# ETF (UCITS compliant)

# L&G Gold Mining UCITS ETF

**USD Accumulating ETF Class** 

# Fund aim

The L&G Gold Mining UCITS ETF (the "ETF") aims to track the performance of the Global Gold Miners Index (the "Index"). More information on the Index can be found on page 2 of this document.

# Fund snapshot

- Sector allocation
   Invest in the growth potential of the gold mining sector
- Risk-off feature Could potentially benefit from traditional riskoff characteristics of gold
- Leveraged exposure to gold
   Gold mining companies have historically
   offered a leveraged exposure to the price of
   gold

# Who is this fund for?

- This ETF is designed for investors looking to grow their money in an investment which can form part of their existing savings portfolio.
- Although investors can take their money out at any time, this ETF may not be appropriate for those who plan to withdraw their money within five years.
- This fund is not designed for investors who cannot afford more than a minimal loss of their investment.
- If you do not understand the information in this document, the key information document or the prospectus, we recommend that you seek additional information or advice to help you decide if this ETF is suitable for you.

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ETF

Fund size	\$305.1m
Listing date	6 Nov 2008
Base currency	USD
Domicile	Ireland

#### Index

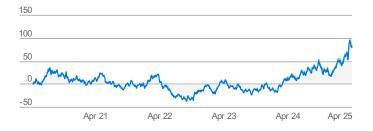
STOXX Global Gold Miners NR USD Index ticker LGIMGMNR Replication method

0.55%

Physical - full replication

Ongoing charge

# Performance (%) USD Accumulating class



	1 month	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years
NAV	8.92	32.40	66.72	71.77	81.49
Index	8.98	32.76	67.64	74.12	85.73
Relative	-0.06	-0.36	-0.92	-2.35	-4.24

#### **Rolling 12-month performance**

To 31 March	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016
NAV	62.37	5.61	-16.83	15.26	42.50	4.25	3.24	-4.01	10.54	21.84
Index	63.28	6.06	-16.52	15.25	43.90	5.52	4.53	-2.83	11.89	23.35
Relative	-0.91	-0.45	-0.31	+0.01	-1.40	-1.27	-1.29	-1.18	-1.35	-1.51

Performance for the USD Accumulating ETF class, listed on 6 November 2008. Source: Lipper. Performance assumes all ETF charges have been taken and that all income generated by the investments, after deduction of tax, remains in the ETF.

Past performance is not a guide to the future.

On 22 February 2021 the index changed from the DAXglobal® Gold Miners Index to the Global Gold Miners Index and the fund switched from Synthetic - unfunded swap backed by collateral to Physical - full replication. The performance shown until 22 February 2021 reflects the index and replication method applicable until then.



## Index breakdown

The breakdowns below relate to the Index.

All data source LGIM unless otherwise stated. Totals may not sum to 100% due to rounding.



#### Currency (%)

• CAD	42.5
• ZAR	27.2
• USD	16.6
AUD	13.8

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Sector (%)

•	Materials	100.0



## Top 10 constituents (%)

Agnico-Eagle Mines	13.4
Newmont	13.1
AngloGold Ashanti	11.2
Gold Fields	9.0
Kinross Gold	8.4
Harmony Gold	6.3
Northern Star	4.9
Evolution Mining	2.9
Pan American Silver	2.7
Lundin Gold	2.4

#### Country (%)

(+)	Canada	45.1
۶	South Africa	27.2
٩	United States	13.9
<u>(</u>	Australia	13.8

# **Index description**

The Index is designed to provide exposure to global companies which are actively engaged in the areas of gold mining. Gold mining covers exploration drilling, geological assessment, financing, development, extraction, initial refinement, and delivery of gold ore. The constituents of the Index are exclusively companies that generate at least 50 per cent of their revenues from gold production. The Index seeks to exclude companies which are (i) involved in the manufacturing of controversial weapons, (ii) persistent violators of the UN Global Compact, and/or (iii) pure coal mining companies. Such exclusions are determined by reference to the "Future World Protection List" ("FWPL") published by Legal & General Investment Management Limited which is available at https://www.lgim.com/uk/en/ capabilities/corporate-governance/assessing-companies-esg/.

The selection of the Index constituents is carried out by Stoxx Ltd. (the "Index Administrator") based on gold production, market capitalisation and average daily trading volume.

# Index fund management team

The skill set and expertise



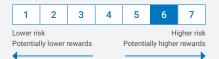
we have developed over 35+ years in index management has allowed us to continuously evolve our investment processes. The Index Fund Management team comprises 30 fund managers with an average experience of 15 years, supported by 33 broader team members. Management oversight is provided by Howie Li, Global Head of Index Funds. The team also has full access to the resources and research of other specialists within L&G, including economists and strategists.

# **Key risks**

- The value of an investment and any income taken from it is not guaranteed and can go down as well as up; you may not get back the amount you originally invested.
- An investment in the ETF involves a significant degree of risk. Any decision to invest should be based on the information contained in the relevant prospectus. Prospective investors should obtain their own independent accounting, tax and legal advice and should consult their own professional advisers to ascertain the suitability of the ETF as an investment.
- An investment in the ETF may expose investors to specific risks associated with the gold mining industry, including government policies and regulation, economic forces and the price of gold bullion. The price of gold bullion may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time and so the price of shares in the ETF may be more volatile than the price of gold itself or other types of investments.
- Third party service providers (such as counterparties entering into financial derivative instruments with the ETF or the ETF's depositary) may go bankrupt and fail to pay money due to the ETF or return property belonging to the ETF.
- If the Index provider stops calculating the Index or if the ETF's license to track the Index is terminated, the ETF may have to be closed.
- It may not always be possible to buy and sell ETF shares on a stock exchange or at prices closely reflecting the NAV.
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- This Fund may have underlying investments that are valued in currencies that are different from the currency of this share class, in which case exchange rate fluctuations will impact the value of your investment. In addition, the return in the currency of this share class may be different to the return in your own currency.

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## **Risk and reward profile**



The summary risk indicator is a guide to the level of risk of this product compared to other products. It shows how likely it is that the product will lose money because of movements in the markets or because we are not able to pay you. We have classified this product as class 6 out of 7, which is a high risk class. This product does not include any protection from future market performance so you could lose some or all of your investment.

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Exchange	Currency	ISIN	SEDOL	Ticker	Bloomberg
London Stock Exchange	USD	IE00B3CNHG25	B3CJVD5	AUCO	AUCO LN
London Stock Exchange	GBP	IE00B3CNHG25	B3DWRM4	AUCP	AUCP LN
Borsa Italiana	EUR	IE00B3CNHG25	B3L9VL4	AUCO	AUCO IM
Deutsche Börse	EUR	IE00B3CNHG25	BVC3NR1	ETLX	ETLX GY
Euronext Amsterdam	EUR	IE00B3CNHG25	B3D34V5	AUCO	AUCO NA
SIX Swiss Exchange	CHF	IE00B3CNHG25	B71GBH9	AUCO	AUCO SW
Bolsa Mexicana	MXN	IE00B3CNHG25	BM944H1	AUCON	AUCON MM

## **Country registration**



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