

Gold and Precious Metals Limited

November 30, 2020

Shares	
Ticker	ASA
Net assets	\$464 million
NAV	\$24.05
Share price	\$19.91
Discount	17.21%

Management since April, 2019

Adviser	Merk Investments
Portfolio Manager	Peter Maletis
CIO	Axel Merk

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Dividends

Distributions	Semi-annual
11/25/20	\$.01
05/22/20	\$.01
11/27/19	\$.01
05/24/19	\$.01

Statistics

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Beta ¹	1.01	
R-squared ²	0.91	

¹ Source: Bloomberg. Beta measures the Company's market-related risk over a three-year period relative to its benchmark, the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Total Return Index. A beta lower than 1 indicates historically lower volatility than the index; greater than 1 indicates higher volatility. ASA's beta versus the FTSE Gold Mines Total Return Index (the "Old Benchmark") is 1.00.

² Source: Bloomberg. R-squared is a measure of the percentage of a company's share price movement that can be attributed to its benchmark index. It can range from 0 and 1; 1 indicates a perfect correlation. ASA's R-squared versus the Old Benchmark is 0.88. Established in 1958, ASA Gold and Precious Metals Limited is a closed-end precious metals and mining fund (NYSE: ASA) registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and domiciled in Bermuda. The Company is one of the oldest investment management firms focused on the precious metals and mining industry. ASA employs bottom-up fundamental analysis and relies on detailed primary research including meetings with company executives, site visits to key operating assets, and proprietary financial analysis in making its investment decisions.

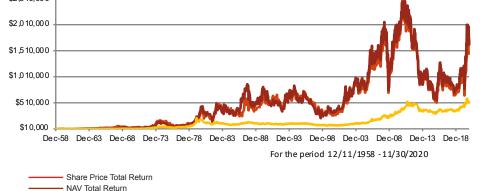
PERFORMANCE AS OF NOVEMBER 30, 2020

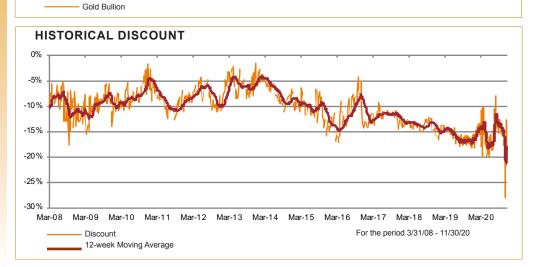
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	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	15 Years	Inception
NAV	62.5%	24.1%	23.9%	-2.9%	3.1%	8.7%
Share Price	63.4%	21.9%	23.0%	-4.6%	2.6%	8.4%

Includes the reinvestment of dividends. Inception is from December 11, 1958, the date on which the Company's shares were listed for trading on the NYSE.







All performance information reflects past performance and is presented on a total return basis. Past performance is no guarantee of future results. Current performance may differ from that shown. The Company concentrates in the gold and precious minerals sector. This sector may be more volatile than other industries and may be affected by movements in commodity prices triggered by international monetary and political developments. The Company is a non-diversified fund and, as such, may invest in fewer investments. ASA Gold and Precious Metals Limited may invest in smaller-sized companies that may be more volatile and less liquid than larger, more-established companies. Investments in foreign securities, especially those in the emerging markets, may involve increased risk as well as exposure to currency fluctuations. Shares of closed-end funds frequently trade at a discount. This document may contain statements regarding plans and expectations for the future that constitute forward-looking statements within the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. By their nature, forward-looking statements involve risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements. This document does not constitute an offer to sell or solicitation of an offer to buy any securities.

Certain Tax Information: ASA is a "passive foreign investment company" for United States federal income tax purposes. As a result, United States shareholders holding shares in taxable accounts are encouraged to consult their tax advisors regarding the tax consequences of their investment in the Company's common shares.



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In April of 2019, shareholders approved Merk Investments LLC ("Merk") as advisor to ASA. As a firm, Merk brings a long history of portfolio management of registered investment companies, and research that includes primary research on central banks and their impact on the price of gold. Portfolio Manager Peter Maletis joined Merk after 8 years at Franklin Templeton, where he was precious metals analyst. He spent much of his time at Franklin meeting with the management of gold companies from around the world as well as on due diligence site visits, where he developed an intimate understanding of the many companies in the precious metals sector. It is with that background that Peter is influencing changes to the ASA portfolio, also leveraging on the resources made available by Merk.

Primary Commodity	% of NAV
Gold	86.1%
Silver	8.1%
Diversified Miners	4.7%
Platinum & Palladium	0.8%
Net Liquid Assets	0.3%
Туре	% of NAV
Mining Companies	53.4%
Exploration Companies	26.3%
Development Companies	18.2%
Royalty Companies	1.8%
Net Liquid Assets	0.3%
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Stage of Development	% of NAV
Exploration Companies	26.3%
Production 500k - 1mm ounces	19.4%
Development Companies	18.2%
Production < 500k ounces	17.9%
Production >1mm ounces	16.1%
Royalty Companies	1.8%
Net Liquid Assets	0.3%
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Country of Incorporation	% of NAV
Canada	76.0%
Australia	11.5%
South Africa	8.2%
Cayman Islands	4.1%
Net Liquid Assets	0.3%
United States	0.0%
Type of Security	% of NAV
Equity Securities	97.4%
Warrants	2.3%
Net Liquid Assets	0.3%
Contingent Value Securities	0.0%
Capitalization	% of NAV
Market Cap < \$2bn	67.2%
Market Cap \$2bn - \$10bn	16.5%
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Market Cap >\$10bn	

Holdings	Ticker	% of NAV
Orla Mining Ltd	OLA CN	8.9%
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd	AEM	4.7%
SSR Mining Inc	SSRM	4.6%
Calibre Mining Corp	CXBSR CN	
Anglogold Ashant Endeavour Mining	ANG SJ	4.2%
Barrick Gold Corp	EDV CT GOLD	<u>4.1%</u> 4.0%
Gold Fields Ltd-Adr	GOLD	3.2%
Liberty Gold Corp-Plc	LGD CN	2.8%
B2Gold Corp	BTO CT	2.7%
Alamos Gold Inc	AGI	2.5%
Kanadario Gold	KANA CN	2.2%
K92 Mining Inc	KNT CN	2.2%
Americas Gold & Silver Corp	USA	2.1%
Integra Resources Corp	ITR CN ROXG CN	2.1%
Roxgold Inc Perseus Mining Ltd	PRU AU	2.0%
Bellevue Gold Ltd	BGL AU	1.9%
Centerra Gold Inc	CG CN	1.8%
Discovery Metals Corp-Plc		1.7%
Maverix Metals Inc	MMX CN	1.7%
Emerald Resources	EMR AU	1.6%
Golden Star Resources Ltd	GSS	1.5%
Marathon Gold Corp	MOZ CN	1.5%
Probe Metals Inc	PRB CN	1.3%
Skeena Resources Ltd Benchmark Metals Inc	SKE CN BNCH CN	<u> </u>
Aya Gold & Silver Inc	AYA CN	1.2%
Prime Mining	PRYM CN	1.1%
Pure Gold Mining Inc	PGM CN	1.1%
Westgold Resources Ltd	WGX AU	1.1%
Corvus Gold Inc	KOR CN	1.1%
Auteco Minerals Ltd	AUT AU	1.0%
Bunker Hill Mining Corp	BNKR CN	1.0%
Torex Gold Resources	TXG CN	1.0%
Teranga Gold Corp	TGZ CN	1.0%
Adriatic Metals Plc Osino Resources	ADT AU OSI CN	0.9%
Highgold Mining Inc	HIGH CN	0.8%
Adventus Mining Corp	ADZN CN	0.8%
Sibanye Stillwater- Adr	SSW SJ	0.8%
Dacian Gold Ltd	DCN AU	0.7%
O3 Mining Inc	OIII CN	0.7%
Gogold Resources Inc		0.7%
Sable Resources Ltd	SAE CN	0.7%
Euro Sun Mining Inc Mawson Resources Ltd	ESM CN MAW CN	0.6%
Castile Resources	CST AU	0.5%
Pantoro Ltd	PNR AU	0.5%
Benchmark Metals Inc Wrnt	BNCH CN	0.5%
Silvercrest Metals Inc	SIL CN	0.5%
Predictive Discovery	PDI AU	0.4%
Alicanto Minerals Ltd	AQI AU	0.4%
Newcore Gold Ltd	NCAU CN	
Torex Gold Res	TXG CT ROS CN	0.4%
Roscan Gold Corp	PGM CN	0.4%
Pure Gold Mining Inc Wrnt Prodigy Gold NI	PGM CN PRX AU	0.3%
Talisker Resources Ltd	TSK CN	0.3%
Desert Gold Ventures Inc	DAU CN	0.3%
Net Cash Or Equivalent	Cash	0.3%
Huntsman Exploration	HMAN CN	0.3%
Thesis Gold Inc	TAU CN	0.3%
Silver Tiger Metals	SLVR CN	0.3%
Discovery Metals Corp Plc Wrnt	DSV CN	0.2%
Probe Metals Inc Wrnt	PRB CN CY5 AU	0.2%
Cygnus Gold Ltd Bunker Hill Mining Corp Wrnt	BNKR	0.2%
Millenial Silver	XXX CN	0.2%
Liberty Gold Corp-Plc Wrnt	LGD CN	0.2%
Maverix Metals Inc Wrnt	MMX CN	0.1%
Marathon Gold Corp Wrnt	MOZ CN	0.1%
Aya Gold & Silver Inc Wrnt	AYA CN	0.1%
Prime Mining Wmt	PRYM CN	0.1%
Royal Road Minerals	RYR CN	0.1%
Osino Resources Corp Wrnt Pan American Silver Cvr	OSI CN PAAS	0.1% 0.0%
Sable Resources Ltd Wrnt	SAE CN	0.0%
Huntsman Exploration Wrnt	HMAN CN	0.0%
O3 Mining Inc Wrnt	OIII CN	0.0%
Euro Sun Mining Inc Wrnt	ESM CN	0.0%
Mawson Resources Wrnt	MAW CN	0.0%
Dundee Precious Metals Wrnt	DPM CN	0.0%
Kanadario Gold Wrnt	KANA CN	0.0%
Silver Tiger Metals Wmt	SLVR CN	0.0%
Thesis Gold Inc Wmt Desert Gold Ventures Inc Wmt	TAU CN DAU CN	0.0%
Talisker Resources Ltd Wmt	TSK CN	0.0%
Bonterra Resources Ltd Wint	BTR CN	0.0%

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