# A Golden Lineup of ETF Funds BMO Gold ETF Funds - Make Your Portfolio Shine

# Constructing Your Gold Portfolio Starts Here! Direct Exposure Cash Flow

BMO Gold Bullion ETF Fund BMO Covered Call Spread Gold Bullion ETF Fund

# Why Investors Turn to Gold for Protection and Growth Potential

### Diversification

Gold tends to have a lower correlation<sup>2</sup> to traditional asset classes like stocks and bonds<sup>3</sup> historically. Its low correlation offers investors an effective way to diversify their portfolios.

#### Shield Against Currency and Inflation Risk

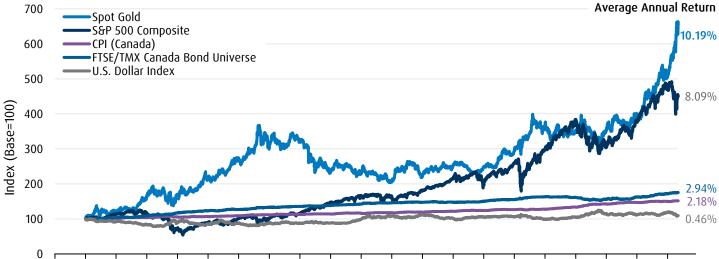
Gold tends to retain its value when currencies weaken, and inflation rises which makes gold a popular asset class for investors.<sup>4</sup>

#### **Return Potential**

Gold demand has been rising, driven by global inflows into gold bullion and gold unds.<sup>5</sup> Geopolitical uncertainty, portfolio diversification and momentum buying are likely to further support this trend.

## Strong Historical Performance of Physical Gold Bullion<sup>6</sup>

Gold's annualized average rate of return since the year 2006 has surpassed major indices.



<sup>0</sup> 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 Source: Bloomberg, BMO GAM as of April 30, 2025.

Index returns do not reflect transactions costs or the deduction of other fees and expenses and it is not possible to invest directly in an Index. Past performance is not indicative of future results.



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# Direct Exposure

### A Core Asset In Volatile<sup>7</sup> Times, Get Gold That Shines

Investing in physical gold with BMO ETF funds allows investors to get direct exposure to the price of gold bullion without having the hassle of buying and storing the precious metal. Gold bullion has historically preserved purchasing power during periods of inflation, currency depreciation or geopolitical tension<sup>4</sup>.

#### **Fully allocated**

Inventory is only held in physical form. No paper certificates or derivatives<sup>8</sup> are utilized for investor exposure.

#### Locally housed in Canada

#### Investors do not have to handle and store physical gold to gain exposure. Gold is held in a local BMO vault in Toronto.

#### Gold Price Expectations

The net asset value per unit of the underlying ETFs movement is tied to the price of physical gold bullion. BMO Gold Bullion ETF Fund Series F Management Fee: 0.20% Risk Rating<sup>9</sup>: Medium

# Cash Flow

## Get Gold that Glows with Cash that Flows

Combine the beauty of gold with the benefit of monthly cash flow.<sup>10</sup> BMO Covered Call Spread Gold Bullion ETF Fund offers monthly cash flow with the foundational strength of physical gold. With BMO Covered Call Spread Gold Bullion ETF Fund, investors can get exposure to gold and keep all the traditional benefits of diversification,<sup>11</sup> inflation hedging and return potential, with monthly cash flow.

#### Cash Flow<sup>10</sup>

Regular monthly cash flow from a non-yield paying commodity.

#### Maintain Upside Potential<sup>12</sup>

Generate cash flow while maintaining your potential for upside exposure.

#### Mitigate Downside Risk<sup>11</sup>

Maintain gold's ability to act as a safe haven when you need the most. BMO Covered Call Spread Gold Bullion ETF Fund Series F Management Fee: 0.65% Risk Rating<sup>9</sup>: Medium

# Fund Codes & Fees

BMO Gold Bullion ETF Fund	Fund Code	Management Fee (%)
Advisor Series	BM099379	1.20
Series F	BM095379	0.20

#### BMO Covered Call Spread Gold Bullion ETF Fund

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- <sup>1</sup> Series F and Advisor Series units of the Fund are not currently available for purchase. BMOII has applied for certain three-tier exemptive relief and will only make Series F and Advisor Series units of the Fund available for purchase if and when this relief is granted.
- <sup>2</sup> A statistical measure of how two securities move in relation to one another. Positive correlation indicates similar movements, up or down together, while negative correlation indicates opposite movements (when one rises, the other falls).
- <sup>3</sup> Source: BMO Global Asset Management, Bloomberg, January 31, 2025.
- <sup>4</sup> Source: Bloomberg, as of April 30, 2025.
- <sup>5</sup> Source: World Gold Council, April 30, 2025. Article: "Surging gold ETFs fuel Q1 demand"
- <sup>6</sup> Source: BMO Global Asset Management, Bloomberg as of May 7, 2025. Average annual percentages are calculated in local currencies. Past performance is no guaranteed of future results.
- <sup>7</sup> Volatility: Measures how much the price of a security, derivative, or index fluctuates.
- <sup>8</sup> A financial security with a value that is reliant upon, or derived from, an underlying asset or group of assets. The derivative itself is a contract between two or more parties based upon the asset or assets. Its price is determined by fluctuations in the underlying asset.
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- <sup>10</sup> Distributions are not guaranteed, may fluctuate and are subject to change and/or elimination.
- <sup>11</sup> Gold can offer diversification benefits when combined with uncorrelated assets. Historically, gold has been uncorrelated with traditional asset classes. Source: BMO Global Asset Management, Bloomberg, January 31, 2025.
- <sup>12</sup> Refers to the upside potential of ZGLD BMO Gold Bullion ETF minus the difference of half the spread and net premium collected.

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