



Q1 2026

WisdomTree Efficient Gold Plus Gold Miners Strategy Fund (GDMN)



Gold Exposure : There are Multiple Ways to Access

Gold

- Physical Gold
- Gold Futures

Gold Miners

- Pure Play Exposure*
 - + Gold Miners that hedge their exposure to gold prices
 - + Gold Miners that do not hedge their exposure to gold prices
- Diversified Miners

Source: WisdomTree.

*Pure Play Gold Miners derive 50% or more of their revenue from gold mining activities.





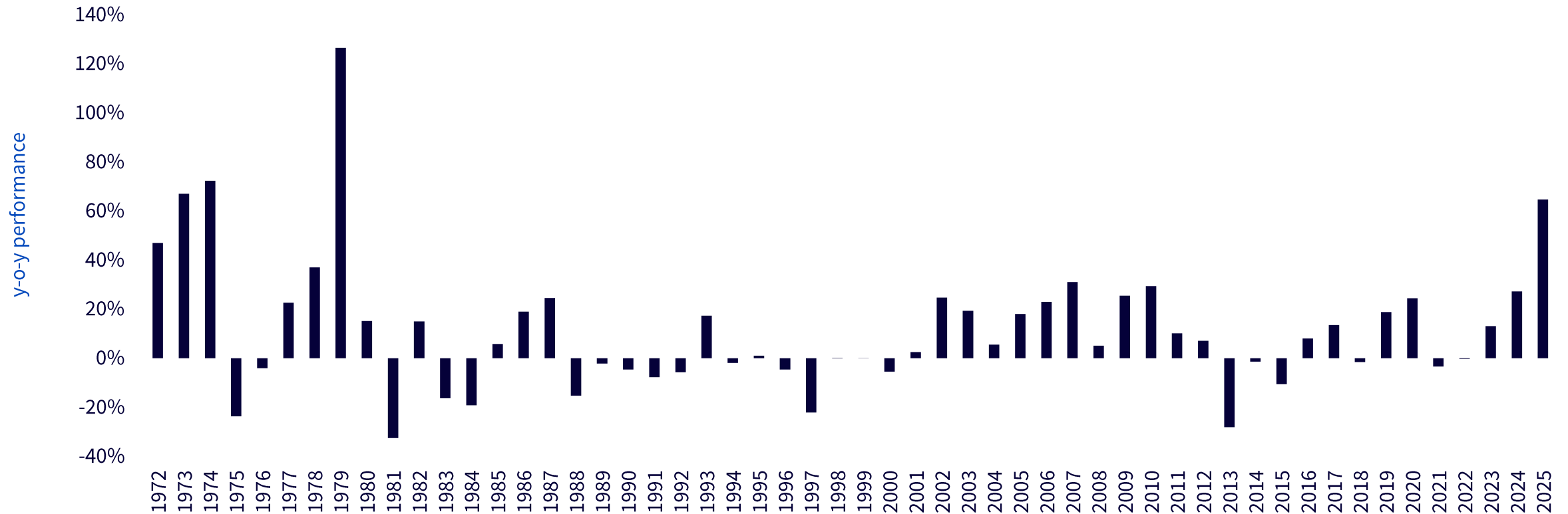
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Gold update

Echoes of 1979: in 2025 gold had best performance in the post-Volcker era



Gold Price



Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg. 1972-2025. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

Gold is best performing asset over 21 years and in 14/21 of the individual years it is in top two ranking



	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	21 Yrs
1	Gold 17.8%	Real Estate 42.4%	Gold 31.9%	Gold 4.3%	Real Estate 38.3%	Gold 29.2%	Gold 8.9%	Real Estate 28.7%	Equities 26.7%	Real Estate 15.9%	Cash 0.2%	Gold 8.1%	Equities 22.4%	Cash 1.7%	Equities 27.7%	Gold 24.6%	Real Estate 27.2%	Cash 1.7%	Equities 23.8%	Gold 25.5%	Gold 67.4%	Gold 25.9%
2	Real Estate 15.4%	Gold 23.2%	Bonds 9.6%	Cash 2.1%	Equities 30.0%	Real Estate 20.4%	Bonds 4.5%	Equities 15.8%	Real Estate 4.4%	Bonds 5.6%	Real Estate 0.1%	Equities 7.5%	Gold 12.7%	Gold -0.9%	Real Estate 23.1%	Equities 15.9%	Equities 21.8%	Gold 0.4%	Gold 14.6%	Equities 18.7%	Equities 21.1%	Equities 18.8%
3	Equities 9.5%	Equities 20.1%	Equities 9.0%	Bonds -1.9%	Gold 25.0%	Equities 11.8%	Cash 0.2%	Bonds 13.4%	Cash 0.2%	Equities 4.9%	Equities -0.9%	Real Estate 5.0%	Real Estate 11.4%	Bonds -2.4%	Gold 18.4%	Bonds 10.3%	Cash 0.1%	Equities -18.1%	Real Estate 10.9%	Cash 3.9%	Bonds 12.3%	Real Estate 11.4%
4	Cash 2.6%	Bonds 6.8%	Cash 3.9%	Equities -40.7%	Bonds 13.5%	Bonds 4.9%	Equities -5.5%	Gold 8.3%	Bonds -4.0%	Cash 0.2%	Bonds -2.8%	Bonds 3.6%	Bonds 10.3%	Real Estate -4.7%	Bonds 13.6%	Cash 0.5%	Bonds -3.5%	Bonds -21.0%	Bonds 7.9%	Real Estate 2.0%	Real Estate 10.7%	Bonds 7.4%
5	Bonds -0.4%	Cash 3.8%	Real Estate -7.0%	Real Estate -47.7%	Cash 0.5%	Cash 0.2%	Real Estate -5.8%	Cash 0.3%	Gold -27.3%	Gold 0.1%	Gold -12.1%	Cash 0.5%	Cash 0.9%	Equities -8.7%	Cash 1.7%	Real Estate -8.2%	Gold -4.3%	Real Estate -24.4%	Cash 3.9%	Bonds -0.9%	Cash 3.5%	Cash 3.3%

Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg.

Data until December 31, 2025; All returns are in USD; 21 Yrs returns are annualised from 31 Dec 04 to 31 Dec 25.

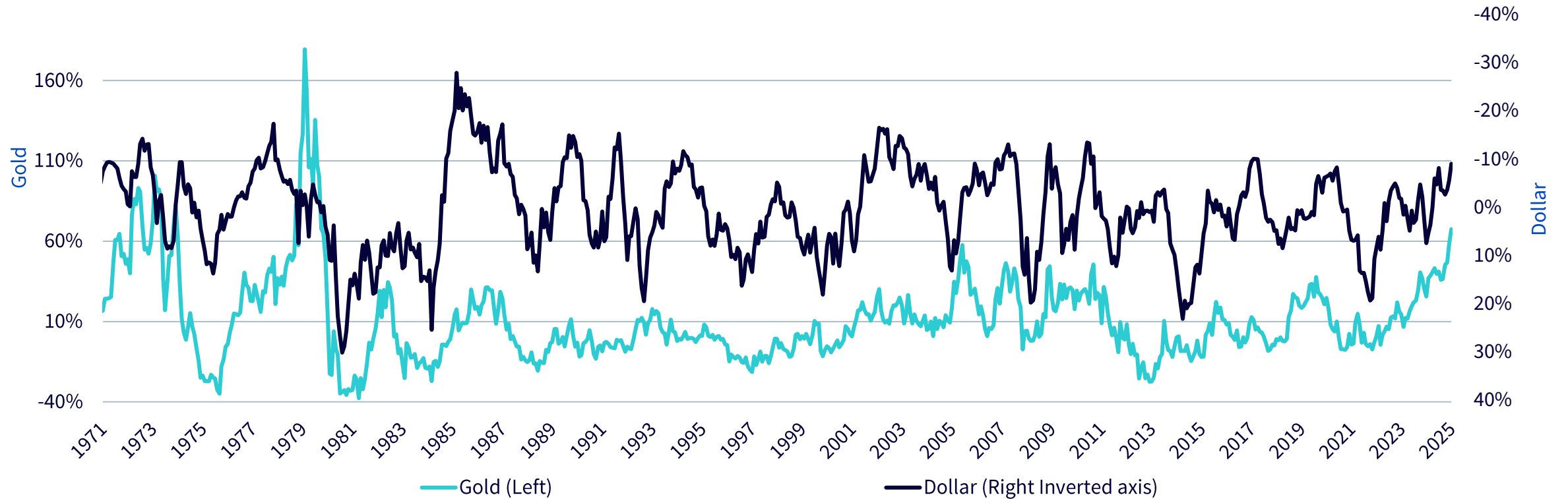
Data: Equity - MSCI World, Bond - Bloomberg Agg Sovereign TR Unhedged, Real Estate - EPRA/NAREIT Global, Bloomberg Commodity Total Return Index, Cash - US T-Bill 3 Mth.

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Dollar depreciation a driving force for gold



Gold and US Dollar

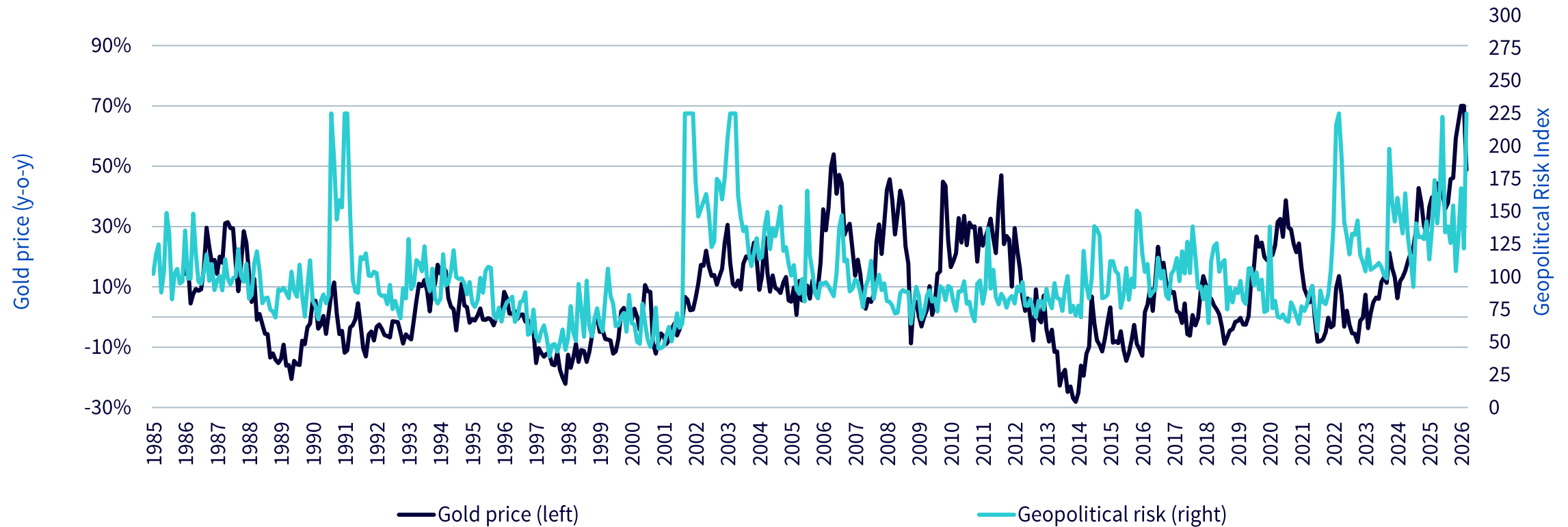


Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg. January 1971 to March 2026. Monthly data. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

Geopolitical risks rise with the Iran war



Gold and Geopolitics



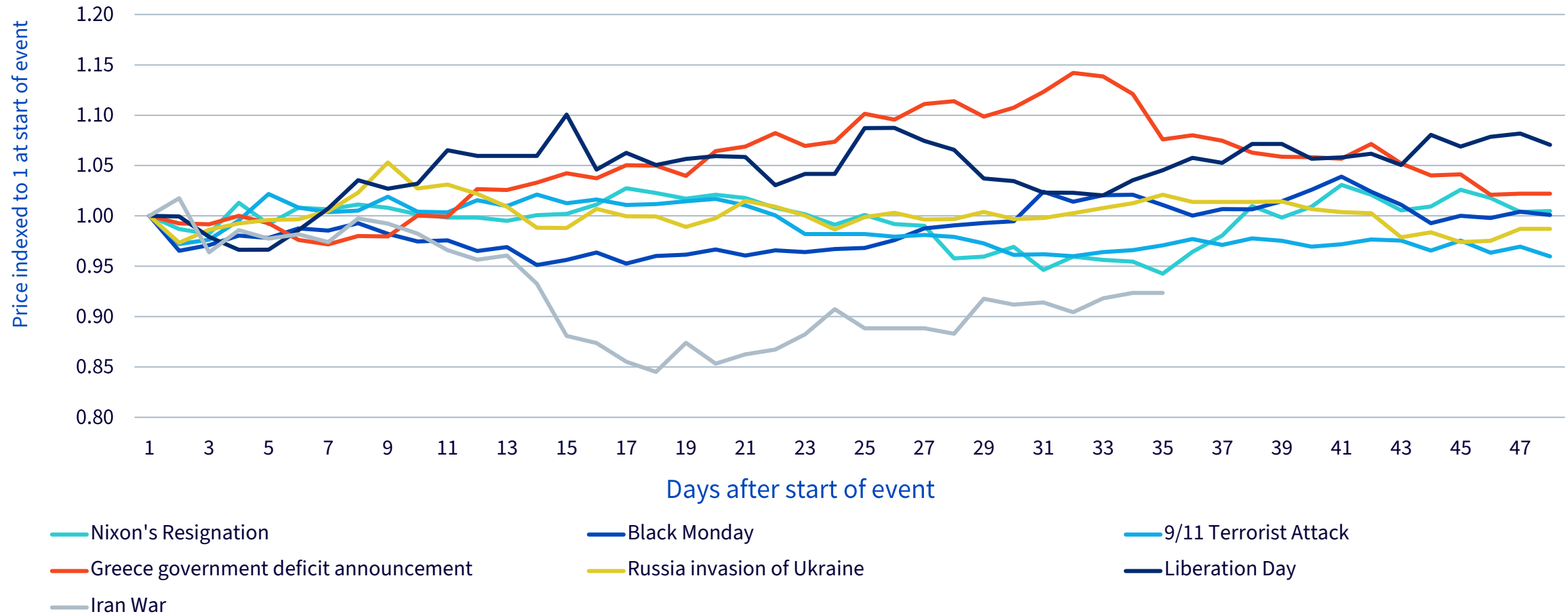
Source: Dario Caldara and Matteo Iacoviello's Geopolitical Risk Index based on a tally of newspaper articles covering geopolitical (war) tensions, Bloomberg, WisdomTree. January 1986 – March 2026.

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Gold often declines before rising during geopolitically sensitive events



Gold price performance after geopolitical events

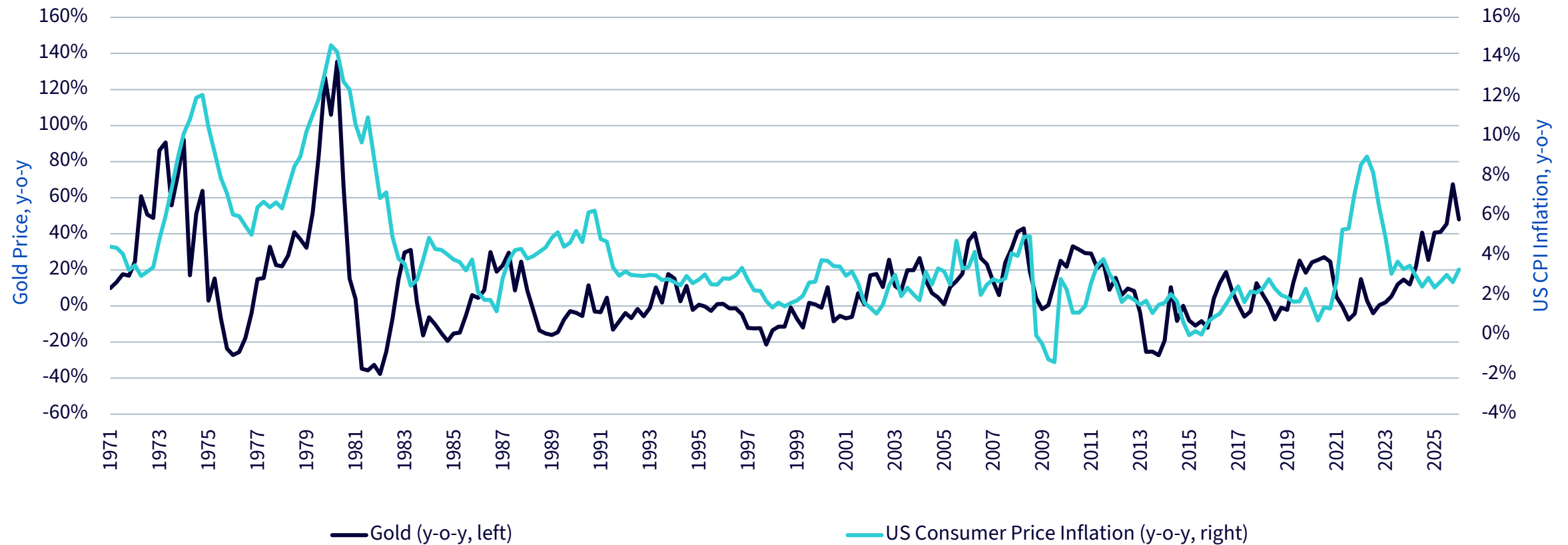


Source: Bloomberg Finance L.P, WisdomTree, 1974-2026. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

Gold has historically been a strong inflation hedge



Gold price and Inflation



Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg. Q1 1971 – Q1 2026. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

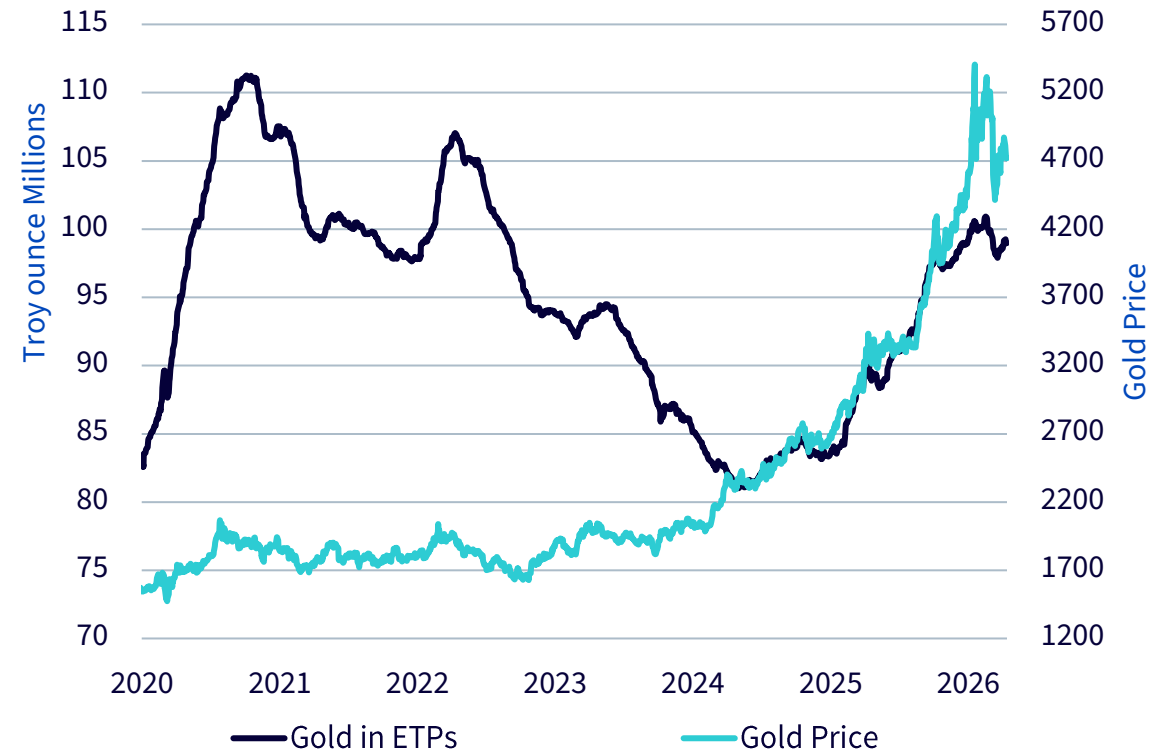
After reaching an all-time high price in January 2026, gold prices corrected sharply on the downside. Gold in ETPs saw outflows during the correction. ETP Positions are rebuilding with gold price in April.



Net speculative positioning in gold futures



Gold held in exchange-traded-products (ETPs)

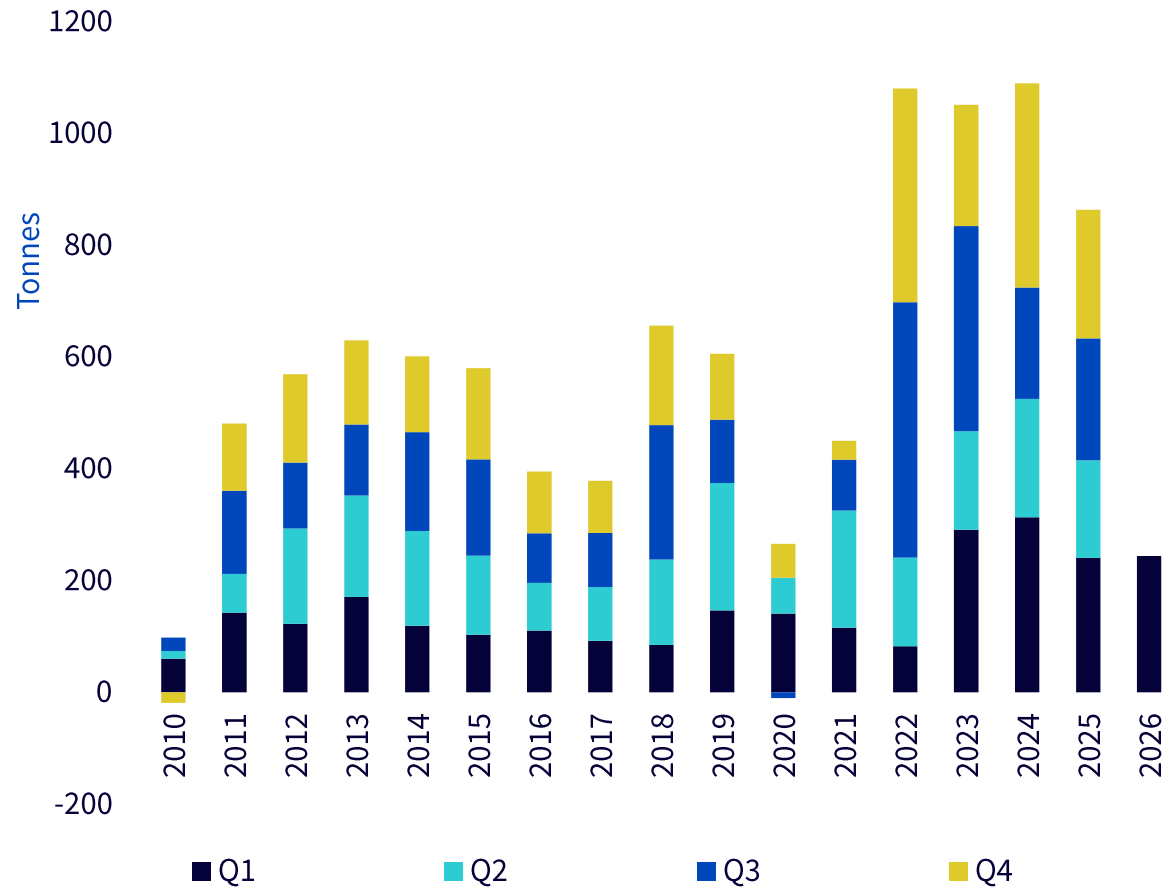


Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg. January 2020– April 2026. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

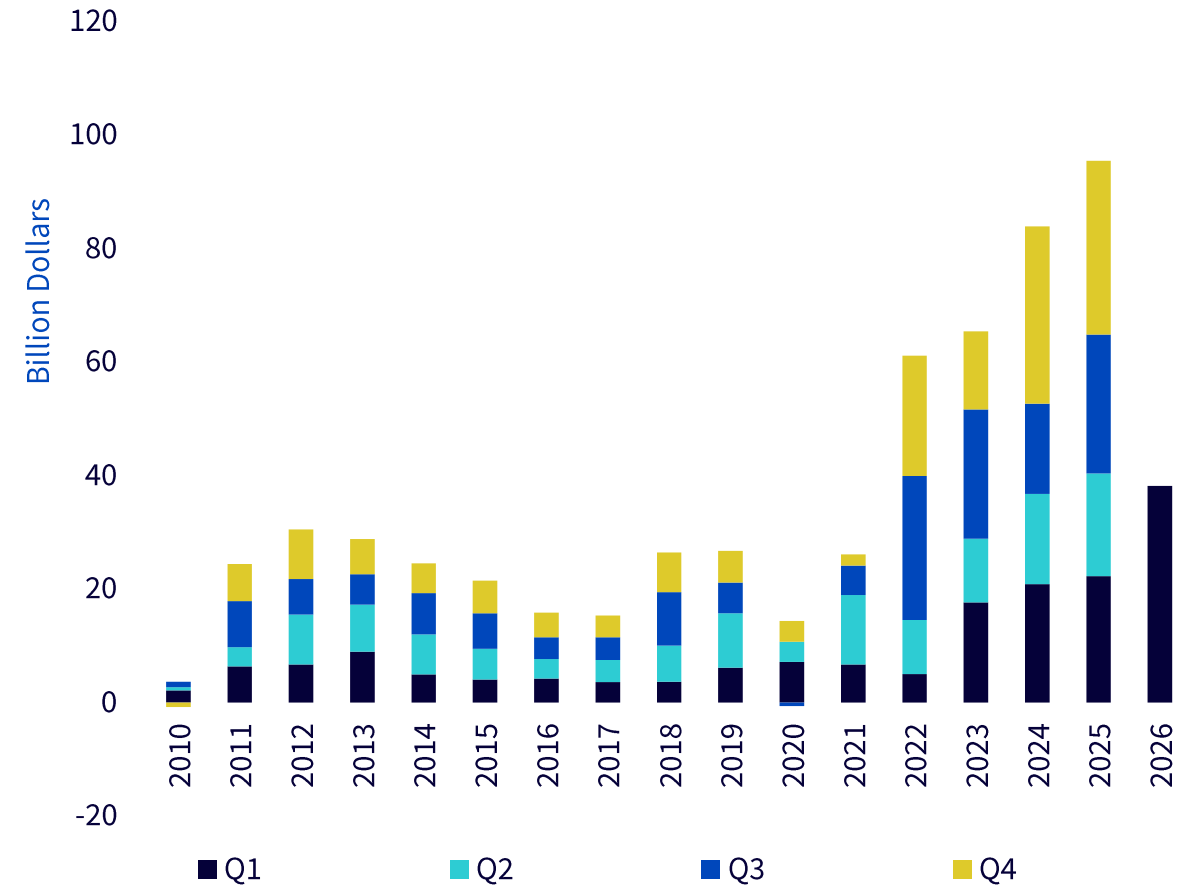
Central bank demand strong. Record highs in Dollar terms.



Central Bank Demand for Gold

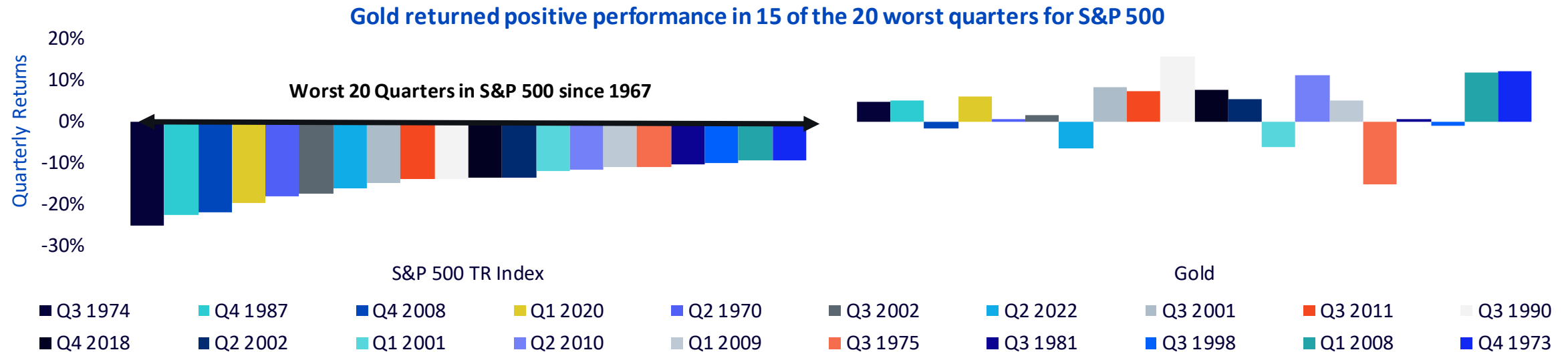


Central Bank Demand for Gold



Source: WisdomTree, World Gold Council, Q1 2010 to Q1 2026. **Historical performance is not an indication of future performance and any investments may go down in value.**

Gold as a Financial Hedge



- + During the 20 worst quarters for the S&P 500 Index, Gold outperformed by an average of 18.5%
- + In Q1 2020, during the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic, Gold returned +6.22% relative to the -19.6% for S&P 500 Index

Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg. In USD. From December 31, 1967 to March 31, 2026, using quarterly data. Gold is proxied by the LBMA Gold Price PM Index and S&P 500 is proxied by the S&P 500 Gross Total Return Index. **Past performance is not indicative of future results. You cannot invest directly in an index.**

Gold as a Tactical or Strategic Investment

Gold can be viewed as a tactical investment...

- It can potentially serve as a financial and geopolitical hedge
- It can potentially serve as an inflation hedge
- It has helped improve investors' risk/return across economic cycles

Using Gold also strategically could benefit investors

- It can act as a potential hedge during a market downturn
- It has the potential to improve long-term risk-adjusted returns as an asset class diversifier
- It can increase portfolio diversification

Source: WisdomTree
Diversification does not ensure profits or protect against losses.





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Gold Mining Equities

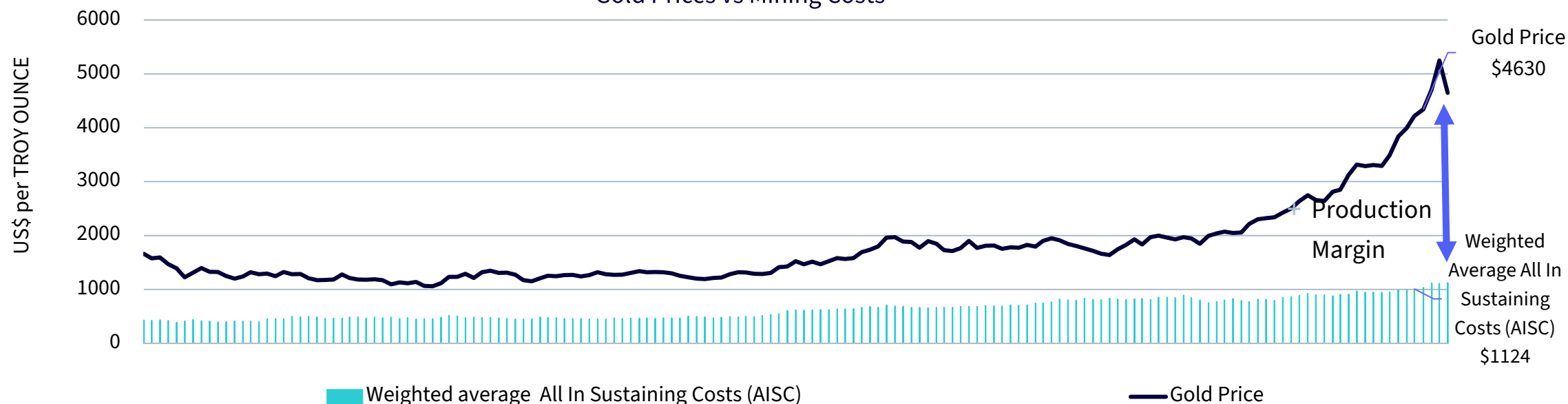
Gold Prices vs Mining Costs

Higher gold prices boost production margins of gold miners



The weighted All-In Sustaining costs for gold miners are at 1124 in Q1 2026, well below gold prices, thereby boosting the production margins of gold miners

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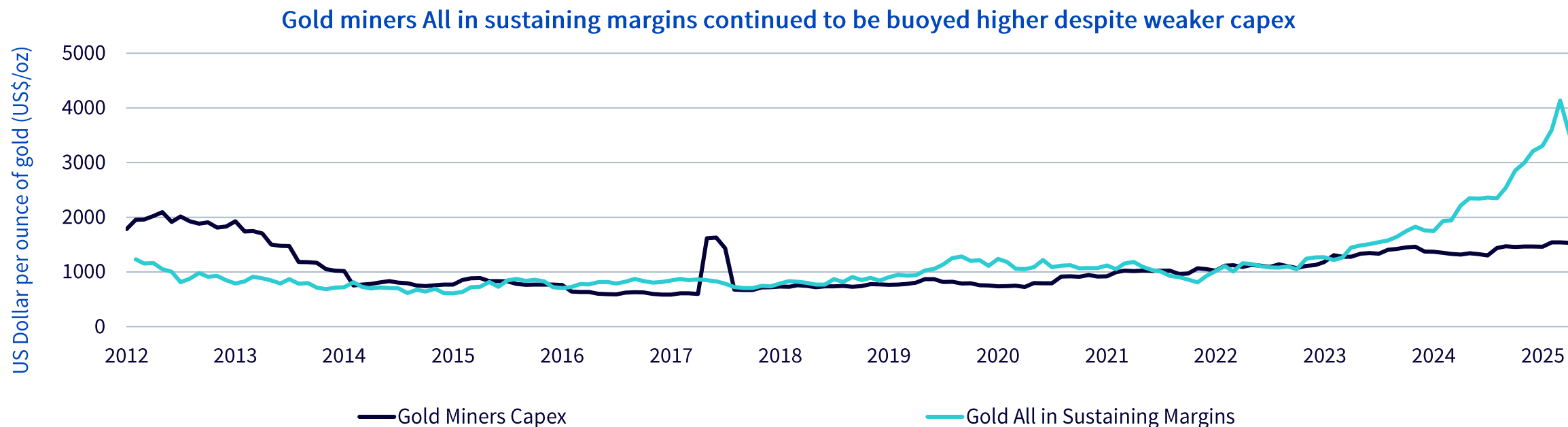
Source: Bloomberg, WisdomTree for the period December 31, 2012, through March 31, 2025. The chart represents the average All-In-Sustaining costs of the constituents of the NYSE ARCA Gold Miners Index. You cannot invest directly in an index. Please note: The average all-in sustaining cost (AISC) includes a wide range of expenses, such as labour, energy, consumables, and royalties, plus sustaining capital expenditures, and corporate overhead, and it can vary significantly by region and company.

Gold miners' capex declines

Gold miners' capex slide while margins continue to accelerate



- Gold mining companies' capex declined in 2024 and stayed flat in 2025. This reduction reflects efforts to manage costs amid rising operational expenses.
- Despite these lower investments, gold miners' profit margins have improved, primarily due to higher gold prices.



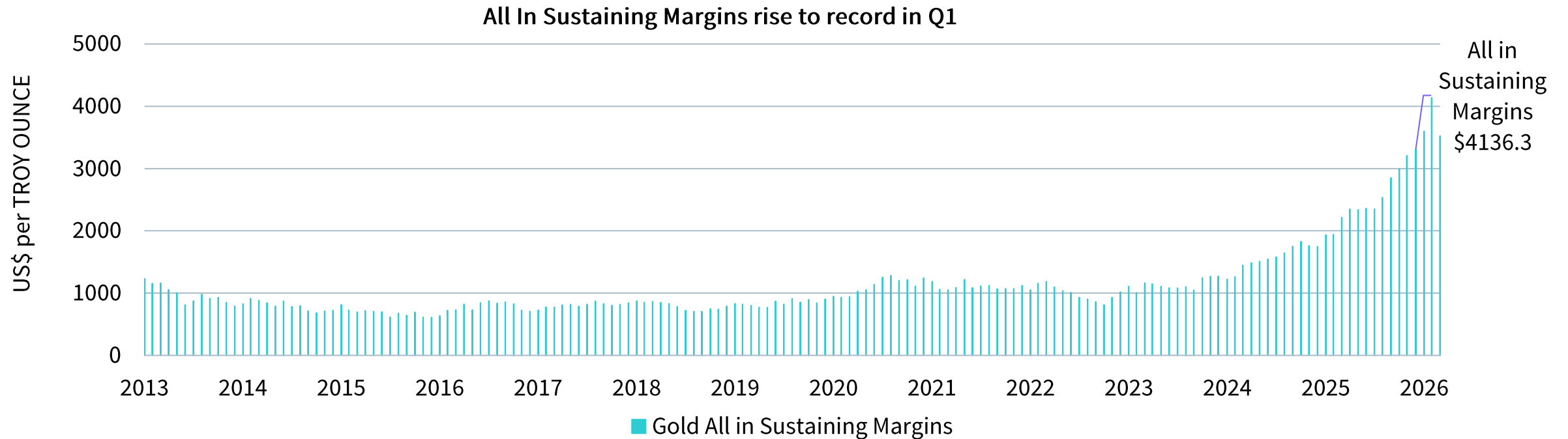
Source: Bloomberg, WisdomTree for the period December 31, 2012, through March 31, 2025. The chart represents a market cap weighted basket of the constituents of the NYSE ARCA Gold Miners Index. You cannot invest directly in an index. Please note: The average all-in sustaining cost (AISC) margin, is the gold price minus the cost to produce the metal.

Gold miners' margins buoyed by gold prices

Gold miners' margins boosted by higher gold prices



Higher gold prices are cushioning the impact of rising costs and helping miners preserve profitability, even amid disciplined spending.



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Gold miners trading at a premium



Price to Book ratio

Gold miners' shares are trading 2.41x price to book value (P/B) marking a 70% premium to its long-term average. The book value, also often referred to as the net asset value (NAV), is the theoretical value of a company's assets net of liabilities.



Source: Bloomberg, WisdomTree for the period January 30, 2013 through March 31, 2025. The chart represents a market cap weighted basket of the constituents of the NYSE ARCA Gold Miners Index. You cannot invest directly in an index.

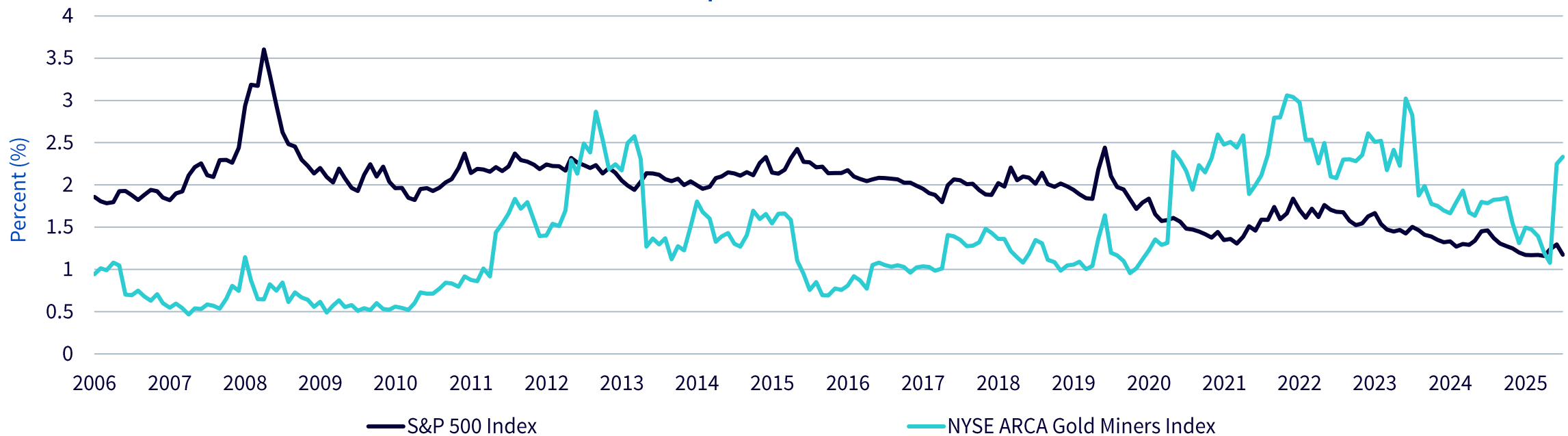
Gold miners yielding more than the market



Dividend Yield

- The weighted average dividend yield for the quarter was 1.50% above the S&P 500 Index.

Historical comparison of Dividend Yields



Source: Bloomberg, WisdomTree for the period January 31, 2005, through March 31, 2025. Past performance is not indicative of future results. You cannot invest directly in an index. Dividends are not guaranteed and may fluctuate.

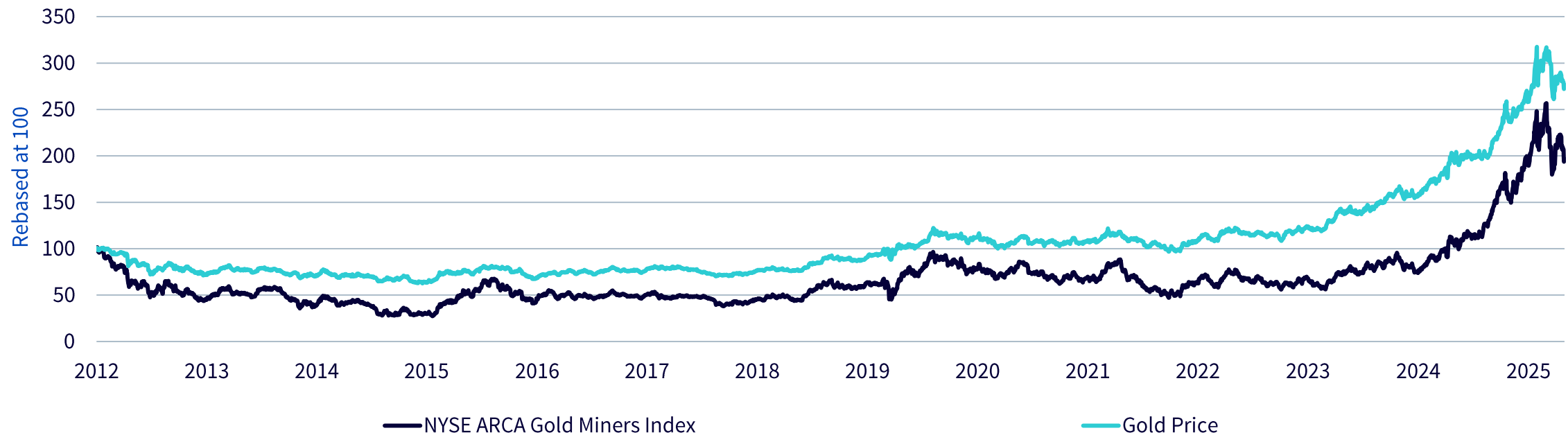
Gold continues to outshine its miners

Gold has outperformed Gold miners with lower volatility



- Gold miners are historically undervalued relative to gold, a trend likely to reverse and overshoot during the forthcoming secular gold bull market.

Gold miners taking the lead from Gold's price performance



Source: Bloomberg, WisdomTree. For the period December 31, 2012, through March 31, 2025. Gold is Bloomberg's spot gold price and Gold miners is NYSE Arca Gold Miners Total Return Index. Past performance is not indicative of future results. You cannot invest directly in an index.

Gold Miner Characteristics are Between Equities and Gold

The Challenge is to Extract the Best Traits



Key historical observations:

- + Miners have higher correlation with equities than gold has with equities
- + When equities fall, gold rises, while miners fall
- + In early recession scenarios miners are a lot like equities
- + Miners tend to be well positioned for late recession
- + Miners tend to be well positioned for late recovery

Source: WisdomTree, Bloomberg, S&P, K. French Library. From June 1963 to March 2026. Calculations are based on monthly returns in USD. US Equities stands for S&P 500 gross total return index, Physical Gold stands for LBMA PM, Precious Metal Miners are represented by Silver and Gold Miners as defined in the Ken French Data Library. **Past performance is not indicative of future results. You cannot invest directly in an index.**

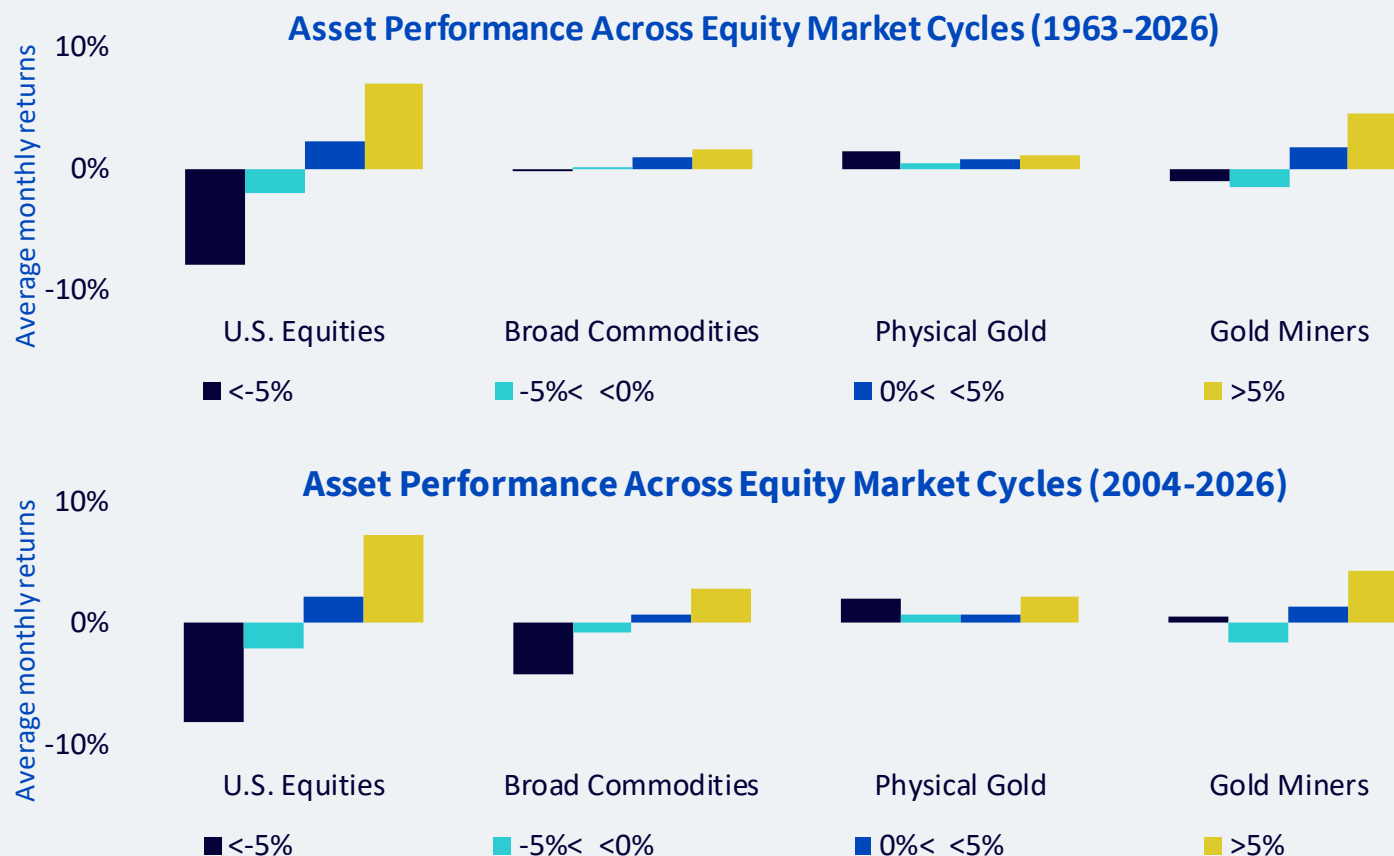
	U.S. equities	Precious metal miners	Physical Gold
Annualized performance	10.6%	7.3%	8.6%
Annualized volatility	15.4%	36.2%	19.2%
Skew	-0.5	0.7	0.8
Kurtosis	1.8	4.6	4.5
1 month VaR 99%	-10.7%	-22.2%	-11.8%
1 month VaR 95%	-6.8%	-15.4%	-6.4%
Correlation with broad commodities	13%	35%	42%
Correlation with US equities	100%	24%	1%
Average real returns in months where US equities <-5%	-7.9%	-2.1%	0.3%
Average monthly returns in early recession	-2.3%	-1.5%	0.5%
Average monthly returns in late recession	2.1%	4.6%	2.0%
Average monthly returns in early recovery	1.3%	0.6%	0.4%
Average monthly returns in late recovery	0.9%	1.5%	1.2%

Gold Miners Blend Equity and Gold Traits



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Why Consider the WisdomTree Efficient Gold Plus Gold Miners Strategy Fund (GDMN)



Why GDMN Now?

- Gold miners have displayed a strong catch up to gold in 2025.
- While gold miners are trading at a slight premium to their long-term average, they are historically undervalued relative to gold, this trend has the potential to reverse as gold prices appreciate
- Higher gold prices have eased the pressure on producer margins
- Gold miners have a low correlation with the broader stock market and should become more appealing to large investors seeking alternative sources of return.
- Merger and acquisition activity in the mining sector is vigorous, driving up premiums
- Gold can serve as a compelling portfolio diversifier; as an asset class, gold has typically been a positive performance outlier during large equity market drawdowns

How is GDMN Structured and Where Can it Fit in a Portfolio?

How is GDMN structured?

Provides exposure to a modified market capitalization weighted basket of global gold miners, and stacks¹ exposure to gold futures

- **Equity exposure:** For every \$100 invested, the Fund seeks to invest approximately \$90 in the gold miners equity basket
- **Cash component:** For every \$100 invested, \$10 is kept in short-term collateral that earns returns comparable to U.S. Treasury bills
- **Gold futures overlay:** To help magnify the benefits of the asset allocation, \$90 in gold futures are layered on top for \$180 of total gold-oriented exposure

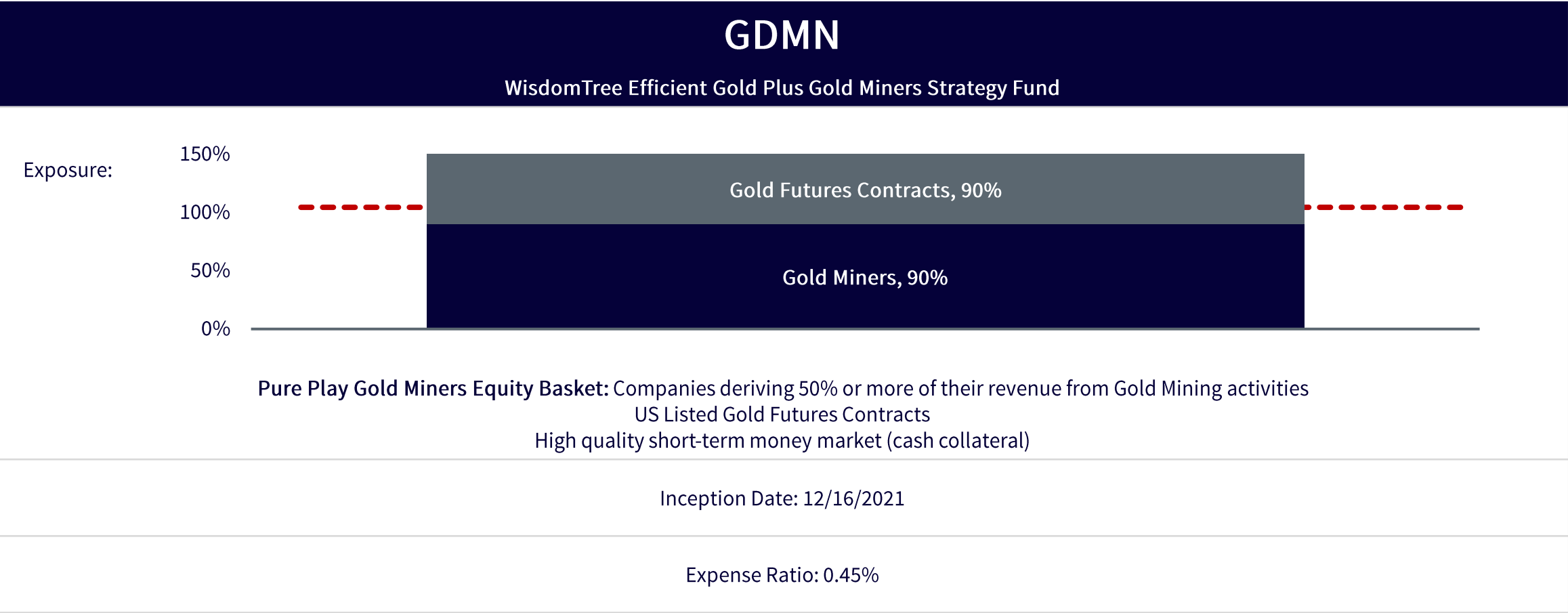
Where GDMN can fit within a portfolio: an innovative and capital efficient alternative to traditional Gold Miner or Leveraged Gold Miner ETFs

- Investors bullish on gold often allocate to both the physical precious metal and equities representing gold miners as separate allocations which requires twice the investment capital, but using leverage and a 'return stacking' framework that layers gold futures on top of the miner's exposure, we believe GDMN can provide these two trades with better capital efficiency
- With historically low global interest rates, but high inflation, GDMN can be an option for investors seeking portfolio diversifiers to hedge macroeconomic risks

¹Refers to the fact that accounting leverage enhances total asset exposure of the strategy 1.8x, enhancing or magnifying gains and losses causing the Fund to be more volatile than if it had not been leveraged and entails a heightened risk of loss.

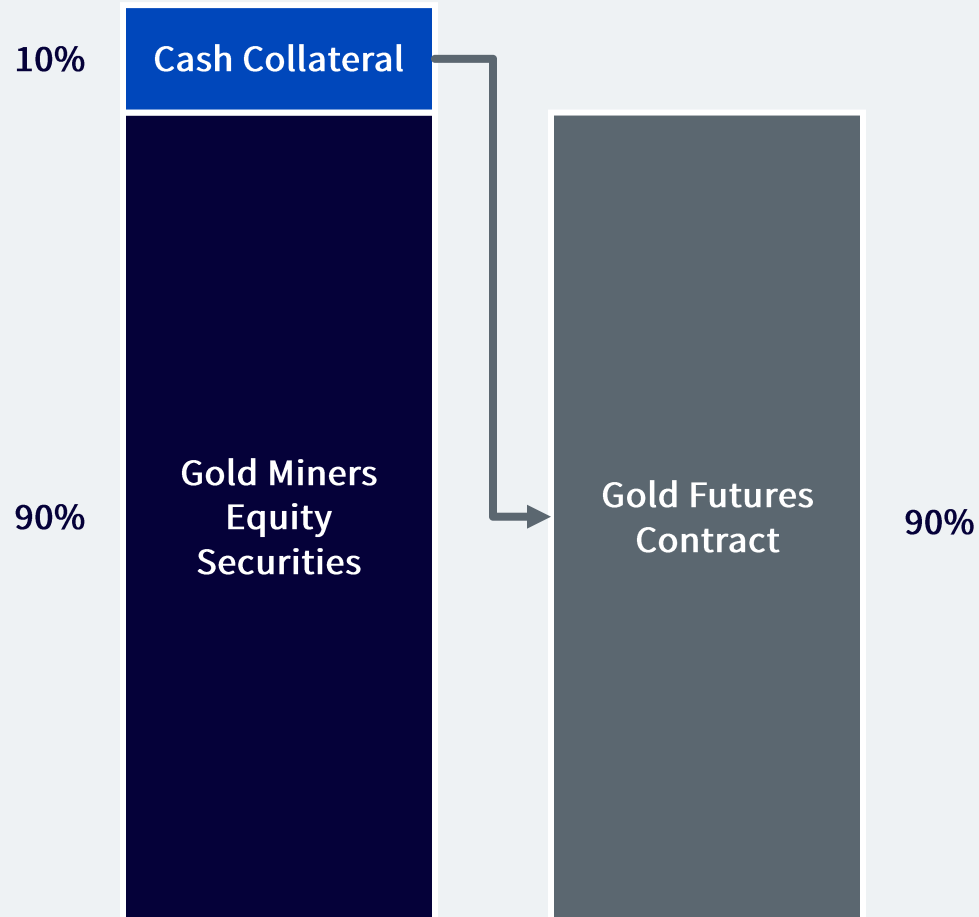


WisdomTree Efficient Core ETFs provide capital efficient exposure to core traditional portfolio exposures: gold mining equities and enhanced gold exposure via leveraged futures contracts



Source: WisdomTree; for illustrative purposes only.

WisdomTree Efficient Gold Plus Gold Miners Strategy Structure



1. Accounting leverage refers to the fact that the total asset exposure of the strategy is enhanced to 1.5x. This strategy does not borrow to enhance investment returns.
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Efficient Gold Plus Gold Miners Strategy Construction			
Pure- Play Gold Miners Equity Basket	• Global Universe • Companies deriving 50% or more of their revenue from Gold Mining Activities • Market capitalisation weighted • \$90 invested in equity exposure for every \$100 invested		
Gold Futures	• U.S. listed gold futures contracts • \$90 of gold futures overlay the \$90 of equity exposure and the \$10 of cash collateral		
Cash Collateral	• Invested in high quality, short-term U.S. money market securities • \$10 is kept in short-term collateral that earns returns comparable to U.S. Treasury Bills		
Leverage	Accounting leverage ¹ of 1.80x		
Structure	Actively Managed, Open-end ETF		
Exchange	CBOE		
Delivered via ETF Structure			
			
Intraday Liquidity	Low Fees	Transparent Exposure	Tax Efficiency

Important Information



Please see the [WisdomTree Glossary](#) for definitions of terms and indexes.

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There are risks associated with investing, including possible loss of principal. The Fund is actively managed and invests in U.S.-listed gold futures and global equity securities issued by companies that derive at least 50% of their revenue from the gold mining business (“gold miners”). The Fund’s use of U.S.-listed gold futures contracts will give rise to leverage, magnifying gains and losses and causing the Fund to be more volatile than if it had not been leveraged. Moreover, the price movements in gold and gold futures contracts may fluctuate quickly and dramatically and have a historically low correlation with the returns of the stock and bond markets. By investing in the equity securities of gold miners, the Fund may be susceptible to financial, economic, political or market events that impact the gold mining sub-industry, including commodity prices and the success of exploration projects. The Fund may invest a significant portion of its assets in the securities of companies of a single country or region, including emerging markets, and thus, the Fund is more likely to be impacted by events and political, economic or regulatory conditions affecting that country or region, or emerging markets generally. The Fund’s investment strategy will also require it to redeem shares for cash or to otherwise include cash as part of its redemption proceeds, which may cause the Fund to recognize capital gains. Please read the Fund’s prospectus for specific details regarding the Fund’s risk profile.

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