Crescat Precious Metals Fund Presentation

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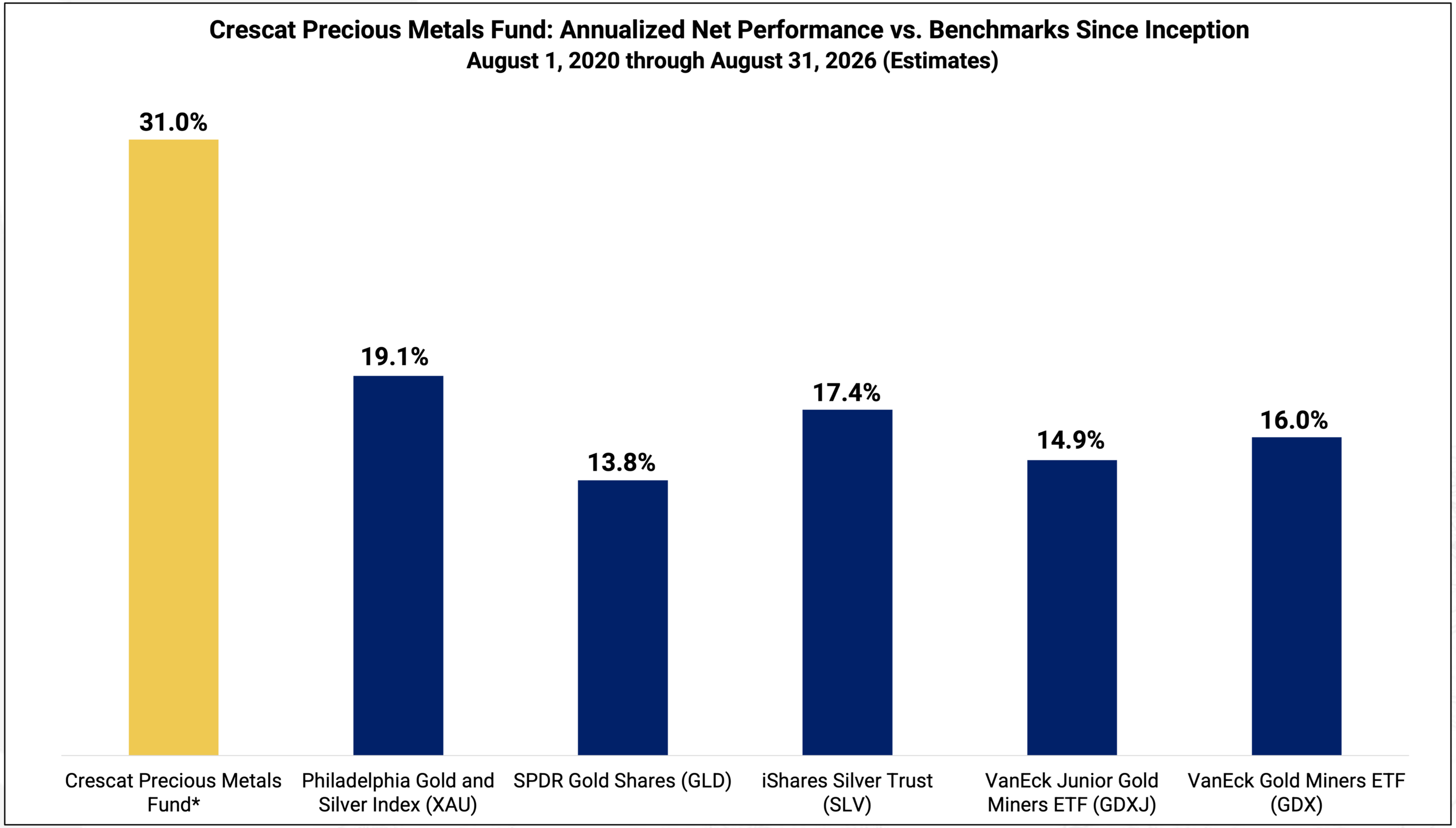
The Crescat Activist Metals Approach

1. Pursue tier-1, economic precious and critical metal discoveries
2. Acquire activist equity stakes at low valuations through PIPEs and pre-IPO rounds
3. Infuse capital into companies for exploration, drilling, and development work
4. Provide geologic insight to management and technical teams
5. Motivate companies to create value through new metal discovery and resource expansion
6. Capitalize on an upcoming M&A cycle
7. Generate strong alpha in a new secular bull market for precious metals

Strategies are actively managed and subject to change.

Crescat Precious Metals Fund vs. Benchmarks



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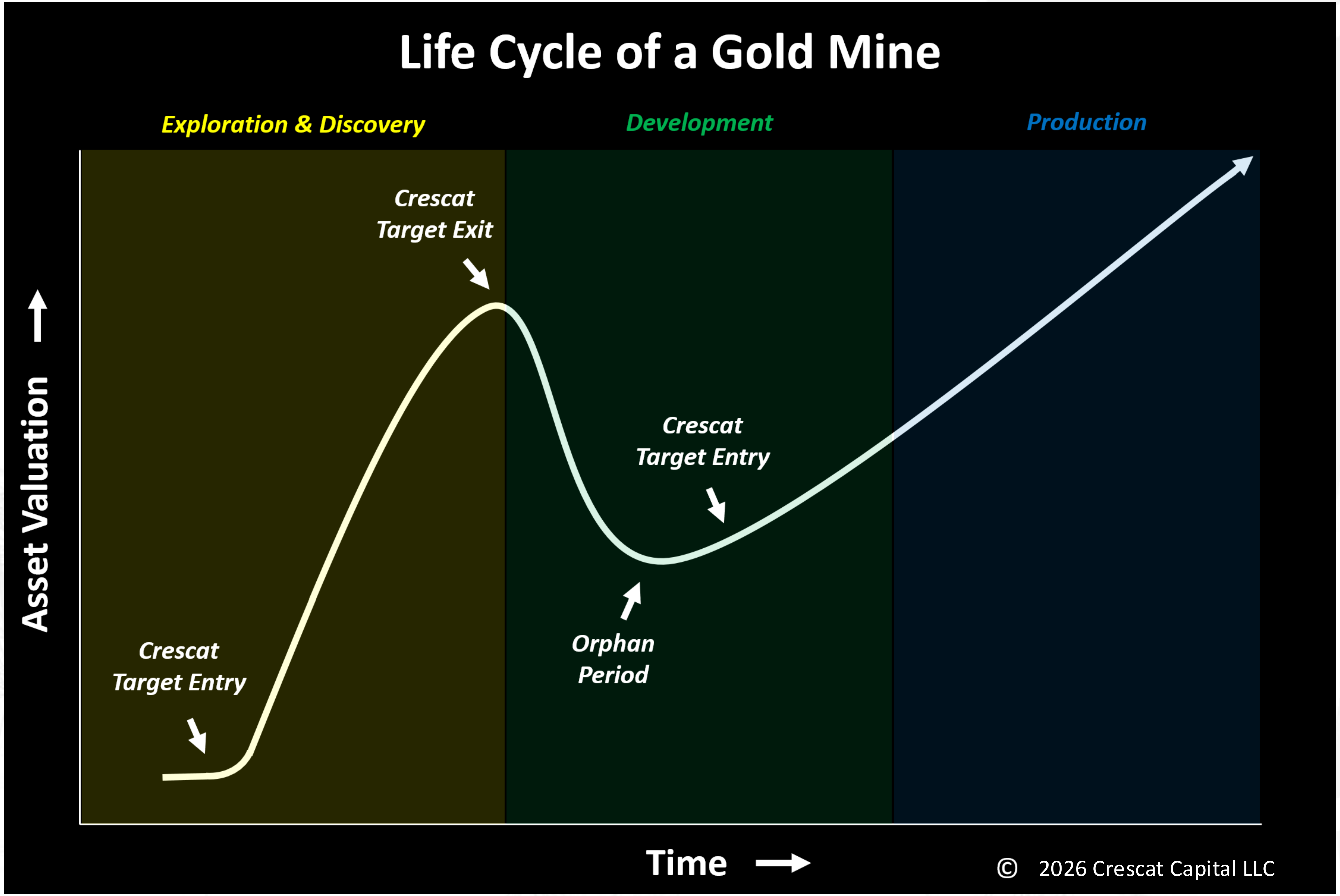
Focus on Early-Stage High Growth Opportunities



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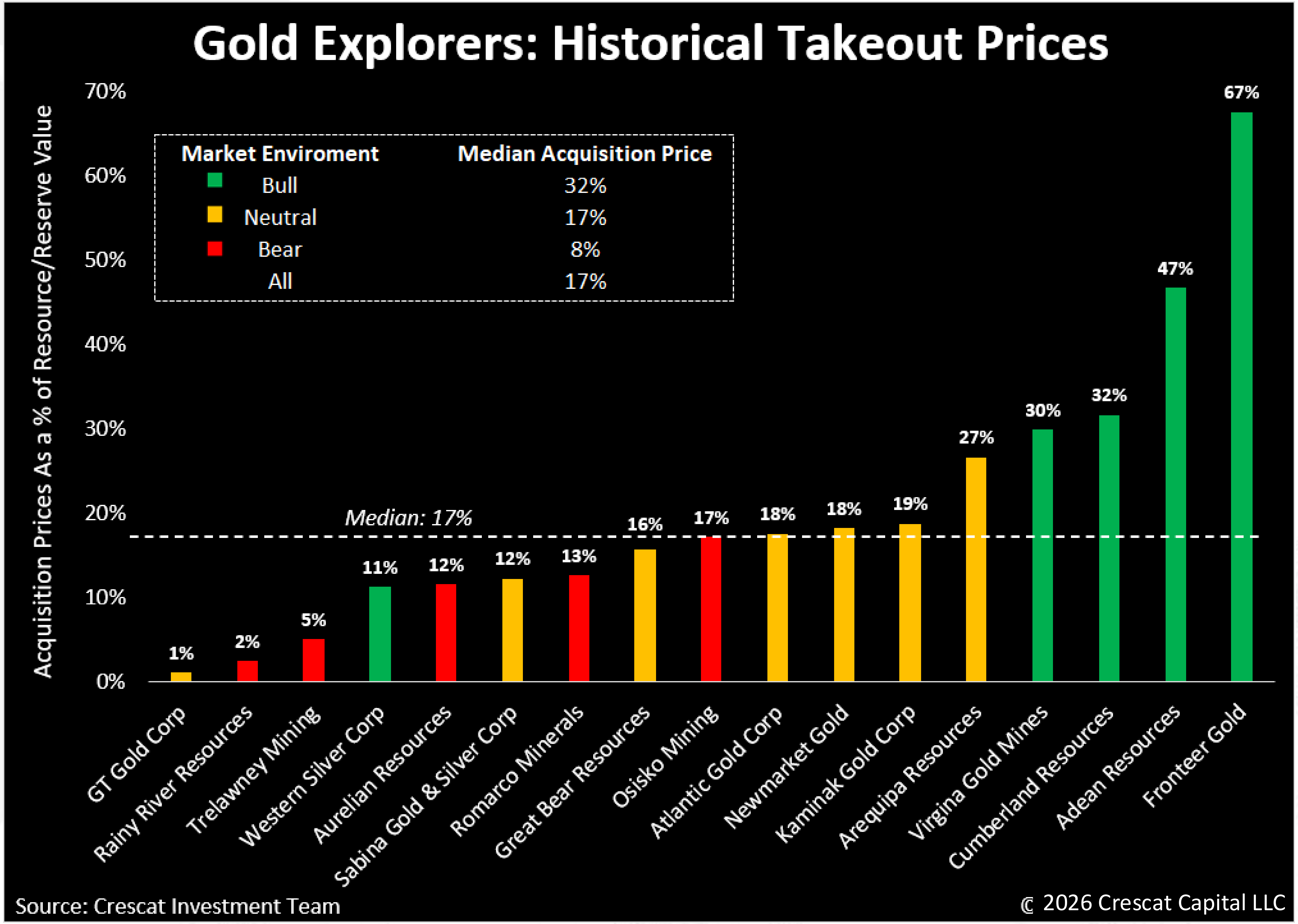
Precious Metals Comparables



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Activist Metals Portfolio – Excludes Side Pocket

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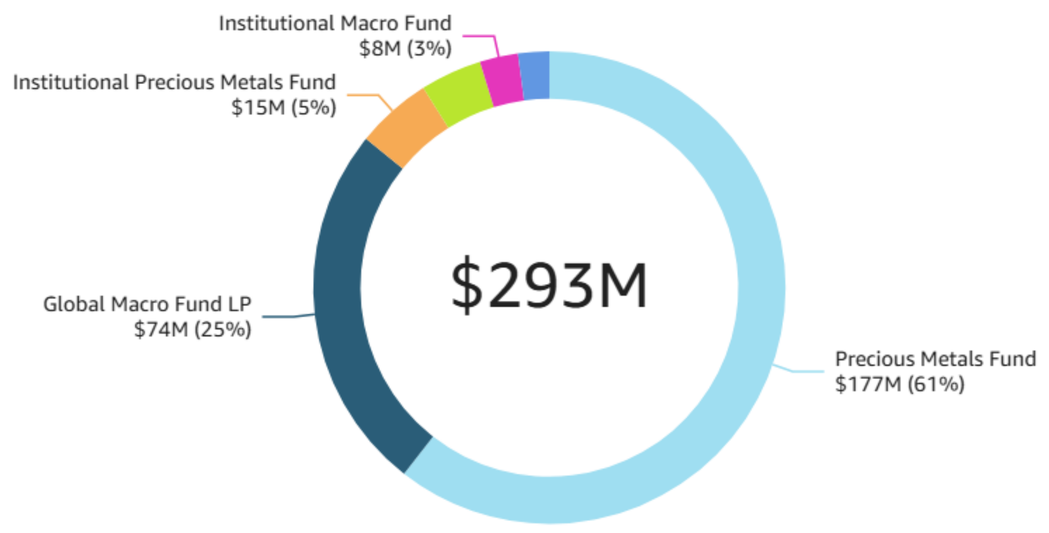
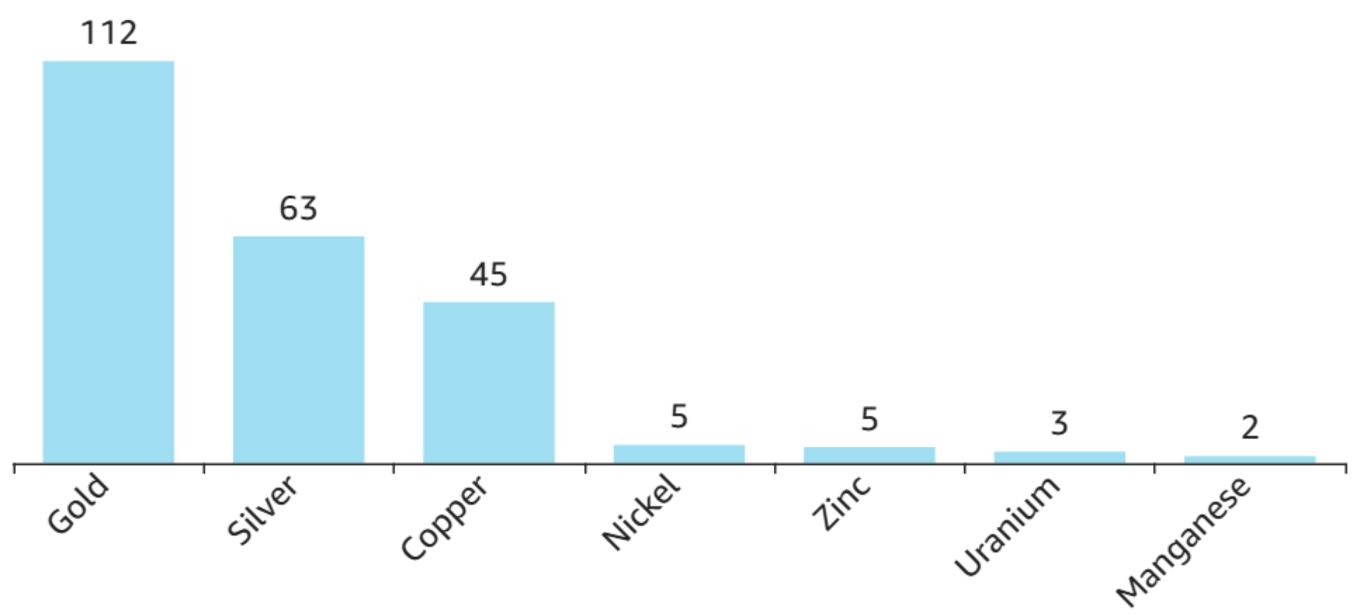
As of: Sep 4, 2026 | Excludes San Cristobal Side Pocket

Gold Spot Price/Oz.	Silver Spot Price/Oz.	Gold/Silver Ratio	Total Positions	# of Companies With Bona Fide Discoveries	# of Private Companies	# of Activist Positions: > 5% Partially Diluted	Median Firm Wide Partially Diluted Ownership	Number of Drills	Total Au Eq. Target Ozs (Millions)
$4,473	$67	66.8	66	34	13	45	8.9%	96	236

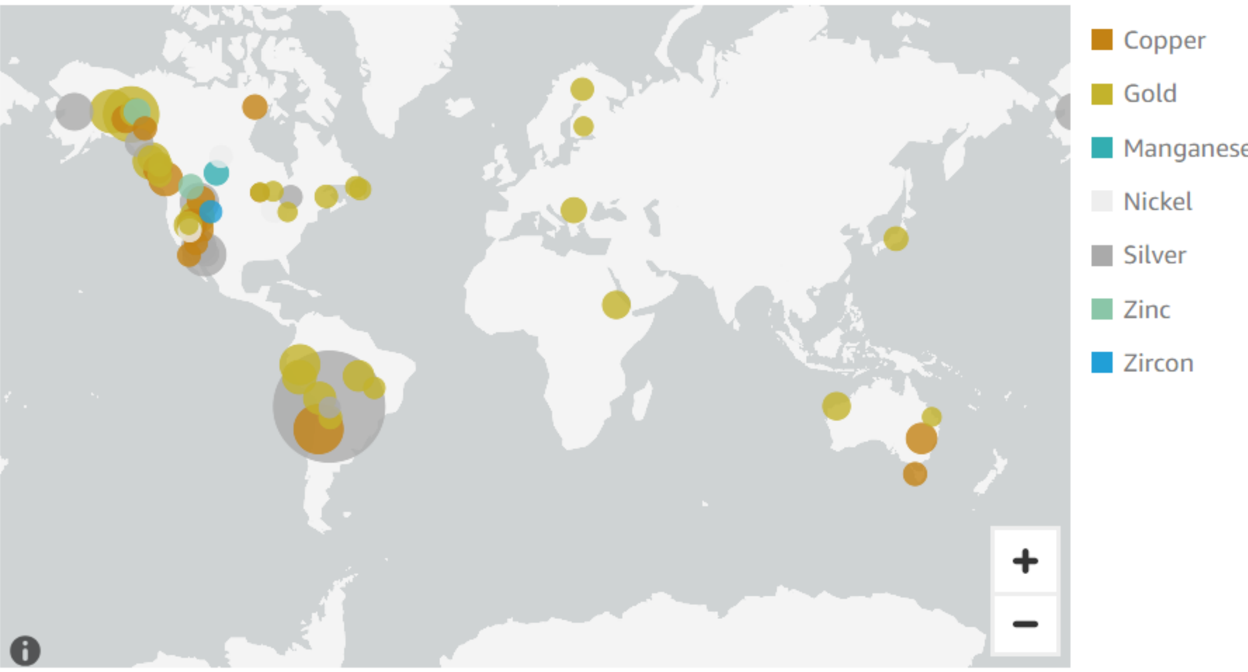
Activist Metals Exposure Across Crescat Strategies:



Target Gold Equivalent Ounces (Millions) By Primary Metal

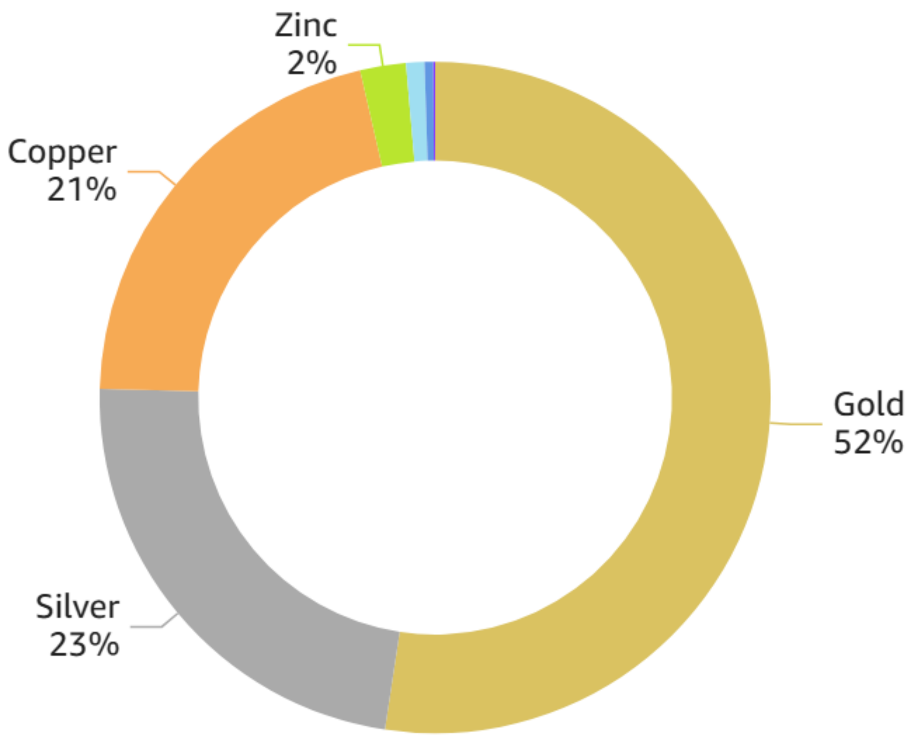


Relative Size of Target Au Eq. Ozs by Primary Metal & Location



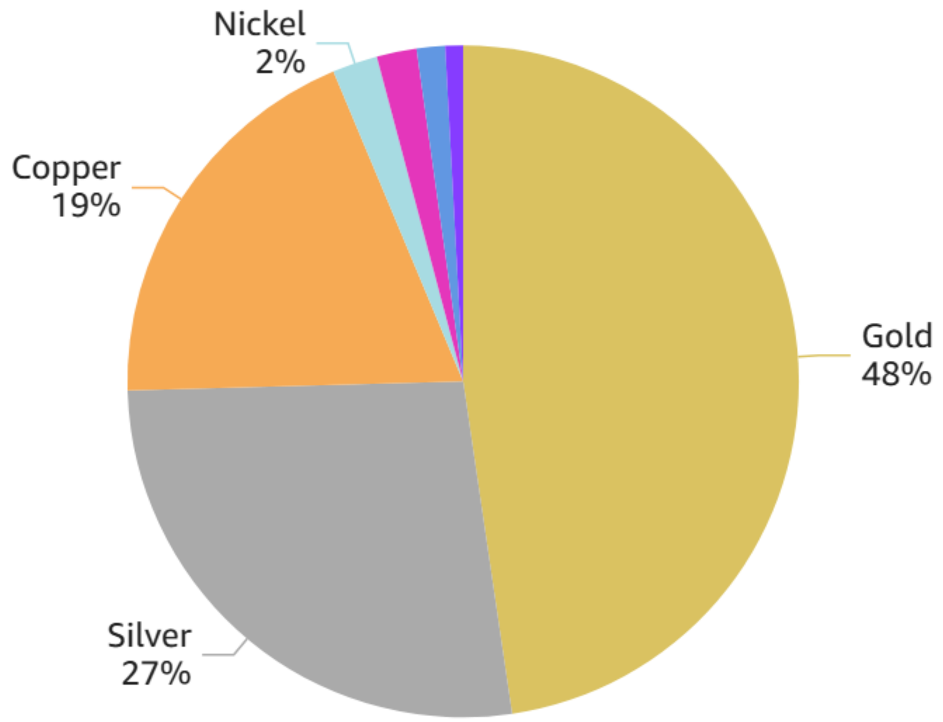
Percent of Net Asset Value

Based on Crescat's Current Ownership & Valuation

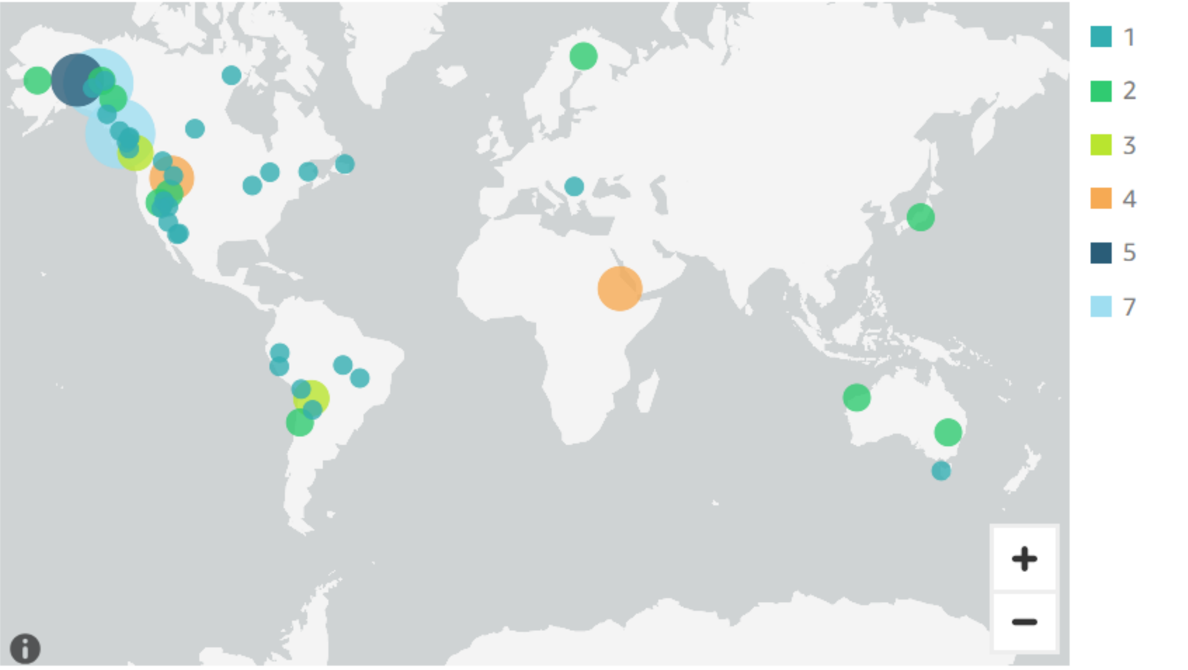


Target Ounces

Based on Drill Results & Crescat's Geologic Estimates



Number of Drills by Location



See activist metal's disclosure slide that follows.

Activist Metals Portfolio – Important Disclosures

The activist metals portfolio subset consists of firmwide holdings across all Crescat funds and SMA accounts in the mining industry where Crescat strives to help companies build economic metal resources through exploration and drilling. Crescat provides capital and geologic guidance to help companies build resources across Crescat's activist portfolio.

Crescat target resource estimates are based on internal modeling and geologic estimates, and include various assumptions based on analysis of geology, geophysics, geochemistry, historic drill assays, and metallurgical recovery data received to date. Target resource estimates are discounted based on drilling progress to date, an assessment of the management and technical team's strengths and weaknesses affecting their ability to advance the project, and environmental, local community, and government permitting risk factors. Estimates are displayed on a gold equivalent basis based on current price-to-gold ratios for silver, copper, and other metals if the primary metal is other than gold. Further drilling, assaying, resource modeling, and engineering studies will be required to determine whether Crescat's target resource estimates can be reasonably expected to be achieved. Crescat's target resource estimates are updated monthly across the entire portfolio.

The number of active drills includes the number of drills currently in operation doing exploration and/or infill drilling or expected to be deployed over the next twelve months based on each company's drilling plans and Crescat's assessment of the company's ability to finance and execute those plans.

Geologic & Technical Advisor

Bill Pearson, Ph.D., P.Geo.

50+ years of mining exploration experience

EDUCATION

M.Sc., Ph.D. - Economic Geology, Queen's University

B.Sc. (Hons) - Geology, University of British Columbia

EXPERIENCE

Desert Sun Mining · Central Sun Mining

Coastal Gold · Cartier Silver · Eloro Resources

KEY DISCOVERIES

- Jacobina gold deposit
- Central Sun gold deposit
- Hope Brook gold deposit
- Iska Iska silver-tin system

Crescat's Top 10 Activist Metals Holdings as % of Firm NAV

As of September 4, 2026

1 San Cristobal Mining (Private)*

2 Tectonic Metals ($TECT.V)

3 Eloro Resources ($ELO.T)

4 Sitka Gold ($SIG.V)

5 BCM Resources ($B.V)

6 Silver Bow Mining (Private)

7 Goliath Resources ($GOT.V)

8 Mogotes Metals ($MOG.V)

9 Westward Gold ($WG.F)

10 Canadian Copper ($CCI.F)

Activist metals portfolio includes the San Cristobal Mining, Inc. equity asset that was designated into a side pocket on July 1st, 2024. The side pocket includes an asset that is not available to new investors in the funds after July 1, 2024. New investors cannot participate in the SCM Side Pocket and will not share in its potential gains or losses. The securities shown herein are the top ten activist metals holdings across all Crescat funds and separately managed accounts as the date shown above. The top ten are subject to change at any time without notice. The definition of the activist metals portfolio is provided above. These holdings do not represent an entire portfolio. While these are the top ten activist metals positions firmwide, they may not represent the top ten securities for any particular fund or SMA strategy. This presentation is not intended to be, nor should it be construed as, an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to buy any security.

Crescat Performance

Crescat Strategies Estimated Net Returns Through August 31, 2026

CRESCAT STRATEGIES	AUGUST	YTD	ANNUALIZED TRAILING 1-YEAR	ANNUALIZED TRAILING 3-YEAR	ANNUALIZED TRAILING 5-YEAR	ANNUALIZED TRAILING 10-YEAR	ANNUALIZED TRAILING SINCE INCEPTION	CUMULATIVE SINCE INCEPTION	YEARS SINCE INCEPTION
Global Macro Hedge Fund (Jan.1, 2006)	**12.01%**	**-1.58%**	**24.8%**	**21.0%**	**9.5%**	**7.6%**	**11.2%**	**805.6%**	**20.7**
Excluding SCM SP[2] (Jan.1, 2006)	**19.04%**	**-15.61%**	**-7.6%**	**10.1%**	**3.5%**	**4.6%**	**9.7%**	**581.2%**	**20.7**
Benchmark: HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index	0.8%	4.4%	7.4%	6.2%	3.0%	3.5%	1.7%	42.2%	
Institutional Macro Hedge Fund (July 1, 2023)	**14.00%**	**-1.60%**	**24.2%**	**19.1%**	**-**	**-**	**13.0%**	**47.3%**	**3.2**
Excluding SCM SP[2] (July 1, 2023)	**21.90%**	**-13.47%**	**-6.1%**	**8.9%**	**-**	**-**	**3.8%**	**12.6%**	**3.2**
Benchmark: HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index	0.8%	4.4%	7.4%	6.2%			6.1%	20.6%	
Long/Short Hedge Fund (May 1, 2000)	**12.21%**	**-1.37%**	**27.4%**	**23.1%**	**7.1%**	**6.9%**	**7.7%**	**605.2%**	**26.4**
Excluding SCM SP[2] (May 1, 2000)	**21.18%**	**-17.13%**	**-7.1%**	**11.4%**	**0.8%**	**3.7%**	**6.5%**	**421.7%**	**26.4**
Benchmark: HFRX Equity Hedge Index	1.4%	7.9%	11.2%	9.6%	6.2%	5.8%	3.4%	140.3%	
Precious Metals Hedge Fund (August 1, 2020)	**14.58%**	**12.05%**	**54.3%**	**38.5%**	**14.4%**	**-**	**33.5%**	**481.5%**	**6.1**
Excluding SCM SP[2] (August 1, 2020)	**23.02%**	**8.19%**	**31.9%**	**33.2%**	**11.8%**	**-**	**31.0%**	**418.0%**	**6.1**
Benchmark: Philadelphia Gold and Silver Index	32.5%	20.0%	65.0%	53.3%	26.9%		19.1%	189.9%	
Institutional Precious Metals Hedge Fund (July 1, 2023)	**16.44%**	**9.31%**	**51.1%**	**33.4%**	**-**	**-**	**29.2%**	**125.5%**	**3.2**
Excluding SCM SP[2] (July 1, 2023)	**22.44%**	**4.70%**	**28.1%**	**28.3%**	**-**	**-**	**24.6%**	**100.8%**	**3.2**
Benchmark: Philadelphia Gold and Silver Index	32.5%	20.0%	65.0%	53.3%			49.1%	255.2%	

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Fees, Breakpoints & Terms

Crescat Precious Metals Fund & Institutional Precious Metals Fund

Investor Class	Minimum Investment	Annual Management Fee	Annual Incentive Allocation w/ High Water Mark
Main Class	**$500,000**	**2%**	**20%**
Institutional Class 2	**$1,000,000**	**1.5%**	**15%**
Institutional Class 1	**$5,000,000**	**1.25%**	**12.5%**

A 3-Year partial lock up applies to all classes of the Precious Metals fund.
With 90-day notice, LPs may redeem up to 25% of capital account any month after year 1, up to another 25% after year 2, and all after year 3.

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Appendix

Executive Officers

Kevin C. Smith, CFA

Founder & CEO

Kevin is the Founder and CEO of Crescat Capital. He has been managing investment portfolios since 1992, a career that spans multiple business cycles. Kevin has been the lead portfolio manager of the firm's five private funds since their respective inceptions. He is the creator of Crescat's firmwide thematic global macro investment process, its systematic equity valuation model, and its activist mining investment strategy. He earned an MBA from the University of Chicago Booth School of Business with a specialization in finance and statistics. He received a bachelor's degree in economics from Stanford University and holds the Chartered Financial Analyst designation.

Linda Carleu Smith, CPA

Member, Chief Operating Officer

Linda is a Co-Founder of Crescat Capital. As Chief Operating Officer, she manages Crescat's business operations, including finance, regulatory compliance, and client service. In prior roles at Crescat and its predecessor companies, she has served as Controller from 1997-2012 and the in dual position of Chief Financial Officer & Chief Compliance Officer from 2012-2015. She became COO in 2015. Linda came to Crescat with significant investment industry and public accounting experience from prior employment at Kidder Peabody and EKS&H (now Plante Moran) and corporate experience as Controller of Pharmajet, a biotech company. She was born and raised in New Jersey. She earned an MBA from the University of Chicago, Booth School of Business and a BA in English Language and Literature from Tufts University. She is a Certified Public Accountant.

Tyler Reger

Chief Financial Officer

Tyler oversees the financial accounting and reporting of Crescat's hedge funds. He acts as the primary liaison between the prime brokers, administrator, and investment team to ensure that all parties are in sync to provide accurate and timely reporting. Tyler came to Crescat with 11 years of industry experience in fund administration. Prior to joining Crescat, Tyler held positions in mutual fund and private equity administration at STRAIT Capital, Charles Schwab Investment Management and ALPS Fund Services. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration with and emphasis in Accounting from the University of Colorado, Leeds School of Business and a Master of Science in Accounting from the University of Colorado, Denver.

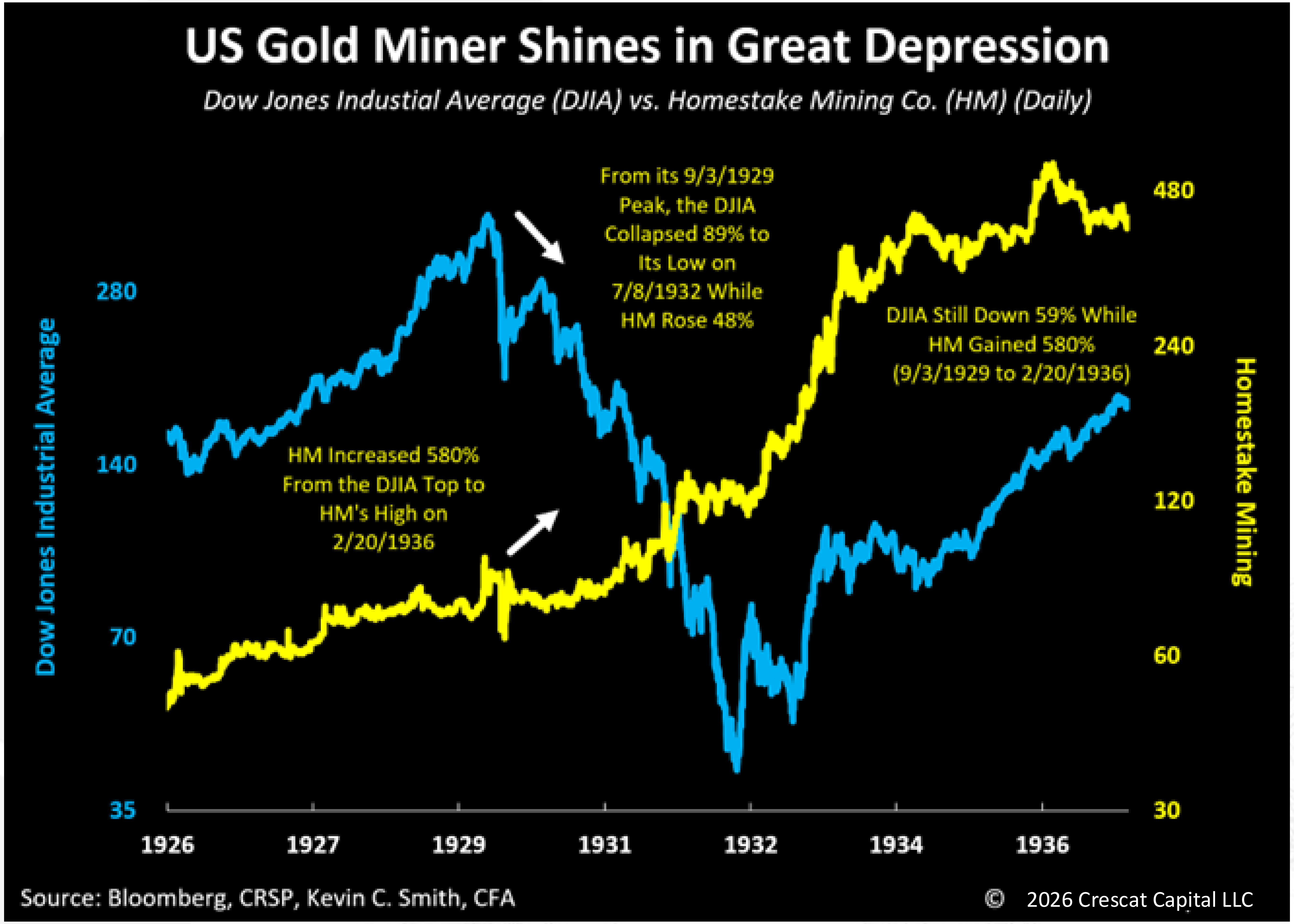
Danielle Money

Chief Compliance Officer

Danielle is responsible for overseeing Crescat's compliance program as Chief Compliance Officer, ensuring that the firm consistently meets regulatory requirements and upholds the highest standards of compliance. Danielle joined the firm with over 13 years of experience and is the proud owner of an I Heart Compliance mug. She previously served as the Compliance Officer at Paradice Investment Management and held key compliance leadership roles as Director of Compliance at PINE Advisor Solutions and Compliance Manager at ALPS Fund Services. Danielle holds a Master of Legal Studies from Washington University in St. Louis and a Bachelor's degree from the University of Colorado. She is also a Certified Anti-Money Laundering Specialist (CAMS).

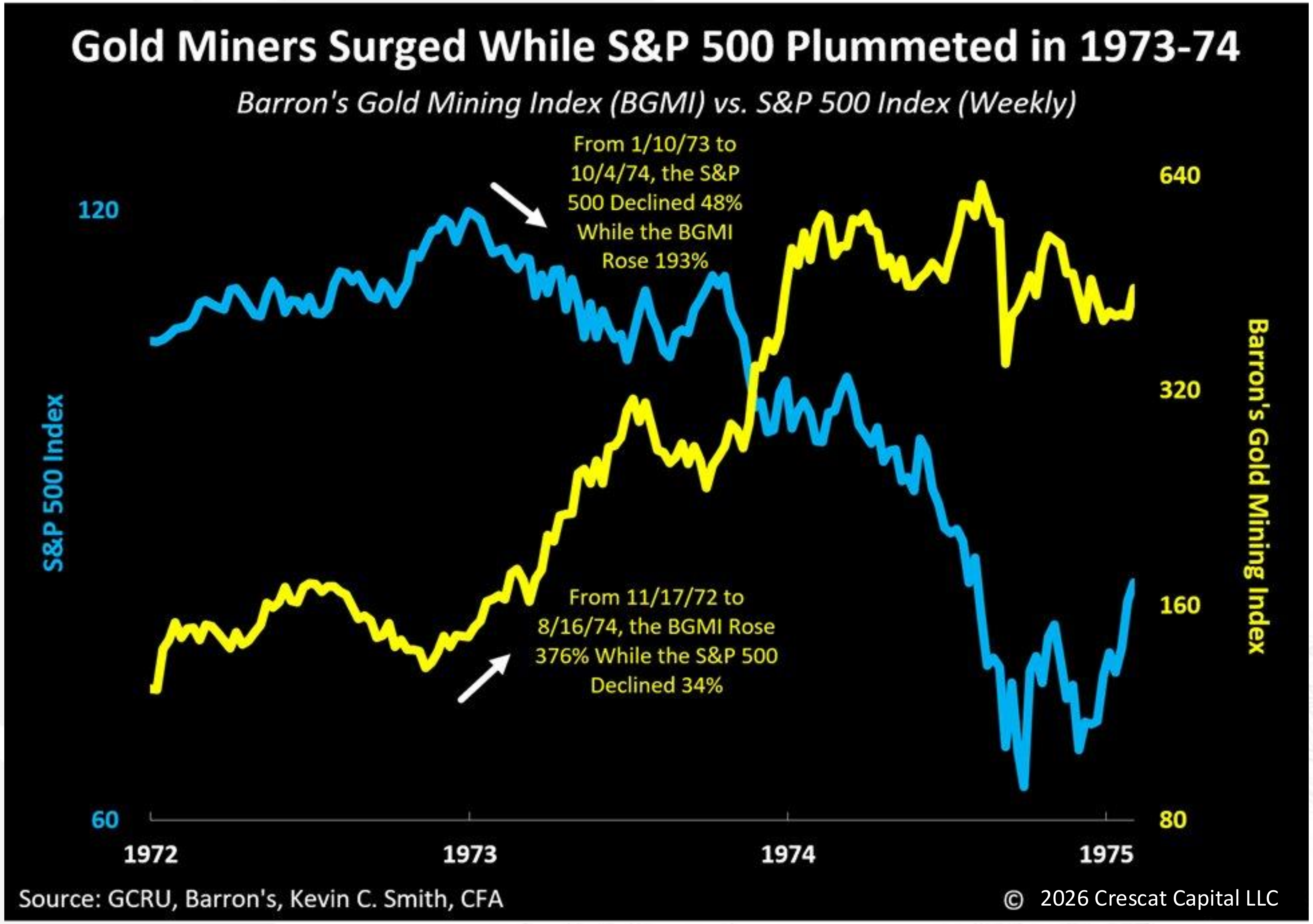
THE COUNTERCYCLICALITY OF GOLD MINING STOCKS

The following five charts consider the performance of gold mining stocks compared to major US stock market indices and include periods during and surrounding the four largest bear markets for US stocks over the last 100 years: 1929-1932, 1973-1974, 2000-2002, and 2008-2009.



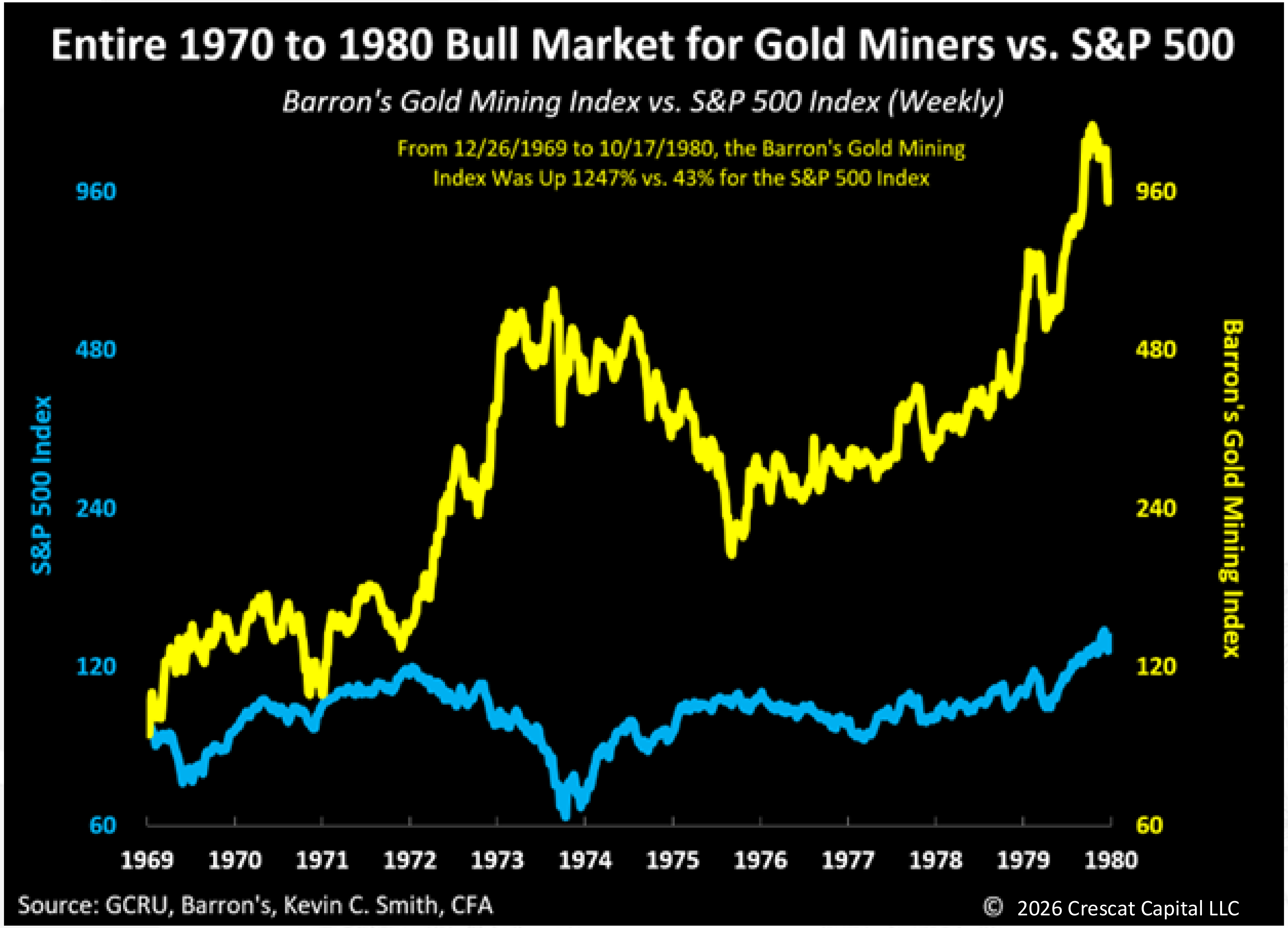
In the deflationary Great Depression, Homestake Mining (HM) was the largest gold mining company in the US and dramatically outperformed the Dow Jones Industrial Average (DJIA).

From the DJIA's high on 9/3/1929 to its low on 7/8/1932, it lost 89% of its value, yet HM's stock price was up 49%. By 2/20/1936, HM shares had gained 580% while the DJIA was still down 59% from its top.

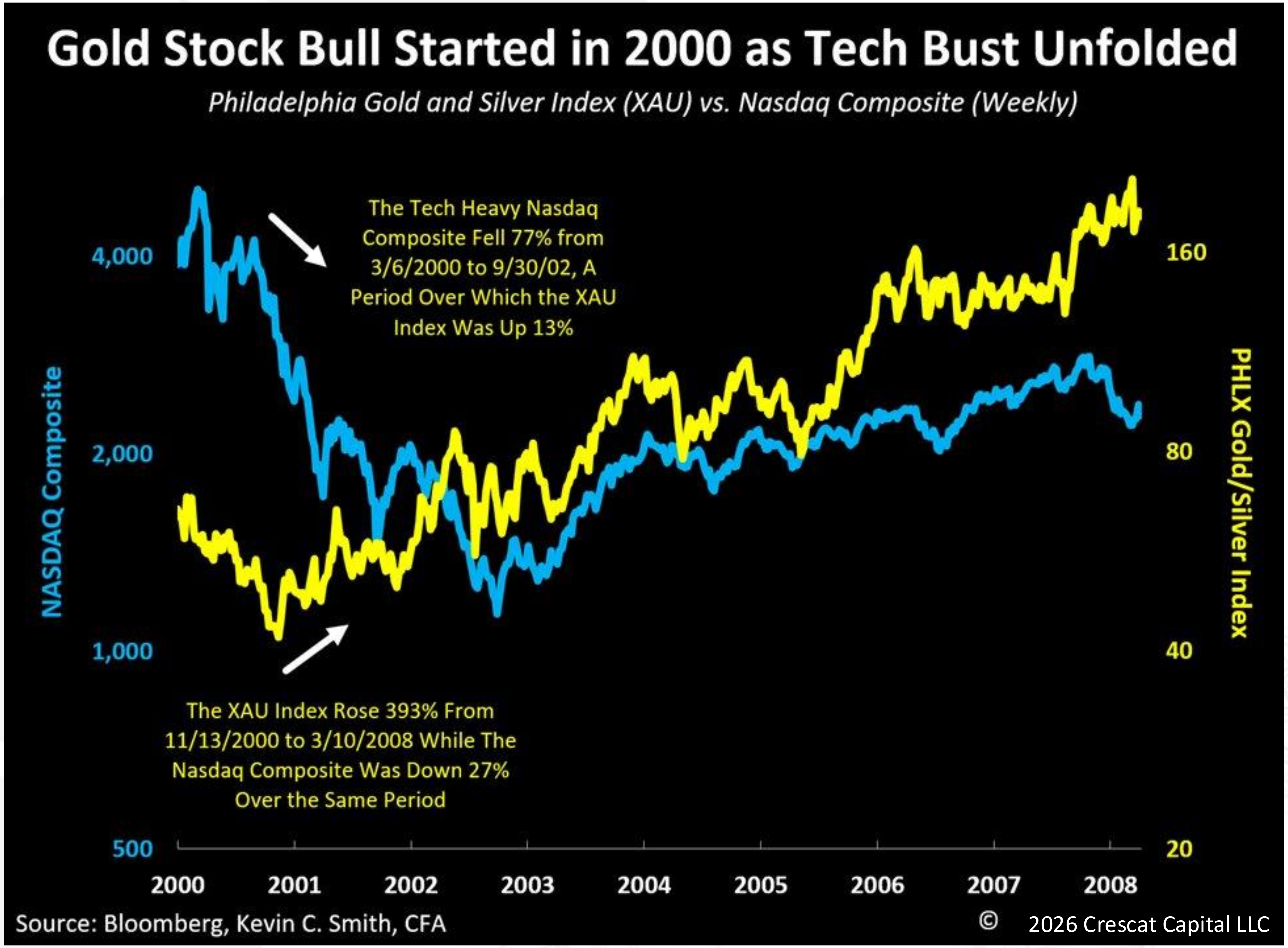


During the stagflationary stock market slide of 1973 and 1974, using weekly data, the S&P 500 fell 48% from its high on 1/10/73 to its low on 10/3/74, a period over which the Barron's Gold Mining Index (BGMI) rose 193%. The BGMI began rising almost two months before the S&P 500 Index top and continued rising during the S&P 500 bear market.

From its lows on 11/17/1972 to its intermediate high on 8/16/1974, the BGMI was up 376%, a period over which the S&P 500 was down 34%.

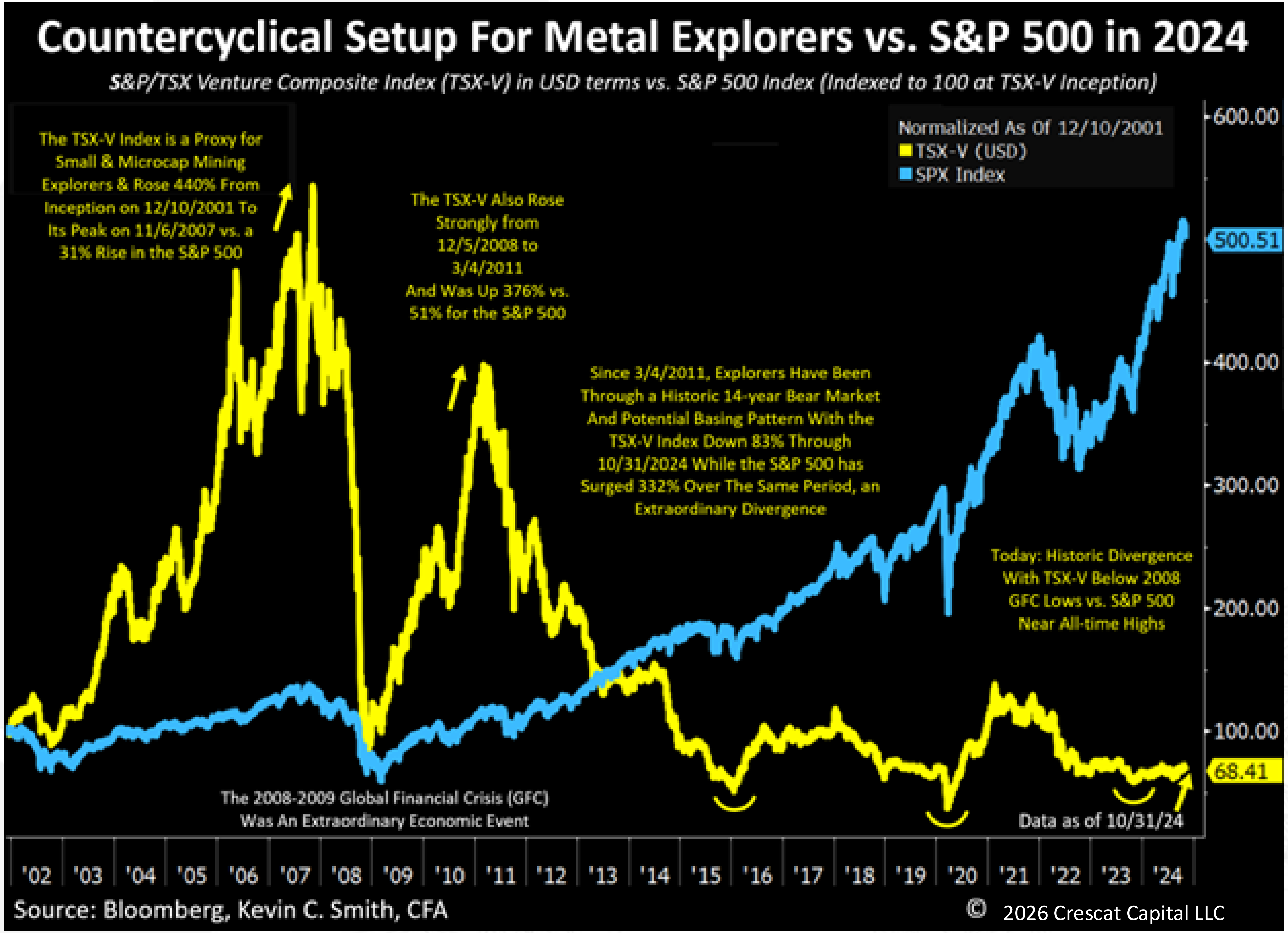


Over the 11-year secular bull market for gold miners from 12/26/1969 to 10/17/1980, the Barron's Gold Mining Index increased 1,247% while the S&P 500 was up only 43% over the same period.



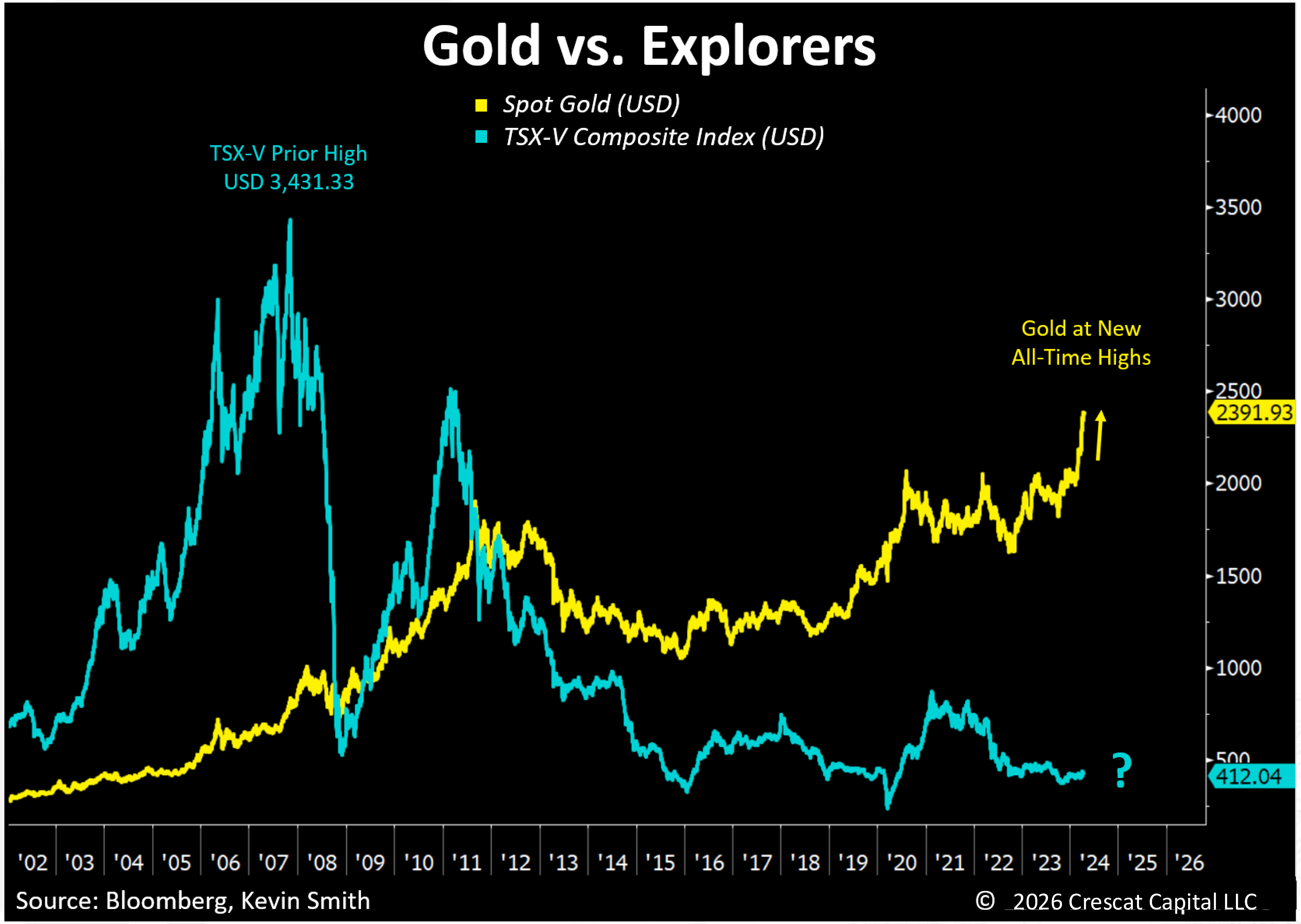
The early innings of the 2000 tech bust marked the end of a long bear market for precious metals mining stocks since the BGMI's high on 10/17/1980 after which point it fell 82% through 11/3/2000 while the S&P 500 was up 985% over the same time frame.

The worst of that bear market for mining stocks happened from 1996 to 2000 when technology stocks were booming before topping in 2000, potentially not unlike today. Starting on 11/3/2000, a new secular bull market for mining stocks began while tech stocks plunged.



The S&P/TSX Venture Composite Index ("TSX-V Index") has been in the wake of a nearly 14-year bear market and basing pattern since 2011. On a nominal basis, the TSX-V Index is already 18% below its 2008 GFC-worst levels.

Meanwhile, on an inflation-adjusted basis, using the US Consumer Price Index, the TSX-V Index is currently 45% below its GFC lows, the exact opposite of bubble territory in our view.



The TSX-V hit its all-time high in 2007. Gold has been hitting new all-time highs while the TSX-V has been depressed. We believe the value opportunity in junior mining companies is extraordinary.

Why are the TSX Venture Composite Index and the TSX-V Exchange in Canada relevant proxies for exploration-focused mining stocks? The TSX Venture Composite Index is one of the longest-running indices with a heavy concentration of mining exploration stocks. As of 4/19/24, there were 127 companies in the TSX Venture Composite Index. Their average market cap was USD 270 million. 85 of these companies or 67% of them are in the mining & metals industry and had an average market cap of USD 183 million. The index is a subset of the broader TSX Venture Composite Exchange which has a total of 1,891 companies listed on it with an average market cap of USD 35 million. To be included in the TSX-V Composite Index, a security must have a relative weight of at least 0.20% of the total capitalization of the TSX-V Exchange. 967 of the companies on the overall TSX-V Exchange or 51% of them are in the mining and metals industry with an average market cap of USD 29M. The mining companies listed on the TSX-V Exchange are almost all exploration-focused miners, a large universe of publicly traded companies for Crescat to consider for its exploration-focused activist metals and mining investment theme. TSX-V mining companies tend to be explorers because once these firms become more advanced and go into development or production, if not bought out by a larger firm first, they will typically move their listing up to the TSX big board.

Gold Explorer Historic Acquisition Data and Notes

Date	Aquired Mine/Company	Acquiror	Price Paid	Currency	Exch	Price USD	First resource/reserve after acquisition (Au eq using 80:1 Ag to Au)	Type of resource/reserve	Date of resource/reserve	Au price at acquisition	US$ per resource/reserve oz	% of resource/reserve value	Market Environment
2/24/22	Great Bear	Kinross Gold	$ 1,800,000,000	CAD	1.27	$ 1,417,322,835	5,027,000	I&I	Feb-23	$ 1,795	$ 282	16%	Neutral
9/3/10	Andean Resources	Goldcorp	$ 3,600,000,000	CAD	1.03	$ 3,495,145,631	5,900,000	P&P; MI&I	Apr-11	$ 1,270	$ 592	47%	Bull
2/3/11	Fronteer Gold	Newmont	$ 2,300,000,000	CAD	0.975	$ 2,358,974,359	2,600,000	MI&I	Mar-13	$ 1,345	$ 907	67%	Bull
2/24/06	Penasquito (Glamis)	Glamis Gold	$ 1,200,000,000	CAD	1.12	$ 1,071,428,571	17,170,000	P&P	Jun-06	$ 555	$ 62	11%	Bull
9/29/16	Fosterville (Newmarket)	Kirkland Lake	$ 1,000,000,000	CAD	1.35	$ 740,740,741	3,100,000	P&P; MI&I	Dec-18	$ 1,310	$ 239	18%	Neutral
8/16/96	Arequipa	Barrick	$ 1,100,000,000	CAD	1.37	$ 802,919,708	7,780,000	P&P	Dec-97	$ 387	$ 103	27%	Bull
2/13/23	Sabina Gold & Silver Corp	B2 Gold	$ 1,100,000,000	CAD	1.335	$ 823,970,037	3,600,000	P&P	Feb-23	$ 1,863	$ 229	12%	Neutral
5/15/19	Atlantic Gold Corp	St. Barbara Mining	$ 722,000,000	CAD	1.345	$ 536,802,974	2,370,000	MI&I	Aug-19	$ 1,290.00	$ 226	18%	Neutral
2/14/07	Cumberland Resources	Aginico Eagle	$ 710,000,000	CAD	1.165	$ 609,442,060	2,900,000	P&P	Feb-07	$ 664.00	$ 210	32%	Bull
4/27/12	Trelawney Mining	IAMGold	$ 585,000,000	CAD	1.015	$ 576,354,680	6,870,000	I&I	Oct-12	$ 1,649	$ 84	5%	Bear
7/30/15	Romarco Minerals	Oceana Gold	$ 856,000,000	CAD	1.324	$ 646,525,680	4,627,000	MI&I	Dec-14	$ 1,103	$ 140	13%	Bear
12/5/05	Virgina Gold Mines	Goldcorp	$ 420,000,000	USD		$ 420,000,000	2,764,000	I&I	Aug-07	$ 509	$ 152	30%	Bull
5/12/16	Kaminak Gold Corp	Goldcorp	$ 520,000,000	CAD	1.313	$ 396,039,604	1,662,000	P&P	Oct-18	$ 1,272	$ 238	19%	Neutral
5/31/13	Rainy River Resources	New Gold	$ 310,000,000	CAD	1.03	$ 300,970,874	8,701,000	MI&I	Apr-13	$ 1,402	$ 35	2%	Bear
7/24/08	Aurelian Resources	Kinross Gold	$ 1,200,000,000	CAD	1.01	$ 1,188,118,812	11,080,000	P&P; MI&I	Dec-10	$ 928	$ 107	12%	Bear

Great Bear	Great Bear never published a resource before the sale; note this resource is only indicated and inferred
Andean Resources	This is a high grade asset, hence the premium; over time, it has delivered many more oz
Fronteer Gold	Newmont thought this deposit would deliver way more ounces than it did; it failed to deliver
Penasquito (Glamis)	This deposit has delivered many more oz; Zn and Pb not factored into the Au eq
Fosterville (Newmarket)	The high grade part of Fosterville ultimately delivered around 3.6Moz (I included depletion since they were mining it when the resource came out)
Arequipa	This mine produced Au at $40/oz, so Barrick was justified in the end
Sabina Gold & Silver Corp	I used the reserve statement from Sabina shortly prior to the acquisition
Atlantic Gold Corp	This mine is on care and maintenance due to permitting issues
Cumberland Resources	This deposit has delivered many more oz over time
Trelawney Mining	Very marginal asset; note that this is only indicated and inferred
Romarco Minerals	Oceana never published a resource statement after acquisition; I used the last one by Romarco
Virgina Gold Mines	Note that this is only indicated and inferred; this ended up being a very challenging deposit to mine
Kaminak Gold Corp	Not sure why Goldcorp bought this as it is too small for a major
Rainy River Resources	Low margin deposit with many technical problems; New Gold thought they could improve the situation but did not
Aurelian Resources	This is the first acquisition of Fruta del Norte; Kinross screwed up relations in Ecuador; the Ecuador factor resulted in the discounted price

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Team Members

Ryan Wardell

Investment Systems Leader

Ryan is responsible for the firm's investment management operations and trading, including trade staging and execution. He is also responsible for maintaining the firm's portfolio track records and internal systems, including the automation and production of its equity and macro models. Ryan came to Crescat with more than 10 years of industry experience as Specialized Services Trader at Scottrade and Fidelity Investments. He earned a Bachelor of Science in Business Administration from Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Virginia. Ryan is currently working towards the Chartered Financial Analyst designation and has passed the CFA Level 1 Exam.

Marek Iwahashi

Head of Investor Relations

Marek is Crescat's point person for existing and prospective investors. With a strong background in finance, he works with clients to understand their needs, explain the firm's strategies, open new accounts, and respond to inquiries. Marek also handles various operations, including performing daily trade reconciliation and settlement. He helps produce firm marketing materials, updates consultant databases, and assists the investment team. Marek stood out versus his peers by making strong grades in an accelerated degree program at the University of Colorado, Denver where he earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting and Finance and an MBA with a specialization in Finance in 2019 while working full time. Prior to joining Crescat, he worked as a Mutual Fund Analyst at Broadridge Financial Solutions and assistant branch manager at TCF National Bank.

Cassie Ellrich

Head of Marketing Communications

With a background in both finance and marketing, Cassie strives to perfect the Crescat client journey. She is focused on transparent and engaging communication of Crescat's investment themes and strategies to distinguish the Crescat brand. Cassie has a lead role in crafting the firm's marketing materials from strategy presentations to client reports, email communications, website, and social media content. She also works as a Client Services Specialist to help existing and prospective investors refine their investment goals and better understand Crescat's offerings while answering any questions that may arise throughout the process. Additionally, Cassie is the point person for investment consultants and their databases. Cassie graduated cum laude from Virginia Polytechnic State University with a B.S in Finance. Prior to joining Crescat, she worked as a Marketing Strategist for DISH Network in Englewood, CO.

Team Members

Trevor Smith

Data Scientist

Trevor serves as Crescat's Data Scientist. The exciting developments in the world of Artificial Intelligence have provided Crescat with the opportunity to harness the power of Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, and Data Analytics to advance our quantitative analysis to new heights. With prior work experience in the Applied Math Department and degrees in Statistics & Data Science and Economics from CU Boulder, Trevor works to both develop new financial models and improve existing ones in order to maximize Crescat's quant research capabilities. Trevor also uses his statistical knowledge to provide day-to-day research and trading ideas. With AI suddenly exploding into the industry, Trevor helps keep Crescat ahead of the curve.

Ravena Khan

Assistant Controller

Ravena is responsible for the daily function in maintaining parallel records to the fund's administrator and prime brokers. She is also responsible for assisting in the review of monthly reporting and client statements. Ravena came to Crescat with over 20 years of experience in the hedge fund industry. Her previous roles include serving as a Controller at Foxhill Capital Partners for 13 years and Gracie Capital for 5 years, where she gained invaluable expertise in fund accounting and reporting. Ravena is magna cum laude graduate of Berkeley College in New York, where she earned her accounting degree.

Nathaniel Gilbert

Analyst

Nathaniel reports directly to the Chief Investment Officer. His responsibilities include fundamental research, market analysis, and idea generation. He also works closely with Crescat's quantitative team and contributes to the firm's equity and macro models. Nathaniel began his career at Crescat in April 2022 and, following a brief period at another asset management firm, rejoined the firm in December 2025. He holds a bachelor's degree in economics from the University of Colorado Boulder and is a CFA candidate.

Advisors

Lars Theill, PhD

Senior Biopharma Advisor

Lars is a scientist, inventor, and entrepreneur with 30+ years of biomedical research and drug discovery experience. After earning a PhD in Molecular Biology from Aarhus University, a Medicinal Chemistry degree, and postdoctoral training at UC San Diego Medical School, Dr. Theill lead a biotherapeutics discovery laboratory at Amgen for 15 years, contributing to the invention and preclinical development of numerous small molecule and protein-based therapeutic candidates (including the now blockbuster Prolia) for treatment of cancer, inflammation, and neurodegenerative diseases. In parallel, he evaluated countless in-licensing and acquisition opportunities for the Amgen business development team. Lars is a founder and President of Logix Pharmaceuticals Inc., engaged in developing kinase inhibitors for treatment of cancer, and performing biotech equity research for institutional investors. Dr. Theill is an inventor and author on multiple US patents and 28 research articles published in Science, Nature, Cell, and other leading scientific journals. These papers have received >5,100 citations.

William “Bill” Pearson, PhD

Geologic & Technical Advisor

Bill is an economic geologist with more than 50 years of experience in the global mining industry. He earned a PhD and MSc in Economic Geology from Queen’s University and a BSc (Hons) in Geology from the University of British Columbia. Bill has led exploration programs across Canada and in 17 other countries, with experience spanning all phases of mining from grassroots exploration through advanced exploration, mine development, and underground and open-pit production across a wide range of geological environments and commodities, including precious metals, base metals, and industrial minerals. He has held senior executive roles with junior and intermediate mining companies and has served as a director of multiple public companies listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange and TSX Venture Exchange. He is a founding President of the Association of Professional Geoscientists of Ontario and a past director of Geoscience Canada. He received the PDAC Distinguished Service Award in 2015. He has been involved in several notable projects, including Jacobina in Brazil (acquired by Yamana Gold), Central Sun in Nicaragua (acquired by B2Gold), and Hope Brook in Newfoundland (acquired by First Mining), and was a co-discoverer of the Iska Iska silver-tin polymetallic deposit in Bolivia, Eloro Resources’ flagship project.

Firm History

Predecessor Firms

Crescat Capital LLC

1992
Crescat's Co-Founders Kevin & Linda Smith Start Careers with Kidder, Peabody

1997
Equity Quant Model Inception

1999
Large Cap SMA Inception

2000
Long/Short Hedge Fund (HF) Launch

2005
Crescat Formation & Global Macro HF Launch

2010
Bloomberg Top 4 GM HF for 5 Years

2014
Global Macro HF Preqin Top 10 Award

2015
Global Macro HF Absolute Return Awards Fund of the Year

2018
Global Macro & Long Short 2 of Bloomberg's Top 3 HFs & Precious Metals SMA Inception

2020
Precious Metals HF Launch & 3 of Bloomberg's Top 10 HFs

2020
Inception of the Precious Metals Activist Model

2021
Transitioned Equity Quant Model from Excel to Python

2021
CFI Award for the Best Global Macro Investment Strategy

2023
Institutional Commodity & Institutional Macro HF Launch

2025
Transitioned Equity Quant Model to A.I.-Driven Weights

2025
Precious Metals HF #6 of 1,984 Best Performing Sector-Focused Funds on eVestment for 5-Years

2025
Global Macro HF #1 Preqin Rank for 20-Year Performance

The BarclayHedge Databases are used to determine the winners that are listed below. All winners are nominated based on quantitative data provided by BarclayHedge for the various award categories. All data is collected and analyzed by BarclayHedge. Barclay's monthly Awards rank top performance of funds and CTAs. Barclay's yearly Awards rank top performance of funds and CTAs.
To be considered for the Hedge Fund Intelligence Absolute Return Award, a manager must submit performance to the HFM database. Selection as an award winner is based on the criteria and process set forth below by the organizer and may not reflect the opinions of all investors and industry experts.
Preqin performance awards are selected from data taken from Hedge Fund Analyst online services. The 2014 top performing funds were based on a ranking by net returns over the periods 2014 and 2012-2014.
Bloomberg performance rankings are selected by Bloomberg staff from data provided by hedge funds that report to the Bloomberg database.
There are no fees charged by the organizers for a manager to participate in the selection process for any of the above awards.
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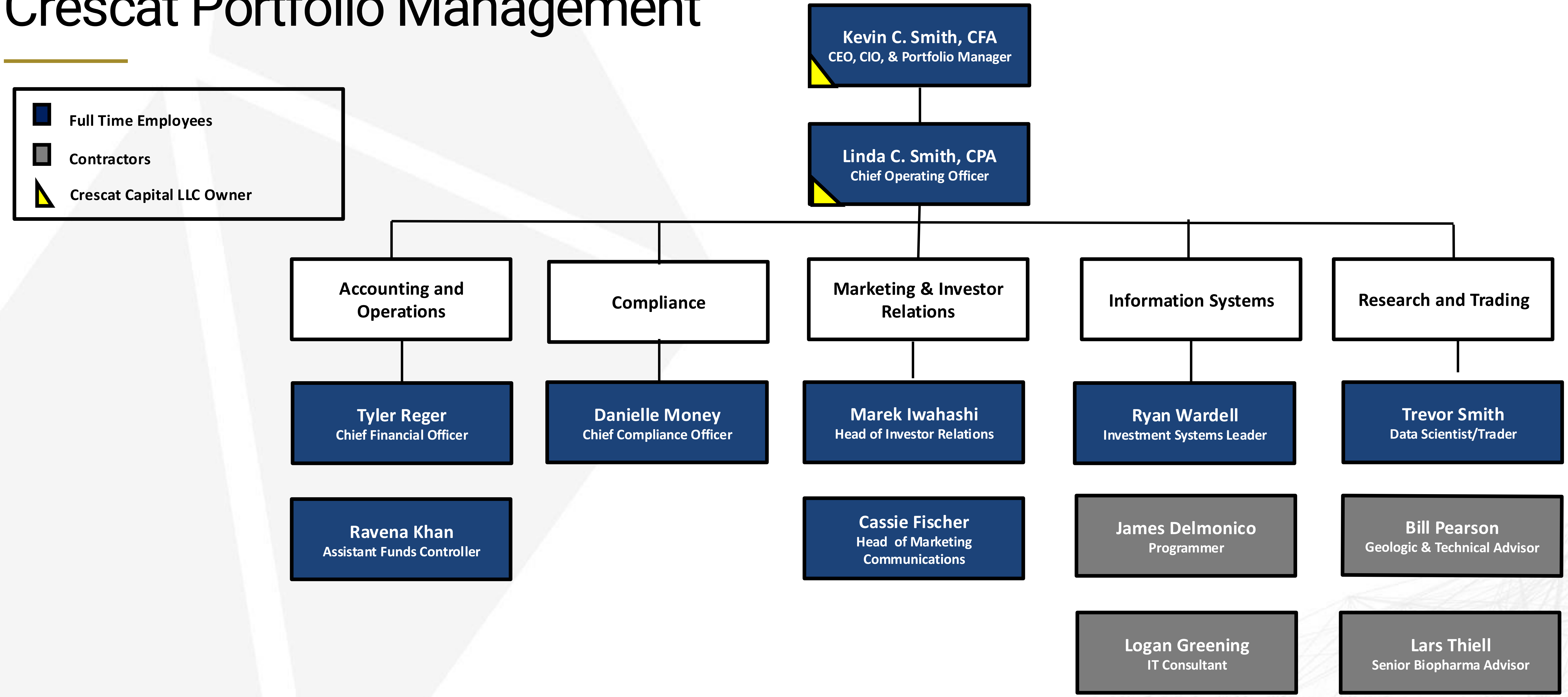
Crescat Portfolio Management



Risk Management Process and Philosophy

- As value investors, we are comfortable accepting an appropriate amount of risk in order to realize the strong returns we see as possible from our macro themes and valuation models over complete business cycles.
- Our investment principles and models give us the confidence that the intrinsic value of our portfolios is substantially greater than the current market price. As such, we believe pullbacks in Crescat's strategies offer great opportunities for both new and existing investors to deploy capital.
- Crescat believes in portfolio diversification across securities and among independent, non-correlated macroeconomic themes which can be accomplished by various combinations across the firm's investment strategies to tailor to individual client needs, objectives, and risk tolerance.
- Individual position sizing is a function of investment team conviction, security-specific volatility, correlation with other securities in the existing portfolio, and contribution to theme-level and overall portfolio risk.
- We view market volatility as our friend to help us initiate long positions cheaply and short positions dearly can ultimately deliver strong appreciation.
- Clients desiring less volatility can make a lesser relative allocation to Crescat's strategies and can combine Crescat's strategies with cash and short-term fixed income investments to reduce risk.
- Clients need to be able to embrace the same mindset that we employ as value-oriented managers and investors in our own funds, i.e., that short-term pullbacks in Crescat's strategies are not likely to be a permanent loss of capital. Otherwise, our strategies will not be suitable.

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Fund net performance is calculated based upon an unrestricted, full fee-paying "Main Class" investor who came in at inception and is eligible to invest in new issues. Net returns reflect the reinvestment of dividends and earnings and the deduction of all fees and expenses (including a management fee and incentive allocation, where applicable). Investment results shown are for taxable and tax-exempt accounts. Any possible tax liabilities incurred by the taxable accounts are not reflected in net performance. An actual client's results may vary due to the timing of capital transactions, high watermarks, and performance.

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Risk and other important disclosures

Performance information

Important Disclosures

Benchmarks

*The **HFRX Global Hedge Fund Index** is designed to be representative of the overall composition of the hedge fund universe. It is comprised of all eligible hedge fund strategies, including but not limited to convertible arbitrage, distressed securities, equity hedge, equity market neutral, event driven, macro, merger arbitrage, and relative value arbitrage. The strategies are asset weighted based on the distribution of assets in the hedge fund industry.*

***The HFRX Equity Hedge Index** measures the performance of the hedge fund market. Equity hedge strategies maintain positions both long and short in primarily equity and equity derivative securities. A wide variety of investment processes can be employed to arrive at an investment decision, including both quantitative and fundamental techniques; strategies can be broadly diversified or narrowly focused on specific sectors and can range broadly in terms of levels of net exposure, leverage employed, holding period, concentrations of market capitalizations and valuation ranges of typical portfolios.*

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***The S&P 500®** is widely regarded as the best single gauge of large-cap U.S. equities. The index includes 500 leading companies and covers approximately 80% of available market capitalization.*

***VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF (GDXJ®)** seeks to replicate as closely as possible, before fees and expenses, the price and yield performance of the MVIS® Global Junior Gold Miners Index (MVGDXJTR), which is intended to track the overall performance of small-capitalization companies that are involved primarily in the mining for gold and/or silver.*

***VanEck Gold Miners ETF (GDX®)** seeks to replicate as closely as possible, before fees and expenses, the price and yield performance of the MarketVector Global Gold Miners Index (MVGDXTR), which is intended to track the overall performance of companies involved in the gold mining industry.*

***SPDR® Gold Shares** seeks to reflect the performance of the price of gold bullion, less the Trust's expenses.*

***iShares® Silver Trust (the 'Trust')** seeks to reflect generally the performance of the price of silver.*

Returns for any index include the reinvestment of income and do not include transaction fees, management fees or any other costs. The performance and volatility of the funds will be different than those of the indexes. One cannot invest directly in an index. Benchmarks are unmanaged and provided to represent the investment environment in existence during the time periods shown.

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