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# Investment Highlights





# **European Commercial REIT**





- 1 Delivering on strategy
- **Focus on EU commercial property market**
- 3 Experienced, aligned management team
- 4 Best-in-class board and governance
- 5 Strong accretive growth pipeline

### 1. Delivering on Strategy

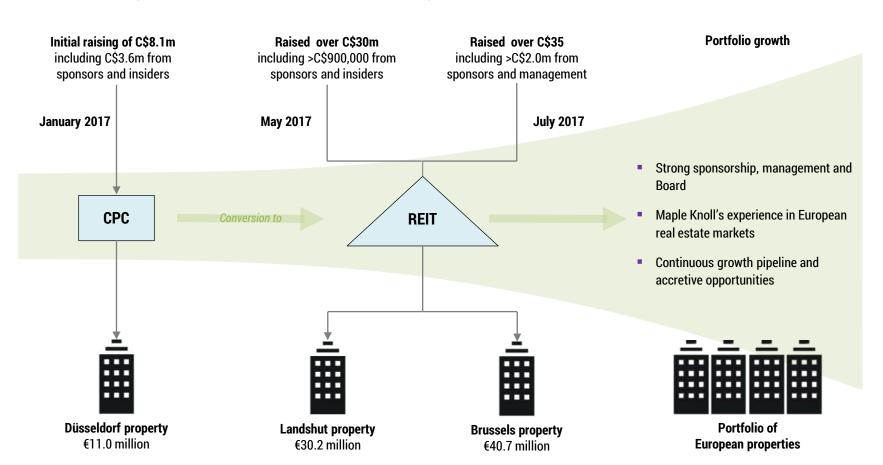
### Accretive growth by acquisition



PAST
Successful Qualifying Transaction
with committed sponsorship and
leadership

RECENT
Successful capital raises for an early-stage REIT with a well-defined growth strategy focused on Europe

**FUTURE**Strong growth pipeline driven by
Management's relationships across Europe



### 2. Focused European Strategy

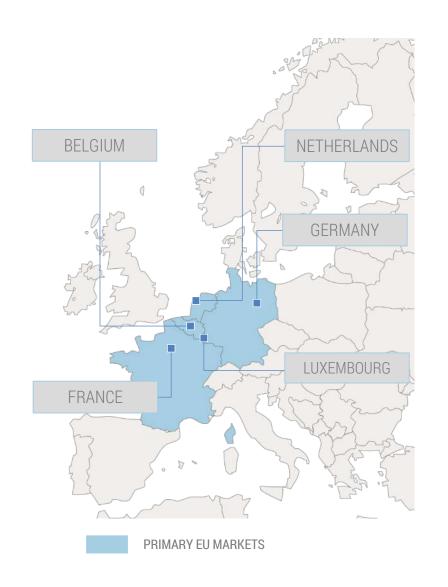
### Stable income with value appreciation



### **Sustained economic recovery**

- Solid underlying fundamentals
  - European economic recovery
  - Improving employment
  - Moderate inflation
  - Attractive lending environment
- Key European markets with focus on Germany, France, Benelux

Rapidly aggregating a high-quality portfolio to deliver long-term, secure income plus capital growth



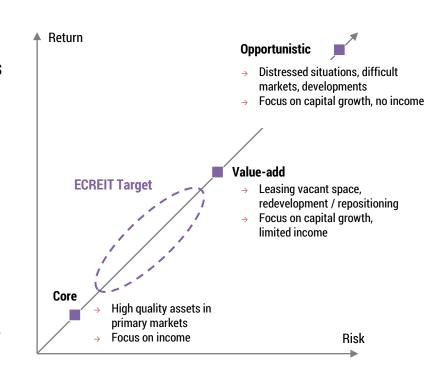
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### "Non-prime" core



Attractive total returns through contracted cash flow with quality tenants and embedded value upside

- High-quality, non-prime commercial properties
  - More attractive yield vs. "prime" core assets
  - Potential for capital growth / appreciation
- Acquisition target criteria
  - Strong tenant base with long-term leases
  - High occupancy, limited tenant numbers
  - Minimal required capital investment
  - Single assets / small portfolios
  - Potential for increased operational efficiency



Non-prime core offers a more attractive risk / return profile

# 3. Management and Maple Knoll

### Experienced, local and aligned management



# **Extensive experience sourcing, executing and managing European investments**

- Over €15 billion in real estate transactions
  - Significant track-record in European real estate as a principal investor
  - 12-person team of local European nationals
- Strong relationships in the European real estate markets
  - Recent acquisitions of 2.7 million sq. ft. of EU commercial real estate for +€650 million
  - Large, robust pipeline of accretive acquisitions
- Fully aligned with investors:
  - No executive current cash remuneration from REIT
  - Executives initially waiving distributions
  - 6.4% ownership by senior management

**Phillip Burns** 

**CEO**, ECREIT **Principal**, Maple Knoll



Ian Dyke

CFO, ECREIT
Principal, Maple Knoll



**Adam Cohen** 

**Director of Finance,** *ECREIT* 



### 4. Board of Trustees

### Best-in class Board



		Experience				
Trustee	Real Estate / Board Experience	Canadian Capital Markets	Canadian Real Estate	European Capital Markets	European Real Estate	
Frederic Waks	<ul> <li>President and CEO of Trinity Development Group Inc.</li> <li>Former President and COO of RioCan REIT</li> </ul>	✓	✓			
David Ehrlich	<ul> <li>CEO and President of CAPREIT</li> <li>Director of Irish Residential Properties REIT</li> <li>Former Partner of Stikeman Elliott LLP</li> </ul>	✓	✓	✓	✓	
Ira Gluskin	<ul> <li>Co-founder and Former President / CIO of Gluskin Sheff + Associates</li> <li>Director of Tricon Capital Group</li> </ul>	✓	✓			
Jan Arie Breure	<ul> <li>Independent capital markets consultant</li> <li>Former Managing Director at Terra Firma Capital Partners</li> <li>Former Head of European Asset Management at Citi Property Investors</li> </ul>			✓	✓	
Phillip Burns	<ul> <li>Former CEO of Corestate Capital</li> <li>Former Managing Director at Terra Firma Capital Partners</li> <li>Former Goldman Sachs – Corporate Finance, Real Estate</li> <li>Former Skadden Arps – Corporate Attorney</li> </ul>			✓	✓	

Trustees initially waiving compensation; own 10.4% of outstanding Units

# 5. Growing Unitholder Value Strong Current Yield



Current Market Profile				
Annualized cash distribution				
Current yield*	~9.7%	)		
Debt/GBV	58.2%			
Units outstanding		)		
Market capitalization*		m		
Listed (TSX-V)		IN		

<sup>\*</sup> At C\$3.60 / Unit as at 29/12/2017 (end of Q4 2017)

### 5. Growing Unitholder Value

### Sustainable income plus growth



### Stable, sustainable and growing cash flow

- Contracted, indexed cash flow provides high visibility
- Strong current yield

### Significant and rapid portfolio growth

- Focus on non-prime core properties with strong fundamentals
- Substantial pipeline of accretive acquisition targets

### **Solid organic growth**

- Innovative property management structure
- Economies of scale through portfolio growth
- Capital value appreciation

#### **Maintaining conservative financial position**

- Flexibility to capitalize on growth opportunities
- Low interest rate environment creates highly accretive spreads

# **Properties**





# Properties Existing portfolio



#### **Dusseldorf, Germany**

- 56,700 sq. ft. multi-tenant office property
- Centrally located within a German "top six" city
- Vibrant, redeveloping area near main train station
- 99.3% occupied with entrenched, sticky tenants
- Attractive long-term financing at 1.6%

#### **Landshut, Germany**

- 173,000 sq. ft. single-tenant building
- Metropolitan region of German "top six" city
- Efficient, newer generation building
- 100% occupied, long-term lease to Global 500 company
- Attractive long-term financing at 1.9%

#### **Brussels, Belgium**

- 168,000 sq. ft. single tenant office property
- Centrally business district of Brussels, the capital of Belgium and political heart of the European Union
- Efficient building in a mixed-use, regenerating area
- 100% occupied, long-term lease to government tenant
- Attractive long-term financing at 1.9%







# Properties Existing portfolio



Property Name	Key Tenant (Credit Rating)	Year Built (refurb'd) *	GLA (SF)	# of Tenants	Occupancy (%)	Avg. Lease Term**	% of Total Rent
Düsseldorf Property	MVZ DaVita Karlstraße GmbH	1969 (2001)	56,650	8	99.3%	5.1 years	10.5%
Landshut Property	e.kundenservice Netz GmbH (Moody's: Baa2)	2002-2012	172,804	1	100%	7.5 years	34.3%
Brussels Property	Fédération Wallonie-Bruxelles (Moody's: Aa3)	2005	168,993	1	100%	7.0 years	55.2%
Total / Wtd. Average			398,448	10	99.9%	7.0 years	100%

ECREIT is aggregating a portfolio of highly attractive assets with strong tenants and secured, longterm cash flow

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;Refurbished" means that the property was significantly renovated \*\* As at 31 December 2017

# Conclusion





# Conclusion A compelling opportunity



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# **Appendix**









Düsseldorf, Germany



### Bismarckstraße 101, Düsseldorf, Germany

### High-quality asset in attractive market

- Multi-tenant office property
- ~56,700 sq. ft. of GLA
- 99.3% occupied
- 5.1 year weighted average lease term\*
- 42% of rental income from Fortune 500 company

### Attractive acquisition metrics

- €11.0 million acquisition price
- 12.0% discount to appraised value
- Attractive debt financing: €7.5 million sevenyear\*\* mortgage at 1.6%

### Strong fundamentals

- Centrally located within German "top 6" city
- Vibrant area being redeveloped near main train station
- Sticky tenants





Landshut, Germany



#### E.ON-Allee 1-5, Kiem-Pauli-Str. 2, Landshut

### New build asset with an investment grade tenant

- Single tenant building in metropolitan Munich
- ~173,000 sq. ft. of GLA
- 100% occupied by Global 500 company
- 7.5 year weighted average lease term\*

### Attractive acquisition metrics

- €30.2 million acquisition price
- 1.4% discount to appraised value
- Attractive debt financing: €18.0 million seven-year\*\* mortgage at 1.9%

### Strong fundamentals

- Metropolitan region of German "top 6" city
- Relatively newly built, efficient design
- Bespoke asset for tenant who relies on local workforce





### Brussels, Belgium



#### **Rue Adolphe Lavallée 1, Brussels**

# Government tenant with significant remaining lease term

- 100% leased to a government investment grade (Moody's Aa3) tenant
- ~169,000 sq. ft. of GLA
- 7.0 years remaining lease term\*

### Attractive acquisition metrics

- €40.7 million acquisition price
- Attractive debt financing: €25.5 million 7.5year\*\* mortgage at 1.9%

### Strong fundamentals

- Strategically located at the crossroads of the Centre and North District
- Government credit tenant
- Property constructed specifically for tenant





# EU Commercial Real Estate





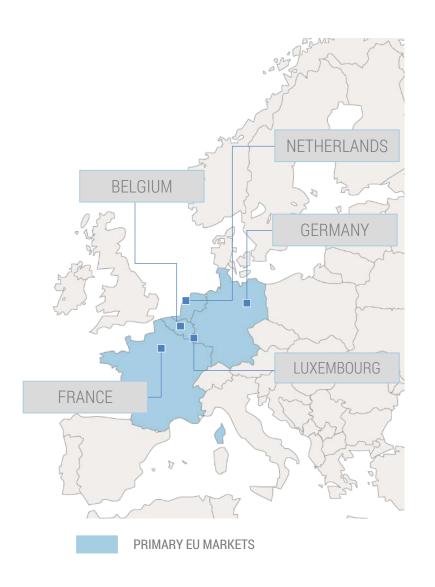




Country	GDP <sup>1</sup>	Share (%)	Real Estate <sup>2</sup>	Share (%)
Austria	US\$409.3bn	2%	€30.1bn	1%
Belgium	US\$470.2bn	3%	€46.8bn	2%
France	US\$2,575bn	15%	€316.5bn	14%
Germany	US\$3,650bn	21%	€352.1bn	16%
Italy	US\$1,920bn	11%	€92.7bn	4%
Luxembourg	US\$63.5bn	0.4%	na.	na.
Netherlands	US\$824.4bn	5%	€114.8bn	5%
Spain	US\$1,310bn	8%	€62.6bn	3%
UK	US\$2,565bn	15%	€651.2bn	29%
Other EU	US\$3,324bn	19%	€574.8bn	26%
Total EU	US\$17,112bn	100%	€2,241.6bn	100%

Source: IMF, IPD

World's 2<sup>nd</sup> largest economic region underpinned by stable, mature and diversified markets



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 2017 prices

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Real Estate market estimation as per end 2015. Total based on IPD Pan-Europe.

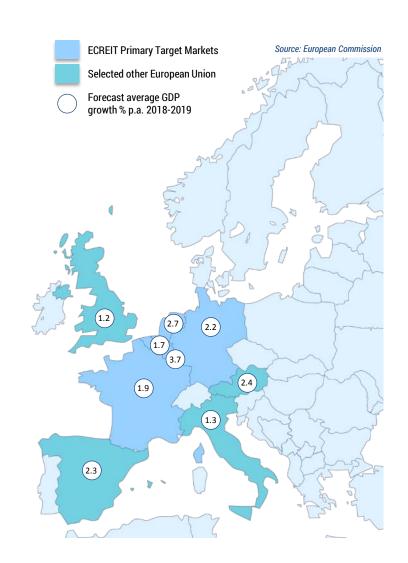




### **Sustained economic recovery**

- Core EU markets stable and growing
  - Germany, France & Benelux seeing GDP growth since 2010
  - Unemployment decreasing
- Positive progress through the rest of Europe
- EU monetary policy remains accommodative with interest rates at historically low levels









### The European Union offers superior risk-reward vs. alternative markets



<sup>1</sup> As at 14 March 2018; <sup>2</sup> 2015 IPD data

Source: IPD, Bloomberg

A liquid real estate market

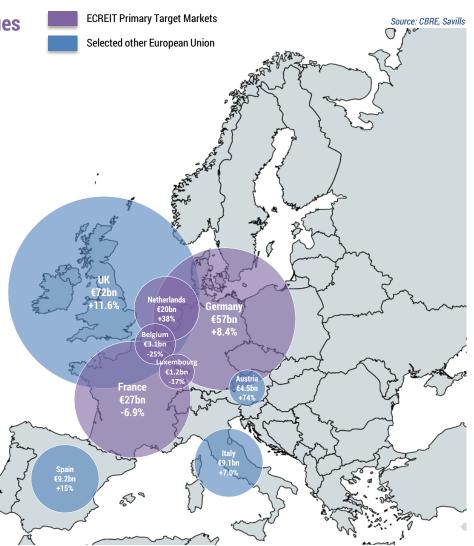


Total European real estate investment continues to be robust

- For 2017, investment volume was approximately €286 billion
- Germany, France and the Benelux region all have liquid markets with aggregate €109 billion of transactions in 2017
- UK is traditionally the largest but this trend might be slowing down due to the Brexit impact

Investment volumes by country

Whole of Europe 2017 Volume: €286bn



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