# Prudential FRIA BlackRock Gold & General



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**Benchmark** 

| Benchmark  | FTSE Gold Mining Index |
|------------|------------------------|
| ABI Sector | Commodity/Energy       |

### **Identification Codes**

| Sedol Code | B3RQ8L8      |
|------------|--------------|
| Mex Code   | PUBRLG       |
| Isin Code  | GB00B3RQ8L88 |
| Citi Code  | FNI6         |
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#### **Fund Overview**

| Bid (02/10/2025)       | 281.40     |
|------------------------|------------|
| Offer (02/10/2025)     | 281.40     |
| Fund size (31/08/2025) | £1.04m     |
| Underlying Fund size   | £1466.71m  |
| Number of holdings     | 396        |
| Launch date            | 13/07/2009 |

## **Fund Charges**

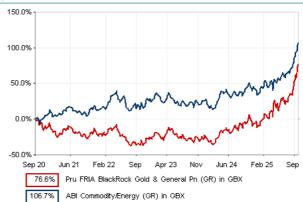
| Yearly Total                   | 1.76% |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Further Costs                  | 0.16% |
| Annual Management Charge (AMC) | 1.60% |

#### **Aims**

Objective: The investment strategy of the fund is to purchase units in the BlackRock Gold & General Fund - the underlying Fund.

Underlying Fund Objective: The fund aims to provide a return on your investment (generated through an increase in the value of the assets held by the Fund) (gross of fees) over the long term (5 or more consecutive years beginning at the point of investment) through investment in shares of companies related to gold mining, commodities and precious-metals. It tends to be volatile and is particularly suitable for diversification in a larger portfolio

#### **Performance**



# Discrete performance - to last month end

|          | 30/09/20<br>to<br>30/09/21 | 30/09/21<br>to<br>30/09/22 | 30/09/22<br>to<br>30/09/23 | 30/09/23<br>to<br>30/09/24 | 30/09/24<br>to<br>30/09/25 |
|----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Fund     | -27.5%                     | -8.6%                      | 4.9%                       | 36.2%                      | 86.7%                      |
| Sector   | 6.4%                       | 9.4%                       | 4.3%                       | 16.2%                      | 46.3%                      |
| Rank     | 41/56                      | 43/56                      | 30/56                      | 20/56                      | 15/56                      |
| Quartile | 3                          | 4                          | 3                          | 2                          | 2                          |

### **Annualised performance**

|          | Annualised             |                        |                         |
|----------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
|          | 3 Years to<br>30/09/25 | 5 Years to<br>30/09/25 | 10 Years to<br>30/09/25 |
| Fund     | 38.7%                  | 12.1%                  | 17.7%                   |
| Sector   | 21.1%                  | 15.6%                  | 15.1%                   |
| Rank     | 16/56                  | 40/56                  | 15/55                   |
| Quartile | 2                      | 3                      | 2                       |

## **Fund Managers**





Evv Hambro Manager of the underlying fund for: 10 years, 3 months 16 years, 6 months

### **Ratings**

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### Important Information

- Because of changes in exchange rates the value of your investment, as well as any money you take from it, can go down as well as up.
- Some funds may invest in 'underlying' funds or other investment vehicles. The performance of our fund, compared to what it's invested in won't be exactly the same. That can be due to additional charges, cash management (needed to help people to enter and leave our fund when they want), tax and the timing of investments (this is known as a fund's dealing cycle, it varies between managers and can be several days).
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Portfolio data accurate as at: 31/08/25

# **Top 10 Holdings**

| Name                            | % Weight | Sector                   | Country        |
|---------------------------------|----------|--------------------------|----------------|
| 1 NEWMONT CORPORATION           | 8.93%    | Precious Metals & Mining | United States  |
| 2 BARRICK GOLD CORPORATION      | 8.89%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |
| 3 AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD        | 6.94%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |
| 4 KINROSS GOLD CORPORATION      | 6.76%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |
| 5 ENDEAVOUR MINING              | 5.52%    | Precious Metals & Mining | United Kingdom |
| 6 ELDORADO GOLD CORP            | 4.45%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |
| 7 NORTHERN STAR RESOURCES LTD   | 4.42%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Australia      |
| 8 WHEATON PRECIOUS METALS CORP. | 4.35%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |
| 9 ANGLOGOLD ASHANTI             | 4.20%    | Precious Metals & Mining | United Kingdom |
| 10 ALAMOS GOLD                  | 3.74%    | Precious Metals & Mining | Canada         |

### **Asset Allocation**



### **Equity Sector Breakdown**

| Basic Materials                   |   | 94.84% |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------|
| Commodities                       |   | 2.83%  |
| Cash and Equivalents              | 1 | 1.32%  |
| Non-Classified                    | [ | 0.90%  |
| Alternative Trading<br>Strategies |   | 0.11%  |

## Breakdown By Market Cap (%)

| 31.29% |
|--------|
| 19.32% |
| 11.83% |
| 3.72%  |
| 32.52% |
| 1.32%  |
|        |

## **Regional Allocation**



## **Top Country Breakdown**

| Canada               |          | 64.31% |
|----------------------|----------|--------|
| United States        |          | 10.38% |
| United Kingdom       |          | 9.72%  |
| Australia            |          | 9.34%  |
| Commodities          |          | 2.83%  |
| South Africa         | <u> </u> | 1.65%  |
| Cash and Equivalents | I        | 1.32%  |
| Other Countries      |          | 0.44%  |

## **Fixed Interest Currencies**



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