#### **BLACKROCK GLOBAL FUNDS**

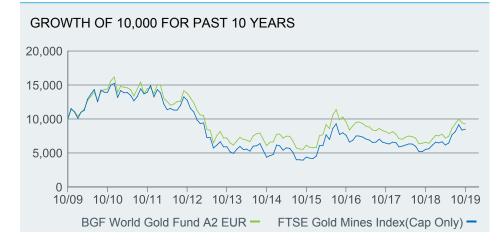
# **BGF World Gold Fund A2 EUR**

# **OCTOBER 2019 FACTSHEET**

Unless otherwise stated, Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Oct-2019. All other data as at 14-Nov-2019.

## **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE**

The World Gold Fund seeks to maximise total return. The Fund invests globally at least 70% of its total assets in the equity securities of companies whose predominant economic activity is gold-mining. It may also invest in the equity securities of companies whose predominant economic activity is other precious metal or mineral and base metal or mineral mining. The Fund does not hold physical gold or metal.



#### **CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE**

	Cumulative (%)				Annualised (% p.a.)			
	1 mth	3 mths	6 mths	YTD	1 Year	3 Years	5 years	Since Launch
Share Class	-1.67	-0.41	28.85	32.04	40.87	-0.89	8.83	8.18
Share Class [Max. IC applied]	-6.59	-5.39	22.41	25.43	33.83	-2.57	7.72	7.88
Benchmark	1.62	4.40	37.73	38.56	53.74	3.83	14.21	4.20

The share class currency is as indicated in the "Key Facts" section. For currency hedged share classes only, the benchmark reflected is in the fund base currency.

## CALENDAR YEAR PERFORMANCE (%)

	2018	2017	2016	2015	2014
Share Class	-13.57	-9.68	55.67	-12.93	7.72
Benchmark	-6.83	-4.16	64.37	-12.47	-3.43

<sup>\*</sup>Performance shown from share class launch date to calendar year end.





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## **KEY FACTS**

**Asset Class** Equity Morningstar Cat. Sector Equity

**Precious Metals** 

**Fund Launch** 30-Dec-1994 **Share Class Launch** 05-Apr-2001 **Fund Base CCY USD Share Class CCY EUR** Fund Size (mil) 5,267.62 USD Benchmark FTSE Gold Mines

Index(Cap Only)

**Domicile** Luxembourg **Fund Type UCITS** LU0171305526 ISIN **Bloomberg Ticker MIGGMFX Distribution Frequency** N/A

## PORTFOLIO MANAGERS

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TOP HOLDINGS (%)	
BARRICK GOLD CORP	9.67
NEWMONT GOLDCORP CORP	9.31
AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD	8.10
NEWCREST MINING LTD	7.75
FRANCO NEVADA CORP	4.97
ANGLOGOLD ASHANTI LTD	4.87
WHEATON PRECIOUS METALS	
CORP	4.76
KINROSS GOLD CORP	4.55
POLYUS PAO	3.80
B2GOLD CORP	3.53
Total	61.31

#### SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%) **Fund** Benchmark Gold 93.26% 98.27% Silver 3.78% 1.73% Diversified 1.47% 0.00% Cash and/or 0.88% 0.00% Derivatives Platinum Grp. Met. 0.56% 0.00% Diamonds 0.05% 0.00%

PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS	
Weighted Average Market Capitalisation (millions) Price to Earnings Ratio Price to Book Ratio 3 Years Volatility 5 Years Volatility 3 Years Beta 5 Years Beta	13,597.49 USD 36.59x 2.08x 20.56 29.29 0.83 0.80
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FEES AND CHARGES	
Max Initial Charge (IC) Management Fee	5.00% 1.75%

# GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)

	Fund	Benchmark
Canada	44.65%	49.94%
US	25.53%	19.38%
Australia	15.69%	16.91%
United Kingdom	11.11%	4.07%
Cash and/or	0.88%	0.00%
Derivatives		
Russia	0.82%	0.00%
Belgium	0.60%	0.00%
South Africa	0.56%	9.04%
Mexico	0.16%	0.00%
Hong Kong	0.00%	0.65%

#### Market Capitalisation (%)

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	Fund	Benchmark
Cash and	0.88%	0.00%
Derivatives		
L. Cap >\$10bn	49.59%	54.35%
Mid Cap - \$1-10bn	45.55%	44.42%
Small -<\$1bn	3.99%	1.23%





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