# DSP INVESTMENT MANAGERS

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Dear Unit Holder,

## Sub: Change in fundamental attributes of DSP World Gold Fund ('Scheme') of DSP Mutual Fund ('Fund').

### Thank you for investing in DSP Mutual Fund ('Fund'). We appreciate your trust in us.

Unit holders are requested to note that the following Scheme will be undergoing certain changes in the key features as detailed in the table below. The changes, indicated as fundamental attributes change (FAC) in the below table will be considered as change in the fundamental attributes in line with Regulation 18(15A) of the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 ("MF Regulations"). Accordingly, these proposed changes shall be carried out by implementing the process for change in the fundamental attributes of the Scheme.

## 1. Name of the Scheme: DSP World Gold Fund

- 2. Rationale of the change: It is proposed to change the type, investment objective, asset allocation and other relevant sections of offer documents of the Scheme in order to expand the universe of underlying funds so as to include Gold Mining ETFs viz VanEck Gold Miners ETF, iShares MSCI Global Gold Miners ETF and VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF in addition to BlackRock Global Funds World Gold Fund (BGF WGF) and enable the Scheme to invests in the units/securities issued by overseas Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and / or overseas funds and/or units issued by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/Gold Mining theme. The Scheme may also invest a certain portion of its corpus in money market securities and/or money market/liquid schemes of the Fund, in order to meet liquidity requirements from time to time. The rationale of aforesaid proposal is as under:
  - a) Diversification Adding Gold Mining ETFs and enabling the Scheme to invests in the units/securities issued by overseas Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and/or overseas funds and/or units issued by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/Gold Mining theme will help the Scheme to diversify and reduces the risk of underperformance due to concentration.
  - b) Opportunity to improve performance and reduction in cost Currently, the performance of Gold Mining ETFs are in line/better than BGF- WGF thereby can provide opportunity to improve performance of the portfolio. Expense ratio of Gold Mining ETFs are lower than BGF- WGF. This will help to reduce overall expense ratio of the Scheme.
  - c) Consistent with investment objective of the Scheme: The primary investment objective of the DSP World Gold Fund is to seek capital appreciation by investing in units of BGF WGF. The Scheme may, at the discretion of the Investment Manager, also invest in the units of other similar overseas mutual fund schemes, which may constitute a significant part of its corpus. Identified ETFs qualifies the scope of "similar overseas mutual fund schemes".

## 3. The comparison between the existing features and the proposed features are as follows:

| SI. No.<br>(a) | Particulars<br>(b)   | Existing Scheme Features<br>(c)  | Proposed Scheme Features (changes are highlighted in bold)<br>(d)   |
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| 1.             | NAME OF THE SCHEME   | DSP World Gold Fund  | DSP World Gold Fund of Fund   |
| 2.             | PRODUCT LABELLING AND<br>SUITABILITY*  | <ul> <li>This scheme is suitable for investors who are seeking*</li> <li>Long-term capital growth</li> <li>Investment in units of overseas funds which invest primarily in equity and equity related securities of gold mining companies</li> <li>* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the Scheme is suitable for them.</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>This Scheme is suitable for investor who are seeking*</li> <li>Long-term capital growth</li> <li>Investment in units/securities issued by overseas Exchange<br/>Traded Funds (ETFs) and/or overseas funds and/or units issued<br/>by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/Gold<br/>Mining theme</li> <li>* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about<br/>whether the Scheme is suitable for them.</li> </ul>  |
| 3.             | 1. HIGHLIGHT/SUMMARY OF THE<br>SCHEME &<br>2. INFORMATION ABOUT THE<br>SCHEME - Type of the Scheme*  | An open ended fund of fund scheme investing predominantly in<br>BlackRock Global Funds – World Gold Fund (BGF – WGF).  | An open ended fund of fund scheme which invests into units/<br>securities issued by overseas Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and/<br>or overseas funds and/or units issued by domestic mutual funds<br>that provide exposure to Gold/Gold Mining theme.  |
| 4.             | 1. HIGHLIGHT/SUMMARY OF THE<br>SCHEME – Investment Objective<br>2. INFORMATION ABOUT THE<br>SCHEME - What is the investment<br>objective of the Scheme?* | The primary investment objective of the Scheme is to seek capital appreciation by investing predominantly in units of BGF - WGF. The Scheme may, at the discretion of the Investment Manager, also invest in the units of other similar overseas mutual fund schemes, which may constitute a significant part of its corpus. The Scheme may also invest a certain portion of its corpus in money market securities and/or units of money market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund, in order to meet liquidity requirements from time to time. However, there is no assurance that the investment objective of the Scheme will be realized. | The primary investment objective of the Scheme is to seek capital appreciation by investing in units/securities issued by overseas Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and/or overseas funds and/or units issued by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/ Gold Mining theme. The Scheme may also invest a certain portion of its corpus in money market securities and/or money market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund, in order to meet liquidity requirements from time to time. However, there is no assurance that the investment objective of the Scheme will be realized. |

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| 5.             | . ,   | Under normal   | circumstan   | ( )         | et allocation w                            | ill be as  | Under   | r norm   | al circumstances, th   | • •   | cation will be  | as follows:   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                | THE SCHEME -  | follows:   |  |             |  |  |   |  |  |   | osure   | Risk  |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   |  |  | Exp         | osure                                      | Risk   | Asset Category  |  | Asset Category   |   | Asset Category  |   | Asset Category |  | Minimum | Maximum | Profile |
|                | How will the Scheme allocate its                        | Asset Ca   | tegory   | Minimum     | Maximum                                    | Profile  | Units   | leacu  | rities issued  |   | maximum   |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                | assets? *   |  | GF –<br>er similar<br>tual fund<br>rket  | 95%         | 100%                                       | High   | by ov<br>Trade<br>overs<br>issue<br>funds   | versea<br>ed Fur<br>seas fi<br>ed by o<br>s that   | es Exchange<br>nds (ETFs) and/or<br>unds and/or units<br>domestic mutual<br>provide exposure   | 95%   | 100%  | Very High   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | securities and/or units       0%       5%       Low to       Money market securities and/or units of money market securities and/or units of money market securities and/or units of money market/liquid schemes of DSP         Mutual Fund       0%       5%       Low to       Money market securities and/or units of money market/liquid schemes of DSP                                |  |             | ket securities and/<br>noney market/liquid | 0%   | 5%  | Low to<br>Medium   |  |   |   |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                | #in the shares of BGF –<br>Investment in Transferable 5 |  |  |             | (UCITS) III fu                             | nd.  | expos   |  | e intends to invest in<br>Gold/Gold Mining t   |   | funds/ETFs 1  | hat provide   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | Under norma  |  |             |  |  | II or.  | No   | Name   | of Underlyi   | ng Funds  |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   |  | xposure of more than the following percentage of its net assets a foreign securities, subject to applicable regulatory limits:   |             |  | 1  | 1   | BlackRock Glo  | bal Funds -  | World Gold  | Fund  |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | in loreign securities, subject to applicable regulatory limits.  |  |             | 2  | 2  | VanE  | ck Gold Mir  | ners ETF   |   |   |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   |  | Maxi   | mum investr | nent contem                                | plated   | 3   | 3  |  |   | old Miners E  | TF  |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | Scheme   |  |             | ncial assets/F                             |  | 4   | 4  | VanEck .   | Junior Gold   | Miners ETF  |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | DSPWGF   | Securities (% of Net Assets)   |             |  |  |   |  | above, the Scher<br>Manager/fund ma  |   |   |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   | a. Action with a dated March 3<br>As per the 3<br>CIR/2022/39<br>guidelines iss<br>event of devia<br>passive breac<br>omission and<br>30 business of<br>above mention<br>of efforts take<br>Investment CC<br>can extend the<br>date of complet<br>b. Action with<br>consideration<br>In addition to<br>CIR/P/2021/02<br>can be altered<br>It may be not<br>to investors w<br>the Scheme of | Action with respect to passive breaches in light of SEBI circular<br>ated March 30, 2022:<br>s per the SEBI circular No. SEBI/HO/IMD/IMD-II DOF3/P/<br>IR/2022/39 dated March 30, 2022 and the clarifications/<br>uidelines issued by AMFI/ SEBI from time to time, in the<br>vent of deviation from mandated asset allocation mentioned,<br>assive breaches (i.e. occurrence of instances not arising out of<br>mission and commission of AMC), shall be rebalanced within<br>0 business days. Where the portfolio is not rebalanced within<br>6 efforts taken to rebalance the portfolio shall be placed before<br>westment Committee. The Investment Committee, if so desires,<br>an extend the timelines up to sixty (60) business days from the<br>ate of completion of mandated rebalancing period.<br>. Action with respect to breaches arising due to defensive<br>onsideration in light of SEBI circular dated March 04, 2021:<br>n addition to above, SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/<br>IR/P/2021/024 dated March 04, 2021, asset allocation pattern<br>an be altered for a short term period on defensive considerations.<br>may be noted that no prior intimation/indication will be given<br>b investors when the composition/asset allocation pattern under<br>the Scheme undergoes changes within the permitted band as<br>dicated above. |             |  | and/ou<br>funds<br>asset<br>Gold I<br>domes<br>chang<br>issuar<br>The p<br>and so<br>The ci<br>and u<br>and si<br>from t<br>Schen<br>The S<br>in line<br>March<br>The A<br>SEBI/I<br>Portfo<br>a. Actii<br>March | r over<br>havir<br>alloca<br>Mining<br>stic m<br>ge and<br>nce of<br>roport<br>olely a<br>umula<br>units o<br>uch of<br>time to<br>ne.<br>schemmt<br>h 10, 20<br>MC sl<br>IMD/Cl<br>blio Re | hall comply with th<br>IR No.7/104753/07 d<br>balancing:<br>h respect to passive b<br>022: | r units issuent objectivent objectivent. and whof new over tantamount d be intimated be intervented by the fund management of the fund management between the second second between the second between th | ed by dome<br>re, investme<br>ich forms pa<br>seas funds/E<br>to fundamen<br>ted of such a<br>derlying fund<br>es of DSP M<br>e permitted I<br>of the net a:<br>having spect<br>F4/CIR/P/202<br>ent of SEBI of<br>nber 26, 2007 | stic mutual<br>nt strategy,<br>art of Gold/<br>ETFs and/or<br>tal attribute<br>idditions by<br>Is may vary<br>Scheme.<br>Is/ETF, debt<br>lutual Fund<br>by the SEBI<br>ssets of the<br>cial features<br>1/032 dated<br>Circular no.<br>'. |   |                |  |         |         |         |
|                |   |  |  |             |  |  | dated<br>SEBI f<br>allocat<br>arising<br>within<br>above  | March<br>from ti<br>tion me<br>g out o<br>30 bu<br>ment<br>taken                           | EBI circular No. SEB<br>30, 2022 and the cla<br>me to time, in the eventioned, passive bre<br>of omission and comu-<br>siness days. Where<br>ioned period, justific<br>to rebalance the port   | arifications/ g<br>vent of devia<br>aches (i.e. o<br>mission of A<br>the portfolio<br>cation in wr  | uidelines issu<br>tion from mar<br>ccurrence of in<br>MC), shall be<br>o is not rebala<br>iting, includin   | ed by AMFI/<br>ndated asset<br>nstances not<br>e rebalanced<br>anced within<br>g details of |                |  |         |         |         |

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|                |   |   |  | The Investment Committee, if so desires, can extend the timelines up to sixty (60) business days from the date of completion of mandated rebalancing period.  |
|                |   |   |  | b. Action with respect to breaches arising due to defensive consideration<br>in light of SEBI circular dated March 04, 2021:  |
|                |   |   |  | In addition to above, SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/<br>CIR/P/2021/024 dated March 04, 2021, asset allocation pattern can be<br>altered for a short term period on defensive considerations.  |
|                |   |   |  | It may be noted that no prior intimation/indication will be given to<br>investors when the composition/asset allocation pattern under the<br>Scheme undergoes changes within the permitted band as indicated<br>above.  |
| 6.             | SECTION II - INFORMATION ABOUT<br>THE SCHEME -                                    | Scheme may, at the  | est predominantly in units of BGF – WGF. The<br>discretion of the Investment Manager, also<br>other similar overseas mutual fund schemes.  | The scheme will invest into units/securities issued by overseas<br>Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and/or overseas funds and/or units<br>issued by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/  |
|                | What are the Investment Strategies? *   | which may constitute<br>may also invest a co<br>securities and/or mo  | a a significant part of its corpus. The Scheme<br>ertain portion of its corpus in money market<br>oney market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual<br>et liquidity requirements from time to time.   | Gold Mining theme. The Scheme may also invest a certain portion of its corpus in money market securities and/or money market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund, in order to meet liquidity requirements from time to time.  |
| 7.             | SECTION II - INFORMATION ABOUT<br>THE SCHEME -<br>Where will the Scheme Invest? * | Scheme may, at the<br>invest in the units of<br>which may constitute<br>may also invest a c<br>securities and/or mo<br>Fund, in order to me | est predominantly in units of BGF – WGF. The<br>o discretion of the Investment Manager, also<br>other similar overseas mutual fund schemes,<br>e a significant part of its corpus. The Scheme<br>ertain portion of its corpus in money market<br>oney market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual<br>et liquidity requirements from time to time.  | The Scheme will invest into units/securities issued by overseas<br>Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs) and/or overseas funds and/or units<br>issued by domestic mutual funds that provide exposure to Gold/<br>Gold Mining theme. The Scheme may also invest a certain portion of its<br>corpus in money market securities and/or money market/liquid schemes<br>of DSP Mutual Fund, in order to meet liquidity requirements from time<br>to time.   |
|                |   |   | derlying fund - BGF – WGF  | Currently the Scheme has identified the following underlying funds/<br>ETFs that provide exposure to Gold/Gold Mining theme:  |
|                |   | Basis of<br>selection of the<br>underlying fund   | BGF - WGF is Undertaking for<br>Collective Investment in Transferable<br>Securities (UCITS) III Fund approved<br>by Commission for the Supervision of<br>the Financial Sector, Luxembourg, with<br>BlackRock (Luxembourg) S.A. as the<br>management company. BGF - WGF seek<br>to maximize capital growth expressed<br>in US dollars. The fund has a flexible<br>investment style, which captures the<br>broadest possible opportunities. Apart<br>from leveraging on the global expertise<br>and the backing of a strong team of<br>investment professionals at BlackRock,<br>the predominant reason for our selecting<br>the underlying fund is the investment<br>philosophy and identification of attractive<br>and 22 structural investment themes on<br>a global basis through detailed analysis<br>The Fund seeks to maximise total return.<br>The fund invests globally at least 70% of<br>its total assets in the equity securities of<br>companies whose predominant economic<br>activity is gold-mining. It may also invest<br>in the equity securities of companies<br>whose predominant economic activity is | Sr. NoName of Underlying Funds1BlackRock Global Funds – World Gold Fund2VanEck Gold Miners ETF3iShares MSCI Global Gold Miners ETF4VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF4VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETFApart from above, the Scheme may, at the discretion of the<br>Investment Manager/fund managers, also invest in the units/<br>securities issued by overseas Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs)<br>and/or overseas funds and/or units issued by domestic mutual<br>funds having similar investment objective, investment strategy,<br>asset allocation, benchmark etc. and which forms part of Gold/<br>Gold Mining theme. Addition of new overseas funds/ETFs and/or<br>domestic mutual funds will not tantamount to fundamental attribute<br>change and the investors would be intimated of such addition by<br>issuance of notice cum addenda.The proportion of an investment in an underlying funds may vary<br>and solely at the discretion of the fund manager of the Scheme. |
|                |   |   | other precious metal or mineral and base<br>metal or mineral mining. The fund does<br>not hold physical gold or metal.   |   |

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|                                | Investment<br>Strategy of the<br>BGF - WGF | <ul> <li>The team aspires to be the leading manager of Natural Resources funds and is recognised as having unrivalled skills in generating outstanding investment performance. The team invests through the natural resources investment cycle, combining bottom-up, fundamental analysis of companies with a top-down macro and industry overlay. We believe that markets are not fully efficient and that through our detailed knowledge of natural resources companies, we can generate alpha over the long-term. While this is our belief, no investment is risk free. Proprietary technology platforms may help manage risk, but risk cannot be eliminated.</li> <li>We constantly seek differentiated sources of alpha and believe investing in natural resources equities requires a flexible investment style. Differentiated sources of returns include:</li> <li>Growth potential - we seek investments in companies with long-term structural drivers for above market earnings growth</li> <li>Relative valuation and re-rating potential - we analyse the valuations of companies and sub-sectors relative to each other and relative to their own histories as we seek to identify and exploit mispricing opportunities</li> <li>Turnaround stories - we seek investments in companies that have fallen out of favour but have catalysts which we believe will see them return to favour</li> <li>Long-term sustainable business models - we incorporate companies that have a strong portfolio of assets, which are not easily replicable, that are able to deliver consistent growth</li> <li>Commodity / macro tilts - our commodity / macro analysis leads us to favour certain commodities, sub-sectors and geographical regions over others. With these views in mind, we use our indepth fundamental analysis to identify those companies best placed to take advantage of the direction of travel.</li> </ul> | Overview of the u Basis of selection of the underlying fund Investment Objective Investment Strategy of the BGF – WGF | <ul> <li>BGF - WGF is Undertaking for Collective<br/>Investment in Transferable Securities<br/>(UCITS) III Fund approved by Commission<br/>for the Supervision of the Financial Sector,<br/>Luxembourg, with BlackRock (Luxembourg)<br/>S.A. as the management company. BGF - WGF<br/>seek to maximize capital growth expressed in<br/>US dollars. The fund has a flexible investment<br/>style, which captures the broadest possible<br/>opportunities. Apart from leveraging on the<br/>global expertise and the backing of a strong<br/>team of investment professionals at BlackRock,<br/>the predominant reason for our selecting the<br/>underlying fund is the investment philosophy<br/>and identification of attractive and 22 structural<br/>investment themes on a global basis through<br/>detailed analysis</li> <li>The Fund seeks to maximise total return. The<br/>fund invests globally at least 70% of its total<br/>assets in the equity securities of companies<br/>whose predominant economic activity is gold-<br/>mining. It may also invest in the equity securities<br/>of companies whose predominant economic<br/>activity is other precious metal or mineral and<br/>base metal or mineral mining. The fund does not<br/>hold physical gold or metal.</li> <li>The team aspires to be the leading manager of<br/>Natural Resources funds and is recognised as<br/>having unrivalled skills in generating outstanding<br/>investment performance. The team invests<br/>through the natural resources investment cycle,<br/>combining bottom-up, fundamental analysis<br/>of companies with a top-down macro and<br/>industry overlay. We believe that markets are<br/>not fully efficient and that through our detailed<br/>knowledge of natural resources companies,<br/>we can generate alpha over the long-term.<br/>While this is our belief, no investment is risk<br/>free. Proprietary technology platforms may help<br/>manage risk, but risk cannot be eliminated.</li> <li>We constantly seek differentiated sources of<br/>alpha and believe investing in natural resources<br/>equities requires a flexible investment style.<br/>Differentiated sources of returns include:</li> <li>Growth potential - we seek investments in<br/>companies with long-ter</li></ul> |

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| (a)     | (b)         | (c)  | (d)  |
|         |             | Depending on the macroeconomic backdrop and depending on where we believe we are in the investment cycle, we will emphasize some sources of alpha over others. For example, during periods of rising commodity prices and improving market sentiment, we will typically emphasize growth potential stories.         The management of risk is central to our investment philosophy, and we are able to benefit from BlackRock's sophisticated risk management tools. The team views BlackRock's Risk and Quantitative Analysis division (RQA) as a business partner to help build and maintain portfolios with appropriate and deliberate levels of risk.         Environmental, Social and Corporate Governance (ESG) considerations are also embedded in the team's investment philosophy and process. The team has a rigorous and systematic approach to reviewing ESG risks at an industry and company level. Our site visits provide valuable information to further assess in order to maintain their social license to operate and therefore they are an important determinant of investment performance.         Long Term drivers of the BGF - WGF       • Gold shares typically perform differently to other sectors within the stock market because it is the price of gold bullion (and not mainstream economic activity) which is their main economic activity where.         • Cound tises can help to provide diversification within the context of a larger investment policiol.       • The managers' ability to generate subject on the unparalleled access to industry research and company target and theresources to travel extensively and conduct on the ground are long standing specialists within the sector and have unparalleled access to industry research and company to all arger investment policiol. | <ul> <li>Long-term sustainable business models - we incorporate companies that have a strong portfolio of assets, which are not easily replicable, that are able to deliver consistent growth</li> <li>Commodity / macro tilts - our commodity / macro analysis leads us to favour certain commodities, sub-sectors and geographical regions over others. With these views in mind, we use our in-depth fundamental analysis to identify those companies best placed to take advantage of the direction of travel.</li> <li>Given the volatility and cyclicality of the natural resources sector, we feel strongly that we need to maintain flexibility in order to generate returns for our clients.</li> <li>Depending on the macroeconomic backdrop and depending on where we believe we are in the investment cycle, we will emphasize some sources of alpha over others. For example, during periods of rising commodity prices and improving market sentiment, we will typically emphasize growth potential stories.</li> <li>The management of risk is central to our investment philosophy, and we are able to benefit from BlackRock's sophisticated risk management tools. The team views BlackRock's Risk and Quantitative Analysis division (RQA) as a business partner to help build and maintain portfolios with appropriate and deliberate levels of risk. Environmental, Social and Corporate Governance (ESG) considerations are also embedded in the team's investment philosophy and process. The team has a rigorous and systematic approach to reviewing ESG risks at an industry and company level. Our site visits provide valuable information to further assess quantitative data provide by third parties. Our firm belief is that companies must consider and address ESG issues in order to maintain their social license to operate and therefore they are an important determinant of investment performance.</li> </ul> |

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|                |                    | Investment<br>Process | The diagram overleaf is a graphical representation of the team's investment process. | Long Term<br>drivers of the<br>BGF - WGF | <ul> <li>Gold shares typically perform differently to other sectors within the stock market because it is the price of gold bullion (and not mainstream economic activity) which is their main earnings driver. Many people view gold as a 'safe haven' and during periods of capital market volatility or political uncertainty its physical attributes become more highly valued.</li> <li>Commodities can help to provide diversification within the context of a larger investment portfolio.</li> <li>The managers' ability to generate superior returns lies in their stock picking ability and the fact that the team are long standing specialists within the sector and have unparalleled access to industry research and company management.</li> <li>The team has the resources to travel extensively and conduct on the ground research and operates a tried and tested valuation and investment approach.</li> <li>The diagram overleaf is a graphical representation of the team's investment process.</li> <li>Source: BlackRock, as at 30 June 2022. ESG: Environmental, Social and Governance. RQA: Risk &amp; Quantitative Analysis Team. Current process for selecting investments in the portfolio is in accordance with its stated investment objective and policies. Process subject to change based on market conditions, portfolio manager's opinion and other factors. Investment process subject to change and provided here for illustrative purposes only. ESG considerations are evaluated alongside a number of other considerations, and/or would not be the sole consideration when making investment decisions.</li> </ul> |

| Research Process<br>As displayed above, the team draws on<br>top-down, macro orientatide research and<br>bottom-up, company level analysis when<br>generating ideas, and in this process,<br>there are two key attributes we look for<br>in a company. Firstly, a clear strategy<br>to grow shareholder value through one<br>or more of the differentiated sources<br>of alpha <sup>+</sup> mentioned above. Secondly,<br>we seek investments in companies that<br>exhibit some or all of the following quality<br>factors:Screening and Idea Generation• Asset quality: high margin, barriers to<br>entry, intellectual property advantage<br>• Capital allocation setucture: strong financials and<br>debt coverage<br>• Capital allocation between investment<br>and dividend growth<br>. ESG: storg management of ESG<br>factorsThe team screens the investment universe on<br>valuation, performance and ESG metrics to help<br>us labove. In the portfolio.<br>We also generate ideas through our combined<br>approach to<br>capital allocation sets ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources which include:<br>• Our team based proprietary research<br>is integral to the team's ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources main include:<br>• Our team based proprietary research<br>is integral to the team's ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources which include:<br>• Our team based proprietary research<br>is integral to the team's ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources which include:<br>• Our team based proprietary research<br>is integral to the team's ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources which include:<br>• Our team based proprietary research<br>is integral to the team's ability to generate<br>alpha and in doing so, we draw on a<br>number of resources which in teductive<br>   |
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| <ul> <li>companies operating in the industry</li> <li>Internal BlackRock networks</li> </ul> Characteristic control of the indicating one or more of the 'differentiated sources of alpha' mentioned above. Secondly, we seek investments in companies that exhibit some or all of the following quality factors: <ul> <li>Asset quality: high margin, barriers to entry, intellectual properly advantage</li> <li>Management: proven track record of delivering value to shareholder value to shareh</li></ul> |

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|                |                      | Bottom-up research<br>The team spends a significant amount of<br>time conducting fundamental company<br>research and whilst this process may vary<br>from company to company, it typically<br>includes:           • Regular meetings with senior<br>management and or board members           • Site visits to key assets           • Valuation and financial modelling           • Attendance at industry conferences           • Meeting with industry experts and<br>private companies           The size and scale of BlackRock's<br>resources enables us to draw on the<br>expertise of investment professionals<br>across the business and gain investment<br>insight from across asset classes. This<br>sharing of ideas is a key strength of our<br>investment process, giving independent<br>insight into credit, currency and other<br>markets. We spend time analysing a<br>company's market dynamics, revenue<br>drivers, financial statements, valuations<br>and risks to the central scenario. We seek<br>to understand the factors that influence<br>a share price and as well as what the<br>market is anticipating or missing.           This process ensures that the team<br>understands the drivers of both a<br>company's value creation and of its share<br>price.           Valuation tools used<br>Depending on the sector, the stage of<br>company development and the prevailing<br>equity market environment, the team uses<br>a range of valuation metrics including:           • Discounted cash flow analysis           • Price to earnings           • Enterprise value to EBITDA           • Price to earnings           • Enterprise value to EBITDA           • Price to book           • Free cash flow yield | The top-down process is focused on identifying<br>trends that will impact the supply/demand<br>balance of the underlying commodities,<br>monitoring the political and regulatory<br>environment and analysing market sentiment.<br>The team holds a macroeconomic meeting every<br>week where topics of discussion are prepared<br>in advance by a rotating meeting chair. During<br>the meeting, questions are posed by the chair<br>to encourage the discussion and enhance the<br>debate. In addition to this, we also hold a weekly<br>commodity meeting which rotates between the<br>various sub-sectors within the natural resources<br>universe and runs in a similar format to the<br>macro-economic meeting.           The output of the commodity, industry or<br>macro analysis can be supply/demand models<br>or industry conclusions detailed in relevant<br>company notes. This can also feed directly into<br>additional company research. For example, in a<br>favourable commodity or industry outlook we will<br>search for companies exposed to this trend and<br>conduct a company review.           Bottom-up research           The team spends a significant amount of time<br>conducting fundamental company research and<br>whilst this process may vary from company to<br>company, it typically includes:           • Regular meetings with senior management<br>and / or 25 board members           • Site visits to key assets           • Valuation and financial modelling           • Attendance at industry conferences           • Meeting with industry experts and private<br>companies           The size and scale of BlackRock's resources<br>enables us to draw on the experise of<br>investment professionals accross the business<br>and gain investment insight from across asset<br>classes. This sharing of ideas is a key strength<br>of our investment process, giving independent<br>insight into credit, cur |
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|         |             | Our unparalleled access to company<br>management allows us to engage<br>on these issues through questioning<br>management teams and conducting<br>site visits. We look to understand how<br>management approaches ESG risks and<br>opportunities and the potential impact<br>this may have on company financials.<br>Further engagement is carried out by the<br>BlackRock Investment Stewardship team<br>(BIS), who meet with boards of companies are<br>strategically managing their longer-term<br>issues, including those surrounding ESG.<br>Through this combination of quantitative<br>and qualitative assessment, we ensure<br>that our understanding of our investments<br>is thorough, reliable and up to date.           Our understanding of ESG issues<br>is further supported by BlackRock's<br>Sustainable Investment Team (BSI).<br>BSI look to advance ESG research and<br>integration, active engagement and the<br>development of sustainable investment<br>solutions across the firm. BlackRock<br>believes environmental, social and<br>governance issues have real financial<br>impacts over the long-term.           The sustainable investing effort is<br>embedded into cur culture from the top<br>down as we believe that a company's<br>ability to manage environmental, social,<br>and governance matters demonstrates<br>the leadership and good governance that<br>is essential to sustainable growth.           Portfolio Construction<br>The Natural Resources team uses<br>portfolio construction and positioni sizing<br>to reflect the level of conviction, liquidity as<br>well as risk associated with an investment<br>opportunity.           The Fund's benchmark is the FTSE Gold<br>Mines Index - cap only. There are no<br>restrictions relative to the benchmark, and<br>the Fund is managed with a benchmark,<br>aware rather than benchmark-constrained<br>approach. Investment positions are<br>thought about in terms of active weight<br>and active risk.           Sell discipline<br>The following factors will lead us to<br>completely sell a stock: <td>Valuation tools used Depending on the sector,<br/>the stage of company development and the<br/>prevailing equity market environment, the team<br/>uses a range of valuation metrics including:           • Discounted cash flow analysis           • Price to net asset value           • Price to earnings           • Enterprise value to EBITDA           • Price to book           • Free cash flow yield           • Dividend yield           • Communication           ESG Integration           As part of our structured investment process,<br/>ESG risks and opportunities are considered<br/>within our fundamental analysis of companies<br/>and industries. Our unparalleled access to<br/>company management allows us to engage on<br/>these issues through questioning management<br/>teams and conducting site visits. 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|                |                    | Asset Allocation  | Equities   |  | Sell discipline   |  |
|                |                    | % of Equity/Debt<br>Securities<br>(September 30,<br>2022) | As at 30 September 2022, the asset<br>allocation of the Fund was as follows:<br>• Equities: 96.46%;<br>• Alternatives: 2.47%<br>• Cash: 1.07%  |  | The following factors will lead us<br>sell a stock:<br>• Valuation reflects expected catal<br>• ESG concerns<br>• Excess leverage   |  |
|                |                    |   |  |  | Strategy or management change   |  |
|                |                    | Exposure to   | Source: BlackRock. Subject to change<br>In accordance with the investment limits   | Asset Allocation   | Investment only in Gold Mining Eq   |  |
|                |                    | Derivatives   | and restrictions, all the BGF funds may<br>use derivatives for the purposes of efficient<br>portfolio management. However, the Fund<br>would not normally use derivatives.   | % of Equity/Debt<br>Securities<br>(December 31,<br>2022) | Equity – 98.22%<br>Cash – 1.78%   |  |
|                |                    | Country/Region<br>Exposure (excl.<br>cash)                | Please see the table below:       Country     Fund %       Australia     11.94       Canada     55.08       South Africa     4.43  | Exposure to<br>Derivatives                               | In accordance with the inve<br>and restrictions, all the BGF fu<br>derivatives for the purposes of eff<br>management. However, the Fun<br>normally use derivatives.   | nds may use<br>ficient portfolio                                       |
|                |                    |   | United Kingdom4.53United States22.94   | Country/Region   | Country   | %  |
|                |                    |   |  | Exposure (as at Dec.31, 2022)                            | Canada  | 53.8   |
|                |                    |   | Source: BlackRock, as at 30 September 2022. Subject to change. Excludes  |  | United States   | 22.7   |
|                |                    |   | exposure to cash and/or derivatives of   |  | Australia<br>South Africa   | 4.6  |
|                |                    |   | 1.07%.   |  | UK  | 3.7  |
|                |                    | Exposure<br>to unlisted<br>securities<br>Risk Profile and | Max up to 10% of NAV by UCITs<br>guidelines. As at 30 September 2022, the<br>exposure to unlisted securities is nil.<br>Please see below the Fund's Risk and   | Exposure<br>to unlisted<br>securities (as at             | Nil   |  |
|                |                    | Risk Control  | <section-header><section-header><section-header><section-header><section-header><list-item><section-header><list-item><section-header><list-item><list-item><list-item><list-item><section-header></section-header></list-item></list-item></list-item></list-item></section-header></list-item></section-header></list-item></section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header></section-header> | Dec.31, 2022)<br>Risk Profile and<br>Risk Control        | Please see below the Fund's Ris<br>Profile:<br>Rised Revert Profile<br>   | k and Reward   |
|                |                    |   | Source: Fund Key Investor Information<br>Document (KIID) for the I2 share class of<br>the Fund, as at 9 February 2022. Subject<br>to change.<br>Risk Management  |  | Source: Fund Key Investor<br>Document (KIID) for the 12 sharr<br>Fund, as at 9 February 2022. Subj  |  |
|                |                    |   | Risk management is central to the team's portfolio construction process.   |  | Risk Management   | eet te enanger   |
|                |                    |   | Portfolio managers monitor portfolio risk<br>using BlackRock's sophisticated risk<br>management tools. Portfolio managers<br>evaluate the risks and rewards of each<br>stock and are able to model what effect<br>the addition of new stocks will have on<br>portfolio risk.<br>Risk data is also monitored independently  |  | Risk management is central to the t<br>construction process. Portfolio mar<br>portfolio risk using BlackRock's sop<br>management tools. Portfolio mana<br>the risks and rewards of each stoc<br>to model what effect the addition<br>will have on portfolio risk. | hagers monitor<br>bhisticated risk<br>agers evaluate<br>k and are able |
|                |                    |   | by BlackRock's Risk and Quantitative<br>Analysis (RQA) division. The team<br>maintains an ongoing dialogue with<br>colleagues in RQA and meets with them<br>formally every six weeks to discuss<br>portfolio risk exposures in detail.   |  | Risk data is also monitored ind<br>BlackRock's Risk and Quantita<br>(RQA) division. The team maintai<br>dialogue with colleagues in RQ<br>with them formally every six wee<br>portfolio risk exposures in detail.   | ative Analysis<br>ns an ongoing<br>A and meets                         |
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|                                | <ul> <li>Exchange rate risk: Overseas investment will be affected by movements in currency exchange rates.</li> <li>Sector Specific: The fund invests in a limited number of market sectors. Compared to investments which spread investment risk through investing in a variety of sectors, share price movements may have a greater effect on the overall value of this fund.</li> <li>Smaller Company investments: Smaller company investments: Smaller company investments are often associated with greater investment risk than those of larger company shares.</li> <li>Emerging markets: Emerging market investments are usually associated with higher investments. Therefore, the value of these investments may be unpredictable and subject to greater variation.</li> <li>Gold / mining: Mining shares typically experience above average volatility when compared to other investments. Trends which occur within the general equity market may not be mirrored within mining securities.</li> <li>Equity risk: The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.</li> </ul>   | Category of<br>eligible investors<br>Total Expense<br>Ratio (USD<br>Acc Class<br>Performance as<br>on Dec 31,2022<br>(in USD terms): | Sector Specific: The fund invests in a limited number of market sectors. Compared to investments which spread investment risk through investing in a variety of sectors, share price movements may have a greater effect on the overall value of this fund.         Smaller Company investments:         Smaller company investments are often associated with greater investment risk than those of larger company shares.         Emerging markets:         Emerging market investments are usually associated with higher investment risk than developed market investments. Therefore, the value of these investments may be unpredictable and subject to greater variation.         Gold / mining:         Mining shares typically experience above average volatility when compared to other investments. Trends which occur within the general equity market may not be mirrored within mining securities.         Equity risk:         The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.         Retail and Institutional         1.00% - as on 31 Dec 2022         Image: Investion of the state of the securities call and Institutional         1.00% - as on 31 Dec 2022         Image: Investion of the state of the secure of the state of the secure o   |

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|                |                    | Category of eligible investors                         | Retail and Institutional  |   | Top ten holdings<br>as of Dec 31, 2022 | Name   | Weight<br>(%) |
|                |                    | Total Expense  | As at 30 September 202  |   |  | Barrick Gold Corp  | 7.21          |
|                |                    | Ratio  | Expense Ratio for the C   |   | 111 -                                  | Endeavour Mining Plc                                     | 7.2           |
|                |                    |  | Accumulating share class was 1.06%.   | of the Fund                                       | 111 -                                  | Franco-Nevada Corp                                       | 6.71          |
|                |                    |  | was 1.00%.  |   | 111 -                                  | Northern Star Resources Ltd                              | 5.39          |
|                |                    |  | As at 30 September 202  | 22, the Total                                     | 111 -                                  | Newcrest Mining Ltd                                      | 5.13          |
|                |                    |  | Expense Ratio for the Cl  |   | 111 -                                  | Newmont Corporation                                      | 4.79          |
|                |                    |  | Accumulating share class  | of the Fund                                       | 111 –                                  | Wheaton Precious Metals Corp                             | 4.74          |
|                |                    |  | was 2.07%.  |   | 111 -                                  | Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd                                   | 4.54          |
|                |                    |  | Source: BlackRock. Subjec   | t to change                                       |  | Alamos Gold Inc  | 4.26          |
|                |                    | Performance as   |   | Cines   | 111                                    | B2gold Corp  | 4.02          |
|                |                    | on Sept 30 ,2022                                       | 1 YR 3 YR 5   | 5 YR Inception                                    |  | Materials – 100%   |               |
|                |                    | (in USD terms):  |   | 1.90 -3.58  | Equity Exposure                        |  |               |
|                |                    | Class I2, USD  | Benchmark<br>-FTSE Gold -21.88 -6.35 -  | 0.80 -4.94  | (as at Dec 31,2022)                    |  |               |
|                |                    | Accumulating<br>(ISIN:                                 | Mines Index   |   | • Overview of the under                | rlying fund - VanEck Gold Mine                           | re ETE        |
|                |                    | LU0368252358)  | Source: BlackRock, as at 3  | 30 September                                      | • Overview of the unde                 | anying fund - vaneck Gold wine                           | ISEIF         |
|                |                    | ,  | 2022. Subject to cl   |   | Basis of selection                     | Fund will provide exposure to                            |               |
|                |                    |  | performance returns give  |   | of the underlying                      | mining companies in passive                              |               |
|                |                    |  | Past performance may or   |   | fund                                   | thereby lowering the cost of                             |               |
|                |                    |  | sustained in future and s<br>used as a basis for compari                                |   |  | Gold Fund. Performance of                                | FETF have     |
|                |                    |  | investments. Share class  |   |  | been decent in last 5 years                              |               |
|                |                    |  | June 2008.  |   | Investment Objective                   |  |               |
|                |                    | Performance as   | 1 YR 3 YR 5   | YR Since  | Investment Strategy                    | to replicate as closely as before fees and expenses, the |               |
|                |                    | on Sept 30 ,2022                                       |   | Inception   | Investment Strategy                    | yield performance of the                                 |               |
|                |                    | (in USD terms):  | Fund -24.51 -6.31 -:<br>Benchmark   | 2.87 3.55   |  | Gold Miners Index (GDMNTF                                | R), which is  |
|                |                    | Class A2, USD<br>Accumulating                          | -FTSE Gold -21.88 -6.35 -   | 0.80 -1.10  |  | intended to track the overall p                          |               |
|                |                    | (ISIN:   | Mines Index   |   |  | of companies involved in the                             | gold mining   |
|                |                    | LU0055631609)  | Source: BlackRock, as at 3  |   | Long Term drivers                      | industry.  Gold Prices – High Beta wi                    | ith Gold can  |
|                |                    |  | 2022. Subject to cl   |   |  | help to provide signific                                 |               |
|                |                    |  | performance returns give<br>Past performance may or                                     |   |  | during bullish phase of gol                              |               |
|                |                    |  | sustained in future and s   |   | Investment Process                     | NA   |               |
|                |                    |  | used as a basis for compari   |   |  |  |               |
|                |                    |  | investments. Share class inception: 30<br>December 1994.<br>Please see the table below. |   | Asset Allocation                       | Investment only in Gold Minir                            | g Equities    |
|                |                    | Top ten holdings<br>as of September                    |   |   | Asset Allocation                       | Equity – 100.00%   |               |
|                |                    |  |   |   | (as at Dec 31,2022)                    | Cash – 0.00%   |               |
|                |                    | 30, 2022   | Barrick Gold Corp   | 7.90  | Country/Region                         | Country  | %             |
|                |                    |  | Endeavour Mining Plc  | 7.58  | exposure                               | Canada   | 41.96         |
|                |                    |  | Franco-Nevada Corp  | 7.18  | (as at Dec 31,2022)                    | United States  | 17.69         |
|                |                    |  | Newmont Corporation   | 6.44  |  | Australia  | 13.33         |
|                |                    |  | Newcrest Mining Ltd   | 4.84  |  | Brazil   | 8.26          |
|                |                    |  | Wheaton Precious  | 4.80  |  | South Africa   | 5.20          |
|                |                    |  | Metals Corp   |   |  | China<br>Tanzania  | 4.60<br>3.53  |
|                |                    |  | B2gold Corp   | 4.76  |  | United Kingdom   | 2.28          |
|                |                    |  | Northern Star   | 4.55  |  | Peru   | 0.82          |
|                |                    |  | Resources Ltd   |   |  | Egypt  | 0.68          |
|                |                    |  | Gold Fields Ltd   | 4.43  |  | Total Top 10   | 98.35         |
|                |                    | Agnico Eagle Mines<br>Ltd                              | 4.21  | Exposure to                                       | Nil                                    |  |               |
|                |                    | Total  | 56.69   | unlisted securities<br>(as at Dec 31,2022)        |  |  |               |
|                |                    | Source: BlackRock, as at 3<br>2022. Subject to change. | 30 September  | Exposure<br>To Derivatives<br>(as at Dec 31,2022) | Nil                                    |  |               |
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|                |                    | Sector wise<br>break up as of<br>September 30,<br>2022 | Please see the table below:         Sector       Fund %         Cash and Derivatives       1.07         Gold       91.31         Platinum Group Metals       1.57         Silver       3.55         Copper       2.50         Source: BlackRock, as at 30 September 2022. Subject to change. | ber   | Risk Profile and<br>Risk Control                             | An investment in the Fund may<br>risks which include, among othe<br>in gold and silver mining comp<br>materials sector, Canadian an<br>issuers, foreign securities,<br>market issuers, foreign currenc<br>receipts, small- and medium-<br>companies, equity securitie<br>operational, index tracking,<br>participant concentration, no<br>of active trading market, trac                                | ers, investing<br>panies, basic<br>d Australian<br>emerging<br>y, depositary<br>capitalization<br>es, market,<br>authorized<br>o guarantee<br>ding issues,   |
|                |                    | schemes where the                                      | he other underlying overseas mutual f<br>Scheme will invest shall be compliant with<br>bircular SEBI/IMD/CIR No7/104753/07 da  | h all |  | passive management, fund shi<br>premium/discount risk and liqu<br>shares, non-diversified and c<br>risks, all of which may adverse<br>Fund. Foreign investments an<br>risks, which include changes<br>and political conditions, forei<br>fluctuations, changes in foreign<br>and changes in currency exc<br>which may negatively impact<br>return. Small- and medium-<br>companies may be subject to el | idity of fund<br>oncentration<br>ely affect the<br>e subject to<br>in economic<br>gn currency<br>regulations,<br>hange rates<br>the Fund's<br>capitalization |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Category of  | Retail and Institutional  |  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | eligible investors   |   |  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Performance as<br>on Dec 31,2022 (in<br>USD terms):          |   | 10YR         SI           -3.87         -1.19           -3.52         -0.77  |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Benchmark - NYSE Arca Gold M<br>Since inception – 16 may 2006   | iners Index  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Total Expense<br>Ratio (USD Acc<br>Class)                    | 0.51% - as on 31 Dec 2022   |  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Top ten holdings<br>as of Dec 31, 2022                       | Holding Name  | % of Net<br>Assets   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Newmont Corp  | 12.80  |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Barrick Gold Corp   | 10.42  |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Franco-Nevada Corp  | 8.44   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd  | 7.83   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Wheaton Precious Metals<br>Corp   | 5.97   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Newcrest Mining Ltd   | 4.23   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Gold Fields Ltd   | 4.17   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Northern Star Resources Ltd   | 3.70   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Anglogold Ashanti Ltd   | 3.60   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Zijin Mining Group Co Ltd   | 3.42   |
|                |                    |  |  |       |  | Top 10 Total  | 64.58  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Top Sector wise<br>Equity Exposure<br>(as at Dec<br>31,2022) | Materials – 100%  |  |
|                |                    |  |  |       | Overview of the<br>ETF                                       | underlying fund - VanEck Junio  | r Gold Miners  |

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|                |                    |                                 | Basis of selection<br>of the underlying<br>fund              | Fund will provide expos<br>mining companies in pa<br>thereby lowering the co<br>Gold Fund.   | ssive fund format   |
|                |                    |                                 | Investment<br>Objective                                      | VanEck Junior Gold Min<br>seeks to replicate as clo<br>before fees and expense   | sely as possible,   |
|                |                    |                                 | Investment<br>Strategy                                       | yield performance of the MVIS Global Junio<br>Gold Miners Index (MVGDXJTR), which is<br>intended to track the overall performance<br>of small-capitalization companies that are<br>involved primarily in the mining for gold<br>and/or silver. |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Long Term drivers  | <ul> <li>Gold Prices – High<br/>help to provide signif<br/>bullish phase of gold</li> </ul>  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Investment<br>Process  | NA   |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Asset Allocation   | Investment only in Gold  | Mining Equities   |
|                |                    |                                 | Asset Allocation<br>(as at Dec 31,<br>2022)                  | Equity – 99.94%<br>Cash – 0.06%  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Country/Region   | Countries  | % of Net Assets   |
|                |                    |                                 | exposure<br>(as at Dec 31,                                   | Canada   | 51.48   |
|                |                    |                                 | 2022)  | Australia<br>Brazil<br>United States<br>United Kingdom   | 17.30   |
|                |                    |                                 |  |  | 6.01  |
|                |                    |                                 |  |  | 4.32  |
|                |                    |                                 |  |  | 4.17  |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Mexico   | 3.46  |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Turkey   | 3.21  |
|                |                    |                                 |  | South Africa   | 2.35  |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Peru   | 2.07  |
|                |                    |                                 |  | China  | 1.51  |
|                |                    |                                 | Exposure<br>to unlisted<br>Securities (as at<br>Dec 31,2022) | Nil  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Exposure To<br>Derivatives (as at<br>Dec 31, 2022)           | Nil  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Risk Profile and<br>Risk Control                             |  | ong others, investing<br>ig companies, basic<br>sting in Australian<br>foreign securities,<br>foreign currency,<br>micro-capitalization<br>securities, market,<br>acking, authorized<br>on, no guarantee<br>tet, trading issues,<br>und shares trading,<br>and liquidity of fund<br>concentration and<br>risks, all of which<br>the Fund. Foreign<br>ct to risks, which<br>nomic and political<br>rrency fluctuations,<br>ations, and changes<br>rates which may<br>und's return. Small-<br>ion companies may |

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|                |                    |                                 | Category of eligible Investors                               | Retail & Institutional   |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Performance as<br>on Dec 31,2022 (in<br>USD terms):          | 1 YR 3 YR 5 YR 1<br>Y  |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | oob termsj.  | Fund -14.48 -4.40 1.77 -6.   | 61 -5.44                 |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Benchmark -14.27 -3.94 2.27 -6.<br>Benchmark - MVIS Global<br>Miners Index   |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Total Expense<br>Ratio (USD Acc<br>Class)                    | 0.52% - as on 31 Dec 2022  |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Top ten holdings<br>(as at Dec 31,<br>2022)                  | Holding Name   | % Of Net<br>Assets       |
|                |                    |                                 | 2022)  | Yamana Gold Inc  | 5.91                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Kinross Gold Corp  | 5.35                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Alamos Gold Inc  | 4.21                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Pan American Silver Corp   | 3.91                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | B2gold Corp  | 3.52                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Evolution Mining Ltd<br>Endeavour Mining Plc   | 3.37                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Industrias Penoles Sab   | 3.30                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Ssr Mining Inc   | 3.15                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Hecla Mining Co  | 2.68                     |
|                |                    |                                 |  | Top 10 Total   | 38.75                    |
|                |                    |                                 | Top Sector wise<br>Equity Exposure<br>(as at Dec<br>31,2022) | Materials – 99.94%   |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Overview of the<br>Miners ETF                                | underlying fund - iShares MSC  | I Global Gold            |
|                |                    |                                 | selection of min<br>the underlying the<br>fund Fu            | nd will provide exposure to<br>ning companies in passive f<br>rreby lowering the cost of DSP<br>nd. Performance of ETF have be<br>t 5 years. | und format<br>World Gold |
|                |                    |                                 | Objective see  | e iShares MSCI Global Gold<br>eks to track the investment<br>index composed of global  | results of               |
|                |                    |                                 | Investment co  | mpanies primarily engaged in t<br>gold mining.   |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | drivers  | Gold Prices – High Beta with G<br>to provide significant returns d<br>phase of gold  |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Investment NA<br>Process                                     |  |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | Asset Inv<br>Allocation                                      | restment only in Gold Mining Eq  | uities                   |
|                |                    |                                 | Allocation<br>(as at Dec 31,                                 | uity – 99.86%  |                          |
|                |                    |                                 | 2022)  |  |                          |

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|                |                    |                                 | Country/Region  | Country  |  | 0/  |
|                |                    |                                 | exposure  | Country  |  | %   |
|                |                    |                                 | (as at Dec  | Canada   |  | 52.32   |
|                |                    |                                 | 31,2022)  | United States  |  | 19.69   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | South Africa   |  | 10.78   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Australia  |  | 6.53  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | China  |  | 4.70  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Turkey   |  | 1.85  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | United Kingdom   |  | 1.81  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Peru   |  | 1.27  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Cash   |  | 0.14  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Other  |  | 0.90  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Total Top 10   |  | 100   |
|                |                    |                                 | Exposure to<br>unlisted securities<br>(as at Dec 31,<br>2022) | Nil  |  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Exposure<br>To Derivatives<br>(as at Dec 31,<br>2022)         | Nil  |  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Risk Profile<br>And Risk<br>Control                           | Refer "Summary of<br>48 of Summary pr<br>link.<br>https://www.ishar<br>document?strean<br>shareClass=NA&d<br>926234%7E16963<br>18&iframeUrlOver<br>re%2Fsummary-p<br>msci-global-gold- | ospectus in the<br>es.com/us/librai<br>n=reg&product=<br>documentId=926<br>98%7E925652%<br>rride=%2Fus%2I<br>rospectus%2Fs | below<br>y/stream-<br>I-RING&<br>311%7E<br>7E9256<br>Fliteratu-<br>p-ishares- |
|                |                    |                                 | Category of<br>eligible<br>Investors                          | Retail & Institutio  | nal  |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Performance as<br>on Dec 31,2022 (in                          | 1 YR   | 3 YR 5 YR 10<br>YR   | Since<br>nception 31<br>Jan, 2002   |
|                |                    |                                 | USD terms):   | Fund -14.92  |  | -5.97   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Benchmark -15.07   | -0.76 5.05 -3.98   | -5.86   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Benchmark - MSC<br>Investable Market   |  | old Miners  |
|                |                    |                                 | Total Expense<br>Ratio (USD Acc<br>Class)                     | 0.39% - as on 31 I   | Dec 2022   |   |
|                |                    |                                 | Top ten holdings<br>(as at Dec 31,                            | Name   |  | Weight<br>(%)   |
|                |                    |                                 | 2022)   | Newmont  |  | 18.51   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Barrick Gold Cor   | .b   | 14.73   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Agnico Eagle Mi  | •  | 11.27   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Newcrest Mining  |  | 4.75  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Anglogold Asha   |  | 4.65  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Wheaton Preciou  |  | 4.35  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Gold Fields Ltd  |  | 4.07  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Zijin Mining Grou  | up Ltd   | 3.92  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Yamana Gold Ind  |  | 3.22  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Kinross Gold Co  |  | 3.16  |
|                |                    |                                 |   | Top 10 Total   | · r  | 72.63   |
|                |                    |                                 |   | 1.00 10 10tui  |  | . 2.00  |
|                |                    |                                 |   |  |  |   |

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|                |  |   | Top Sector wise         Materials (Gold Miners)           Equity Exposure (as at Dec 31,2022)         - 99.86%  |
|                |  |   | The underlying fund where the Scheme will invest shall be compliant with all provisions of SEBI Circular SEBI/IMD/CIR No7/104753/07 dated September 26, 2007.   |
| 8.             | SECTION I - INTRODUCTION<br>Risk Factors | <ul> <li>Standard Risk Factors:</li> <li>Investment in mutual fund Units involves investment risks such as trading volumes, settlement risk, liquidity risk, default risk, including the possible loss of principal.</li> <li>As the price / value / interest rates of the securities in which the Scheme invest fluctuates, the value of your investment in the Scheme may go up or down. In addition to the factors that affect the value of individual investments in the Scheme, the NAV of the Scheme can be expected to fluctuate with movements in the broader equity and bond markets and may be influenced by factors affecting capital and money markets in general, such as, but not limited to, changes in interest rates, currency exchange rates, changes in Governmental policies, taxation, political, economic or other developments and increased volatility in the stock and bond markets.</li> <li>Past performance of the Sponsor/AMC/Mutual Fund does not guarantee future performance of the Scheme.</li> <li>The name of the Scheme does not in any manner indicate either the quality of the Scheme or its future prospects and returns.</li> <li>The Sponsors are not responsible or liable for any loss resulting from the operation of the Scheme beyond the initial contribution of Rs. 1 lakh made by it towards setting up the Mutual Fund.</li> <li>Additional Risk Factors for Foreign Investors:</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>trading volumes, settlement risk, liquidity risk, default risk, including the possible loss of principal.</li> <li>As the price / value / interest rates of the securities in which the Scheme invest fluctuates, the value of your investment in the Scheme may go up or down. In addition to the factors that affect the value of individual investments in the Scheme, the NAV of the Scheme can be expected to fluctuate with movements in the broader equity and bond markets and may be influenced by factors affecting capital and money markets in general, such as, but not limited to, changes in interest rates, currency exchange rates, changes in Governmental policies, taxation, political, economic or other developments and increased volatility in the stock and bond markets.</li> <li>Past performance of the Sponsor/AMC/Mutual Fund does not guarantee future performance of the Scheme.</li> <li>The name of the Scheme does not in any manner indicate either the quality of the Scheme or its future prospects and returns.</li> <li>The Sponsors are not responsible or liable for any loss resulting from the operation of the Scheme beyond the initial contribution of Rs. 1 lakh made by it towards setting up the Mutual Fund.</li> <li>The present Scheme is not a guaranteed or assured return Scheme.</li> </ul> |
|                |  | <b>1. Political Risk</b><br>Investments in mutual fund Units in India may be materially<br>adversely impacted by Indian politics and changes in the political<br>scenario in India either at the central, state or local level. Actions<br>of the central government or respective state governments in the<br>future could have a significant effect on the Indian economy, which<br>could affect companies, general business and market conditions,<br>prices and yields of securities in which the Scheme invest.  | different from the home currency for Foreign Investors in the<br>mutual fund Units. The INR value of investments when translated<br>into home currency by Foreign Investors could be lower because of<br>the currency movements. The AMC does not manage currency risk<br>for foreign investors and it is the sole responsibility of the Foreign<br>Investors to manage or reduce currency risk on their own. The<br>Sponsor/Fund/Trustees/AMC are not liable for any loss to Foreign<br>Investors arising from such changes in exchange rates.   |
|                |  | The occurrence of selective unrest or external tensions could<br>adversely affect the political and economic stability of India<br>and consequently have an impact on the securities in which<br>the Scheme invests. Delays or changes in the development of<br>conducive policy frameworks could also have an impact on the<br>securities in which the Scheme invests.   | • Convertibility and Transferability Risk<br>In the event capital and exchange controls are imposed by the<br>government authorities, it would prevent Foreign Investors' ability<br>to convert INR into home currency and/or transfer funds outside<br>India. The convertibility and transferability of INR proceeds into<br>home currency is the responsibility of the Foreign Investors.   |
|                |  | 2. Economic Risk<br>A slowdown in economic growth or macro-economic imbalances<br>such as the increase in central and state level fiscal deficits<br>may adversely affect investments in the country. The underlying<br>growth in the economy is expected to have a direct impact on the<br>volume of new investments in the country.   | Scheme Specific Risk Factors<br>DSPWGF intends to predominantly invest in domestic and<br>overseas funds / ETFs that provide exposure to gold / gold mining<br>companies. The Scheme may also invest, at the discretion of<br>the Investment Manager a portion of its corpus in money market<br>instruments. Hence scheme specific risk factors of such underlying<br>schemes will be applicable. All risks associated with such schemes<br>or ETFs, including performance of their underlying stocks,<br>underlying index, derivative instruments, stock-lending, offshore<br>investments, exchange traded commodity derivatives etc., will<br>therefore be applicable in the case of the Scheme. Investors who<br>intend to invest in the Scheme are required to and deemed to have<br>understood the risk factors of the underlying schemes or ETFs.   |

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| (a)     | (b)         | (c)   | (d)  |
|         |             | <ul> <li><b>3. Foreign Currency Risk</b>         The Scheme is denominated in Indian Rupees (INR) which is different from the home currency for Foreign Investors in the mutual fund Units. The INR value of investments when translated into home currency by Foreign Investors could be lower because of the currency movements. The AMC does not manage currency risk of foreign Investors anising from such changes in exchange rates.     </li> <li><b>4. Convertibility and Transferability Risk</b>         In the event capital and exchange controls are imposed by the government authorities, it would prevent Foreign Investors ability to convert INR into home currency and/or transfer funds outside to convert INR into home currency and/or transfer funds outside to convert INR into home currency and/or transfer funds outside to convert INR into home currency and/or transfer funds outside scheme, which may constitute a significant part of its corpus, and a certain portion of its corpus in the liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund. Hence scheme specific risk factors of Sub Mutual Fund. Hence scheme are required to and deemed to have understored the risk factors of the Investors who intend to invest in the Scheme are required to and deemed to have understod the risk factors of the underlying schemes. DSPWGF shall endeavor to track the performance of the respective underlying funds subject to foreign exchange movement, total expense ratio and returns from investments made in money market securities or units of money market/ liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund.     </li> <li><b>Risk associated with underlying BGF scheme:</b> <ul> <li><b>Liquidity Risk on account of investments in international funds:</b> The Investors the investores the investored by the liquidity of the underlying schemes in which it has invested.</li> <li><b>Portfolio Disclosure Risks associated with investments in international funds:</b> The Investors and returns for the underlying schemes in which it has investor directly investing in the underly</li></ul></li></ul> | <ul> <li>DSPWGF shall endeavor to track the performance of the respective underlying funds and ETFs subject to foreign exchange movement, total expense ratio and returns from investments made in money market securities or units of money market/liquid schemes of DSP Mutual Fund.</li> <li>Risk Factors specific to a Fund of Fund Scheme</li> <li>The Scheme's performance will predominantly depend upon the performance of the corresponding Underlying Funds and ETFs. Any change in the investment policy or the fundamental attributes of the Underlying Fund in which the Scheme invests may affect the performance of the Scheme.</li> <li>Investments in the Underlying Funds and ETFs, which are equity funds, will have all the risks associated with investments in equity and the offshore markets.</li> <li>The portfolio disclosure of the Scheme will be largely limited to the particulars of the relevant Underlying Fund and investments by the Scheme in money market instruments. Therefore, Unit Holders may not be able to obtain specific details of the Scheme in respect of the Underlying Funds and ETFs depends on the ability of the respective Index to perform or Investment Managers to develop and implement investment strategies that achieve their investment objective. Moreover, any subjective decisions made by the Investment Manager ray cause an underlying scheme to incur losses or to miss profit oportunities</li> <li>In addition to the recurring expenses of the Scheme, the Unit Holders shall also bear the applicable expenses of the Underlying Funds and ETFs. Therefore, the returns that the Unit Holder of the Scheme may neceive, at times, be lower than the returns that a Junit Holder, who is directly investing in the same Underlying Fund, could obtain.</li> <li>Risks associated with investment in Sectoral / thematic fund:</li> <li>Any sectoral or thematic fund will seek to invest in underlying investments belonging to a defined sector or the theme. Investor needs to understand that a specific sector/theme may not achieve desired resu</li></ul> |

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|                |                    | <ul> <li>Special Risk Considerations related to BGF – WGF:<br/>Investors must read these special risk considerations. This section contains explanations of some of the risks that apply to BGF – WGF.</li> <li>Emerging Markets<br/>The following considerations, which apply to some extent to all international investments, are of particular significance in certain smaller and emerging markets. Funds investing in equities may include investments by BGF – WGF in certain smaller and emerging markets, which are typically those of poorer or less developed countries which exhibit lower levels of economic and/ or capital market development, and higher levels of share price and currency volatility. The prospects for economic growth in a number of these markets are considerable and equity returns have the potential to exceed those in mature markets as growth is achieved. However, share price and currency volatility are generally higher in emerging markets.</li> </ul> | Some governments exercise substantial influence over the private<br>economic sector and the political and social uncertainties that exist<br>for many developing countries are particularly significant. Another<br>risk common to most such countries is that the economy is heavily<br>export oriented and, accordingly, is dependent upon international<br>trade. The existence of overburdened infrastructures and obsolete<br>financial systems also presents risks in certain countries, as do<br>environmental problems. Certain economies also depend to a<br>significant degree upon exports of primary commodities and,<br>therefore, are vulnerable to changes in commodity prices which, in<br>turn, may be affected by a variety of factors.<br>In adverse social and political circumstances, governments have<br>been involved in policies of expropriation, confiscatory taxation,<br>nationalization, intervention in the securities market and trade<br>extelment, and imposition of foreign investment restrictions and<br>exchange controls, and these could be repeated in the future.<br>In addition to withholding taxes on investment income, some<br>emerging markets may impose different capital gains taxes on<br>foreign investors. |
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|                |                    | do environmental problems. Certain economies also depend to<br>a significant degree upon exports of primary commodities and,<br>therefore, are vulnerable to changes in commodity prices which,<br>in turn, may be affected by a variety of factors.<br>In adverse social and political circumstances, governments have<br>been involved in policies of expropriation, confiscatory taxation,<br>nationalization, intervention in the securities market and trade<br>settlement, and imposition of foreign investment restrictions and<br>exchange controls, and these could be repeated in the future.   | The securities markets of developing countries are not as large as<br>the more established securities markets and have substantially<br>less trading volume, resulting in a lack of liquidity and high price<br>volatility. There may be a high concentration of market capitalization<br>and trading volume in a small number of issuers representing a<br>limited number of industries as well as a high concentration of<br>investors and financial intermediaries. These factors may adversely<br>affect the timing and pricing of the underlying's acquisition or<br>disposal of securities.  |
|                |                    | In addition to withholding taxes on investment income, some<br>emerging markets may impose different capital gains taxes on<br>foreign investors.<br>Generally accepted accounting, auditing and financial reporting<br>practices in emerging markets may be significantly different<br>from those in developed markets. Compared to mature markets,<br>some emerging markets may have a low level of regulation,<br>enforcement of regulations and monitoring of investors' activities.<br>Those activities may include practices such as trading on material  | Practices in relation to settlement of securities transactions in<br>emerging markets involve higher risks than those in developed<br>markets, in part because the underlying will need to use brokers<br>and counterparties which are less well capitalized, and custody and<br>registration of assets in some countries may be unreliable. Delays<br>in settlement could result in investment opportunities being missed<br>if the underlying are unable to acquire or dispose off a security.<br>The custodian of underlying funds are responsible for the proper<br>selection and supervision of its correspondent banks in all relevant<br>markets in accordance with applicable local law and regulation.  |
|                |                    | non-public information by certain categories of investor.<br>The securities markets of developing countries are not as<br>large as the more established securities markets and have<br>substantially less trading volume, resulting in a lack of liquidity<br>and high price volatility. There may be a high concentration of<br>market capitalization and trading volume in a small number of<br>issuers representing a limited number of industries as well as<br>a high concentration of investors and financial intermediaries.<br>These factors may adversely affect the timing and pricing of BGF<br>– WGF's acquisition or disposal of securities.   | In certain emerging markets, registrars are not subject to effective<br>government supervision nor are they always independent from<br>issuers. The possibility of fraud, negligence, undue influence being<br>exerted by the issuer or refusal to recognise ownership exists,<br>which, along with other factors, could result in the registration of<br>a shareholding being completely lost. Investors should therefore<br>be aware that underlying funds could suffer losses arising from<br>these registration problems, and because of archaic legal systems<br>underlying funds may be unable to make a successful claim for<br>compensation.   |
|                |                    | Practices in relation to settlement of securities transactions in emerging markets involve higher risks than those in developed markets, in part because BGF – WGF will need to use brokers and counterparties which are less well capitalized, and custody and registration of assets in some countries may be unreliable. Delays in settlement could result in investment opportunities   | While the factors described above may result in a generally higher<br>level of risk with respect to the individual smaller and emerging<br>markets, these may be reduced when there is a low correlation<br>between the activities of those markets and/or by the diversification<br>of investments.   |

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| <ul> <li>off a security. The custodian of BGF – WGF is responsible to the overarchip and custody of securities. It is videned by entries in the books of a company or its registration of its registration and security and regulation.</li> <li>In cortain emerging markets, registrars are not subject to effective equivalence in the second security of the custodian of underlying funds could use its registration and second security is subject to effective equivalence in the second secon</li></ul> |
| interest when due in accordance with the terms of such debt. A<br>governmental entity's willingness or ability to repay principal and<br>interest due in a timely manner may be affected by, among other<br>factors, its cash flow situation, the extent of its foreign reserves,<br>the availability of sufficient foreign exchange on the date a<br>payment is due, the relative size of the debt service burden to the<br>economy as a whole, the governmental entity's policy towards the<br>International Monetary Fund and the political constraints to which  |

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|                |                    | <ul> <li>Failure to implement such reforms, achieve such levels of economic performance or repay principal or interest when due may result in the cancellation of such third parties' commitments to lend funds to the governmental entity, which may further impair such debtor's ability or willingness to service its debt on a timely basis. Consequently, governmental entities may default on their Sovereign Debt. Holders of Sovereign Debt, including BGF – WGF, may be requested to participate in the rescheduling of such debt and to extend further loans to governmental entities. There is no bankruptcy proceeding by which Sovereign Debt on which a governmental entity has defaulted may be collected in whole or in part.</li> <li>Restrictions on Foreign Investment</li> <li>Some countries prohibit or impose substantial restrictions on investments by foreign entities such as BGF – WGF. As illustrations, certain countries require governmental approval</li> </ul>  | • Liquidity Risk:<br>Trading volumes in the underlying investments of the Underlying<br>schemes may fluctuate significantly depending on market<br>sentiment. There is a risk that investments made by the Underlying<br>schemes may become less liquid in response to market<br>developments, adverse investor perceptions or regulatory and<br>government intervention (including the possibility of widespread<br>trading suspensions implemented by domestic regulators). In<br>extreme market conditions, there may be no willing buyer for an<br>investment and so that investment cannot be readily sold at the<br>desired time or price, and consequently the relevant Fund may have<br>to accept a lower price to sell the relevant investment or may not<br>be able to sell the investment at all. An inability to sell a particular<br>investment or portion of assets can have a negative impact of the<br>value of the Underlying schemes or prevent the relevant Underlying<br>schemes from being able to take advantage of other investment<br>opportunities.   |
|                |                    | prior to investments by foreign persons, or limit the amount of investment by foreign persons in a particular company, or limit the investment by foreign persons in a company to only a specific class of securities which may have less advantageous terms than securities of the company available for purchase by nationals. Certain countries may restrict investment opportunities in issuers or industries deemed important to national interests. The manner in which foreign investors may invest in companies in certain countries, as well as limitations on such investments, may have an adverse impact on the operations of BGF – WGF. For example, BGF – WGF may be required in certain of such countries to invest initially through a local broker or other entity and then have the share purchases re-registered in the name of BGF – WGF. Reregistration may in some instances not be able to occur on a timely basis, resulting in a delay during which BGF – WGF may be denied certain of its rights as an investor, including rights as to IDCWs or to be made aware of certain corporate actions. There also may be instances where BGF – WGF WGF place a purchase order but are subsequently informed, at the time of registration, that the permissible allocation to foreign investors has been filled, depriving BGF – WGF vor sability to repatriate investment income, capital or the proceeds of sales of securities by foreign investors. BGF – WGF could be adversely affected by delays in, or a refusal to grant any required governmental approval for repatriation of capital, as well as by the application to BGF – WGF of any restriction on investment in their capital markets. Shares of certain closed-end investment companies to facilitate indirect foreign investors and securities would bear both their proportionate share of expenses in BGF – WGF also may seek, at their own cost, to create their own investment entities under the laws of certain countries. | <ul> <li>Similarly, investment in equity securities issued by unlisted companies, small and mid-capitalisation companies and companies based in emerging countries are particularly subject to the risk that during certain market conditions, the liquidity of particular issuers or industries, or all securities within a particular investment category, will reduce or disappear suddenly and without warning as a result of adverse economic, market or political events, or adverse market sentiment.</li> <li>Liquidity risk also includes the risk that relevant Underlying schemes may be forced to defer redemptions, issue in specie redemptions or suspend dealing because of stressed market conditions, an unusually high volume of redemption requests, or other factors beyond the control of the investment manager. To meet redemption requests, the Underlying schemes may be forced to sell investments at an unfavorable time and/or conditions, which may have a negative impact on the value of the Fund.</li> <li>Credit Risk &amp; Market Risk:</li> <li>To the extent that the underlying schemes invest in corporate debt securities, they are subject to the risk of an issuer's inability to meet interest and principal payments on its debt obligations (credit risk). Debt securities may also be subject to price volatility due to factors such as changes in credit rating, interest rates, general level of market liquidity and market perception of the creditworthiness of the issuer among others (market risk).</li> <li>Term Structure of Interest Rates (TSIR) Risk:</li> <li>To the extent that the underlying schemes are invested in fixed income securities, the VA of the Units issued under the Scheme is likely to be affected by changes in the general level of interest rates. When interest rates decline, the value of a portfolio of fixed income securities can be expected to rise. Conversely, when interest rates rise, the value of a portfolio of fixed income securities can be expected to rise.</li> </ul> |

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| (a) (b)            | <ul> <li>(c)</li> <li>Risks Associated With Transaction in Units Through Steel Exchange Mechanism</li> <li>In respect of transactions in Units of the Scheme through NSE and/or BSE or any other recognised stock exchange, allotmen and redemption of Units on any Business Day will depend upor the order processing/settlement by NSE, BSE or such othe exchange and their respective clearing corporations on which the Fund has no control. Further, transactions conducted through the stock exchange mechanism shall be governed by the operating guidelines and directives issued by NSE, BSE or such othe recognised exchange in this regard</li> <li>Risks Associated With Investment in Money Market Instruments</li> <li>The following risks are applicable to the extent of the Schemes investment in money market instruments</li> <li>Market Liquidity Risk: The liquidity of investments made in the Schemes may be restricted by trading volumes, settlemen periods and transfer procedures. Although the investment universe constitutes securities which will have high market liquidity, there is a possibility that market liquidity could ge impacted on account of company/sector/general marker leated events and there could be a price impact on account of portfolio rebalancing and/or liquidity demands on account or redemptions. Different segments of the Indian financial market have different settlement periods and such periods may be extended significantly by unforeseen circumstances. There have been times in the past, when settlements have been unable to keep pace with the volume of securities transactions, making i difficult to conduct further transactions. Delays or other problems in settlement. The inability of the Schemes is or discover and there could securities purchases, due to settlement problems, could cause the Schemes to this chemes are univested and no return is earned thereon. The inability of the Schemes' portfolios, due to the absence of a well-developed and liqui secondary market for debt securities, should</li></ul> | <ul> <li>Substantial limitations may exist in certain countries with respect to an Underlying scheme ability to repatriate investment income, capital or the proceeds of sales of securities by foreign investors. An Underlying scheme could be adversely affected by delays in, or a refusal to grant any required governmental approval for repatriation of capital, as well as by the application to the Underlying scheme of any restriction on investments. A number of countries have authorised the formation of closed-end investment companies to facilitate indirect foreign investment companies may at times be acquired only at market prices representing premiums to their net asset values. If an Underlying scheme acquires shares in closed-end investment companies, shareholders would bear both their proportionate share of expenses in the Fund (including management fees) and, indirectly, the expenses of such closed end investment companies. In addition, certain countries such as India and the PRC implement quota restrictions on foreign ownership of certain onshore investments. These investments may at times be acquired only at market prices representing premiums to their net asset values and such premiums may ultimately be borne by the relevant Underlying scheme.</li> <li>* Taxation of underlying schemes and assets:</li> <li>Investors should note in particular that the proceeds from the sale of securities in some markets or the receipt of any dividends and other income may be or may become subject to atls. levies, duties or other fees or charges imposed by the authorities in that market, including taxation levied by withholding at source. As a result, the Underlying Scheme (and therefore the Scheme) could become subject to additional taxes, charges or levies applied in respect of the Scheme's ability to provide tax information and audited accounts in respect of the Underlying Fund in the subtext and other information being provided to the Underlying Fund in the subtext and other information being provided to the Un</li></ul> |

| (a)       (b)       (c)       (d)         • Rating Migration Risk: Fixed income securities are exposed to rating migration risk, which could impact the price on account of change in the credit rating. For example: One notch downgrade of a AAA rated issuer to AA+ will have an adverse impact on the price of the security and vice-versa for an upgrade of a AA+ issuer.       • Valuation Risk: The price the underlying scheme could receive upor security or other asset may differ from the underlying Index, particularly for securities or ot trade in low volume or volatile markets or that are to fixed income securities, will be affected by changes in the general level of interest rates. When interest rates decline, the value of the underlying scheme's portfolio may change on the aportfolio of fixed income securities can be expected to rise.       • Term Structure of Interest rates decline, the value of the security or other asset. Authorized Participants when shareholders will not be able to a portfolio of fixed income securities can be expected to rise.   | on the sale of a   |
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| Conversely, when interest rates rise, the value of a portioid of redeem Fund shares on days when the Fund is hold of redemption process, than they would have reserved to advect the securities may reserve reaves or more shares, or it redemption process, than they would have reserved from the securities in the would have research the securities in the would have research and the provide disproportionate the lower than that originally assumed. The first is investment and can provide disproportionate is a disproportionate losses to the investor. Ease of the Underlying scheme in the securities and can provide disproportionate is a disproportionate is a subject to the securities and offer investors. Ease subject to the underlying scheme in the securities and can provide disproportionate is a disproportionate in the securities and the underlying scheme is the interest of the underlying | lying scheme's<br>e value used by<br>ther assets that<br>valued using a<br>ons or for other<br>other assets in<br>days or during<br>to purchase or<br>ding fair-valued<br>ower or higher<br>ceived had the<br>used a different<br>ability to value<br>uses or errors by<br>rrs.<br>connection with<br>are leveraged<br>gains as well<br>cution of such<br>trenent manager<br>opportunities.<br>pursued by the<br>olve uncertainty<br>not always be<br>trenent manager<br>or execute such<br>s are different<br>d with investing<br>nts. Derivatives<br>cause they may<br>rket conditions<br>the losses that<br>nal investment.<br>verage. Due to<br>ading financial<br>of leverage is<br>nts. As a result,<br>the Underlying<br>vice movement<br>I losses to the<br>uses in the value<br>the underlying<br>redging or risk<br>ain may not be<br>cheme and the<br>Fund's returns<br>loss. |

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|                |                    |                                 | The Underlying Schemes may take short positions on a security<br>through the use of financial derivative instruments in the<br>expectation that their value will fall in the open market. The<br>possible loss from taking a short position on a security differs<br>from the loss that could be incurred from a cash investment in the<br>security; the former may be unlimited as there is no restriction on<br>the price to which a security may rise, whereas the latter cannot<br>exceed the total amount of the cash investment. The short selling of<br>investments may also be subject to changes in regulations, which<br>could impose restrictions that could adversely impact returns to<br>investors.  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Risks of Exchange Traded Derivative Transactions:<br>The securities exchange on which the shares of the Underlying<br>Fund may be listed may have the right to suspend or limit trading<br>in all securities which it lists. Such a suspension would expose the<br>Underlying Scheme to losses and delays in its ability to redeem<br>shares.  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Legal risk<br>OTC Derivatives, Repurchase and Reverse Repurchase<br>Transactions, Securities Lending and Re-used Collateral: There is<br>a risk that agreements and derivatives techniques are terminated<br>due, for instance, to bankruptcy, supervening illegality or change<br>in tax or accounting laws. In such circumstances, an underlying<br>scheme may be required to cover any losses incurred. Furthermore,<br>certain transactions are entered into on the basis of complex legal<br>documents. Such documents may be difficult to enforce or may be<br>the subject of a dispute as to interpretation in certain circumstances.<br>Whilst the rights and obligations of the parties to a legal document<br>may for example be governed by English or Luxembourg law, in<br>certain circumstances (for example insolvency proceedings) other<br>legal systems may take priority which may affect the enforceability<br>of existing transactions. |
|                |                    |                                 | • Securities Lending:<br>The underlying schemes may engage in securities lending. The<br>underlying schemes engaging in securities lending will have a<br>credit risk exposure to the counterparties to any securities lending<br>contract. Fund investments can be lent to counterparties over a<br>period of time. A default by the counterparty combined with a fall in<br>the value of the collateral below that of the value of the securities<br>lent may result in a reduction in the value of the underlying<br>schemes.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Risks Relating to Repurchase Agreements:<br>In the event of the failure of the counterparty with which collateral<br>has been placed, the underlying schemes may suffer loss as there<br>may be delays in recovering collateral placed out or the cash<br>originally received may be less than the collateral placed with the<br>counterparty due to inaccurate pricing of the collateral or market<br>movements.  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Risks Relating to Reverse Repurchase Agreements:<br>In the event of the failure of the counterparty with which cash has<br>been placed, the underlying schemes may suffer loss as there may<br>be delay in recovering cash placed out or difficulty in realising<br>collateral or proceeds from the sale of the collateral may be less<br>than the cash placed with the counterparty due to inaccurate<br>pricing of the collateral or market movements.   |

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|                |                    |                                 | <ul> <li>Repurchase and Reverse Repurchase Agreements:</li> <li>Under a repurchase agreement an underlying schemes sells a security to counterparty and simultaneously agrees to repurchase the security back from the counterparty at an agreed price and date. The difference between the sale price and the repurchase price establishes the cost of the transaction. The resale price generally exceeds the purchase price by an amount which reflects an agreed-upon market interest rate for the term of the agreement. In a reverse repurchase agreement a underlying schemes purchases an investment from a counterparty which undertakes to repurchase the security at an agreed resale price on an agreed future date. The underlying schemes therefore bears the risk that if the seller defaults the Fund might suffer a loss to the extent that proceeds from the sale of the underlying schemes in connection with the relevant agreement may be less than the repurchase price because of market movements. A underlying schemes cannot sell the securities which are the subject of a reverse repurchase agreement until the term of the agreement has expired or the counterparty has exercised its right to repurchase the securities.</li> </ul> |
|                |                    |                                 | • Cybersecurity Risk:<br>Failures or breaches of the electronic systems of the underlying<br>scheme, the underlying scheme's adviser, distributor, the Index<br>Provider and other service providers, market makers, Authorized<br>Participants or the issuers of securities in which the underlying<br>scheme invests have the ability to cause disruptions, negatively<br>impact the underlying scheme's business operations and/or<br>potentially result in financial losses to the underlying scheme and<br>its shareholders.   |
|                |                    |                                 | <ul> <li>Infectious Illness Risk:</li> <li>An outbreak of an infectious respiratory illness, COVID 19, caused<br/>by a novel coronavirus has resulted in travel restrictions, disruption<br/>of healthcare systems, prolonged quarantines, cancellations,<br/>supply chain disruptions, lower consumer demand, layoffs, ratings<br/>downgrades, defaults and other significant economic impacts.<br/>Certain markets have experienced temporary closures, extreme<br/>volatility, severe losses, reduced liquidity and increased trading<br/>costs. Such events can have an impact on the underlying Schemes<br/>and could impact their ability to purchase or sell securities or cause<br/>elevated tracking error and increased premiums or discounts to the<br/>NAV. Other infectious illness outbreaks in the future may result in<br/>similar impacts.</li> </ul>  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Operational Risk:<br>The underlying schemes are exposed to operational risks arising<br>from a number of factors, including, but not limited to, human<br>error, processing and communication errors, errors of the service<br>providers, counterparties or other third-parties, failed or inadequate<br>processes and technology or systems failures.  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Counterparty Risk:<br>An underlying schemes will be exposed to the credit risk of the<br>parties with which it transacts and may also bear the risk of<br>settlement default. Credit risk is the risk that the counterparty<br>to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation or<br>commitment that it has entered into with the relevant underlying<br>scheme. This would include the counterparties to any derivatives,<br>repurchase / reverse repurchase agreement or securities lending<br>agreement that it enters into. Trading in derivatives which have not<br>been collateralised gives rise to direct counterparty exposure.   |

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|                |                    |                                 | • Collateral risk:<br>Although collateral may be taken to mitigate the risk of a counterparty default, there is a risk that the collateral taken, especially where it is in the form of securities, when realised will not raise sufficient cash to settle the counterparty's liability. This may be due to factors including inaccurate pricing of collateral, failures in valuing the collateral on a regular basis, adverse market movements in the value of collateral, or the illiquidity of the market in which the collateral is traded. Where an underlying scheme is in turn required to post collateral it places with the counterparty is higher than the cash or investments received by it. In either case, where there are delays or difficulties in recovering assets or cash, collateral posted with counterparties, or realising collateral received from counterparties, the underlying schemes may encounter difficulties in meeting redemption or purchase requests or in meeting delivery or purchase obligations under other contracts. As an underlying scheme may reinvest cash collateral it receives, there is a risk that the value on return of the reinvested cash collateral may not be sufficient to cover the amount required to be repaid to the counterparty. In this circumstance, the underlying scheme would be required to cover the shortfall. In case of cash collateral reinvestment, all risks associated with a normal investment will apply. As collateral will take the form of cash or certain financial instruments, the market risk is relevant. Collateral received by an underlying scheme may be held either by the Depositary or by a third party custodian. In either case, there may be a risk of loss |
|                |                    |                                 | where such assets are held in custody, resulting from events such<br>as the insolvency or negligence of a custodian or sub-custodian.<br>• Sustainability Risk:<br>The risk arising from any environmental, social or governance<br>events or conditions that, were they to occur, could cause material<br>negative impact on the value of the investments in the underlying<br>schemes. Specific sustainability risk can vary for each product and<br>product and   |
|                |                    |                                 | asset class, and include but are not limited to:<br>• Transition Risk:<br>The risk posed by the exposure to issuers that may potentially<br>be negatively affected by the transition to a low carbon economy<br>due to their involvement in exploration, production, processing,<br>trading and sale of fossil fuels, or their dependency upon carbon<br>intensive materials, processes, products and services. Transition<br>risk may result to several factors, including rising costs and/<br>or limitation of greenhouse gas emissions, energy-efficiency<br>requirements, reduction in fossil fuel demand or shift to alternative<br>energy sources, due to policy, regulatory, technological and market<br>demand changes. Transition risk may negatively affect the value of<br>investments by impairing assets or by increasing liabilities, capital<br>expenditures, operating and financing costs.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Physical Risk:<br>The risk posed by the exposure to issuers that may potentially<br>be negatively affected by the physical impacts of climate change.<br>Physical risk includes acute risks arising from extreme weather<br>events such as storms, floods, droughts, fires or heatwaves, and<br>chronic risks arising from gradual changes in the climate, such as<br>changing rainfall patterns, rising sea levels, ocean acidification,<br>and biodiversity loss. Physical risk may negatively affect the value<br>of investments by impairing assets, productivity or revenues or by<br>increasing liabilities, capital expenditures, operating and financing<br>costs.   |

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|                |                    |                                 | • Social Risk:<br>The risk posed by the exposure to issuers that may potentially be<br>negatively affected by social factors such as poor labour standards,<br>human rights violations, damage to public health, data privacy<br>breaches, or increased inequalities. Social risk may negatively<br>affect the value of investments by impairing assets, productivity<br>or revenues or by increasing liabilities, capital expenditures,<br>operating and financing costs.  |
|                |                    |                                 | 1. Governance Risk: The risk posed by the exposure to issuers<br>that may potentially be negatively affected by weak governance<br>structures. For companies, governance risk may result from<br>malfunctioning boards, inadequate remuneration structures,<br>abuses of minority shareholders or bondholders rights, deficient<br>controls, aggressive tax planning and accounting practices, or lack<br>of business ethics. For countries, governance risk may include<br>governmental instability, bribery and corruption, privacy breaches<br>and lack of judicial independence. Governance risk may negatively<br>affect the value of investments due to poor strategic decisions,<br>conflict of interest, reputational damages, increased liabilities or<br>loss of investor confidence.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Expense Risks associated with investments in international funds:<br>In respect of the corpus of the Scheme that is invested in<br>international funds, investors shall bear the proportionate recurring<br>expenses of such underlying scheme(s), in addition to the recurring<br>expenses of the Scheme. Therefore, the returns attributable to such<br>investments by the Scheme may be impacted or may, at times, be<br>lower than the returns that the investors could obtain by directly<br>investing in the said underlying scheme(s).   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Portfolio Disclosure Risks associated with investments in international funds:<br>The disclosures of portfolio for the Scheme will be limited to the particulars of the underlying schemes and money market securities where the Scheme has invested. Investors may, therefore, not be able to obtain specific details of the investments of the underlying schemes.  |
|                |                    |                                 | <ul> <li>Investment Policy and/or fundamental attribute change risks<br/>associated with investments in international funds:</li> </ul>   |
|                |                    |                                 | Any change in the investment policies or fundamental attributes<br>of any underlying scheme is likely to affect the performance of the<br>Scheme.   |
|                |                    |                                 | Other Risk associated with underlying Gold ETFs:  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Commodity risks:<br>The Fund may invest in commodities (gold) markets and may<br>therefore have investment exposure to the commodities (gold)<br>markets and one or more sectors of the commodities markets,<br>which may subject the Fund to greater volatility than investments<br>in traditional securities, such as stocks and bonds. Volatility in the<br>commodities markets may be caused by changes in overall market<br>movements, domestic and foreign political and economic events<br>and policies, war, acts of terrorism, changes in domestic or foreign<br>interest rates and/or investor expectations concerning interest<br>rates, domestic and foreign inflation rates, investment and trading<br>activities of mutual funds, hedge funds and commodities funds,<br>and factors such as drought, floods, weather, livestock disease,<br>embargoes, tariffs and other regulatory developments, or supply<br>and demand disruptions. Because the Fund's performance is<br>linked to the performance of volatile commodities, investors should<br>be willing to assume the risks of potentially significant fluctuations<br>in the value of the Fund's shares. |

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|                |                    |                                 | • Authorized Participant Concentration Risk:<br>Only an Authorized Participant may engage in creation or<br>redemption transactions directly with the underlying ETF, and none<br>of those Authorized Participants is obligated to engage in creation<br>and/or redemption transactions.  |
|                |                    |                                 | The underlying ETF has a limited number of institutions that<br>may act as Authorized Participants on an agency basis (i.e., on<br>behalf of other market participants). To the extent that Authorized<br>Participants exit the business or are unable to proceed with<br>creation or redemption orders with respect to the underlying ETF<br>and no other Authorized Participant is able to step forward to create<br>or redeem, shares in the underlying ETF may be more likely to trade<br>at a premium or discount to NAV and possibly face trading halts or<br>delisting.  |
|                |                    |                                 | <ul> <li>Index-Related Risk:<br/>There is no guarantee that the underlying ETF's investment results<br/>will have a high degree of correlation to those of the Underlying<br/>Index or that the underlying ETF will achieve its investment<br/>objective. Market disruptions and regulatory restrictions could<br/>have an adverse effect on the underlying ETF's ability to adjust<br/>its exposure to the required levels in order to track the Underlying<br/>Index. Errors in index data, index computations or the construction<br/>of the Underlying Index in accordance with its methodology may<br/>occur from time to time and may not be identified and corrected by<br/>the Index Provider for a period of time or at all, which may have an<br/>adverse impact on the underlying ETF. Unusual market conditions<br/>may cause the Index Provider to postpone a scheduled rebalance,<br/>which could cause the Underlying Index to vary from its normal or<br/>expected composition</li> </ul>   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Passive Investment Risk:<br>The underlying ETF is not actively managed, and the fund manager<br>generally does not attempt to take defensive positions under any<br>market conditions, including declining markets  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Tracking Error Risk:<br>The underlying ETF may be subject to tracking error, which is the<br>divergence of its performance from that of the Underlying Index.<br>Tracking error may occur because of differences between the<br>securities and other instruments held in the ETF portfolio and those<br>included in the Underlying Index, pricing differences (including, as<br>applicable, differences between a security's price at the local market<br>close and the ETF's valuation of a security at the time of calculation<br>of the Fund's NAV), transaction costs incurred by the ETF, the<br>holding of uninvested cash, differences in timing of the accrual<br>of or the valuation of dividends or interest, the requirements to<br>maintain pass through tax treatment, portfolio transactions carried<br>out to minimize the distribution of capital gains to shareholders,<br>acceptance of custom baskets, changes to the Underlying Index<br>or the costs to the ETF of complying with various new or existing<br>regulatory requirements. This risk may be heightened during times<br>of increased market volatility or other unusual market conditions.<br>Tracking error also may result because the ETF incurs fees and<br>expenses, while the Underlying Index does not. |
|                |                    |                                 | • Exchange Traded Commodity Derivatives (ETCD):<br>Derivative products are leveraged instruments and can provide<br>disproportionate gains as well as disproportionate losses to the<br>investor. Execution of investment strategies depends upon the<br>ability of the underlying ETF(s) to identify such opportunities<br>which may always not be available. Identification and execution<br>of the strategies to be pursued by the underlying ETF(s) involve<br>uncertainty and decision of underlying ETF(s) may not always be<br>profitable. No assurance can be given that the underlying ETF(s)<br>will be able to identify or execute such strategies.  |

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|                |                    |                                 | The underlying ETF(s) within the regulatory guidelines and room<br>given in Scheme information document, may use derivative on gold<br>(like Futures) for rebalancing, holding, creation of fresh units or<br>redemption of existing units for the Scheme. The use of derivatives<br>may affect the performance of the ETF and tracking error. It may<br>also impact the value at units are created or redeemed by the<br>scheme.  |
|                |                    |                                 | Additional Systemic risks which may be witnessed while trading<br>in Indian ETCD Market are Liquidity risk, Price risk in terms of<br>volatility, Exchange Risk and counterparty risks.  |
|                |                    |                                 | Liquidity Risk: While ETCDs that are listed on an exchange carry<br>lower liquidity risk, the ability to sell these contracts is limited by<br>the overall trading volume on the exchanges. The liquidity of the<br>Schemes' investments is inherently restricted by trading volumes<br>of the ETCD contracts in which it invests. Additionally, change in<br>margin requirements or intervention by government agencies to<br>reduce overall volatility in the underlying commodity could lead to<br>adverse impact on the liquidity of the ETCD.   |
|                |                    |                                 | Price risk: ETCDs are leveraged instruments hence, a small price<br>movement in the underlying security could have a large impact on<br>their value. Also, the market for ETCDs is nascent in India hence,<br>arbitrages can occur between the price of the physical commodity<br>and the ETCD, due to a variety of reasons such as technical issues<br>and volatile movement in the price of the physical good. This can<br>result in mispricing and improper valuation of investment decisions<br>as it can be difficult to ascertain the amount of the arbitrage.   |
|                |                    |                                 | Settlement risk: ETCDs can be settled either through the exchange<br>or physically. The inability to sell ETCDs held in the ETF(s) portfolio<br>in the exchanges due to the extraneous factors may impact<br>liquidity and would result in losses, at times, in case of adverse<br>price movement. Wherein the underlying commodity is physically<br>delivered in order to settle the derivative contract, such settlement<br>could get impacted due to various issues, such as logistics,<br>Government policy for trading in such commodities.   |
|                |                    |                                 | If the Commodities futures position passes its last square off date<br>or the 'Intention' is missed to be provided before the Delivery<br>Intention period, the buyer or the seller will be allocated delivery<br>of the commodity. Thus, there emerges a risk of holding goods<br>in physical form at the warehouses. Though the commodity is<br>inclusive of insurance cost, there is a small deductible in each<br>claim which is not payable by the Insurance company.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Risks Related to the Custody of physical Gold<br>The Custodian of the underlying ETF(s) is responsible for<br>the safekeeping of the gold bullion and also facilitates the<br>transfer of gold bullion into and out of the vault. Accordingly,<br>the ETF is dependent on the Custodian to comply with the best<br>practices of the London Bullion Market Association (LBMA) and<br>to implement satisfactory internal controls for its gold bullion<br>custody operations in order to keep the gold bullion secure. The<br>Custodian is responsible for loss or damage to the gold only under<br>limited circumstances. The underlying ETF(s) does not insure its<br>gold (Underlying gold of the scheme). The Custodian maintains<br>insurance on such terms and conditions as it considers appropriate<br>in connection with its custodial obligations under the Custodian<br>Agreement and is responsible for all costs, fees and expenses |
|                |                    |                                 | arising from the insurance policy or policies. The underlying ETF(s) is not a beneficiary of any such insurance and does not have the ability to dictate the existence, nature or amount of coverage.  |

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|                |                    |                                 | 2. Risks associated with handling, storing and safekeeping of physical gold: There is a risk that part or all of the underlying ETF(s) gold could be lost, damaged or stolen. Access to the ETF(s) gold could also be restricted by natural events or human actions. Any of these actions may have adverse impact on the operations of the scheme and consequently on investment in units.  |
|                |                    |                                 | 3. Active Market: Although the underlying ETF is proposed to<br>be listed on exchange, there can be no assurance that an active<br>secondary market will be developed or maintained. The underlying<br>ETF(s) and the Trustees of the underlying ETF(s) may not be held<br>liable for delay in trading of Units on Stock Exchange due to the<br>occurrence of any event beyond their control. For an investor in<br>less than creation unit size, exchange quotes may not be always<br>available.   |
|                |                    |                                 | Risks Associated With Investment in Money Market Instruments  |
|                |                    |                                 | The following risks are applicable to the extent of Scheme's investment in debt securities and money market instruments:  |
|                |                    |                                 | • Market Liquidity Risk:<br>The liquidity of investments made in the Scheme may be restricted by trading volumes besides operational issues like settlement periods and transfer procedures. Different segments of the Indian financial markets have different settlement periods and such periods may be extended significantly by unforeseen circumstances. There have been times in the past, when settlements have been unable to keep pace with the volume of securities transactions, making it difficult to conduct further transactions. Delays or other problems in settlement of transactions could result in temporary periods when the assets of the Scheme are uninvested and no return is earned thereon. The inability of the Scheme to make intended securities purchases, due to settlement problems, could cause the Scheme to miss certain investment opportunities. By the same token, the inability to sell securities held in the Scheme's portfolios, due to the absence of a well developed and liquid secondary market, would result at times, in potential losses to the Scheme, should there be a subsequent decline in the value of securities held in the Scheme's of a well-developed and liquid secondary market, would result at times, in potential losses to the Scheme, should there be a subsequent decline in the value of securities held in the Scheme's of the Scheme's of the Scheme's portfolios. Money market, which may restrict the selling ability of the Schemes and may lead to the Schemes incurring losses till the security is finally sold. |
|                |                    |                                 | • Credit Risk:<br>Fixed income securities (debt and money market securities)<br>are subject to the risk of an issuer's inability to meet interest<br>and principal payments on its debt obligations. The Investment<br>Manager will endeavour to manage credit risk through in-house<br>credit analysis. Different types of securities in which the Schemes<br>would invest as given in the SID carry different levels of credit<br>risk. Accordingly, the Schemes' risk may increase or decrease<br>depending upon their investment patterns. E.g. corporate bonds<br>carry a higher amount of risk than Government securities. Further,<br>even among corporate bonds, bonds which are rated AAA are<br>comparatively less risky than bonds which are AA rated.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Term Structure of Interest Rates (TSIR) Risk:<br>The NAV of the Scheme's Units, to the extent that the Scheme is<br>invested in fixed income securities, will be affected by changes in<br>the general level of interest rates. When interest rates decline, the<br>value of a portfolio of fixed income securities can be expected to<br>rise. Conversely, when interest rates rise, the value of a portfolio of<br>fixed income securities can be expected to decline.  |

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|                |                    |                                 | • Rating Migration Risk:<br>Fixed income securities are exposed to rating migration risk, which<br>could impact the price on account of change in the credit rating. For<br>example: One notch downgrade of a AAA rated issuer to AA+ will<br>have an adverse impact on the price of the security and vice-versa<br>for an upgrade of a AA+ issuer.   |
|                |                    |                                 | • Re-investment Risk:<br>The investments made by the Scheme is subject to reinvestment<br>risk. This risk refers to the interest rate levels at which cash flows<br>received from the securities in the Scheme are reinvested. The<br>additional income from reinvestment is the "interest on interest"<br>component. The risk is that the rate at which interim cash flows can<br>be reinvested may be lower than that originally assumed.   |
|                |                    |                                 | Risks associated with investing in Tri Party Repo (TREPS):  |
|                |                    |                                 | DSP mutual fund is a member of Securities segment and Tri-party<br>Repo trade settlement of the Clearing Corporation of India Limited<br>(CCIL). All transactions of the mutual fund in government securities<br>and in Tri-party Repo trades are settled centrally by CCIL which<br>helps reduce the settlement and counterparty risks for these<br>transactions. CCIL manages the risks through its risk management<br>processes such that the ultimate risk to its members from fails is<br>either eliminated or reduced to the minimum. CCIL thus maintains<br>margin and default fund contributions of each member for various<br>business segments as per the terms of its Bye Laws, Rules and<br>Regulations to cover potential losses arising from the default<br>member. |
|                |                    |                                 | In an event of any clearing member failing to honor settlement<br>obligations, the margin and default Fund is utilized to complete the<br>settlement. As per the waterfall mechanism, after the defaulter's<br>margins and the defaulter's contribution to the default fund<br>have been utilized, CCIL's own contribution is used to meet the<br>losses and thereafter any residual loss is appropriated from the<br>contributions of the non-defaulting members.  |
|                |                    |                                 | Thus the scheme is subject to risk of the margin and default<br>fund contribution being appropriated in the case of failure of any<br>settlement obligations. Further, the scheme's contribution may<br>be used to meet the residual loss in case of default by the other<br>clearing member (the defaulting member).   |
|                |                    |                                 | The risk factors may undergo change in case the CCIL notifies securities other than Government of India securities as eligible for contribution as collateral.  |
|                |                    |                                 | Risks Associated With Transaction in Units through Stock Exchange Mechanism   |
|                |                    |                                 | In respect of transactions in Units of the Scheme through NSE<br>and/or BSE and/or ICEX or any other recognized stock exchange,<br>allotment and redemption of Units on any Business Day will depend<br>upon the order processing/settlement by NSE, BSE, ICEX or such<br>other exchange and their respective clearing corporations on which<br>the Mutual Fund has no control. Further, transactions conducted<br>through the stock exchange mechanism shall be governed by the<br>operating guidelines and directives issued by NSE, BSE, ICEX or<br>such other recognized exchange in this regard.   |

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|                |                            |  | <ul> <li>Risks associated with segregated portfolio</li> <li>Investor holding units of segregated portfolio may not able to liquidate their holding till the time recovery of money from the issuer.</li> <li>Security comprises of segregated portfolio may not realise any value.</li> <li>Listing of units of segregated portfolio in recognised stock exchange does not necessarily guarantee their liquidity. There may not be active trading of units in the stock market. Further trading price of units on the stock market may be significantly lower than the prevailing NAV.</li> </ul>   |
|                | RISK MANAGEMENT STRATEGIES | <ul> <li>DSPIM is committed to a strong control and compliance environment and ensuring that the management structure is appropriate to the scale of the business. DSPIM's fiduciary business is managed according to the rules and a regulation stipulated for Asset Management Companies by the Securities &amp; Exchange Board of India (SEBI) and also incorporates DSPIM's internal policies.</li> <li>The AMC has systems and processes to monitor all the investment restrictions specified by SEBI and in this document on a regular basis.</li> <li>Risk Associated With Underlying Schemes</li> <li>Liquidity Risk on account of investments in international funds: The investments are made in international funds. Which provide daily liquidity. However there exists a possibility that different settlement cycles and foreign exchange conversion could leads to delay in receipt of redemption proceeds. To mitigate this risk, daily cash management monitoring is performed by the Risk and Quantitative Analysis (RQA) team by taking into consideration future cash flows on account of redemptions as well as subscriptions into/from the domestic fund. The endeavor is to maintain an adequate liquidity cushion in Indian Rupee terms by making investments in very short term money market instruments and/or liquid schemes in India</li> <li>Expense Risks associated with investments in international funds: any increase in the expense structure of the international funds is not expected to have any impact as the aggregate of expenses incurred by the Indian Fund-of-Funds scheme and the underlying international funds with a three month lag i.e. March portfolio Disclosure Risks associated with investments in international fund. Full portfolio holdings can be obtained from underlying international funds with a three month lag i.e. March portfolio can be obtained at the end of June.</li> <li>Investment Policy and/or fundamental attribute change risks associated with investments in international funds; which have similar investment objectives to the domestic fund</li></ul> | <ul> <li>Risk Associated with Underlying Schemes</li> <li>Liquidity Risk on account of investments in overseas funds: The investments are made in international funds, which provide daily liquidity.</li> <li>Expense Risks associated with investments in overseas funds: The aggregate of expenses incurred by the Indian Fund-of-Funds scheme and the underlying international funds is subject to limits prescribed by SEBI.</li> <li>Portfolio Disclosure Risks associated with investments in overseas fund: Although full portfolio disclosure is not available at the end of each month, top ten holdings as well as sector holdings are made available at the end of each month for the overseas fund. Full portfolio holdings can be obtained from underlying Overseas funds generally with a three-month lag i.e. March portfolio can be obtained at the end of June</li> <li>Investment Policy and/or fundamental attribute change risks associated with investments in overseas funds: Investments are made in such international funds, which have similar investment objectives to the domestic fund in India. However, there exists possibility that there is a change in the fundamental attributes of the international fund. In such circumstances, the Investment Manager will seek to invest in other international funds, which have the same investment objective as the domestic fund.</li> <li>Risks Associated with Investment in Money Market Instruments</li> <li>Market Liquidity Risk: The Investment Manager will select fixed income securities, which have or are expected to have high secondary market liquidity.</li> <li>Credit Risk: Credit Risk associated with fixed income securities issued by borrowers, which have a good credit profile. The credit research process includes a detailed in-house analysis and due diligence.</li> <li>Term Structure of Interest Rates (TSIR) Risk: As the investments of the Scheme are very short duration in nature, the risk can be expected to be small.</li> <li>Rating Migration Risk: The endeavour is to invest in high grade/ quality</li></ul> |

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|                |                    | • Risks associated with investments in BGF–WGF – special risk consideration related to international fund: To the extent of the investments in BGF-WGF, the risks of BGF-WGF will exist. The investors should note that these risks cannot be defeased as these are international funds managed by BlackRock. However, as part of our due diligence, we have chosen funds, which have long term performance track record, stability of fund management team and are accredited by third party funds evaluators like S&P, Morningstar etc.  |   |
|                |                    | Risks Associated With Investment in Money Market<br>Instruments  |   |
|                |                    | <ul> <li>Market Liquidity Risk: The liquidity risk will be managed and/or sought to be addressed by creating a portfolio which has adequate access to liquidity. The Investment Manager will select fixed income securities, which have or are expected to have high secondary market liquidity. Market Liquidity Risk will be managed actively within the portfolio liquidity limits. The first access to liquidity is through cash and fixed income securities. The investment in unlisted securities will be minimal.</li> <li>Credit Risk: Credit Risk associated with fixed income securities will be managed by making investments in securities issued by borrowers, which have a good credit profile. The credit research process includes a detailed in-house analysis and due diligence. Limits are assigned for each of the issuer (other than government of India); these limits are for the amount as well as maximum permissible tenor for each issuer. The credit process ensures that issuer level review is done at inception as well as periodically by taking into consideration the balance sheet and operating</li> </ul> |   |
|                |                    | strength of the issuer.<br><b>Term Structure of Interest Rates (TSIR) Risk:</b> The Investment<br>Manager will endeavour to actively manage the duration based on<br>the ensuing market conditions. As the investments of the Scheme<br>are very short duration in nature, the risk can be expected to be<br>small.  |   |
|                |                    | • Rating Migration Risk: The endeavour is to invest in high grade/quality securities. The due diligence performed by the fixed income team before assigning credit limits and the periodic credit review and monitoring should address company-specific issues.  |   |
|                |                    | • <b>Re-investment Risk:</b> Re-investment Risk is prevalent for fixed income securities, but as the investments of the Scheme are short duration in nature, the impact can be expected to be small.   |   |

\* Considered as Fundamental Attribute Change

Note: All other features of the Scheme except those mentioned above will remain unchanged.

- 4. The Board of Directors of DSP Investment Managers Private Limited and the Board of Directors of DSP Trustee Private Limited, have approved the above proposed changes. Further, SEBI, vide its email dated January 04, 2023 has communicated its no-objection for the proposed changes.
- 5. In line with regulatory requirements, for scheme where a change in fundamental attributes is being proposed, we are offering an exit window ("Exit Option") to the Unit holders of 30 days (minimum 30 days) from Wednesday, February 01, 2023 to Thursday, March 02, 2023 (both days inclusive) ("Exit Option Period"). These changes will be effective from Friday, March 03, 2023 ("Effective Date"). During the Exit Option Period, unit holders not consenting to the change may either switch to any other scheme of the Fund or redeem their investments at applicable Net Asset Value without payment of exit load subject to provisions of applicable cut-off time as stated in the Scheme Information Document of the Scheme. All transaction requests received on or after Friday, March 03, 2023 will be subject to applicable exit load (if any), as may be applicable to the Scheme mentioned above.
- 6. Redemption/switch requests, if any, may be lodged at any of the Official Points of Acceptance of the Fund.
- 7. The above information is also available on the website of the Fund i.e. www.dspim.com.
- 8. Unit holders who have pledged / encumbered their units will not have the option to exit unless they submit a letter of release of their pledges / encumbrances prior to submitting their redemption / switch requests.
- 9. Investors who have registered for Systematic Investment Plan (SIP) in the Scheme and who do not wish to continue their future investments must apply for cancellation of their SIP registrations.
- 10. The redemption warrant/cheque will be mailed or the amount of redemption will be credited to the unit holders bank account (as registered in the records of the Registrar, Computer Age Management Services Limited) within applicable regulatory guidelines.
- 11. It may be noted that the offer to exit is purely optional and not compulsory. If the Unit holder has no objection to the aforesaid change, no action is required to be taken and

## it would be deemed that such Unit holder has consented to the aforesaid change.

- 12. Please note that unit holders who do not opt for redemption on or before Thursday, March 02, 2023 (upto 03.00 p.m.) shall be deemed to have consented to the changes specified herein above and shall continue to hold units in the Scheme of the Fund. In case the unit holders disagree with the aforesaid changes, they may redeem all or part of the units in the Scheme of the Fund by exercising the Exit Option, without exit load within the Exit Option Period by submitting a redemption request online or through a physical application form at any official point of acceptance/investor service center of the AMC or to the depository participant (DP) (in case of units held in Demat mode). Unit holders can also submit the normal redemption form for this purpose.
- 13. The option to redeem the Units without exit load during the Exit Option Period can be exercised in the following manner:
  - (a) Unit holders can submit redemption requests online or via duly completed physical application form at any official points of acceptance/investor service center of the AMC or to the DP (in case of units held in Demat mode).
  - (b) The redemption/ switch requests shall be processed at applicable NAV as per time stamping provisions contained in the SID of the Scheme.
  - (c) Unit holders should ensure that any changes in address or pay-out bank details required by them, are updated in Fund's records at least 10 (Ten) working days before exercising the Exit Option. Unit holders holding Units in dematerialized form may approach their DP for such changes.
- 14. The expenses related to the proposed changes and other consequential changes as outlined above will not be charged to the unit holders of the Scheme of the Fund.
- 15. Tax Consequences: Redemption / switch-out of units from the Scheme may entail capital gain/loss in the hands of the unitholder. For unit holders who redeem their investments during the Exit Option Period, the tax consequences as set forth in the Statement of Additional Information of the Fund and Scheme Information Document of Scheme of the Fund would be applicable. In case of NRI investors, TDS shall be deducted from the redemption proceeds in accordance with the prevailing income tax laws. In view of the individual nature of tax consequences, Unitholders are advised to consult their professional tax advisors for tax advice.

Unit holders who require any further information may contact:

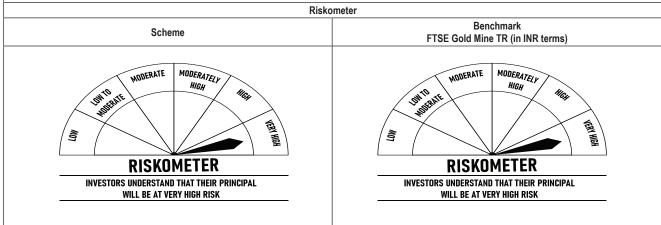
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This scheme is suitable for investors who are seeking\*

Long-term capital growth

· Investment in units of overseas funds which invest primarily in equity and equity related securities of gold mining companies

\* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the Scheme is suitable for them.



We look forward to your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

For and on behalf of DSP Investment Managers Private Limited

Sd/-Authorised signatory

MUTUAL FUND INVESTMENTS ARE SUBJECT TO MARKET RISKS, READ ALL SCHEME RELATED DOCUMENTS CAREFULLY.