger price fluctuations over the next few months. At present, the positive factors still predominate on most stock markets, while most (government) bond markets may continue to experience headwinds over the coming months.

## Fund investment policy report

The market for European small cap stocks closed the year in the positive range, with the fund's value increasing by 6 %. The development in H1 was slightly more dynamic than in H2. Deteriorating international trade conflicts put a slight damper on the positive sentiment towards the end of the reporting period. The latest economic data are slightly weaker than expected. In this environment of rising uncertainty, the fund lately switched to more defensive equities. Volatility was substantial at the individual stock level.

Positive contributions to the fund were provided by a variety of industries. The strongest sector last year was the IT industry, with many IT companies recording a robust profit trend. The fund benefited from its Nemetschek, AT&S and Temenos positions. Rising electricity prices also buoyed up utilities, a segment in which the fund benefited from its Verbund position. Thanks to its Umicore and Ence holdings, the fund also benefited from the recovery of commodity prices. Further positive contributions were made by Grenke, CA Immo and Marine Harvest, while individual healthcare stocks made negative contributions. Some industrial stocks remained disappointing in the last year. The fund averaged down on companies with negative performances and realized profits on companies with positive performances.

## Makeup of fund assets in EUR

Any discrepancies in terms of the market value or the share of the fund assets result from rounding-off.

**UCITS** refers to units in an undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities

**§ 166 InvFG** refers to units in investment funds in the form of "other asset portfolios"

**§ 166 (1) item 2 InvFG** refers to units in special funds

**§ 166 (1) item 3 InvFG** refers to units in undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities pursuant to § 166 (1) item 3 InvFG  
(such as alternative investments/hedge funds)

**§ 166 (1) item 4 InvFG** refers to units in real estate funds

Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	Currency	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities		CHF	1,978,463.79	2.34 %
Equities		DKK	1,003,799.22	1.19 %
Equities		EUR	71,081,576.37	84.22 %
Equities		GBP	2,144,122.38	2.54 %
Equities		NOK	1,274,963.93	1.51 %
Equities		SEK	2,937,481.70	3.48 %
<b>Total Equities</b>			<b>80,420,407.39</b>	<b>95.28 %</b>
<b>Total securities</b>			<b>80,420,407.39</b>	<b>95.28 %</b>
<b>Bank balances/liabilities</b>				
Bank balances/liabilities in fund currency			4,152,440.05	4.92 %
<b>Total bank balances/liabilities</b>			<b>4,152,440.05</b>	<b>4.92 %</b>
<b>Accruals and deferrals</b>				
Interest claims (on securities and bank balances)			-600.90	-0.00 %
<b>Total accruals and deferrals</b>			<b>-600.90</b>	<b>-0.00 %</b>
<b>Other items</b>				
Various fees			-172,324.53	-0.20 %
<b>Total other items</b>			<b>-172,324.53</b>	<b>-0.20 %</b>
<b>Total fund assets</b>			<b>84,399,922.01</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>

## Portfolio of investments in EUR as of Jul 31, 2018

Dates indicated for securities refer to the issue and redemption dates. An issuer's right of premature redemption (where applicable) is not specified.

The securities marked with a "Y" have an open-ended maturity (is perpetual). The price for forward exchange transactions is indicated in the relevant counter currency for the currency in question.

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§ 166 (1) item 3 InvFG refers to units in undertakings for collective investment in transferable securities pursuant to § 166 (1) item 3 InvFG (such as alternative investments/hedge funds)

§ 166 (1) item 4 InvFG refers to units in real estate funds

Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency	Volume Units/Nom.	Purchases In period under review Units/Nom.	Sales In period under review Units/Nom.	Pool- ILB Factor	Price	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities		AT0000A18XM4	AMS AG AMS	CHF	3,000				70.520000	182,686.41	0.22 %
Equities		CH0012453913	TEMENOS AG - REG TEMN	CHF	6,000		9,000		160.000000	828,979.75	0.98 %
Equities		CH0002088976	VALORA HOLDING AG-REG VALN	CHF	3,600	600			311.000000	966,797.63	1.15 %
Equities		DK0060655629	DFDS A/S DFDS	DKK	18,000		7,000		415.400000	1,003,799.22	1.19 %
Equities		DE0005408116	AAREAL BANK AG ARL	EUR	29,000				39.210000	1,137,090.00	1.35 %
Equities		FI0009000285	AMER SPORTS OYJ AMEAS	EUR	20,000		7,000		27.410000	548,200.00	0.65 %
Equities		NL0011872643	ASR NEDERLAND NV A16	EUR	17,000	17,000			37.740000	641,580.00	0.76 %
Equities		AT0000969985	AUSTRIA TECHNOLOGIE & SYSTEM ATS	EUR	60,587	1,500	19,000		17.660000	1,069,966.42	1.27 %
Equities		IT0001137345	AUTOGRILL SPA AGL	EUR	59,600	49,600			9.510000	566,796.00	0.67 %
Equities		IT0003261697	AZIMUT HOLDING SPA AZM	EUR	51,722	2,722			14.140000	731,349.08	0.87 %
Equities		IT0005218380	BANCO BPM SPA BAMI	EUR	157,444				2.682000	422,264.81	0.50 %
Equities		AT0000BAWAG2	BAWAG GROUP AG BG	EUR	18,000	18,000			40.100000	721,800.00	0.86 %
Equities		BE0974258874	BEKAERT NV BEKB	EUR	5,000				23.940000	119,700.00	0.14 %
Equities		NL0000339703	BETER BED HOLDING NV BBED	EUR	25,270		11,000		6.040000	152,630.80	0.18 %
Equities		IT0000066123	BPER BANCA BPE	EUR	50,000				4.714000	235,700.00	0.28 %
Equities		IT0005252728	BREMBO SPA BRE	EUR	100,000		35,000		11.670000	1,167,000.00	1.38 %
Equities		DE000A1DAH0	BRENNTAG AG BNR	EUR	10,000				50.860000	508,600.00	0.60 %
Equities		NL0010776944	BRUNEL INTERNATIONAL BRNL	EUR	19,200				14.080000	270,336.00	0.32 %
Equities		IT0001347308	BUZZI UNICEM SPA BZU	EUR	52,000				19.080000	992,160.00	1.18 %
Equities		AT0000641352	CA IMMOBILIEN ANLAGEN AG CAI	EUR	56,989				30.120000	1,716,508.68	2.03 %
Equities		FI0009013429	CARGOTEC OYJ-B SHARE CGCBV	EUR	24,000				41.980000	1,007,520.00	1.19 %
Equities		ES0105066007	CELLNEX TELECOM SAU CLNX	EUR	78,700		5,000		23.180000	1,824,266.00	2.16 %
Equities		IT0000080447	CIR SPA CIR	EUR	260,000				1.040000	270,400.00	0.32 %
Equities		DE0005428007	COMIDIRECT BANK AG COM	EUR	45,000				12.380000	557,100.00	0.66 %
Equities		IT0005252207	DAVIDE CAMPARI-MILANO SPA CPR	EUR	180,000		20,000		7.295000	1,313,100.00	1.56 %
Equities		DE000A0HN5C6	DEUTSCHE WOHNEN SE DWN1	EUR	26,000				41.800000	1,086,800.00	1.29 %
Equities		GB0059822006	DIALOG SEMICONDUCTOR PLC DLG	EUR	6,000	6,000			14.960000	89,760.00	0.11 %
Equities		IT0003492391	DIASORIN SPA DIA	EUR	7,000				92.500000	647,500.00	0.77 %
Equities		ES0112501012	EBRO FOODS SA EBRO	EUR	29,404				18.510000	544,268.04	0.64 %
Equities		FR0000130452	EIFFAGE FGR	EUR	16,000		2,000		95.840000	1,533,440.00	1.82 %
Equities		FR0012435121	ELIS SA ELIS	EUR	42,405	12,000			19.940000	845,555.70	1.00 %

Type of security	OGAW/\$ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency	Volume Units/Nom.	Purchases In period under review Units/Nom.	Sales under review Units/Nom.	Pool- ILB Factor	Price	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets
Equities		ES0130960018	ENAGAS SA ENG	EUR	18,000		25,000		23.710000	426,780.00	0.51 %
Equities		ES0130625512	ENCE ENERGIA Y CELULOSA SA ENC	EUR	146,984				8.340000	1,225,846.56	1.45 %
Equities		NL0000288876	EUROCOMMERCIAL PROPRTIE-CV ECMPA	EUR	23,000		3,000		36.120000	830,760.00	0.98 %
Equities		NL0006294274	EURONEXT NV ENX	EUR	10,000				53.550000	535,500.00	0.63 %
Equities		IT0000072170	FINECOBANK SPA FBK	EUR	20,000				10.200000	204,000.00	0.24 %
Equities		DE0005773303	FRAPORT AG FRANKFURT AIRPORT FRA	EUR	25,000	3,000	1,000		84.660000	2,116,500.00	2.51 %
Equities		DE000A0Z2ZZ5	FRENET AG FNTN	EUR	25,000		8,000		25.060000	626,500.00	0.74 %
Equities		DE0003304101	GERRY WEBER INTL AG GWI1	EUR	12,798				5.540000	70,900.92	0.08 %
Equities		DE000A161N30	GRENKE AG GLJ	EUR	22,398		11,000		95.200000	2,132,289.60	2.53 %
Equities		DE000A0S8488	HAMBURGER HAFEN UND LOGISTIK HHFA	EUR	40,000	4,000			19.320000	772,800.00	0.92 %
Equities		DE0008402215	HANNOVER RUECK SE HNR1	EUR	8,000		3,000		113.700000	909,600.00	1.08 %
Equities		IT0001250932	HERA SPA HER	EUR	282,352				2.804000	791,715.01	0.94 %
Equities		FI0009000459	HUHTAMAKI OYJ HUH1V	EUR	36,324	13,000			30.500000	1,107,882.00	1.31 %
Equities		AT0000A21KS2	IMMOFINANZ AG IIA	EUR	23,000	23,000			22.360000	514,280.00	0.61 %
Equities		ES0118594417	INDRA SISTEMAS SA IDR	EUR	85,000				10.400000	884,000.00	1.05 %
Equities		FI0009005870	KONECRANES OYJ KCR	EUR	26,950				32.470000	875,066.50	1.04 %
Equities		DE0005470405	LANXESS AG LXS	EUR	9,000	9,000			70.120000	631,080.00	0.75 %
Equities		DE000LEG1110	LEG IMMOBILIEN AG LEG	EUR	8,000				96.400000	771,200.00	0.91 %
Equities		FR0000050353	LISI FII	EUR	36,661		5,839		29.100000	1,066,835.10	1.26 %
Equities		FR0000053225	M6-METROPOLE TELEVISION MMT	EUR	37,238				18.450000	687,041.10	0.81 %
Equities		FR0000051070	MAUREL ET PROM MAU	EUR	55,000				6.370000	350,350.00	0.42 %
Equities		AT0000938204	MAYR-MELNHOF KARTON AG MMK	EUR	7,000				116.200000	813,400.00	0.96 %
Equities		IT0004965148	MONCLER SPA MONC	EUR	4,500	4,500			37.070000	166,815.00	0.20 %
Equities		DE000A0D9PT0	MTU AERO ENGINES AG MTX	EUR	5,500		2,500		182.300000	1,002,650.00	1.19 %
Equities		DE0006452907	NEMETSCHKE SE NEM	EUR	13,528		11,700		122.500000	1,657,180.00	1.96 %
Equities		FR0000044448	NEXANS SA NEX	EUR	34,904	5,000			28.420000	991,971.68	1.18 %
Equities		ES0161560018	NH HOTEL GROUP SA NHH	EUR	126,000				6.320000	796,320.00	0.94 %
Equities		PTZON0AM0006	NOS SGPS NOS	EUR	188,000				4.972000	934,736.00	1.11 %
Equities		DE000PAT1AG3	PATRIZIA IMMOBILIEN AG PAT	EUR	26,645		3,000		18.440000	491,333.80	0.58 %
Equities		FR0000121501	PEUGEOT SA UG	EUR	10,662		6,000		24.540000	261,645.48	0.31 %
Equities		FR0000124570	PLASTIC OMNIUM POM	EUR	36,720				36.240000	1,330,732.80	1.58 %
Equities		ES0175438003	PROSEGUR COMP SEGURIDAD PSG	EUR	227,008				5.670000	1,287,135.36	1.53 %
Equities		FI0009007066	RAMIRENT OYJ RMR1V	EUR	171,000		30,000		8.700000	1,487,700.00	1.76 %
Equities		IT0003828271	RECORDATI SPA REC	EUR	22,948		13,000		31.300000	718,272.40	0.85 %
Equities		PTRELOAM0008	REDES ENERGETICAS NACIONAIS RENE	EUR	90,000				2.520000	226,800.00	0.27 %
Equities		DE0007030009	RHEINMETALL AG RHM	EUR	13,300		1,500		103.050000	1,370,565.00	1.62 %
Equities		DE0007042301	RHOEN-KLINIKUM AG RHK	EUR	22,000				24.960000	549,120.00	0.65 %
Equities		LU0307018795	SAF-HOLLAND SA SFQ	EUR	65,000				13.960000	907,400.00	1.08 %
Equities		NL0000360618	SBM OFFSHORE NV SBMO	EUR	21,090				13.430000	283,238.70	0.34 %
Equities		PTSEM0AM0004	SEMAPA-SOCIEDADE DE INVESTIM SEM	EUR	70,433		11,000		20.450000	1,440,354.85	1.71 %
Equities		IT0003201198	SIAS SPA SIS	EUR	30,000				14.950000	448,500.00	0.53 %
Equities		IE00B1RR8406	SMURFIT KAPPA GROUP PLC SKG	EUR	42,000				35.040000	1,471,680.00	1.74 %
Equities		DE000A2GS401	SOFTWARE AG SOW	EUR	32,000	46,000	14,000		40.450000	1,294,400.00	1.53 %
Equities		FR0000050809	SOPRA STERIA GROUP SOP	EUR	9,500		1,000		152.000000	1,444,000.00	1.71 %
Equities		FR0012757854	SPIE SA SPIE	EUR	27,491				16.740000	460,199.34	0.55 %
Equities		IT0005162406	TECHNOGYM SPA TGYM	EUR	60,000				9.635000	578,100.00	0.68 %
Equities		ES0178165017	TECNICAS REUNIDAS SA TRE	EUR	4,000				28.940000	115,760.00	0.14 %
Equities		FR0000051807	TELEPERFORMANCE TEP	EUR	12,500		7,000		159.600000	1,995,000.00	2.36 %
Equities		FR0000054900	TELEVISION FRANCAISE (T.F.1) TFI	EUR	28,000				9.260000	259,280.00	0.31 %
Equities		ES0132945017	TUBACEX SA TUB	EUR	160,000				3.050000	488,000.00	0.58 %
Equities		FR0000054470	UBISOFT ENTERTAINMENT UBI	EUR	2,000	2,000			95.880000	191,760.00	0.23 %

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**Raiffeisen European SmallCap**

Type of security	OGAW/\$ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency	Volume Units/Nom.	Purchases In period under review Units/Nom.	Sales Units/Nom.	Pool-/ ILB Factor	Price	Market value in EUR	Share of fund assets	
Equities		BE0974320526	UMICORE UMI	EUR	39,420	54,420	15,000		53.140000	2,094,778.80	2.48 %	
Equities		AT0000746409	VERBUND AG VER	EUR	39,000		5,000		33.580000	1,309,620.00	1.55 %	
Equities		FR0000031577	VIRBAC SA VIRP	EUR	7,402				123.000000	910,446.00	1.08 %	
Equities		NL0009432491	VOPAK VPK	EUR	12,862	3,000			40.150000	516,409.30	0.61 %	
Equities		DE0007472060	WIRECARD AG WDI	EUR	5,000				160.150000	800,750.00	0.95 %	
Equities		NL0000395903	WOLTERS KLUWER WKL	EUR	9,625		4,000		51.740000	497,997.50	0.59 %	
Equities		FI0009800643	YIT OYJ YIT	EUR	200,352	20,352			5.645000	1,130,987.04	1.34 %	
Equities		AT0000837307	ZUMTOBEL GROUP AG ZAG	EUR	17,800		37,200		5.855000	104,219.00	0.12 %	
Equities		IE00B00MZ448	GRAFTON GROUP PLC-UTS GFTU	GBP	137,300				7.740000	1,192,907.90	1.41 %	
Equities		GB00BD8YWM01	MICRO FOCUS INTERNATIONAL MCRO	GBP	10,894	13,895	3,001		12.845000	157,078.55	0.19 %	
Equities		GB00B06GM726	TELIT COMMUNICATIONS PLC TCM	GBP	160,000				1.620000	290,958.07	0.34 %	
Equities		GB00B5N0P849	WOOD GROUP (JOHN) PLC WG/	GBP	68,000				6.592000	503,177.86	0.60 %	
Equities		NO0003054108	MARINE HARVEST MHG	NOK	70,000		20,000		173.600000	1,274,963.93	1.51 %	
Equities		SE0007666110	ATTENDO AB ATT	SEK	10,000				78.700000	76,817.96	0.09 %	
Equities		SE0005999778	COM HEM HOLDING AB COMH	SEK	90,000		25,000		160.900000	1,413,469.99	1.67 %	
Equities		SE0006887063	HOIST FINANCE AB HOFI	SEK	65,000		10,000		68.400000	433,967.79	0.51 %	
Equities		SE0000163594	SECURITAS AB-B SHS SECUB	SEK	65,000				159.700000	1,013,225.96	1.20 %	
<b>Total licensed securities admitted to trading on the official market or another regulated market</b>										<b>80,420,407.39</b>	<b>95.28 %</b>	
<b>Total securities</b>										<b>80,420,407.39</b>	<b>95.28 %</b>	
<b>Bank balances/liabilities</b>												
										EUR	4,152,440.05	4.92 %
<b>Total bank balances/liabilities</b>										<b>4,152,440.05</b>	<b>4.92 %</b>	
<b>Accruals and deferrals</b>												
Interest claims (on securities and bank balances)										-600.90	-0.00 %	
<b>Total accruals and deferrals</b>										<b>-600.90</b>	<b>-0.00 %</b>	
<b>Other items</b>												
Various fees										-172,324.53	-0.20 %	
<b>Total other items</b>										<b>-172,324.53</b>	<b>-0.20 %</b>	
<b>Total fund assets</b>										<b>84,399,922.01</b>	<b>100.00 %</b>	

ISIN	Income class		Currency	Net asset value per unit	Units in circulation
AT0000638986	R	income-distributing	EUR	276.97	21,018,523
AT0000A1U5F7	RZ	income-distributing	EUR	114.21	1,491,112
AT0000638994	R	income-retaining	EUR	304.70	165,940,706
AT0000A1U5E0	RZ	income-retaining	EUR	113.98	12,520,743
AT0000A0LQ44	I	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	343.87	440,005
AT0000639000	R	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	319.42	56,882,293
AT0000A1U5G5	RZ	full income-retaining (outside Austria)	EUR	114.74	10,000
AT0000A15HP6	R	full income-retaining (Austria)	EUR	320.00	25,297,392



Exchange rates

Foreign currency assets were converted into EUR on the basis of the exchange rates applicable on Jul 30, 2018

Currency		Price (1 EUR =)
Swiss Francs	CHF	1.158050
Danish Kroner	DKK	7.448900
British Pound	GBP	0.890850
Norwegian Kroner	NOK	9.531250
Swedish Krona	SEK	10.245000

Securities purchases and sales during the period under review not listed under the portfolio of assets:

Type of security	OGAW/§ 166	ISIN	Security title	Currency		Purchases Additions	Sales Disposals
Equities		NL0000335578	BINCKBANK NV BINCK	EUR			37,500
Equities		PTCTT0AM0001	CTT-CORREIOS DE PORTUGAL CCT1EUR	EUR			115,000
Equities		DE0007480204	DEUTSCHE EUROSHOP AG DEQ	EUR			2,186
Equities		AT0000809058	IMMOFINANZ AG IIA	EUR			300,000
Equities		FI0009005318	NOKIAN RENKAAT OYJ NRE1V	EUR			6,000
Equities		AT0000APOST4	OESTERREICHISCHE POST AG POST	EUR			6,000
Equities		IT0005043507	OVS SPA OVS	EUR			87,500
Equities		ES0143416115	SIEMENS GAMESA RENEWABLE ENE SGRE	EUR			43,000
Equities		DE0003304002	SOFTWARE AG SOW	EUR			46,000
Equities		DE000A2GS5A4	STADA ARZNEIMITTEL AG -TEND SAZ1	EUR		6,000	6,000
Equities		DE0007251803	STADA ARZNEIMITTEL AG SAZ	EUR			6,000
Equities		FR0010918292	TECHNICOLOR - REGR TCH	EUR			241,428
Equities		BE0003884047	UMICORE NVJN	EUR			27,210
Equities		GB00B0HZP136	GREENE KING PLC GNK	GBP			34,000
Equities		GB00BQY7BX88	MICRO FOCUS INTERNATIONAL MCRO	GBP			30,000
Subscription rights		CH0387834168	VALORA HOLDING AG-RTS 1557253D	CHF		3,000	3,000
Subscription rights		DE000A2LQ7R9	DEUTSCHE WOHNEN SE 1628356D	EUR		26,000	26,000
Subscription rights		DE000PAT1W13	PATRIZIA IMMOBILIEN AG DIVIDENDE CASH	EUR		29,645	29,645
Subscription rights		PTRELOAMS000	REDES ENERGETICAS NACIO-RTS RENDS	EUR		90,000	90,000
Subscription rights		NL0012481782	WOLTERS KLUWER-SCRIP 1532468D	EUR		13,625	13,625

### **Information on securities lending transactions and repurchase agreements**

During the reporting period, no securities lending transactions were performed on behalf of the fund. Accordingly, the information concerning securities lending transactions which is stipulated in § 8 of the Austrian Securities Lending and Repurchase Agreement Ordinance and Art. 13 of Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 is not required.

During the reporting period, no repurchase agreements were concluded on behalf of the fund. Accordingly, the information concerning repurchase agreements which is stipulated in § 8 of the Austrian Securities Lending and Repurchase Agreement Ordinance and Art. 13 of Regulation (EU) No. 2015/2365 is not required.

### **Total return swaps and similar derivative instruments**

A total return swap is a credit derivative instrument. Income and fluctuations in the value of the underlying financial instrument (underlying instrument or reference asset) are exchanged for fixed interest payments.

The fund did not enter into total return swaps or similar derivative instruments in the period under review.

### **Calculation method for overall risk**

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Calculation method for overall risk

Simplified approach

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**Remuneration paid to the employees of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. in EUR (financial year 2017 of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.)**

Total number of employees	245
Number of risk-bearers	83
Fixed remuneration	21,133,401.94
Variable remuneration (bonuses)	4,033,484.17
<b>Total remuneration for employees</b>	<b>25,166,886.11</b>
of which remuneration for managing directors	1,363,876.85
of which remuneration for managers (risk-bearers)	2,522,848.03
of which remuneration for other risk-bearers	8,394,504.63
of which remuneration for employees in positions of control	232,087.44
of which remuneration for employees in the same income bracket as managing directors and risk-bearers due to their overall remuneration	0.00
<b>Total remuneration for risk-bearers</b>	<b>12,513,316.95</b>

- The remuneration guidelines (“remuneration guidelines”) issued by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. serve as a binding framework for fulfillment of the remuneration policy and practice requirements stipulated in §§ 17 (a) to (c) of the Austrian Investment Fund Act (InvFG), § 11 of the Austrian Alternative Investment Fund Managers Act (AIFMG) and Enclosure 2 to § 11 AIFMG. Fixed and variable remuneration components are determined on the basis of these remuneration guidelines.

Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has established a systematic, structured, differentiating and incentivizing compensation system which reflects the company’s values as well as clear and consistent outline conditions. Its employees’ compensation comprises fixed salary components as well as variable salary components for some positions. This remuneration – in particular, the variable salary component (where applicable) – reflects an objective organizational structure (“job grades”).

Compensation is determined on the basis of regular market comparisons and in accordance with local remuneration practice. The goal is to encourage employees’ long-term loyalty to the company while also promoting their performance and their development within the framework of a management or specialist career path.

At Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H., an employee’s basic salary (fixed remuneration) is non-discretionary remuneration which does not vary in accordance with the performance of the company (earnings before interest and tax) or of the specific employee (individual target achievement). It primarily reflects relevant professional experience and organizational responsibility, as outlined in the employee’s job description as part of his terms of employment. The employee’s fixed salary is determined on the basis of his market value, his individual qualifications and the position which he holds at Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. uses all of the standard remuneration management instruments (e.g. domestic and foreign remuneration studies, salary bands, position grading).

The employee’s variable salary reflects the achievement of company and performance targets which are specified and reviewed within the scope of a performance management process. Employees’ targets are specified on the basis of the company’s strategic targets, the targets of their organizational unit or department and their function. Target agreements are concluded and the employee’s level of target achievement (= performance) is determined through annual performance appraisals (“MBO system”).

The target structure at Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. differentiates between qualitative targets – which include individual targets or division and department targets – and quantitative targets, e.g. performance and income targets, and also quantifiable project targets. Every manager is also assigned management targets. Quantitative one-year or multiple-year targets also apply within the scope of the company's core activities of sales and fund management.

- Since the performance period 2015, in accordance with the regulatory requirements a portion of the variable remuneration for risk-bearers is paid out in the form of units in an investment fund managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. In addition, as required by law portions of the variable remuneration of risk-bearers are deferred and paid out over a period of several years.
- The supervisory board of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. resolves the general remuneration policy principles specified by the remuneration committee, reviews them at least once a year and is responsible for their implementation and for monitoring of this issue. The supervisory board most recently fulfilled this duty on Nov 30, 2017. It has not identified any need for changes or any irregularities in relation to the remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- In addition, at least once per year a central and independent internal review determines whether the company's remuneration policy has been implemented in accordance with the applicable remuneration regulations and procedures. The internal auditing division of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. published its most recent report on Aug 28, 2018. This report has not resulted in any material findings concerning the remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- The remuneration policy of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has not been subject to any significant changes in the reporting period.

#### **Remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.**

- The remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. support the business strategy and the long-term goals, interests and values of the company and of the investment funds managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.
- The remuneration principles of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. include measures to avoid conflicts of interest.
- The remuneration principles and policies of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. are consistent with and promote sound and effective risk-taking practices and avoid incentives for any inappropriate risk-taking propensity which exceed the level of risk tolerated by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. or the investment funds under its management.
- The total amount of variable remuneration will not limit the capacity of Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. to strengthen its capital base.
- Variable remuneration is not paid by means of instruments or methods which facilitate circumvention of applicable legal requirements.
- Employees in positions of control are rewarded irrespective of the business unit which they supervise, they have an appropriate level of authority and their remuneration is determined on the basis of the fulfillment of their organizational targets in connection with their functions, irrespective of the results of the business activities under their supervision.

- Guaranteed variable remuneration is not consistent with sound risk management or the “pay-for-performance” principle and should not be included in future remuneration plans. Guaranteed variable remuneration is the exception:., This is only provided in connection with new hirings and only where Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. has a sound and strong capital base. It is limited to the first year of employment.
- Any payments relating to the premature termination of a contract must reflect the performance realized over the relevant period of time and must not reward failures or misconduct.

**Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. complies with the code of conduct for the Austrian investment fund industry 2012.**

Vienna, 31 October 2018

**Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H.**

  
Mag. Rainer Schnabl

  
Mag. (FH) Dieter Aigner

  
Ing. Michal Kustra

## Audit opinion

### Report on the annual fund report

#### Audit opinion

We have audited the annual fund report issued by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H., Vienna, for its fund Raiffeisen European SmallCap, consisting of the portfolio of investments as of July 31, 2018, the income statement for the financial year ending as of this date and the other disclosures required under Annex I Schedule B of the 2011 Austrian Investment Fund Act (Investmentfondsgesetz, InvFG).

In our view, the annual fund report complies with applicable statutory requirements and provides a true and fair view of the net assets and financial position as of July 31, 2018 as well as the earnings position for the fund for the financial year ending as of this date, in compliance with Austrian commercial law, the provisions of InvFG 2011.

#### Basis for the audit opinion

We performed our audit in accordance with § 49 (5) InvFG 2011 in accordance with Austrian principles of orderly auditing. These principles require application of the International Standards on Auditing (ISA). Our responsibilities on the basis of these requirements and standards are outlined in further detail in the “Responsibilities of the auditor for the audit of the annual fund report” section of our audit certificate. We are independent from the company, in compliance with Austrian commercial law and professional standards, and we have fulfilled our other professional duties in accordance with these requirements. In our view, we have obtained sufficient and suitable audit documentation as a basis for our audit opinion.

#### Responsibilities of the company's legal representatives and the supervisory board for the annual fund report

The company's legal representatives are responsible for the preparation of the annual fund report and for ensuring that it provides a true and fair view of the fund's net assets, financial and earnings position in compliance with Austrian commercial law and the provisions of InvFG 2011. The company's legal representatives are also responsible for the internal controls which they deem necessary in order to enable the preparation of an annual fund report which is free from material (intentional or unintentional) misrepresentations.

The supervisory board is responsible for monitoring the company's accounting process in relation to the funds under its management.

### Responsibilities of the auditor for the audit of the annual fund report

Our goals are to establish sufficient certainty as to whether the annual fund report as a whole is free from material (intentional or unintentional) misrepresentations and for issuing an audit certificate which includes our audit opinion. Sufficient certainty means a high level of certainty – but not a guarantee – that an orderly audit performed in accordance with the recognized Austrian principles – which require application of the ISA – will always uncover any material misrepresentation. Misrepresentations may result from malicious acts or on the basis of errors and will be deemed material where they may be reasonably expected – either individually or collectively – to influence the economic decisions made by users on the basis of this annual fund report.

As part of an audit complying with the recognized Austrian principles of orderly auditing – which require application of the ISA – we exercise due discretion throughout our audit and maintain a critical distance.

In addition, the following applies:

- We identify and evaluate the risks of material (intentional or unintentional) misrepresentations in the annual fund report, plan audit activities in response to these risks, implement these activities and obtain audit documentation which is sufficient and suitable in order to serve as a basis for our audit opinion. The risk of material misrepresentations resulting from malicious acts not being uncovered is greater than the risk resulting from errors, since malicious acts may include fraudulent collaboration, falsifications, deliberate incompleteness, misleading representations or the suspension of internal controls.
- We obtain a picture of the internal control system which is relevant for the audit so as to plan audit activities which are adequate in the given circumstances, but not with the objective of providing an audit opinion regarding the effectiveness of the company's internal control system.
- We evaluate the adequacy of the accounting methods applied by the company's legal representatives as well as the reasonableness of the legal representatives' estimates in the accounting as well as the related disclosures.
- We evaluate the overall picture, the structure and the contents of the annual fund report including the disclosures and whether the annual fund report provides a true and fair view of the underlying business transactions and events.
- We discuss matters with the supervisory board including the planned scope of the audit and its schedule as well as significant audit findings, including any significant shortcomings in the internal control system that we identify in the course of our audit.

### **Other information**

The company's legal representatives are responsible for the other information provided. This other information comprises all of the information included in the annual fund report, with the exception of the portfolio of investments, the income statement, the other disclosures required under Annex I Schedule B InvFG 2011 and the audit certificate.

Our audit opinion for the annual fund report does not cover this other information, and we do not provide any sort of assurance in this regard.

In connection with our audit of the annual fund report, we are responsible for reading this other information and for considering whether there are any material inconsistencies between this other information and the annual fund report or on the basis of our knowledge obtained in the course of our audit or whether this information appears to have been otherwise materially misrepresented. If we reach the conclusion on the basis of our activities that this other information has been materially misrepresented, we must report this. We have nothing to report in this respect.

Vienna, 31 October 2018

KPMG Austria GmbH  
Wirtschaftsprüfungs- und Steuerberatungsgesellschaft

Wilhelm Kovsca  
Auditor



## **Tax treatment**

Once the new reporting framework comes into effect (from Jun 6, 2016), Österreichische Kontrollbank (OeKB) will prepare the details of the tax arrangements for the fund and publish them on [www.profitweb.at](http://www.profitweb.at). The tax documents are available for downloading for all funds. The tax documents are also available on our website [www.rcm.at](http://www.rcm.at). Please visit [www.profitweb.at](http://www.profitweb.at) for detailed information on offsettable and reimbursable foreign taxes.

## Fund regulations

### Fund regulations pursuant to the Austrian Investment Fund Act 2011

The Austrian Financial Market Authority (FMA) has approved the fund regulations for the investment fund **Raiffeisen European SmallCap**, a jointly owned fund pursuant to the Austrian Investment Fund Act (InvFG) 2011, as amended.

The investment fund is a Directive-compliant fund and is managed by Raiffeisen Kapitalanlage-Gesellschaft m.b.H. (hereinafter: the "management company") which is headquartered in Vienna.

#### Article 1 Fund units

The fund units are embodied in unit certificates with the character of financial instruments which are issued to bearer.

The unit certificates shall be represented by global certificates for each unit class and – at the discretion of the management company – by actual securities.

#### Article 2 Custodian bank (custodian)

Raiffeisen Bank International AG, Vienna, is the investment fund's custodian bank (custodian).

The custodian bank (custodian), the regional Raiffeisen banks, Kathrein Privatbank Aktiengesellschaft, Vienna, and other paying agents referred to in the prospectus are the paying agents for unit certificates and the handover offices for income coupons (actual securities).

#### Article 3 Investment instruments and principles

The following assets pursuant to InvFG may be selected for the investment fund.

The investment fund mainly invests (at least 51 % of its fund assets) in equities or equity-equivalent securities issued by small cap companies with a market capitalization of up to EUR 5 billion which are headquartered or mainly active in Europe.

The following investment instruments are purchased for the fund assets, while complying with the investment focus outlined above.

##### Securities

The fund may purchase securities (including securities with embedded derivative instruments) as permitted by law.

##### Money market instruments

Money market instruments may comprise **up to 49 %** of the fund assets.

##### Securities and money market instruments

Not fully paid-in securities or money market instruments and subscription rights for such instruments or other not fully paid-in financial instruments may only be purchased for up to **10 %** of the fund assets.

Securities and money market instruments may be purchased if they comply with the criteria concerning listing and trading on a regulated market or a securities exchange pursuant to InvFG.

Securities and money market instruments which do not fulfill the criteria laid down in the above paragraph may be purchased for up to 10 % of the fund assets in total.

### Units in investment funds

Units in investment funds (UCITS, UCI) may each amount to up to 10 % of the fund assets – and up to 10 % of the fund assets in total – insofar as these UCITS or UCI do not for their part invest more than 10 % of their fund assets in units in other investment funds.

### Derivative instruments

Derivative instruments may be used as part of the fund's investment strategy for up to 49 % of the fund assets (calculated on the basis of market prices) and for hedging purposes.

### Investment fund's risk measurement method

The investment fund applies the following risk measurement method:

#### Commitment approach

The commitment figure is calculated pursuant to the 3rd chapter of the 4th Austrian Derivatives Risk Calculation and Reporting Ordinance (Derivate-Risikoberechnungs- und Meldeverordnung, DeRiMV), as amended.

The overall risk for derivative instruments which are not held for hedging purposes is limited to 60 % of the overall net value of the fund assets.

Please refer to the prospectus for details and comments.

#### Sight deposits or deposits at notice

Sight deposits and deposits at notice with terms not exceeding 12 months may amount to up to 25 % of the fund assets. No minimum bank balance is required.

Within the framework of restructuring of the fund portfolio and/or a justified assumption of impending losses for securities, the investment fund may hold a lower proportion of securities and a higher proportion of sight deposits or deposits at notice with terms not exceeding 12 months.

#### Short-term loans

The management company may take up short-term loans of up to 10 % of the fund assets for account of the investment fund.

#### Repos

Repurchase agreements may comprise up to 100 % of the fund assets.

#### Securities lending

Securities lending transactions may comprise up to 30 % of the fund assets.

Investment instruments may only be acquired uniformly for the entire investment fund, not for an individual unit class or for a group of unit classes.

However, this does not apply for currency hedge transactions. These transactions may only be entered into in relation to a single unit class. Expenses and income resulting from a currency hedge transaction shall exclusively be allocated to the relevant unit class.

Please refer to the prospectus for further details concerning Article 3.

## Article 4 Issuance and redemption modalities

The unit value shall be calculated in EUR or the currency of the unit class.  
Please refer to the prospectus for further details.

The value of units will be calculated on each day of stock market trading.

## Issuance and subscription fee

Units will be issued on any banking day.

The issue price is the unit value plus a fee per unit of **up to 5 %** to cover the management company's issuing costs.

Unit issuance shall not in principle be subject to limitation; however, the management company reserves the right temporarily or entirely to discontinue its issuance of unit certificates.

The management company shall be entitled to introduce a graduated subscription fee.

Please refer to the prospectus for further details.

## Redemption and redemption fee

Units will be redeemed on any banking day.

The redemption price is based on the value of a unit. No redemption fee will be charged.

At the request of a unitholder, its unit shall be redeemed out of the investment fund at the applicable redemption price, against surrender of the unit certificate, those income coupons which are not yet due and the renewal certificate.

## Article 5 Accounting year

The investment fund's accounting year runs from August 1 to July 31.

## Article 6 Unit classes and appropriation of income

Income-distributing unit certificates, income-retaining unit certificates with capital gains tax deducted and income-retaining unit certificates without capital gains tax deducted may be issued for the investment fund.

Various classes of unit certificates may be issued for this investment fund. The management company may decide to establish unit classes or to issue units in a given unit class. Please refer to the prospectus for further details.

### Appropriation of income for income-distributing unit certificates (income distribution)

Once costs have been covered, the income received during the past accounting year (interest and dividends) may be distributed at the discretion of the management company. Distribution may be waived subject to due consideration of the unitholders' interests. The distribution of income from the sale of assets of the investment fund including subscription rights shall likewise be at the discretion of the management company. A distribution from the fund assets and interim distributions are also permissible.

The fund assets may not through distributions fall below the minimum volume for a termination which is stipulated by law.

From October 15 of the following accounting year the amounts are to be distributed to the holders of income-distributing unit certificates. Any remaining balances shall be carried forward to a new account.

In any case, from October 15 an amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out, to be used where applicable to meet any capital gains tax commitments on the distribution-equivalent return on those unit certificates, unless the management company ensures through appropriate proof from the custodians that as of the payment date the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for an exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

Unitholders' entitlement to the distribution of income shares shall become time-barred after five years. After this period, such income shares shall be treated as income of the investment fund.

### **Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates with capital gains tax deducted (income retention)**

Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. In case of income-retaining unit certificates, from October 15 an amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out, to be used where applicable to meet any capital gains tax commitments on the distribution-equivalent return on those unit certificates, unless the management company ensures through appropriate proof from the custodians that as of the payment date the unit certificates are only held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for an exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

### **Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates without capital gains tax deducted (full income retention – domestic and foreign tranches)**

Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. No payment pursuant to InvFG will be made. October 15 of the following accounting year shall be the key date pursuant to InvFG in case of failure to pay capital gains tax on the annual income. The management company shall ensure through appropriate proof from the custodians that at the time of payout the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for exemption as per § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption. If these preconditions have not been met as of the payment date, the amount calculated pursuant to InvFG shall be paid out by the custodian bank in the form of credit.

### **Appropriation of income in case of income-retaining unit certificates without capital gains tax deducted (full income retention – foreign tranche)**

Income-retaining unit certificates without deducted capital gains tax shall only be sold outside Austria. Income during the accounting year net of costs shall not be distributed. No payment pursuant to InvFG will be made. The management company shall ensure through appropriate proof that as of the payment date the unit certificates may only be held by unitholders who are either not subject to Austrian income or corporate income tax or who fulfill the requirements for exemption pursuant to § 94 of the Austrian Income Tax Act or for a capital gains tax exemption.

## **Article 7 Management fee, reimbursement of expenses, liquidation fee**

The management company shall receive for its management activity an annual remuneration of up to **2 %** of the fund assets, calculated on the basis of the values at the end of each month.

The management company is entitled to reimbursement of all expenses associated with its management of the fund.

The management company shall be entitled to introduce a graduated management fee.

The costs arising at the introduction of new unit classes for existing asset portfolios shall be deducted from the unit prices of the new unit classes.

At the liquidation of the investment fund, the custodian bank shall receive remuneration amounting to **0.5 %** of the fund assets.

Please refer to the prospectus for further details.

## Appendix

### List of stock exchanges with official trading and organized markets

#### 1. Stock exchanges with official trading and organized markets in the member states of the EEA

According to Article 16 of Directive 93/22/EEC (investment services in the securities field), each member state is obliged to maintain an up-to-date directory of its licensed markets. This directory is to be made available to the other member states and to the Commission.

According to this provision, the Commission is obliged to publish once a year a directory of the regulated markets of which it has received notice.

Due to decreasing restrictions and to trading segment specialization, the directory of "regulated markets" is undergoing great changes. In addition to the annual publication of a directory in the official gazette of the European Communities, the Commission will therefore provide an updated version on its official internet site.

##### 1.1. The current directory of regulated markets is available at:

[http://mifiddatabase.esma.europa.eu/Index.aspx?sectionlinks\\_id=23&language=0&pageName=REGULATED\\_MARKETS\\_Display&subsection\\_id=0](http://mifiddatabase.esma.europa.eu/Index.aspx?sectionlinks_id=23&language=0&pageName=REGULATED_MARKETS_Display&subsection_id=0)<sup>1</sup>

##### 1.2. The following stock exchanges are to be included in the directory of Regulated Markets:

1.2.1. Luxembourg Euro MTF Luxembourg

##### 1.3. Recognized markets in the EU pursuant to § 67 (2) item 2 InvFG:

Markets in the EEA classified as recognized markets by the relevant supervisory authorities.

#### 2. Stock exchanges in European states which are not members of the EEA

2.1.	Bosnia & Herzegovina:	Sarajevo, Banja Luka
2.2.	Croatia:	Zagreb Stock Exchange
2.3.	Montenegro:	Podgorica
2.4.	Russia:	Moscow (RTS Stock Exchange), Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange (MICEX)
2.5.	Switzerland:	SWX Swiss-Exchange
2.6.	Serbia:	Belgrade
2.7.	Turkey:	Istanbul (for Stock Market, "National Market" only)

#### 3. Stock exchanges in non-European states

3.1.	Australia:	Sydney, Hobart, Melbourne, Perth
3.2.	Argentina:	Buenos Aires
3.3.	Brazil:	Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo
3.4.	Chile:	Santiago
3.5.	China:	Shanghai Stock Exchange, Shenzhen Stock Exchange
3.6.	Hong Kong:	Hong Kong Stock Exchange
3.7.	India:	Mumbai
3.8.	Indonesia:	Jakarta
3.9.	Israel:	Tel Aviv
3.10.	Japan:	Tokyo, Osaka, Nagoya, Kyoto, Fukuoka, Niigata, Sapporo, Hiroshima
3.11.	Canada:	Toronto, Vancouver, Montreal
3.12.	Colombia:	Bolsa de Valores de Colombia
3.13.	Korea:	Korea Exchange (Seoul, Busan)
3.14.	Malaysia:	Kuala Lumpur, Bursa Malaysia Berhad
3.15.	Mexico:	Mexico City
3.16.	New Zealand:	Wellington, Christchurch/Invercargill, Auckland
3.17.	Peru:	Bolsa de Valores de Lima
3.18.	Philippines:	Manila
3.19.	Singapore:	Singapore Stock Exchange
3.20.	South Africa:	Johannesburg
3.21.	Taiwan:	Taipei
3.22.	Thailand:	Bangkok

<sup>1</sup>Click on "view all" to open the directory. The link may be modified by the Austrian Financial Market Authority (FMA) or by the European Securities and Markets Authority (ESMA).

[You may access the directory as follows by way of the FMA's website:

<http://www.fma.gv.at/de/unternehmen/boerse-wertpapierhandel/boerse.html> - scroll down - link "List of Regulated Markets (MIFID Database; ESMA)" - "view all"]<sup>1</sup>

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- 3.23. USA: New York, American Stock Exchange (AMEX), New York Stock Exchange (NYSE), Los Angeles/Pacific Stock Exchange, San Francisco/Pacific Stock Exchange, Philadelphia, Chicago, Boston, Cincinnati
- 3.24. Venezuela: Caracas
- 3.25. United Arab Emirates: Abu Dhabi Securities Exchange (ADX)

**4. Organized markets in states which are not members of the European Community**

- 4.1. Japan: Over the Counter Market
- 4.2. Canada: Over the Counter Market
- 4.3. Korea: Over the Counter Market
- 4.4. Switzerland: SWX-Swiss Exchange, BX Berne eXchange; Over the Counter Market of the members of the International Capital Market Association (ICMA), Zurich
- 4.5. USA: Over the Counter Market in the NASDAQ system, Over the Counter Market (markets organized by NASD such as Over-the-Counter Equity Market, Municipal Bond Market, Government Securities Market, Corporate Bonds and Public Direct Participation Programs) Over-the-Counter-Market for Agency Mortgage-Backed Securities

**5. Stock exchanges with futures and options markets**

- 5.1. Argentina: Bolsa de Comercio de Buenos Aires
- 5.2. Australia: Australian Options Market, Australian Securities Exchange (ASX)
- 5.3. Brazil: Bolsa Brasileira de Futuros, Bolsa de Mercadorias & Futuros, Rio de Janeiro Stock Exchange, Sao Paulo Stock Exchange
- 5.4. Hong Kong: Hong Kong Futures Exchange Ltd.
- 5.5. Japan: Osaka Securities Exchange, Tokyo International Financial Futures Exchange, Tokyo Stock Exchange
- 5.6. Canada: Montreal Exchange, Toronto Futures Exchange
- 5.7. Korea: Korea Exchange (KRX)
- 5.8. Mexico: Mercado Mexicano de Derivados
- 5.9. New Zealand: New Zealand Futures & Options Exchange
- 5.10. Philippines: Manila International Futures Exchange
- 5.11. Singapore: The Singapore Exchange Limited (SGX)
- 5.12. Slovakia: RM-System Slovakia
- 5.13. South Africa: Johannesburg Stock Exchange (JSE), South African Futures Exchange (SAFEX)
- 5.14. Switzerland: EUREX
- 5.15. Turkey: TurkDEX
- 5.16. USA: American Stock Exchange, Chicago Board Options Exchange, Chicago, Board of Trade, Chicago Mercantile Exchange, Comex, FINEX, Mid America Commodity Exchange, ICE Future US Inc. New York, Pacific Stock Exchange, Philadelphia Stock Exchange, New York Stock Exchange, Boston Options Exchange (BOX)

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