# **Allspring Precious Metals Fund - Institutional Class**

Category

Equity Precious Metals

### **Investment Objective & Strategy**

#### From the investment's prospectus

The investment seeks long-term capital appreciation. The fund normally invests at least 80% of the fund's net assets in investments related to precious metals. It invests any amount of the fund's total assets in equity securities of foreign issuers, including ADRs and similar investments. The fund invests up to 40% of its total assets in emerging market equity securities; and up to 25% of its total assets, at the time of purchase, in debt securities linked to precious metals and common or preferred stocks of subsidiaries of the fund that invest directly or indirectly in precious metals and minerals. It is non-diversified.

Past name(s) : Wells Fargo Precious Metals Inst.

## **Volatility and Risk**



## **Principal Risks**

Emerging Markets, Foreign Securities, Loss of Money, Not FDIC Insured, Country or Region, Growth Investing, Nondiversification, Value Investing, Market/Market Volatility, Equity Securities, Industry and Sector Investing, Underlying Fund/Fund of Funds, Fixed-Income Securities, Management, Small Cap

#### Important Information

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#### **Portfolio Analysis**



9.6

0.0

3.7

4.6

Top 10 Holdings as of 03-31-25	% Assets
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd	9.76
Kinross Gold Corp	5.80
Alamos Gold Inc Class A	5.51
Newmont Corp	5.48
Lundin Gold Inc	5.40
Special Investments (Cayman) S	4.62
Wheaton Precious Metals Corp	4.54
Barrick Gold Corp	3.83
Gold Fields Ltd ADR	3.77
Endeavour Mining PLC	3.69
Morningstar Super Sectors as of 03-31-25	% Fund
✤ Cyclical	100.00
👐 Sensitive	0.00
→ Defensive	0.00

#### Operations

Gross Prosp Exp Ratio	0.87% of fund assets	Waiver Data
Net Prosp Exp Ratio	0.79% of fund assets	Expense Ratio
Management Fee	0.65%	·
12b-1 Fee	0.00%	Portfolio Manager
Other Fee	0.01%	Michael Bradsha
Miscellaneous Fee(s)	0.21%	2007.
Fund Inception Date	02-29-00	Oleg Makhorine.
Total Fund Assets (\$mil)	523.1	
Annual Turnover Ratio %	11.00	Advisor
Fund Family Name	Allspring Global Investments	
		Subadvisor

Notes

The Manager has contractually committed through July 31, 2025, to waive fees and/or reimburse expenses to the extent necessary to cap Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Fee Waiver at 0.79% for Institutional Class. Brokerage commissions, stamp duty fees, interest, taxes, acquired fund fees and expenses (if any), and extraordinary expenses are excluded from the expense cap. Prior to or after the commitment expiration date, the cap may be increased or the commitment to maintain the cap may be terminated only with the approval of the Board of Trustees.

Morningstar Style Box™ as of 03-31-25 % Mkt Cap 11.50 Giant -arge Large 21.82 Mid Medium 43.31 Small 23.38 Sma Micro 0.00 Value Blend Growth

Morningstar World Regions as of 03-31-25	% Fund
Americas	84.34
North America	84.34
Latin America	0.00
Greater Europe	12.35
United Kingdom	4.17
Europe Developed	0.00
Europe Emerging	0.00
Africa/Middle East	8.18
Greater Asia	3.31
Japan	0.00
Australasia	3.31
Asia Developed	0.00
Asia Emerging	0.00

Waiver Data	Туре	Exp. Date	%			
Expense Ratio	Contractual	07-31-25	0.08			
Portfolio Manager(s) Michael Bradshaw, Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA). Since 2007. Oleg Makhorine. Since 2012.						
Advisor	Allspring F LLC	Funds Managem	ent,			

Allspring Global Investments, LLC

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