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# L&G Gold Mining UCITS ETF

ETF (UCITS compliant) 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.

#### WHO ISTHIS 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.

#### **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

#### **COSTS**

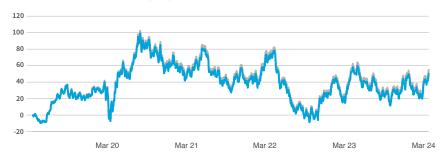
### Ongoing charge

0.65%

#### **FUND FACTS**

Fund size	Base currency	Index		
\$131.4m	USD	STOXX Global Gold Miners NR USD		
Listing date	Domicile	Index ticker Replication method		
6 Nov 2008	Ireland	LGIMGMNR	Physical - full replication	

## PERFORMANCE (%) IN USD



	1 month	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years
■ NAV	22.06	28.64	5.61	1.24	50.40
■ Index	22.10	29.00	6.06	2.04	54.94
Relative	-0.04	-0.36	-0.45	-0.80	-4.54

### **ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)**

12 Months to 31 March	2024	2023	2022	2021	2020
NAV	5.61	-16.83	15.26	42.50	4.25
Index	6.06	-16.52	15.25	43.90	5.52
Relative	-0.45	-0.31	+0.01	-1.40	-1.27

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.



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## 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	42.0
ZAR	23.5
■ USD	17.9
AUD	16.7



#### SECTOR (%)

Materials	100.0
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#### **TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS (%)**

Agnico-Eagle Mines	15.3
Newmont	13.2
AngloGold Ashanti	12.5
Gold Fields	11.0
Kinross Gold	9.7
Northern Star	7.5
Torex Gold Resources	2.8
Evolution Mining	2.5
Pan American Silver	2.4
Coeur Mining	2.3

### COUNTRY (%)

Canada	44.3
Australia	16.7
United States	15.5
United Kingdom	12.5
South Africa	11.0

#### **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-

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

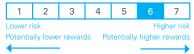
## **INDEX FUND** MANAGEMENTTEAM

The Index Fund Management team comprises 25 fund managers, supported by two analysts. Management oversight is provided by the Global Head of Index Funds. The team has average industry experience of 15 years, of which seven years has been at LGIM, and is focused on achieving the equally important objectives of close tracking and maximising returns.



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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. **Be aware of currency risk.** You may receive payments in a different currency, so the final return you will get depend on the exchange rate between the two currencies. This risk is not considered in the indicator shown above. The fund is not covered by an investor compensation scheme. Specific risks associated with the gold mining industry, include government policies and regulation, and economic forces. The price of gold bullion may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time and so the price of shares in the Fund may be more volatile than other types of investments. The value of the Fund may be affected by risks not in the SRI, including failure of a counterparty, custodian, issuer or index provider and derivative use.

#### 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
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  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.
- There is no capital guarantee or protection on the value of the ETF. Investors can lose all the capital invested in the ETF.
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For more information, please refer to the key information document on our website 2

## TRADING INFORMATION

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

The currency shown is the trading currency of the listing.

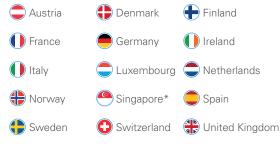


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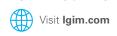
Source: LGIM internal data as at 31 December 2023. The AUM disclosed aggregates the assets managed by LGIM in the UK, LGIMA in the US and LGIM Asia in Hong Kong (2018-2019 only). The AUM includes the value of securities and derivatives positions.

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