	Shares	Value
Common stocks: 93.42%		
Australia: 7.77%		
Evolution Mining Limited (Materials, Metals & mining)	800,000	\$ 1,623,147
Newcrest Mining Limited (Materials, Metals & mining)	702,294	9,869,160
Northern Star Resources Limited (Materials, Metals &		
mining) †	1,385,412	10,290,944
		21,783,251
Canada: 64.71%	224527	17000 545
Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited (Materials, Metals & mining) †	334,527	17,383,545
Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited-Legend Shares (Materials, Metals & mining) †	35,000	1,819,650
Agnico-Eagle Mines Limited-U.S. Exchange Traded Shares	55,000	1,019,030
(Materials, Metals & mining)	114,164	5,935,386
Alamos Gold Incorporated Class A (Materials, Metals &		
mining)	1,103,980	11,162,102
Artemis Gold Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining) †	900,000	2,918,022
Ascot Resources Limited (Materials, Metals & mining)	2,650,000	1,017,725
B2Gold Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining)	3,300,000	11,723,043
Barrick Gold Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining)	915,723	15,732,121
Centerra Gold Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)	200,000	1,035,450
Centerra Gold Incorporated-Legend Shares (Materials, Metals & mining) 144A	250,000	1,294,313
Dundee Precious Metals Incorporated (Materials, Metals &	250,000	1,294,313
mining)	1,075,000	5,168,575
Franco-Nevada Corporation-Legend Shares (Materials,		
Metals & mining) 144A	125,948	17,168,554
Kinross Gold Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining) †	2,732,483	11,139,813
Lundin Gold Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining) †	1,150,000	11,236,706
MAG Silver Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining) †	540,000	8,435,007
MAG Silver Corporation-Legend Shares (Materials, Metals &	100.000	1 5 6 2 0 2 0
mining) †	100,000	1,562,038
Marathon Gold Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining) Orla Mining Limited (Materials, Metals & mining)	1,300,000 300,000	1,017,725
Osisko Mining Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)	450,000	1,214,180 1,163,220
Pan American Silver Corporation (Materials, Metals & Mining)	450,000	1,103,220
mining)	265,000	4,330,100
SilverCrest Metals Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)	1,335,000	7,986,337
Skeena Resources Limited (Materials, Metals & mining)	300,000	1,597,489
SSR Mining Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)	275,000	4,309,250
SSR Mining Incorporated-U.S. Exchange Traded Shares		
(Materials, Metals & mining)	403,552	6,315,559
Torex Gold Resources Incorporated (Materials, Metals &		
mining)	360,000	4,134,417
Torex Gold Resources Incorporated-Legend Shares (Materials, Metals & mining) †	185,000	2,124,631
Torex Gold Resources Incorporated-Legend Shares	160,000	2,124,031
(Materials, Metals & mining)	266,250	3,057,746
Triple Flag Precious Metals Corporation (Materials, Metals &		-,,
mining)	210,000	2,908,050
Wheaton Precious Metals Corporation (Materials, Metals &		
mining)	12,950	505,949
Wheaton Precious Metals Corporation-U.S. Exchange Traded		
Shares (Materials, Metals & mining)	370,000	14,459,600
Yamana Gold Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)	300,000	1,666,174
		181,522,477

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				Shares	Value
South Africa: 6.14%					
AngloGold Ashanti Limited ADR (Materials, Metals & mining)			300,591	
Gold Fields Limited ADR (Materials, Metals & mining)				1,100,000	11,385,000
					17,222,477
United Kingdom: 5.26%					
Endeavour Mining plc (Materials, Metals & mining)				690,000	14,768,242
United States: 9.54%					
Newmont Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining)				140,802	6,645,854
Newmont Corporation-Toronto Exchange Traded Shares					
(Materials, Metals & mining)				131,348	6,191,981
Royal Gold Incorporated (Materials, Metals & mining)				123,436	13,913,706
					26,751,541
Total Common stocks (Cost \$172,733,358)					262,047,988
			Expiration		
			date		
Rights: 0.00%					
Canada: 0.00%					
Kinross Gold Corporation Contingent Value Rights			2 1 2022	75 000	2
(Materials, Metals & mining) ♦†			3-1-2032	75,000	0
Total Rights (Cost \$0)					0
Warrants: 0.00%					
Canada: 0.00%					
Marathon Gold Corporation (Materials, Metals & mining) +†			9-20-2024	250,000	0
				,	
Total Warrants (Cost \$0)					0
				Troy ounces	
Commodities: 5.00% Gold Bullion *				7,690	14,022,770
				7,050	
Total Commodities (Cost \$4,532,552)					14,022,770
		Yield		Shares	
Short-term investments: 1.55%					
Investment companies: 1.55%					
Allspring Government Money Market Fund Select Class $lacksquare$		4.09%		4,330,818	4,330,818
Total Short-term investments (Cost \$4,330,818)					4,330,818
Total investments in securities (Cost \$181,596,728)	99.97%				280,401,576
Other assets and liabilities, net	0.03				92,816
Total net assets	100.00%				\$280,494,392

† Non-income-earning security

144A The security may be resold in transactions exempt from registration, normally to qualified institutional buyers, pursuant to Rule 144A under the Securities Act of 1933.

 The security is fair valued in accordance with Allspring Funds Management's valuation procedures, as the Board-designated valuation designee.

* Represents an investment held in Special Investments (Cayman) SPC, the consolidated subsidiary.

The issuer of the security is an affiliated person of the Fund as defined in the Investment Company Act of 1940.

 ∞ The rate represents the 7-day annualized yield at period end.

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