# GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust

Shareholder Commentary – June 30, 2018

(Y)our Portfolio Management Team



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The GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust (the "Fund") is an income fund. The Fund intends to generate current income from short term gains primarily through its strategy of writing (selling) covered call options on the equity securities in its portfolio. Because of its primary strategy, the Fund forgoes the opportunity to participate fully in the appreciation of the underlying equity security above the exercise price of the option. It also is subject to the risk of depreciation of the underlying equity security in excess of the premium received.

### **Investment Performance**

For the quarter ended June 30, 2018, the net asset value ("NAV") total return of the GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust (the "Fund") was 3.4%, compared with total returns of 3.4% and 0.8% for the Chicago Board Options Exchange ("CBOE") Standard & Poor's ("S&P") 500 Buy/Write Index and the Philadelphia Gold & Silver ("XAU") Index. respectively. The total return for the Fund's publicly traded shares was 2.0%. The Fund's NAV per share was \$6.74, while the price of the publicly traded shares closed at \$6.35 on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE").

### **Comparative Results**

Average Annual Returns th	rough Jur	ne 30, 201	8 (a)		Since
CAMCO Natural Bassurass Cold 9 Income Trust	Quarter	1 <u>Yea</u> r	3 Year	5 Year	Inception (01/27/11)
GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust NAV Total Return (b) Investment Total Return (c)	3.45% 2.04	3.49% 2.68	2.20% 4.66	0.54% 0.93	(3.63)% (4.58)
CBOE S&P 500 Buy/Write Index XAU Index	3.39 0.76	7.28 1.67	7.73 9.63	8.14 (1.07)	(4.58) 7.38 (10.30) (d)
Dow Jones U.S. Basic Materials Index	3.58 (1.08)	12.74 6.25	9.34 3.09	10.37 <sup>°</sup> 5.89	(10.30) (d) 5.76 (d) 4.10 (d)

- (a) Returns represent past performance and do not guarantee future results. Investment returns and the principal value of an investment will fluctuate. When shares are sold, they may be worth more or less than their original cost. Current performance may be lower or higher than the performance data presented. Visit www.gabelli.com for performance information as of the most recent month end. Performance returns for periods of less than one year are not annualized. Investors should carefully consider the investment objectives, risks, charges, and expenses of the Fund before investing. The CBOE S&P 500 Buy/Write Index is an unmanaged benchmark index designed to reflect the return on a portfolio that consists of a long position in the stocks in the S&P 500 Index and a short position in a S&P 500 (SPX) call option. The XAU Index is an unmanaged indicator of stock market performance of large North American gold and silver companies. The Dow Jones U.S. Basic Materials Index measures the performance of the basic materials sector of the U.S. equity market. The S&P Global Agribusiness Equity Index is designed to provide exposure to twenty-four of the largest publicly traded agribusiness companies, comprised of a mix of Producers, Distributors & Processors, and Equipment & Materials Suppliers companies. Dividends are considered reinvested. You cannot invest directly in an index.
- (b) Total returns and average annual returns reflect changes in the NAV per share and reinvestment of distributions at NAV on the ex-dividend date and are net of expenses. Since inception return is based on an initial NAV of \$19.06.
  (c) Total returns and average returns reflect changes in closing market values on the NYSE and reinvestment of distributions. Since inception return is based on an initial offering price of \$20.00.
  (d) From January 31, 2011, the date closest to the Fund's inception for which data is available.

### **Premium / Discount Discussion**

As a refresher for our shareholders, the price of a closed-end fund is determined in the open market by willing buyers and sellers. Shares of the Fund trade on the NYSE and may trade at a premium to (higher than) net asset value (the market value of the Fund's underlying portfolio and other assets less any liabilities) or a discount to (lower than) net asset value. Ideally, the Fund's market price will generally track the NAV. However, the Fund's premium or discount to NAV may vary over time. Over the Fund's seven year history, the range fluctuated from approximately a 12% premium in November 2012 to a 14% discount in August 2015.

Since inception in January 2011, the market price of the Fund has both exceeded and trailed the NAV. On June 30, 2018, the market price of the Fund was at a 5.8% discount to its NAV.

### **Covered Call Strategy**

It is the volatility and trading range of the Fund's holdings that enable us to deliver a return to our investors. However, this strategy of generating option premium income also means that individual stocks may be called away, limiting appreciation. The Fund is a vehicle for investors to participate in the natural volatility of these sectors to generate monthly income. It is not a Fund for investors who wish to participate directly in the returns from either the underlying commodities or the stocks of companies engaged in these sectors. The Fund also offers potential diversification for investors. In the past, gold, energy, and natural resources have offered some diversification against potential losses in traditional asset classes, and have long been a hedge against the negative effects of inflation and a declining dollar.

The Fund's cash distributions are generated primarily through the execution of a covered call strategy on the majority of the portfolio's equity holdings. This strategy generally consists of writing "out of the money call options" for each of the names owned in the portfolio. The premiums that are collected contribute substantially to the periodic distributions made by the Fund. Because of the high level of implied volatility associated with these underlying equities, the manager generally chooses to write these options for terms of between two and six months, struck at price levels approximately 6% to 12% higher than the then prevailing price. This allows the Fund to potentially capture some of the upside of the underlying portfolio, while simultaneously generating option premium income for its distribution.

### **Fund Origin and Mandate**

The Fund is designed to generate income by investing in more volatile sectors of the market; commodities, and specifically gold, which at the time of the Fund's inception was benefiting from the European sovereign debt crisis, and energy and natural resources, demand for which was increasing from the growth of developing countries.

In this strategy, the investor gives up some of the upside of a security for the certainty of earning premium income from the sale of the call option. Managing the Fund is a dynamic process of balancing the certainty of the income available from writing options against the uncertainty of any potential upside move in the stock price.

### To Our Shareholders,

In the second quarter of 2018, gold suffered from the strength of the U.S. dollar. The DXY Index, the reference index of the U.S. dollar, was down about 6% for the period, bringing the metal into what we believe is oversold territory. We continue to believe that the economic and financial backdrop is supportive for a higher gold price. The price of the gold mining companies represented by the Philadelphia Gold and Silver Index (XAU), however, was up about 1% for the period, bringing the group valuation back in line with the commodity after weakness in the first quarter.

On the energy side, the market rebalancing continues to the point that, despite a 5% production increase in the U.S., OPEC on June 22 decided to relax its production quotas. Brent was up 13%, while WTI increased 14.2%, maintaining the differential between those two markets, thus providing strong refining margins to U.S. refiners. During the quarter, the energy stocks, as measured by the Energy Select Sector Index (IXE), performed in line with the price of crude, increasing by a substantial 13.5%.

The agriculture sector ended the quarter unchanged with very low volatility.

During the second quarter of 2018, volatility levels remained unchanged at around 32% for the gold sector and 25% for the energy sector. The volatility of the base metals sector and the agricultural sector decreased to 28% and 24%, respectively. We maintained our exposure at a neutral stance to maximize premium option capture. The maturity of the option portfolio was maintained at an average of 1.5 months. At the end of the quarter, the Fund's participation (delta) across sectors was 49.8% for gold and mining, 50.4% for agriculture, and 56.2% for energy.

July 31, 2018

### Top Ten Equity Holdings June 30, 2018

Nutrien Ltd.
Zoetis Inc.
Randgold Resources Ltd.
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.
Deere & Co.

Exxon Mobil Corp.
Royal Gold Inc.
Fresnillo plc
Franco-Nevada Corp.
Royal Dutch Shell

**Note:** The views expressed in this Shareholder Commentary reflect those of the Portfolio Managers only through the end of the period stated in this Shareholder Commentary. The Portfolio Managers' views are subject to change at any time based on market and other conditions. The information in this Shareholder Commentary represents the opinions of the individual Portfolio Managers and is not intended to be a forecast of future events, a guarantee of future results, or investment advice. Views expressed are those of the Portfolio Managers and may differ from those of other portfolio managers or of the Firm as a whole. This Shareholder Commentary does not constitute an offer of any transaction in any securities. Any recommendation contained herein may not be suitable for all investors. Information contained in this Shareholder Commentary has been obtained from sources we believe to be reliable, but cannot be guaranteed.

### **Common Share Repurchase Plan**

On June 26, 2008, the Board of Trustees of the Fund (the "Board") voted to authorize the repurchase of the Fund's common shares in the open market from time to time when such shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more from NAV. In total through June 30, 2018, the Fund has repurchased and retired 250,613 common shares in the open market under this share repurchase plan, at an average investment of \$5.51 per share and an average discount of approximately 14.3% from its NAV. The Fund did not repurchase shares in the second quarter of 2018.

### Monthly Distributions for Common Shareholders

The Fund paid \$0.05 per share cash distributions on April 23, 2018, May 23, 2018, and June 22, 2018, to common shareholders of record on April 16, 2018, May 16, 2018, and June 15, 2018, respectively, for a total distribution of \$0.15 per share during the second quarter of 2018. The Board has reaffirmed the continuation of the Fund's monthly distribution policy for the third quarter of 2018.

The Fund currently intends to make monthly cash distributions of all or a portion of its investment company taxable income (which includes ordinary income and realized net short term capital gains) to common shareholders. The Fund also intends to make annual distributions of its realized net long term capital gains, if any. A portion of the distribution may include a return of capital. Premium income earned on options is considered short term capital gains and is not treated as qualified income for individuals. Various factors will affect the level of the Fund's income, such as its asset mix and use of covered call strategies. To permit the Fund to maintain more stable distributions, the Fund may from time to time distribute more or less than the entire amount of income earned in a particular period.

Because the Fund's current monthly distributions are subject to modification by the Board at any time and the Fund's income will fluctuate, there can be no assurance that the Fund will pay distributions at a particular rate or frequency. The Fund intends to pay monthly distributions at no less than an amount sufficient to satisfy the minimum distribution requirements of the Internal Revenue Service.

Each quarter, the Board reviews the amount of any potential distribution and the income, capital gain, or capital available. The Board will continue to monitor the Fund's distribution level, taking into consideration the Fund's net asset value and the financial market environment. The distribution rate should not be considered the dividend yield or total return on an investment in the Fund.

If the Fund does not generate sufficient earnings (dividends and interest income and realized net capital gain) equal to or in excess of the aggregate distributions paid by the Fund in a given year, then the amount distributed in excess of the Fund's earnings would be deemed a return of capital. Since this would be considered a return of a portion of a shareholder's original investment, it is generally not taxable and is treated as a reduction in the shareholder's cost basis. It is expected that distributions to common shareholders in 2017 will substantially be deemed a return of capital for tax purposes as premium income (short term capital gains) will be offset by the Fund's capital loss carry forward from prior years.

Qualified dividend income, ordinary income, and paid-in capital, if any, will be allocated on a pro-rata basis to all distributions to common shareholders for the year. Long term capital gains are typically distributed in the later distributions within the year. Based on the accounting records of the Fund currently available, each of the distributions paid to common shareholders in 2018 would include approximately 10% from net investment income, 63% from net capital gains, and 27% from paid-in capital on a book basis. The estimated components of each distribution are updated and provided to shareholders of record in a notice accompanying the distribution and are available on our website (www.gabelli.com). The final determination of the sources of all distributions in 2018 will be made after year end and can vary from the quarterly estimates. All shareholders with taxable accounts will receive written notification regarding the components and tax treatment for all 2018 distributions in early 2019 via Form 1099-DIV.

### 5.20% Series A Cumulative Preferred Stock

The Series A Preferred Shares paid a \$0.325 per share initial cash distribution on June 26, 2018, to Series A preferred shareholders of record on June 19, 2018. The Series A Preferred Shares, which trade on the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol "GNT Pr A", are rated "A2" by Moody's Investors Service and have an annual dividend rate of \$1.30 per share. The Series A Preferred Shares were issued on October 26, 2017 at \$25.00 per share and pay distributions quarterly. The Series A Preferred Shares will be callable at any time at the liquidation value of \$25.00 per share plus accrued dividends following the expiration of the five year call protection on October 26, 2022. The next distribution is scheduled for September 2018.

Long term capital gains, qualified dividend income, and ordinary income, if any, will be allocated on a prorata basis to all distributions to preferred shareholders for the year. Based on the accounting records of the Fund currently available, each of the distributions paid to preferred shareholders in 2018 would include approximately 14% from net investment income and 86% from net capital gains on a book basis. The estimated components of each distribution are updated and provided to shareholders of record in a notice accompanying

the distribution and are available on our website (www.gabelli.com). The final determination of the sources of all distributions in 2018 will be made after year end and can vary from the quarterly estimates. All shareholders with taxable accounts will receive written notification regarding the components and tax treatment for all 2018 distributions in early 2019 via Form 1099-DIV.

### Tax Treatment of Distributions to Common and Preferred Shareholders

When the distributions are treated as long term capital gain or qualified dividend income (or a combination of both) for individuals, they are subject to the maximum federal income tax rate, which is currently 20% in taxable accounts for individuals. In addition, certain U.S. shareholders who are individuals, estates, or trusts and whose income exceeds certain thresholds will be required to pay a 3.8% Medicare surcharge on their "net investment income," which includes dividends received from the Fund and capital gains from the sale or other disposition of shares of the Fund. The premium income from options is generally treated as short term capital gains. Thus, the Fund expects that this income is predominately not qualified income.

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### e-delivery

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Vincent Hugonnard-Roche joined GAMCO Investors, Inc. in 2000. He is Director of Quantitative Strategies, head of the Gabelli Risk Management Group, and serves as a portfolio manager of Gabelli Funds, LLC and manages several funds within the Gabelli/GAMCO Funds Complex. He received a Master's degree in Mathematics of Decision Making from EISITI, France and an MS in Finance from ESSEC, France.

We have separated the portfolio managers' commentary from the financial statements and investment portfolio due to corporate governance regulations stipulated by the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. We have done this to ensure that the content of the portfolio managers' commentary is unrestricted. The financial statements and investment portfolio are mailed separately from the commentary. Both the commentary and the financial statements, including the portfolio of investments, will be available on our website at www.gabelli.com.

The Net Asset Value per share appears in the Publicly Traded Funds column, under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds," in Monday's The Wall Street Journal. It is also listed in Barron's Mutual Funds/Closed End Funds section under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds."

The Net Asset Value per share may be obtained each day by calling (914) 921-5070 or visiting www.gabelli.com. The NASDAQ symbol for the Net Asset Value per share is "XGNTX."

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, that the Fund may from time to time purchase its common shares in the open market when the Fund's shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more from the net asset value of the shares. The Fund may also from time to time purchase shares of its preferred shares in the open market when the preferred shares are trading at a discount to the liquidation value.

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# GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust Semiannual Report — June 30, 2018

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### To Our Shareholders,

For the six months ended June 30, 2018, the net asset value ("NAV") total return of the GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust (the "Fund") was (1.0)%, compared with total returns of 1.8% and (3.9)% for the Chicago Board Options Exchange ("CBOE") Standard & Poor's ("S&P") 500 Buy/Write Index and the Philadelphia Gold & Silver ("XAU") Index, respectively. The total return for the Fund's publicly traded shares was (0.9)%. The Fund's NAV per share was \$6.74, while the price of the publicly traded shares closed at \$6.35 on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE"). See below for additional performance information.

Enclosed are the financial statements, including the schedule of investments, as of June 30, 2018.

### **Comparative Results**

Average Annual Returns through June 30, 2018 (a)	(Unaudited)				Since
	Year to Date	1 Year	3 Year	5 Year	Inception (01/27/11)
GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust					
NAV Total Return (b)	(0.95)%	3.49%	2.20%	0.54%	(3.63)%
Investment Total Return (c)	(0.90)	2.68	4.66	0.93	(4.58)
CBOE S&P 500 Buy/Write Index	1.78	7.28	7.73	8.14	7.38
XAU Index	(3.92)	1.67	9.63	(1.07)	(10.30)(d)
Dow Jones U.S. Basic Materials Index	(2.15)	12.74	9.34	10.37	5.76(d)
S&P Global Agribusiness Equity Index	(5.89)	6.25	3.09	5.89	4.10(d)
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### Summary of Portfolio Holdings (Unaudited)

The following table presents portfolio holdings as a percent of total investments before options written as of June 30, 2018:

### **GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust**

	Short Positions	
34.3%	Call Options Written	(3.0)%
23.2%	Put Options Written	(0.2)%
21.5%		(3.2)%
6.1%		
6.0%		
4.6%		
2.4%		
1. <u>9</u> %		
<u>100.0</u> %		
	23.2% 21.5% 6.1% 6.0% 4.6% 2.4% 1.9%	34.3% Call Options Written

The Fund files a complete schedule of portfolio holdings with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") for the first and third quarters of each fiscal year on Form N-Q. Shareholders may obtain this information at www.gabelli.com or by calling the Fund at 800-GABELLI (800-422-3554). The Fund's Form N-Q is available on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov and may also be reviewed and copied at the SEC's Public Reference Room in Washington, DC. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling 800-SEC-0330.

### **Proxy Voting**

The Fund files Form N-PX with its complete proxy voting record for the twelve months ended June 30, no later than August 31 of each year. A description of the Fund's proxy voting policies, procedures, and how the Fund voted proxies relating to portfolio securities is available without charge, upon request, by (i) calling 800-GABELLI (800-422-3554); (ii) writing to The Gabelli Funds at One Corporate Center, Rye, NY 10580-1422; or (iii) visiting the SEC's website at www.sec.gov.

### Certifications

The Fund's Chief Executive Officer has certified to the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") that, as of June 7, 2018, he was not aware of any violation by the Fund of applicable NYSE corporate governance listing standards. The Fund reports to the SEC on Form N-CSR which contains certifications by the Fund's principal executive officer and principal financial officer that relate to the Fund's disclosure in such reports and that are required by Rule 30a-2(a) under the 1940 Act.

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Shares		Cost	Market Value	Shares		Cost	Market Value
<u>Onaroo</u>	COMMON STOCKS — 77.8%	0001	<u>valuo</u>	64,000	Zostio Inc. (a)	\$ 5,404,005 \$	5,452,160
	Agriculture — 6.1%			04,000	Zoetis Inc.(a)		
76.500	Archer-Daniels-Midland Co.(a)	3.496.284 \$	3.505.995			8,029,336	8,263,586
23,000	Bunge Ltd.(a)	1,924,384	1,603,330		Machinery — 6.0%		
106,990	Nutrien Ltd.(a)	, ,	5,818,116	15,000	AGCO Corp	1,062,012	910,800
•	-	11,965,829	10,927,441	160,000	CNH Industrial NV(a)	2,249,600	1,684,800
	- 		,	34,800	Deere & Co.(a)		4,865,040
45 500	Energy and Energy Services — 22.9		4 405 075	212,000	Kubota Corp	<u>3,909,373</u>	3,337,542
15,500	Anadarko Petroleum Corp.(a)	1,267,240	1,135,375			12,856,887	10,798,182
4,500	Andeavor	612,720	590,310		Metals and Mining — 33.9%		
11,400	Apache Corp.(a)	934,938	532,950	112,500	Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.(a)	5,324,137	5,155,875
13,500	Baker Hughes, a GE Company(a) .	772,010	445,905	295.000	Alacer Gold Corp.†	605.839	545.278
44,700	BP plc, ADR(a)	2,025,652	2,041,002 376.040	464,418	Alamos Gold Inc., New York,	000,000	343,270
15,800	Cabot Oil & Gas Corp.(a)	422,623	,	404,410	Cl. A(a)	3.845.486	2.642.538
26,000 3.100	Chevron Corp.(a)	3,376,885	3,287,180 315.394	158,998	Alamos Gold Inc., Toronto, Cl. A	954,695	905.865
-,	Consess Passaures Inc. +(a)	415,211	,	26,500	AngloGold Ashanti Ltd., ADR(a)	456,437	217,565
4,600	Concho Resources Inc.†(a)	704,209	636,410	50,000	Antofagasta plc	1,098,233	653,276
10,300	ConocoPhillips	701,291	717,086 804.468	100.000	Asanko Gold Inc.†	347,416	108.014
18,300	Devon Energy Corp.(a)	960,576	,	627,000	B2Gold Corp.†	1,962,720	1.617.660
61,500	Eni SpAEOG Resources Inc.(a)	1,190,609	1,142,365 2.090.424	132.500	Barrick Gold Corp.(a)	2,588,572	1.739.725
16,800 2,500		1,931,340 162,460	137,950	475.000	Belo Sun Mining Corp.†	360,402	83.102
58,000	EQT Corp Exxon Mobil Corp.(a)	5,287,092	4,798,340	600,000	Centamin plc	1,207,385	942,301
26,000	Halliburton Co.(a)	1,433,215	1,171,560	25.000	Centerra Gold Inc.†	152.283	139.010
4.000	Helmerich & Payne Inc	315,370	255.040	355,000	Continental Gold Inc.†	1,093,147	1,023,428
4,000	Hess Corp	267,837	280.938	215,000	Detour Gold Corp.†	3,955,837	1,933,062
53,500	Kinder Morgan Inc.(a)	1,177,371	945.345	235.000	Eldorado Gold Corp., New	0,000,007	1,000,002
25,000	Marathon Oil Corp	508,030	521,500	200,000	York†(a)	1,306,670	233,473
18,100	Marathon Petroleum Corp.(a)	1,408,143	1,269,896	105.809	Eldorado Gold Corp., Toronto†	259.174	107.044
6,300	Newfield Exploration Co.†	266,294	1,209,636	32,500	Endeavour Mining Corp.†	631,600	583.178
15,500	Noble Energy Inc.(a)	670,755	546,840	150.000	Fortuna Silver Mines Inc.†	744,375	852.000
10,600	Occidental Petroleum Corp.(a)	871.316	887.008	57,000	Franco-Nevada Corp.(a)	4,664,652	4,162,140
12,000	ONEOK Inc.	779,720	837,960	292,548	Fresnillo plc	5,362,517	4,414,937
12,000	Phillips 66(a)	1,384,332	1,347,720	69,000	Gold Fields Ltd., ADR	340,713	246,330
5.100	Pioneer Natural Resources Co.(a).	1.017.297	965.124	131,400	Goldcorp Inc.(a)	2,643,424	1,801,494
10,000	Range Resources Corp	342,100	167,300	608,500	Hochschild Mining plc	2,019,178	1.529.843
114.000	Royal Dutch Shell plc, Cl. A	4.022.528	3,955,366	46.000	Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd	862,238	974.130
40,770	Schlumberger Ltd.(a)	3,507,037	2,732,813	10.000	Labrador Iron Ore Royalty Corp	182,294	183.243
22,000	Suncor Energy Inc.(a)	885,370	894,960	30,000	MAG Silver Corp., New	,	,
15,000	Sunoco LP	379.761	374.400	,	York†(b)(c)	314.100	324.300
15,500	TechnipFMC plc	541,516	491.970	90,000	MAG Silver Corp., Toronto†	1,292,390	972,122
26.500	The Williams Companies Inc.(a)	1,434,435	718.415	230,000	Newcrest Mining Ltd	4,223,809	3,727,150
36.000	TOTAL SA, ADR(a)	2,300,724	2.180.160	70,500	Newmont Mining Corp.(a)	2,946,026	2,658,555
12,400	Valero Energy Corp.(a)	1,422,804	1,374,292	97,100	Northern Dynasty Minerals Ltd.† .	202,772	52,441
12,100	Taloro Energy Corp.(a)	45.700.811	41.160.381	429,950	OceanaGold Corp	1,427,061	1,193,715
	-	40,700,011	41,100,001	119,000	Osisko Gold Royalties Ltd	1,548,918	1,126,954
	Food and Beverage — 1.9%			600,000	Perseus Mining Ltd.†	1,878,228	190,933
15,000	Pilgrim's Pride Corp.†	493,613	301,950	29,500	Polyus PJSC, ĞDR	1,204,438	969,075
45,000	Tyson Foods Inc., Cl. A(a)	<u>3,556,875</u>	3,098,250	16,400	Pretium Resources Inc., New	•	•
	<u>-</u>	4,050,488	3,400,200	-	York†	194,814	120,376
	Health Care — 4.6%			29,000	Pretium Resources Inc.,	•	•
12,900	IDEXX Laboratories Inc.†	2,625,331	2,811,426		Toronto†	256,249	213,312
12,000	12 L/W Euboratorios IIIo.	2,020,001	2,011,720				

<u>Shares</u>		Cost	Market <u>Value</u>					Market <u>Value</u>
69,500	COMMON STOCKS (Continued) Metals and Mining (Continued) Randgold Resources Ltd.,				<b>VRITTEN — (3.2)</b> % ms received \$6,349,876)		\$	(5,666,972)
51,000	ADR(a) \$ Rio Tinto plc, ADR(a)	7,000,800 \$ 3,038,267	5,357,755 2,829,480	Other Asse	ts and Liabilities (Net)		<u> </u>	(3,286,869)
51,500 70,000 178,000	Royal Gold Inc.(a)SEMAFO Inc.†Tahoe Resources Inc.(a)	4,658,002 260,742 3,481,863	4,781,260 202,868 875,760	PREFERRE (1,200,0	<b>D STOCK</b> 00 preferred shares outstandi	ng)		(30,000,000)
109,000 77,000	Torex Gold Resources Inc.† Wheaton Precious Metals Corp.(a)	2,057,511	970,897 1,698,620		S — COMMON STOCK 510 common shares outstand	ling)	<u>\$</u> 1	140,851,648
	<u> </u>	80,856,817			VALUE PER COMMON SHAF 51,648 ÷ 20,897,510 shares o		\$	6.74
24,000 19,000 55,000	Specialty Chemicals — 2.4% CF Industries Holdings Inc.(a) FMC Corp.(a) The Mosaic Co.(a)	1,200,770 1,782,532 2,916,823 5,900,125	1,065,600 1,694,990 1,542,750 4,303,340	(a) Secu with (b) At Ju	urities, or a portion thereof, wit the broker as collateral for op ne 30, 2018, the Fund held inve- unting to \$324,300 or 0.18% of	h a value of \$7 itions written. stments in rest	== 1,571,773 we: ricted and illiqu	re deposited
	TOTAL COMMON STOCKS	169,360,293		whic	h were valued under method:			
15,700	CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCKS Energy and Energy Services — 0.3% Kinder Morgan Inc., 9.750%	0	544,31 <u>9</u>	follo  Acquisition Shares		Acquisition Date	Acquisition Cost	06/30/18 Carrying Value Per Share
25,000	WARRANTS — 0.0% Metals and Mining — 0.0% Osisko Mining Inc., expire 08/28/18†(b)(c)	<u> 11,451</u> _	0	`´ 1933	MAG Silver Corp., New York Osisko Mining Inc., expire 08/28/18 Irity exempt from registration 8, as amended. These securitie	02/17/17 under Rule 14 es may be reso	old in transact	ions exempt
Principal Amount					registration, normally to qualif narket value of Rule 144A sec			
\$ 350,000	CONVERTIBLE CORPORATE BONDS Metals and Mining — 0.2% Osisko Gold Royalties Ltd. 4.000%, 12/31/22		266.896	of to (d) At Ju for o	tal investments before option: ne 30, 2018, \$7,000,000 of the ptions written. income producing security.	s written.		
400,000	CORPORATE BONDS — 0.2%  Metals and Mining — 0.2%  Eldorado Gold Corp., 6.125%, 12/15/20(c)			†† Repr ADR Ame	esents annualized yields at da rican Depositary Receipt al Depositary Receipt	ates of purcha	se.	
38,856,000	U.S. GOVERNMENT OBLIGATIONS - U.S. Treasury Bills, 1.850% to 2.054%††, 08/16/18 to 12/13/18(d)		38.694.060					
	TMENTS BEFORE OPTIONS  — 100.0%							

Geographic Diversification	% of Total Investments*	Market <u>Value</u>
Long Positions		
North America	79.0%	\$142,116,746
Europe	12.0	21,594,274
Latin America	4.0	7,181,234
Asia/Pacific	2.8	5,111,798
Japan	1.9	3,337,542
South Africa	0.3	463,895
Total Investments — Long Positions	100.0%	\$179,805,489
Short Positions		
North America	(3.0)%	\$ (5,403,042)
Europe	(0.2)	(200,209)
Asia/Pacific	(0.0)**	(40,348)
Japan	(0.0)**	(23,373)
${\it Total\ Investments Short\ Positions\ .\ .\ .}$	(3.2)%	\$ (5,666,972)

<sup>\*</sup> Total investments exclude options written.

As of June 30, 2018, options written outstanding were as follows:

		Number of	N	lotional	Ex	ercise	Expiration	- 1	Market
Description	Counterparty	Contracts	I	Amount	I	Price	Date		Value
OTC Call Options									
Written — (1.6)%									
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.	Pershing LLC	420	USD	1,924,860	USD	46.00	07/20/18	\$	42,403
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.	Pershing LLC	285	USD	1,306,155	USD	46.00	09/21/18		68,376
Alamos Gold Inc.	Pershing LLC	2,100	USD	1,194,900	USD	6.25	07/20/18		6,840
Alamos Gold Inc.	Pershing LLC	2,100	USD	1,194,900	USD	6.00	08/17/18		22,742
Alamos Gold Inc.	Pershing LLC	2,034	USD	1,157,346	USD	6.00	09/21/18		36,810
Anadarko Petroleum									
Corp.	Pershing LLC	55	USD	402,875	USD	67.50	07/20/18		33,999
Anadarko Petroleum									
Corp.	Pershing LLC	50	USD	366,250	USD	70.00	09/21/18		31,043
Andeavor	Pershing LLC	15	USD	196,770	USD	115.00	07/20/18		24,808
Andeavor	Pershing LLC	15	USD	196,770	USD	150.00	09/21/18		1,379
Antofagasta plc	Morgan Stanley	50	GBP	495,000	GBp	1,080.00	08/17/18		9,646
Apache Corp.	Pershing LLC	40	USD	187,000	USD	42.50	07/20/18		17,321
Apache Corp.	Pershing LLC	36	USD	168,300	USD	45.00	08/17/18		12,279
Archer-Daniels-Midland									
Co.	Pershing LLC	240	USD	1,099,920	USD	45.00	07/20/18		31,484
Archer-Daniels-Midland									
Co.	Pershing LLC	240	USD	1,099,920	USD	45.00	08/17/18		42,149

<sup>\*\*</sup> Amount represents greater than (0.05)%.

Description	Counterparty	Number of Contracts		lotional Amount		ercise rice	Expiration Date	larket Value
Archer-Daniels-Midland								
Co.	Pershing LLC	285	USD	1,306,155	USD	46.00	09/21/18	\$ 45,280
B2Gold Corp.	Pershing LLC	2,120	USD	546,960	USD	3.00	07/20/18	935
B2Gold Corp.	Pershing LLC	2,150	USD	554,700	USD	2.90	08/17/18	8,640
B2Gold Corp.	Pershing LLC	2,000	USD	516,000	USD	3.00	09/21/18	11,067
Baker Hughes, a GE								
Company	Pershing LLC	25	USD	82,575	USD	36.00	07/20/18	662
Baker Hughes, a GE								
Company	Pershing LLC	25	USD	82,575	USD	37.00	10/19/18	2,509
Barrick Gold Corp.	Pershing LLC	425	USD	558,025	USD	13.00	08/17/18	25,718
Barrick Gold Corp.	Pershing LLC	450	USD	590,850	USD	13.00	09/21/18	33,670
BP plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	150	USD	684,900	USD	42.50	07/20/18	50,269
BP plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	142	USD	648,372	USD	47.00	08/17/18	9,802
BP plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	155	USD	707,730	USD	46.00	09/21/18	23,110
Bunge Ltd.	Pershing LLC	75	USD	522,825	USD	74.00	08/17/18	13,838
CF Industries Holdings								
Inc.	Pershing LLC	120	USD	532,800	USD	42.50	11/16/18	54,915
Chevron Corp.	Pershing LLC	85	USD	1,074,655	USD	125.00	07/20/18	27,823
Chevron Corp.	Pershing LLC	90	USD	1,137,870	USD	130.00	08/17/18	18,044
Chevron Corp.	Pershing LLC	85	USD	1,074,655	USD	132.00	09/21/18	19,813
CNH Industrial NV	Pershing LLC	500	USD	526,500	USD	13.00	07/20/18	77
CNH Industrial NV	Pershing LLC	600	USD	631,800	USD	12.50	08/17/18	2,276
Concho Resources Inc.	Pershing LLC	16	USD	221,360	USD	150.00	08/17/18	5,016
ConocoPhillips	Pershing LLC	53	USD	368,986	USD	67.50	07/20/18	15,167
Deere & Co.	Pershing LLC	120	USD	1,677,600	USD	155.00	08/17/18	20,955
Deere & Co.	Pershing LLC	120	USD	1,677,600	USD	155.00	09/21/18	33,646
Eni SpA	Morgan Stanley	40	EUR	318,120	EUR	16.00	07/20/18	5,697
Eni SpA	Morgan Stanley	40	EUR	318,120	EUR	17.00	08/17/18	2,216
Eni SpA	Morgan Stanley	43	EUR	341,979	EUR	15.00	09/21/18	29,208
EOG Resources Inc.	Pershing LLC	52	USD	647,036	USD	125.00	08/17/18	25,235
Exxon Mobil Corp.	Pershing LLC	200	USD	1,654,600	USD	80.00	07/20/18	67,881
Exxon Mobil Corp.	Pershing LLC	190	USD	1,571,870	USD	82.50	08/17/18	40,215
Exxon Mobil Corp.	Pershing LLC	190	USD	1,571,870	USD	82.50	09/21/18	54,277
Franco-Nevada Corp.	Pershing LLC	190	USD	1,387,380	USD	75.00	08/17/18	29,694
Franco-Nevada Corp.	Pershing LLC	190	USD	1,387,380	USD	70.00	09/21/18	91,653
Goldcorp Inc.	Pershing LLC	347	USD	475,737	USD	14.00	08/17/18	16,336
Goldcorp Inc.	Pershing LLC	440	USD	603,240	USD	14.50	09/21/18	19,828
Halliburton Co.	Pershing LLC	90	USD	405,540	USD	47.50	09/21/18	12,927
Helmerich & Payne Inc.	Pershing LLC	20	USD	127,520	USD	75.00	09/21/18	1,283
Helmerich & Payne Inc.	Pershing LLC	20	USD	127,520	USD	65.00	12/21/18	9,338
Hess Corp.	Pershing LLC	20	USD	133,780	USD	57.50	08/17/18	20,383
IDEXX Laboratories Inc.	Pershing LLC	50	USD	1,089,700	USD	210.00	08/17/18	74,853
Kinder Morgan Inc.	Pershing LLC	180	USD	318,060	USD	18.00	07/20/18	4,405

		Number of		Notional	Ex	ercise	Expiration	Market
Description	Counterparty	Contracts		Amount		Price	Date	Value
Kinder Morgan Inc.	Pershing LLC	175	USD	309,225	USD	18.00	08/17/18	\$ 6,266
Kubota Corp.	The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	900	JPY	156,870,000	JPY	1,850.00	09/21/18	23,373
Marathon Petroleum								
Corp.	Pershing LLC	45	USD	315,720	USD	76.00	09/21/18	7,956
Newcrest Mining Ltd.	Morgan Stanley	770	AUD	1,686,082	AUD	22.00	08/24/18	40,348
Newfield Exploration Co.	Pershing LLC	23	USD	69,575	USD	27.50	07/20/18	6,998
Newmont Mining Corp.	Pershing LLC	180	USD	678,780	USD	42.00	07/20/18	684
Newmont Mining Corp.	Pershing LLC	265	USD	999,315	USD	40.50	08/17/18	11,656
Newmont Mining Corp.	Pershing LLC	260	USD	980,460	USD	38.00	09/21/18	40,832
Noble Energy Inc.	Pershing LLC	50	USD	176,400	USD	32.00	11/16/18	24,707
Nutrien Ltd.	Pershing LLC	350	USD	1,903,300	USD	48.00	07/20/18	228,027
Nutrien Ltd.	Pershing LLC	350	USD	1,903,300	USD	52.00	08/17/18	124,231
Nutrien Ltd.	Pershing LLC	370	USD	2,012,060	USD	55.00	09/21/18	86,206
Occidental Petroleum	-							
Corp.	Pershing LLC	36	USD	301,248	USD	77.50	07/20/18	23,524
Occidental Petroleum								
Corp.	Pershing LLC	35	USD	292,880	USD	85.00	09/21/18	10,216
ONEOK Inc.	Pershing LLC	40	USD	279,320	USD	60.00	07/20/18	40,035
ONEOK Inc.	Pershing LLC	40	USD	279,320	USD	67.50	08/17/18	12,749
ONEOK Inc.	Pershing LLC	40	USD	279,320	USD	67.50	09/21/18	15,354
Phillips 66	Pershing LLC	40	USD	449,240	USD	117.00	09/21/18	11,058
Phillips 66	Pershing LLC	40	USD	449,240	USD	110.00	07/20/18	15,591
Pioneer Natural								
Resources Co.	Pershing LLC	16	USD	302,784	USD	210.00	08/17/18	3,879
Pioneer Natural								
Resources Co.	Pershing LLC	18	USD	340,632	USD	195.00	10/19/18	19,549
Randgold Resources								
Ltd., ADR	Pershing LLC	245	USD	1,888,705	USD	85.00	07/20/18	2,859
Randgold Resources								
Ltd., ADR	Pershing LLC	230	USD	1,773,070	USD	85.00	08/17/18	18,968
Rio Tinto plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	170	USD	943,160	USD	55.00	07/20/18	29,084
Rio Tinto plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	170	USD	943,160	USD	60.00	08/17/18	7,665
Rio Tinto plc, ADR	Pershing LLC	170	USD	943,160	USD	60.00	09/21/18	15,182
Royal Dutch Shell plc	Morgan Stanley	38	GBP	999,020	GBp	2,500.00	07/20/18	70,746
Royal Dutch Shell plc	Morgan Stanley	37	GBP	972,730	GBp	2,600.00	08/17/18	34,967
Royal Dutch Shell plc	Morgan Stanley	39	GBP	1,025,310	GBp	2,600.00	09/21/18	47,728
Royal Gold Inc.	Pershing LLC	135	USD	1,253,340	USD	90.00	08/17/18	62,771
Schlumberger Ltd.	Pershing LLC	135	USD	904,905	USD	70.00	07/20/18	7,847
Schlumberger Ltd.	Pershing LLC	128	USD	857,984	USD	75.00	08/17/18	3,968
Schlumberger Ltd.	Pershing LLC	145	USD	971,935	USD	67.50	09/21/18	39,480
Suncor Energy Inc.	Pershing LLC	75	USD	305,100	USD	39.00	07/20/18	15,763
Suncor Energy Inc.	Pershing LLC	70	USD	284,760	USD	41.50	08/17/18	8,466
Suncor Energy Inc.	Pershing LLC	75	USD	305,100	USD	40.00	09/21/18	16,853
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Description	Counterparty	Number of Contracts		lotional Amount		ercise rice	Expiration Date		Market Value
Tahoe Resources Inc.	Pershing LLC	590	USD	290,280	USD	6.00	10/19/18	\$	15,475
TechnipFMC plc	Pershing LLC	60	USD	190,440	USD	35.00	10/19/18		7,522
The Williams Companies									
Inc.	Pershing LLC	87	USD	235,857	USD	28.00	07/20/18		1,878
The Williams Companies									
Inc.	Pershing LLC	87	USD	235,857	USD	28.00	08/17/18		4,597
The Williams Companies									
Inc.	Pershing LLC	91	USD	246,701	USD	28.00	09/21/18		5,945
TOTAL SA, ADR	Pershing LLC	125	USD	757,000	USD	62.50	07/20/18		4,557
TOTAL SA, ADR	Pershing LLC	57	USD	345,192	USD	62.50	08/17/18		5,532
TOTAL SA, ADR	Pershing LLC	120	USD	726,720	USD	62.50	09/21/18		14,206
Tyson Foods Inc.	Pershing LLC	150	USD	1,032,750	USD	67.50	08/17/18		54,977
Valero Energy Corp.	Pershing LLC	42	USD	465,486	USD	110.00	07/20/18		14,335
Valero Energy Corp.	Pershing LLC	40	USD	443,320	USD	115.00	08/17/18		10,572
Valero Energy Corp.	Pershing LLC	42	USD	465,486	USD	120.00	09/21/18		9,905
VanEck Vectors Gold	-								
Miners ETF	Pershing LLC	2,300	USD	5,131,300	USD	23.00	08/17/18		94,257
VanEck Vectors Gold									
Miners ETF	Pershing LLC	250	USD	557,750	USD	22.50	09/21/18		21,154
Wheaton Precious									
Metals Corp.	Pershing LLC	255	USD	562,530	USD	22.50	07/20/18		6,366
Wheaton Precious									
Metals Corp.	Pershing LLC	260	USD	573,560	USD	22.00	08/17/18		20,984
Wheaton Precious									
Metals Corp.	Pershing LLC	255	USD	562,530	USD	22.50	09/21/18		19,232
Zoetis Inc.	Pershing LLC	200	USD	1,703,800	USD	82.50	08/17/18		91,221
TOTAL OTC CALL OPTI	IONS WRITTEN							\$2	,848,241
OTC Put Options Writte	n — (0.1)%								
Energy Select Sector SPDR ETF	Develope II C	165	HCD	1 050 010	HCD	70.05	00/17/10	φ	10.061
-	Pershing LLC	165	USD	1,253,010	USD	73.25	08/17/18	\$	18,361
Energy Select Sector SPDR ETF	Pershing LLC	165	USD	1,253,010	USD	72 50	08/17/18		10 474
VanEck Vectors Gold	reisiling LLC	100	USD	1,255,010	030	73.50	06/17/16		19,474
Miners ETF	Pershing LLC	2,200	USD	4,908,200	USD	21.00	08/17/18		40,453
VanEck Vectors Gold	reisiling LLC	2,200	USD	4,900,200	USD	21.00	00/17/10		40,455
Miners ETF	Pershing LLC	2,200	USD	4,908,200	USD	21.50	09/21/18		110,411
TOTAL OTC PUT OPTIC	· ·	2,200	000	4,900,200	000	21.50	03/21/10	\$	188,699
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Description		Number of Contracts		lotional Amount		ercise rice	Expiration Date		Market Value
	Options Written — (1.4)%	Juliants					Date		- 4140
AGCO Corp.	- (1.7)/0	75	USD	455,400	USD	70.00	08/17/18	\$	2.063
AGCO Corp.		75 75	USD	455,400	USD	70.00	11/16/18	Ψ	9,188
AGCO Corp.		75	USD	455,400	USD	70.00	11/10/18		9,100

Description	Number of Contracts		lotional Amount		ercise Price	Expiration Date		Market Value
Agnico Eagle Mines Ltd.	420	USD	1,924,860	USD	46.00	08/17/18	\$	76,860
Alacer Gold Corp.	1,450	CAD	352,350	CAD	2.50	07/20/18	Ψ	14,338
Alacer Gold Corp.	1,500	CAD	364,500	CAD	2.50	09/21/18		25,672
Anadarko Petroleum Corp.	50	USD	366,250	USD	72.50	08/17/18		19,700
Andeavor	15	USD	196,770	USD	145.00	08/17/18		1,305
AngloGold Ashanti Ltd., ADR	265	USD	217,565	USD	9.00	07/20/18		1,325
Apache Corp.	38	USD	177,650	USD	42.50	10/19/18		23,750
Baker Hughes, a GE Company	45	USD	148,635	USD	35.00	07/20/18		2,025
Baker Hughes, a GE Company	40	USD	132,120	USD	37.00	10/19/18		4,000
Barrick Gold Corp.	225	USD	295,425	USD	13.00	07/20/18		9,000
Barrick Gold Corp.	225	USD	295,425	USD	14.00	07/20/18		1,800
Bunge Ltd.	80	USD	557,680	USD	75.00	07/20/18		4,200
Bunge Ltd.	75	USD	522,825	USD	77.50	07/20/18		2,813
Cabot Oil & Gas Corp.	50	USD	119,000	USD	24.00	07/20/18		3,450
Cabot Oil & Gas Corp.	53	USD	126,140	USD	25.00	07/20/18		2,650
Cabot Oil & Gas Corp.	55	USD	130,900	USD	24.00	10/19/18		9,625
Centerra Gold Inc.	250	CAD	182,750	CAD	8.00	07/20/18		1,141
Centerra Gold Inc.	250	CAD	182,750	CAD	7.00	10/19/18		13,312
CF Industries Holdings Inc.	120	USD	532,800	USD	40.00	08/17/18		63,300
Cimarex Energy Co.	15	USD	152,610	USD	95.00	09/21/18		18,000
Cimarex Energy Co.	15	USD	152,610	USD	90.00	12/21/18		25,050
CNH Industrial NV	500	USD	526,500	USD	12.50	09/21/18		5,000
Concho Resources Inc.	15	USD	207,525	USD	155.00	09/21/18		5,550
Concho Resources Inc.	15	USD	207,525	USD	160.00	12/21/18		8,625
ConocoPhillips	50	USD	348,100	USD	70.00	08/17/18		13,200
Continental Gold Inc.	1,775	CAD	672,725	CAD	4.00	08/17/18		24,978
Continental Gold Inc.	1,775	CAD	672,725	CAD	4.50	10/19/18		20,253
Deere & Co.	108	USD	1,509,840	USD	155.00	07/20/18		5,292
Detour Gold Corp.	650	CAD	768,300	CAD	15.00	07/20/18		1,483
Detour Gold Corp.	700	CAD	827,400	CAD	12.00	10/19/18		50,584
Devon Energy Corp.	55	USD	241,780	USD	33.00	07/20/18		60,225
Devon Energy Corp.	53	USD	232,988	USD	34.00	07/20/18		53,530
Devon Energy Corp.	75	USD	329,700	USD	43.00	10/19/18		32,100
Endeavour Mining Corp.	160	CAD	377,440	CAD	25.00	07/20/18		1,217
Endeavour Mining Corp.	165	CAD	389,235	CAD	23.00	10/19/18		21,650
EOG Resources Inc.	60	USD	746,580	USD	100.00	07/20/18		148,800
EOG Resources Inc.	56	USD	696,808	USD	115.00	07/20/18		60,480
EQT Corp.	25	USD	137,950	USD	55.00	09/21/18		8,875
FMC Corp.	60	USD	535,260	USD	82.50	07/20/18		44,700
FMC Corp.	60	USD	535,260	USD	85.00	07/20/18		33,600
FMC Corp.	70	USD	624,470	USD	90.00	10/19/18		37,240
Fortuna Silver Mines Inc.	750	USD	426,000	USD	5.00	09/21/18		61,875
Fortuna Silver Mines Inc.	750	USD	426,000	USD	6.00	12/21/18		33,750

Description         Contracts         Amount         Price         Date         Value           Franco-Nevada Corp.         190         USD         1,387,380         USD         75.00         07/20/18         \$ 10,640           Gold Fields Ltd., ADR         300         USD         107,100         USD         4.00         07/20/18         450           Goldcorp Inc.         527         USD         722,517         USD         15.00         07/20/18         2,108           Halliburton Co.         85         USD         383,010         USD         52.50         07/20/18         255           Halliburton Co.         85         USD         383,010         USD         50.00         08/17/18         4,420           Hess Corp.         22         USD         147,158         USD         65.00         11/16/18         16,654           IDEXX Laboratories Inc.         40         USD         871,760         USD         200.00         07/20/18         77,200
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IDEXX Laboratories Inc. 40 USD 871,760 USD 200.00 10/19/18 102,400
Kinder Morgan Inc. 180 USD 318,060 USD 19.00 09/21/18 4,140
Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd. 170 CAD 473,280 CAD 21.00 10/19/18 93,105
Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd. 150 CAD 417,600 CAD 23.00 10/19/18 62,184
Kirkland Lake Gold Ltd. 140 CAD 389,760 CAD 28.00 10/19/18 23,961
MAG Silver Corp. 400 CAD 568,000 CAD 15.00 07/20/18 761
MAG Silver Corp. 400 CAD 568,000 CAD 15.00 09/21/18 17,495
MAG Silver Corp. 400 CAD 568,000 CAD 15.00 10/19/18 23,580
Marathon Oil Corp. 90 USD 187,740 USD 18.00 07/20/18 26,595
Marathon Oil Corp. 160 USD 333,760 USD 22.00 10/19/18 23,840
Marathon Petroleum Corp. 50 USD 350,800 USD 72.50 07/20/18 5,450
Marathon Petroleum Corp. 85 USD 596,360 USD 80.00 08/17/18 4,250
Newfield Exploration Co. 10 USD 30,250 USD 29.00 07/20/18 1,925
Newfield Exploration Co. 10 USD 30,250 USD 29.00 09/21/18 3,200
Newfield Exploration Co. 20 USD 60,500 USD 30.00 09/21/18 5,140
Noble Energy Inc. 55 USD 194,040 USD 30.00 08/17/18 30,800
Noble Energy Inc. 50 USD 176,400 USD 35.00 11/16/18 16,000
Occidental Petroleum Corp. 35 USD 292,880 USD 85.00 08/17/18 8,645
OceanaGold Corp. 1,300 CAD 474,500 CAD 3.50 07/20/18 22,249
OceanaGold Corp. 1,500 CAD 547,500 CAD 3.50 08/17/18 34,800
OceanaGold Corp. 1,500 CAD 547,500 CAD 3.50 09/21/18 40,505
Osisko Gold Royalties Ltd. 400 CAD 498,000 CAD 14.00 07/20/18 1,065
Phillips 66 40 USD 449,240 USD 120.00 08/17/18 5,080
Pilgrim's Pride Corp. 150 USD 301,950 USD 21.00 09/21/18 16,500
Pioneer Natural Resources Co. 17 USD 321,708 USD 190.00 09/21/18 21,369
Pretium Resources Inc. 454 USD 333,236 USD 7.00 09/21/18 43,130
Randgold Resources Ltd., ADR 220 USD 1,695,980 USD 82.50 09/21/18 45,100
Range Resources Corp. 50 USD 83,650 USD 16.00 08/17/18 8,250
Range Resources Corp. 50 USD 83,650 USD 16.00 09/21/18 9,000
Royal Gold Inc. 170 USD 1,578,280 USD 90.00 07/20/18 61,540
Royal Gold Inc. 170 USD 1,578,280 USD 92.50 10/19/18 78,200
SEMAFO Inc. 700 CAD 266,700 CAD 4.00 07/20/18 2,662
Tahoe Resources Inc. 590 USD 290,280 USD 6.00 08/17/18 5,900
Tahoe Resources Inc. 590 USD 290,280 USD 6.00 09/21/18 10,325
TechnipFMC plc 50 USD 158,700 USD 30.00 07/20/18 11,750

Description	Number of Contracts	-	lotional Amount		rcise rice	Expiration Date	Market Value
TechnipFMC plc	45	USD	142,830	USD	34.00	07/20/18	\$ 1,800
The Mosaic Co.	200	USD	561,000	USD	30.00	09/21/18	25,400
The Mosaic Co.	175	USD	490,875	USD	28.00	08/17/18	28,350
The Mosaic Co.	175	USD	490,875	USD	26.00	09/21/18	53,813
Torex Gold Resources Inc.	455	CAD	532,805	CAD	11.00	07/20/18	32,879
Torex Gold Resources Inc.	250	CAD	292,750	CAD	15.00	10/19/18	7,607
TOTAL SA, ADR	58	USD	351,248	USD	65.00	08/17/18	2,146
Tyson Foods Inc.	150	USD	1,032,750	USD	75.00	07/20/18	1,050
Tyson Foods Inc.	150	USD	1,032,750	USD	72.50	10/19/18	32,250
VanEck Vectors Gold Miners ETF	2,110	USD	4,707,410	USD	23.00	07/20/18	33,760
VanEck Vectors Gold Miners ETF	1,660	USD	3,703,460	USD	23.00	09/21/18	107,900
Zoetis Inc.	220	USD	1,874,180	USD	85.00	07/20/18	39,600
Zoetis Inc.	220	USD	1,874,180	USD	85.00	10/19/18	95,700
TOTAL EXCHANGE TRADED CALL OPTIONS WRITTEN							\$2,516,952
Exchange Traded Put Options Written — (0.1)%							
Energy Select Sector SPDR ETF	330	USD	2,506,020	USD	70.00	07/20/18	\$ (3,960)
Energy Select Sector SPDR ETF	330	USD	2,506,020	USD	73.00	09/21/18	(54,120)
VanEck Vectors Gold Miners ETF	2,200	USD	4,908,200	USD	22.00	07/20/18	55,000
TOTAL EXCHANGE TRADED PUT OPTIONS WRITTEN							\$ 113,080
TOTAL OPTIONS WRITTEN							\$5,666,972

### **GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust**

# Statement of Assets and Liabilities June 30, 2018 (Unaudited)

#### Assets: Investments, at value (cost \$209,496,033) . . . . \$ 179,805,489 Foreign currency, at value (cost \$41,804)..... 41.644 94.325 18,241 Deposit at brokers ..... 281,058 Deferred offering expense ..... 154.060 Prepaid expenses..... 1.555 Total Assets..... 180,396,372 Liabilities: Options written, at value (premiums received 5,666,972 3,324,180 Distributions payable ..... 21.667 Payable for investments purchased ..... 289,218 Payable for investment advisory fees..... 140,910 Pavable for payroll expenses..... 29.012 Payable for accounting fees..... 11.250 Other accrued expenses..... 61,515 Total Liabilities ..... 9,544,724 Preferred Shares, \$0.001 par value, unlimited number of shares authorized: Series A Cumulative Preferred Shares (5.200%, \$25 liquidation value, 1, 200, 000 30.000.000 **Net Assets Attributable to Common** Shareholders \$ 140,851,648 Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders Consist of: Distributions in excess of net investment (167,789)Distributions in excess of net realized gain on investments, securities sold short, written options, and foreign currency transactions . . . (110,321,359)Net unrealized depreciation on investments . . . . (29,690,544)Net unrealized appreciation on written options... 682,904 Net unrealized depreciation on foreign currency (227)translations..... Net Asset Value per Common Share: (\$140,851,648 ÷ 20,897,510 shares outstanding at \$0.001 par value; unlimited number of

# Statement of Operations For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2018 (Unaudited)

(1)	
Investment Income:	
Dividends (net of foreign withholding taxes of \$90,465) .	\$ 1,611,893
Interest	282,156
Total Investment Income	1,894,049
Expenses:	
Investment advisory fees	856,710
Payroll expenses	57,225
Legal and audit fees	47,924
Shareholder communications expenses	47,442
Trustees' fees	38,955
Accounting fees	22,500
Custodian fees	11,947
Shareholder services fees	11,091
Interest expense	72
Service fees for securities sold short (See Note 2)	29
Miscellaneous expenses	14,627
Total Expenses	1,108,522
Less:	1,100,522
Expenses paid indirectly by broker	
(See Note 3)	(1,076)
Net Expenses	1,107,446
Net Investment Income	786,603
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on	
Investments, Securities Sold Short, Written Options,	
and Foreign Currency:	(1.017.000)
Net realized loss on investments	(1,217,922)
Net realized gain on written options	56,390 6,258,047
Net realized loss on foreign currency transactions	(8,127)
g ,	(0,127)
Net realized gain on investments, securities sold short, written options, and foreign currency transactions	5,088,388
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation:	
on investments	(10,771,413)
on written options	4,130,247
on foreign currency translations	(887)
Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on	
investments, written options, and foreign currency	
translations	(6,642,053)
Net Realized and Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on	
Investments, Securities Sold Short, Written Options, and Foreign Currency	(1 EE2 GGE)
Net Decrease in Net Assets Resulting from	(1,553,665)
Operations	(767,062)
Total Distributions to Preferred Shareholders	(780,000)
Net Decrease in Net Assets Attributable to Common	
Shareholders Resulting from Operations	<u>\$ (1,547,062)</u>

\$6.74

### **GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust**

# Statement of Changes in Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders

	786,603		
erations:	786,603		
\$ et investment income		\$	1,102,967
currency transactionset change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on investments, securities sold	5,088,388		9,194,515
short, written options, and foreign currency translations	(6,642,053)		3,067,106
et Increase/(Decrease) in Net Assets Resulting from Operations	(767,062)		13,364,588
tributions to Preferred Shareholders:			
et investment income et realized gain	(108,000)* (672,000)*		(281,667)
otal Distributions to Preferred Shareholders			(001 667)
<del>-</del>	(780,000)	-	(281,667)
et Increase/(Decrease) in Net Asset Attributable to Common Shareholders Resulting from Operations	(1,547,062)		13,082,921
tributions to Common Shareholders:			
et investment income	(626,925)*		(1,332,977)
et realized gain	(4,012,322)*		(1,002,077)
eturn of capital	(1,630,006)*	(	(11,198,650)
otal Distributions to Common Shareholders	(6,269,253)	_(	12,531,627)
d Share Transactions:			
et increase in net assets from common shares issued upon reinvestment of			000 550
distributions	_		233,552
Iffering costs for preferred shares charged to paid-in capitalet Decrease in Net Assets from Fund Share Transactions			(1,148,868)
<del>-</del>	(7.040.045)	_	(915,316)
et Decrease in Net Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders	(7,816,315)		(364,022)
Assets Attributable to Common Shareholders:			
eginning of year	48,667,963	_ 1	49,031,985
nd of period (including undistributed net investment income of \$0 and \$0,	40,851,648	<u>\$</u> 1	48,667,963
Based on year to date book income. Amounts are subject to change and recharacterization a		Ψ'	.5,507,000

# **GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust** Financial Highlights

# Selected data for a common share of beneficial interest outstanding throughout each period:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2018		Year Ende	ed December 31,		
	(Unaudited)	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Operating Performance:						
Net asset value, beginning of year	<u>\$ 7.11</u>	<u>\$ 7.14</u>	<u>\$ 6.49</u>	<u>\$ 8.75</u>	<u>\$ 10.91</u>	<u>\$ 13.93</u>
Net investment income	0.04	0.05	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.06
Net realized and unrealized gain/(loss) on investments,						
securities sold short, written options, and foreign currency transactions	(0.07)	0.59	1.47	(1.44)	(1.10)	(1.58)
Total from investment operations	(0.03)	0.64	1.48	(1.42)	(1.08)	(1.52)
Distributions to Preferred Shareholders: (a)	(0.03)	0.04	1.40	(1.42)	(1.00)	(1.52)
Net investment income	(0.01)*	(0.01)	_	_	_	_
Net realized long term gains	(0.03)*	(0.01)				
Total distributions to preferred shareholders	(0.04)	(0.01)				
Distributions to Common Shareholders:	(0.01)	(0.01)				
Net investment income	(0.03)*	0	(0.03)	(0.01)	(0.02)	(0.06)
Net realized short term gains	(0.19)*	_	<del>-</del>	<del>-</del>	(0.02)	(0.00) —
Return of capital	(0.08)*	(0.54)	(0.81)	(0.83)	(1.06)	(1.44)
Total distributions to common shareholders	(0.30)	(0.60)	(0.84)	(0.84)	(1.08)	(1.50)
Fund Share Transactions:						
Increase/(Decrease) in net asset value from common						
share transactions		0.00(b)	0.01	0.00(b)	_	(0.00)(b)
Offering costs for preferred shares charged to paid-in		(0.06)				
capital		(0.06)	0.01			
	<u> </u>			0.00(b) \$ 6.49	<u> </u>	(0.00)(b) \$ 10.91
Net Asset Value, End of Period	\$ 6.74	<u>\$ 7.11</u>	<del></del>	<del></del>	<u>\$ 8.75</u>	<u> </u>
NAV total return†	<u>(0.95</u> )%	<u>8.29</u> %	<u>23.53</u> %	<u>(17.57</u> )%	<u>(11.25</u> )%	<u>(11.22</u> )%
Market value, end of period	<u>\$ 6.35</u>	<u>\$ 6.71</u>	<u>\$ 6.67</u>	<u>\$ 5.73</u>	\$ 8.07	<u>\$ 10.02</u>
Investment total return††	(0.90)%	9.59%	31.52%	(19.98)%	(10.48)%	(16.78)%
Ratios to Average Net Assets and Supplemental Data:	<del></del>		<del></del>			
Net assets including liquidation value of preferred shares.						
end of year (in 0ŎO's)	\$170,852	\$178,668	_	_	_	_
Net assets attributable to common shares, end of year	<b>0.440.050</b>	<b>4.40.000</b>	<b>*</b> 440.000	4105.014	<b>0.10.1.1.0</b>	4000 075
(in 000's)	\$140,852	\$148,668	\$149,032	\$135,914	\$184,118	\$229,675
Ratio of net investment income to average net assets attributable to common shares before preferred						
distributions	1.11%(c)	0.74%	0.20%	0.21%	0.22%	0.51%
Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets	. =====					
attributable to common shares(d)(e)	1.56%(c)(		1.37%(f)(g)		1.25%	1.22%
Portfolio turnover rate	98.8%	237.9%	183.0%	58.0%	101.5%	81.5%

# GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust Financial Highlights (Continued)

### Selected data for a common share of beneficial interest outstanding throughout each period:

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2018		Year End	ed December 31,		
	(Unaudited)	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013
Cumulative Preferred Shares:						
5.200% Series A Preferred(h)						
Liquidation value, end of period (in 000's)	\$30,000	\$30,000	_	_	_	_
Total shares outstanding (in 000's)	1,200	1,200	_	_	_	_
Liquidation preference per share	\$ 25.00	\$ 25.00	_	_	_	_
Average market value(i)	\$ 23.87	\$ 24.92	_	_	_	_
Asset coverage per share	\$142.38	\$148.89	_	_	_	_
Asset Coverage	570%	596%	_	_	_	_

<sup>†</sup> Based on net asset value per share, adjusted for reinvestment of distributions at the net asset value per share on the ex-dividend dates. Total return for a period of less than one year is not annualized.

<sup>††</sup> Based on market value per share, adjusted for reinvestment of distributions at prices obtained under the Fund's dividend reinvestment plan. Total return for a period of less than one year is not annualized.

<sup>\*</sup> Based on year to date book income. Amounts are subject to change and recharacterization at year end.

<sup>(</sup>a) Calculated based on average common shares outstanding on record dates throughout the period.

<sup>(</sup>b) Amount represents less than \$0.005 per share.

<sup>(</sup>c) Annualized.

<sup>(</sup>d) Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets including liquidation value of preferred shares for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and the year ended December 31, 2017, would have been 1.29% and 1.33%, respectively.

<sup>(</sup>e) Ratio of operating expenses to average net assets attributable to common shares excluding interest and dividend expense and service fees on securities sold short for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016 was 1.36% and 1.36%, respectively, and 1.31% including liquidation value of preferred shares for the year ended December 31, 2017. For the six months ended June 30, 2018 and the years ended December 31, 2015, 2014, and 2013, the effect on the expense ratios was minimal.

<sup>(</sup>f) The Fund received credits from a designated broker who agreed to pay certain Fund operating expenses. For the six months ended June 30, 2018 and the years ended December 31, 2017, 2016, and 2015, there was no impact on the expense ratios.

<sup>(</sup>g) For the year ended December 31, 2016, the ratio of operating expenses to average net assets excluded dividend expense and service fees on securities sold short. Including dividend expense and service fees on securities sold short, for the year ended December 31, 2016, the ratio of operating expenses to average net assets would have been 1.39%.

<sup>(</sup>h) The 5.200% Series A was initially issued October 26, 2017.

<sup>(</sup>i) Based on weekly prices.

**1. Organization.** The GAMCO Natural Resources, Gold & Income Trust (the "Fund") is a non-diversified closed-end management investment company organized as a Delaware statutory trust on June 26, 2008 and registered under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended (the "1940 Act"). Investment operations commenced on January 27, 2011.

The Fund's primary investment objective is to provide a high level of current income from interest, dividends, and option premiums. The Fund's secondary investment objective is to seek capital appreciation consistent with the Fund's strategy and its primary objective. The Fund will attempt to achieve its objectives, under normal market conditions, by investing at least 80% of its assets in equity securities of companies principally engaged in the natural resources and gold industries. As part of its investment strategy, the Fund intends to generate current income from short term gains through an option strategy of writing (selling) covered call options of the equity securities in its portfolio. The Fund may invest in the securities of companies located anywhere in the world.

The Fund may invest a high percentage of its assets in specific sectors of the market in order to achieve a potentially greater investment return. As a result, the Fund may be more susceptible to economic, political, and regulatory developments in a particular sector of the market, positive or negative, and may experience increased volatility to the Fund's NAV and a magnified effect in its total return.

**2. Significant Accounting Policies.** As an investment company, the Fund follows the investment company accounting and reporting guidance, which is part of U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") that may require the use of management estimates and assumptions in the preparation of its financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies followed by the Fund in the preparation of its financial statements.

**Security Valuation.** Portfolio securities listed or traded on a nationally recognized securities exchange or traded in the U.S. over-the-counter market for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the last quoted sale price or a market's official closing price as of the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. If there were no sales that day, the security is valued at the average of the closing bid and asked prices or, if there were no asked prices quoted on that day, then the security is valued at the closing bid price on that day. If no bid or asked prices are quoted on such day, the security is valued at the most recently available price or, if the Board of Trustees (the "Board") so determines, by such other method as the Board shall determine in good faith to reflect its fair market value. Portfolio securities traded on more than one national securities exchange or market are valued according to the broadest and most representative market, as determined by Gabelli Funds, LLC (the "Adviser").

Portfolio securities primarily traded on a foreign market are generally valued at the preceding closing values of such securities on the relevant market, but may be fair valued pursuant to procedures established by the Board if market conditions change significantly after the close of the foreign market, but prior to the close of business on the day the securities are being valued. Debt obligations for which market quotations are readily available are valued at the average of the latest bid and asked prices. If there were no asked prices quoted on such day, the security is valued using the closing bid price, unless the Board determines such amount does not reflect the securities' fair value, in which case these securities will be fair valued as determined by the Board. Certain securities are valued principally using dealer quotations. Futures contracts are valued at the closing settlement price of the exchange or board of trade on which the applicable contract is traded. OTC

futures and options on futures for which market quotations are readily available will be valued by quotations received from a pricing service or, if no quotations are available from a pricing service, by quotations obtained from one or more dealers in the instrument in question by the Adviser.

Securities and assets for which market quotations are not readily available are fair valued as determined by the Board. Fair valuation methodologies and procedures may include, but are not limited to: analysis and review of available financial and non-financial information about the company; comparisons with the valuation and changes in valuation of similar securities, including a comparison of foreign securities with the equivalent U.S. dollar value American Depositary Receipt securities at the close of the U.S. exchange; and evaluation of any other information that could be indicative of the value of the security.

The inputs and valuation techniques used to measure fair value of the Fund's investments are summarized into three levels as described in the hierarchy below:

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical securities;
- Level 2 other significant observable inputs (including quoted prices for similar securities, interest rates, prepayment speeds, credit risk, etc.); and
- Level 3 significant unobservable inputs (including the Board's determinations as to the fair value of investments).

A financial instrument's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input both individually and in the aggregate that is significant to the fair value measurement. The inputs or methodology used for valuing securities are not necessarily an indication of the risk associated with investing in those securities. The summary of the Fund's investments in securities and other financial instruments by inputs used to value the Fund's investments as of June 30, 2018 is as follows:

	Valu		
	Level 1 Quoted Prices	Level 2 Other Significant Observable Inputs	Total Market Value at 6/30/18
INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES: ASSETS (Market Value): Common Stocks			
Metals and Mining Other Industries (a)	\$ 57,332,934 78,853,130	\$ 3,727,150 —	\$ 61,060,084 78,853,130
Total Common Stocks	136,186,064	3,727,150	139,913,214
Convertible Preferred Stocks (a) Warrants (a)	544,319 —		544,319 0
Convertible Corporate Bonds (a) Corporate Bonds (a) U.S. Government Obligations	_ _ _	266,896 387,000 38,694,060	266,896 387,000 38,694,060
TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES - ASSETS	\$136,730,383	\$43,075,106	\$179,805,489
INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES: LIABILITIES (Market Value): EQUITY CONTRACTS:			
Call Options Written Put Options Written	\$ (1,382,670) (113,080)	\$ (3,982,523) (188,699)	\$ (5,365,193) (301,779)
TOTAL INVESTMENTS IN SECURITIES – LIABILITIES	\$ (1,495,750)	\$ (4,171,222)	\$ (5,666,972)

<sup>(</sup>a) Please refer to the Schedule of Investments for the industry classifications of these portfolio holdings.

During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund had transfers from Level 2 to Level 1 of \$352,260 or 0.24% of net assets as of December 31, 2017. Transfers from Level 2 to Level 1 are due to increases in market activity, e.g., frequency of trades, which resulted in an increase in available market inputs to determine the prices. The Fund's policy is to recognize transfers among Levels as of the beginning of the reporting period.

The Fund held no Level 3 investments at June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017.

### Additional Information to Evaluate Qualitative Information.

**General.** The Fund uses recognized industry pricing services – approved by the Board and unaffiliated with the Adviser – to value most of its securities, and uses broker quotes provided by market makers of securities not valued by these and other recognized pricing sources. Several different pricing feeds are received to value domestic equity securities, international equity securities, preferred equity securities, and fixed income securities. The data within these feeds are ultimately sourced from major stock exchanges and trading systems where these securities trade. The prices supplied by external sources are checked by obtaining quotations or actual transaction prices from market participants. If a price obtained from the pricing source is deemed unreliable, prices will be sought from another pricing service or from a broker/dealer that trades that security or similar securities.

**Fair Valuation.** Fair valued securities may be common or preferred equities, warrants, options, rights, or fixed income obligations. Where appropriate, Level 3 securities are those for which market quotations are not available, such as securities not traded for several days, or for which current bids are not available, or which are restricted as to transfer. When fair valuing a security, factors to consider include recent prices of comparable securities that are publicly traded, reliable prices of securities not publicly traded, the use of valuation models, current analyst reports, valuing the income or cash flow of the issuer, or cost if the preceding factors do not apply. A significant change in the unobservable inputs could result in a lower or higher value in Level 3 securities. The circumstances of Level 3 securities are frequently monitored to determine if fair valuation measures continue to apply.

The Adviser reports quarterly to the Board the results of the application of fair valuation policies and procedures. These may include backtesting the prices realized in subsequent trades of these fair valued securities to fair values previously recognized.

Derivative Financial Instruments. The Fund may engage in various portfolio investment strategies by investing in derivative financial instruments for the purposes of increasing the income of the Fund, hedging against changes in the value of its portfolio securities and in the value of securities it intends to purchase, or hedging against a specific transaction with respect to either the currency in which the transaction is denominated or another currency. Investing in certain derivative financial instruments, including participation in the options, futures, or swap markets, entails certain execution, liquidity, hedging, tax, and securities, interest, credit, or currency market risks. Losses may arise if the Adviser's prediction of movements in the direction of the securities, foreign currency, and interest rate markets is inaccurate. Losses may also arise if the counterparty does not perform its duties under a contract, or, in the event of default, the Fund may be delayed in or prevented from obtaining payments or other contractual remedies owed to it under derivative contracts. The creditworthiness of the counterparties is closely monitored in order to minimize these risks. Participation in derivative transactions involves investment risks, transaction costs, and potential losses to which the Fund would not be subject absent the use of these

strategies. The consequences of these risks, transaction costs, and losses may have a negative impact on the Fund's ability to pay distributions.

Collateral requirements differ by type of derivative. Collateral requirements are set by the broker or exchange clearing house for exchange traded derivatives, while collateral terms are contract specific for derivatives traded over-the-counter. Securities pledged to cover obligations of the Fund under derivative contracts are noted in the Schedule of Investments. Cash collateral, if any, pledged for the same purpose will be reported separately in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities.

The Fund's policy with respect to offsetting is that, absent an event of default by the counterparty or a termination of the agreement, the master agreement does not result in an offset of reported amounts of financial assets and financial liabilities in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities across transactions between the Fund and the applicable counterparty. The enforceability of the right to offset may vary by jurisdiction.

The Fund's derivative contracts held at June 30, 2018, if any, are not accounted for as hedging instruments under GAAP and are disclosed in the Schedule of Investments together with the related counterparty.

*Options.* The Fund may purchase or write call or put options on securities or indices for the purpose of increasing the income of the Fund. As a writer of put options, the Fund receives a premium at the outset and then bears the risk of unfavorable changes in the price of the financial instrument underlying the option. The Fund would incur a loss if the price of the underlying financial instrument decreases between the date the option is written and the date on which the option is terminated. The Fund would realize a gain, to the extent of the premium, if the price of the financial instrument increases between those dates.

As a purchaser of put options, the Fund pays a premium for the right to sell to the seller of the put option the underlying security at a specified price. The seller of the put has the obligation to purchase the underlying security upon exercise at the exercise price. If the price of the underlying security declines, the Fund would realize a gain upon sale or exercise. If the price of the underlying security increases or stays the same, the Fund would realize a loss upon sale or at the expiration date, but only to the extent of the premium paid.

If a written call option is exercised, the premium is added to the proceeds from the sale of the underlying security in determining whether there has been a realized gain or loss. If a written put option is exercised, the premium reduces the cost basis of the security. In the case of call options, the exercise prices are referred to as "in-the-money," "at-the-money," and "out-of-the-money," respectively. The Fund may write (a) in-the-money call options when the Adviser expects that the price of the underlying security will remain stable or decline during the option period, (b) at-the-money call options when the Adviser expects that the price of the underlying security will remain stable, decline, or advance moderately during the option period, and (c) out-of-the-money call options when the Adviser expects that the premiums received from writing the call option will be greater than the appreciation in the price of the underlying security above the exercise price. By writing a call option, the Fund limits its opportunity to profit from any increase in the market value of the underlying security above the exercise price of the option. Out-of-the-money, at-the-money, and in-the-money put options (the reverse of call options as to the relation of exercise price to market price) may be utilized in the same market environments that such call options are used in equivalent transactions. Option positions at June 30, 2018 are reflected within the Schedule of Investments.

The Fund's volume of activity in equity options contracts during the six months ended June 30, 2018 had an average monthly market value of approximately \$6,883,253.

At June 30, 2018, the Fund's derivative liabilities (by type) were as follows:

	Gross Amounts of Recognized Liabilities Presented in the Statement of	Gross Amounts Available for Offset in the Statement of Assets	Net Amounts of Liabilities Presented in the Statement of
	Assets and Liabilities	and Liabilities	Assets and Liabilities
Liabilities			
OTC Equity Written Options	\$3,036,940	_	\$3,036,940

The following table presents the Fund's derivative liabilities by counterparty net of the related collateral segregated by the Fund as of June 30, 2018:

	_	Net Amounts Not Off Assets an		
	Net Amounts of Liabilities Presented in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities	Financial Instruments	Cash Collateral Pledged	Net Amount
Counterparty				
Pershing LLC	\$2,773,011	\$(2,773,011)	<del>_</del>	_
Morgan Stanley	240,556	(240,556)	<del>_</del>	_
The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc.	23,373	(23,373)	=	=
Total	<u>\$3,036,940</u>	<u>\$(3,036,940)</u>		=

As of June 30, 2018, the value of equity option positions can be found in the Statement of Assets and Liabilities, under Liabilities, Options written, at value. For the six months ended June 30, 2018, the effect of equity option positions can be found in the Statement of Operations, under Net Realized and Unrealized Gain/(Loss) on Investments, Securities Sold Short, Written Options, and Foreign Currency, within Net realized gain on written options and Net change in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on written options.

Limitations on the Purchase and Sale of Futures Contracts, Certain Options, and Swaps. Subject to the guidelines of the Board, the Fund may engage in "commodity interest" transactions (generally, transactions in futures, certain options, certain currency transactions, and certain types of swaps) only for bona fide hedging or other permissible transactions in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC"). Pursuant to amendments by the CFTC to Rule 4.5 under the Commodity Exchange Act ("CEA"), the Adviser has filed a notice of exemption from registration as a "commodity pool operator" with respect to the Fund. The Fund and the Adviser are therefore not subject to registration or regulation as a commodity pool operator under the CEA. In addition, certain trading restrictions are now applicable to the Fund which permit the Fund to engage in commodity interest transactions that include (i) "bona fide hedging" transactions, as that term is defined and interpreted by the CFTC and its staff, without regard to the percentage of the Fund's assets committed to margin and options premiums and (ii) non-bona fide hedging transactions, provided that the Fund does not enter into such non-bona fide hedging transactions if, immediately thereafter, either (a) the sum of the amount of initial margin deposits on the Fund's existing futures positions or swaps positions and option or swaption premiums would exceed 5% of the market value of the Fund's liquidating value, after taking

into account unrealized profits and unrealized losses on any such transactions, or (b) the aggregate net notional value of the Fund's commodity interest transactions would not exceed 100% of the market value of the Fund's liquidating value, after taking into account unrealized profits and unrealized losses on any such transactions. Therefore, in order to claim the Rule 4.5 exemption, the Fund is limited in its ability to invest in commodity futures, options, and certain types of swaps (including securities futures, broad based stock index futures, and financial futures contracts). As a result, in the future the Fund will be more limited in its ability to use these instruments than in the past, and these limitations may have a negative impact on the ability of the Adviser to manage the Fund, and on the Fund's performance.

Securities Sold Short. The Fund may enter into short sale transactions. Short selling involves selling securities that may or may not be owned and, at times, borrowing the same securities for delivery to the purchaser, with an obligation to replace such borrowed securities at a later date. The proceeds received from short sales are recorded as liabilities and the Fund records an unrealized gain or loss to the extent of the difference between the proceeds received and the value of an open short position on the day of determination. The Fund records a realized gain or loss when the short position is closed out. By entering into a short sale, the Fund bears the market risk of an unfavorable change in the price of the security sold short. Dividends on short sales are recorded as an expense by the Fund on the ex-dividend date and interest expense is recorded on the accrual basis. The broker retains collateral for the value of the open positions, which is adjusted periodically as the value of the position fluctuates. For the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund incurred \$29 in service fees related to its investment positions sold short and held by the broker. These amounts are included in the Statement of Operations under Expenses, Service fees for securities sold short.

*Investments in Other Investment Companies.* The Fund may invest, from time to time, in shares of other investment companies (or entities that would be considered investment companies but are excluded from the definition pursuant to certain exceptions under the 1940 Act) (the "Acquired Funds") in accordance with the 1940 Act and related rules. Shareholders in the Fund would bear the pro rata portion of the periodic expenses of the Acquired Funds in addition to the Fund's expenses. For the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund's pro rata portion of the periodic expenses charged by the Acquired Funds was less than one basis point.

Foreign Currency Translations. The books and records of the Fund are maintained in U.S. dollars. Foreign currencies, investments, and other assets and liabilities are translated into U.S. dollars at current exchange rates. Purchases and sales of investment securities, income, and expenses are translated at the exchange rate prevailing on the respective dates of such transactions. Unrealized gains and losses that result from changes in foreign exchange rates and/or changes in market prices of securities have been included in unrealized appreciation/depreciation on investments and foreign currency translations. Net realized foreign currency gains and losses resulting from changes in exchange rates include foreign currency gains and losses between trade date and settlement date on investment securities transactions, foreign currency transactions, and the difference between the amounts of interest and dividends recorded on the books of the Fund and the amounts actually received. The portion of foreign currency gains and losses related to fluctuation in exchange rates between the initial purchase trade date and subsequent sale trade date is included in realized gain/(loss) on investments.

**Foreign Securities.** The Fund may directly purchase securities of foreign issuers. Investing in securities of foreign issuers involves special risks not typically associated with investing in securities of U.S. issuers. The risks include possible revaluation of currencies, the inability to repatriate funds, less complete financial information

about companies, and possible future adverse political and economic developments. Moreover, securities of many foreign issuers and their markets may be less liquid and their prices more volatile than securities of comparable U.S. issuers.

**Foreign Taxes.** The Fund may be subject to foreign taxes on income, gains on investments, or currency repatriation, a portion of which may be recoverable. The Fund will accrue such taxes and recoveries as applicable, based upon its current interpretation of tax rules and regulations that exist in the markets in which it invests.

**Restricted Securities.** The Fund may invest up to 15% of its net assets in securities for which the markets are restricted. Restricted securities include securities whose disposition is subject to substantial legal or contractual restrictions. The sale of restricted securities often requires more time and results in higher brokerage charges or dealer discounts and other selling expenses than the sale of securities eligible for trading on national securities exchanges or in the over-the-counter markets. Restricted securities may sell at a price lower than similar securities that are not subject to restrictions on resale. Securities freely saleable among qualified institutional investors under special rules adopted by the SEC may be treated as liquid if they satisfy liquidity standards established by the Board. The continued liquidity of such securities is not as well assured as that of publicly traded securities, and, accordingly, the Board will monitor their liquidity. For the restricted securities the Fund held as of June 30, 2018, refer to the Schedule of Investments.

**Securities Transactions and Investment Income.** Securities transactions are accounted for on the trade date with realized gain/(loss) on investments determined by using the identified cost method. Interest income (including amortization of premium and accretion of discount) is recorded on an accrual basis. Premiums and discounts on debt securities are amortized using the effective yield to maturity method. Dividend income is recorded on the ex-dividend date, except for certain dividends from foreign securities that are recorded as soon after the ex-dividend date as the Fund becomes aware of such dividends.

Custodian Fee Credits and Interest Expense. When cash balances are maintained in the custody account, the Fund receives credits which are used to offset custodian fees. The gross expenses paid under the custody arrangement are included in custodian fees in the Statement of Operations with the corresponding expense offset, if any, shown as "Custodian fee credits." When cash balances are overdrawn, the Fund is charged an overdraft fee equal to 110% of the 90 day Treasury Bill rate on outstanding balances. This amount, if any, would be included in the Statement of Operations.

Distributions to Shareholders. Distributions to common shareholders are recorded on the ex-dividend date. Distributions to shareholders are based on income and capital gains as determined in accordance with federal income tax regulations, which may differ from income and capital gains as determined under GAAP. These differences are primarily due to differing treatments of income and gains on various investment securities and foreign currency transactions held by the Fund, timing differences, and differing characterizations of distributions made by the Fund. Distributions from net investment income for federal income tax purposes include net realized gains on foreign currency transactions. These book/tax differences are either temporary or permanent in nature. To the extent these differences are permanent, adjustments are made to the appropriate capital accounts in the period when the differences arise. These reclassifications have no impact on the NAV of the Fund.

The Fund declares and pays monthly distributions from net investment income, capital gains, and paid-in capital. The actual source of the distribution is determined after the end of the year. Distributions during the year may

be made in excess of required distributions. Distributions sourced from paid-in capital should not be considered as dividend yield or the total return from an investment in the Fund. The Board will continue to monitor the Fund's distribution level, taking into consideration the Fund's NAV and the financial market environment. The Fund's distribution policy is subject to modification by the Board at any time.

Distributions to shareholders of the Fund's 5.200% Series A Cumulative Preferred Shares ("Series A Preferred") are accrued on a daily basis and are determined as described in Note 5.

The tax character of distributions paid during the year ended December 31, 2017 was as follows:

	Common	Preferred
Distributions paid from:		
Ordinary income	\$ 1,332,977	\$281,667
Return of capital	11,198,650	
Total distributions paid	\$12,531,627	\$281,667

**Provision for Income Taxes.** The Fund intends to continue to qualify as a regulated investment company under Subchapter M of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Code"). It is the policy of the Fund to comply with the requirements of the Code applicable to regulated investment companies and to distribute substantially all of its net investment company taxable income and net capital gains. Therefore, no provision for federal income taxes is required.

At December 31, 2017, the Fund had net long term capital loss carryforwards for federal income tax purposes of \$95,464,335 which are available to reduce future required distributions of net capital gains to shareholders for an unlimited period. These capital losses will retain their character as long term capital losses.

The following summarizes the tax cost of investments, written options, and the related net unrealized appreciation/(depreciation) at June 30, 2018:

	Cost/ Premiums	Gross Unrealized Appreciation	Gross Unrealized Depreciation	Net Unrealized Depreciation
Investments and derivative instruments	\$216,900,541	\$2,983,075	\$(45,745,099)	\$(42,762,024)

The Fund is required to evaluate tax positions taken or expected to be taken in the course of preparing the Fund's tax returns to determine whether the tax positions are "more-likely-than-not" of being sustained by the applicable tax authority. Income tax and related interest and penalties would be recognized by the Fund as tax expense in the Statement of Operations if the tax positions were deemed not to meet the more-likely-than-not threshold. During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund did not incur any income tax, interest, or penalties. As of June 30, 2018, the Adviser has reviewed all open tax years and concluded that there was no impact to the Fund's net assets or results of operations. The Fund's federal and state tax returns for the prior three fiscal years remain open, subject to examination. On an ongoing basis, the Adviser will monitor the Fund's tax positions to determine if adjustments to this conclusion are necessary.

3. Investment Advisory Agreement and Other Transactions. The Fund has entered into an investment advisory agreement (the "Advisory Agreement") with the Adviser which provides that the Fund will pay the Adviser a fee, computed weekly and paid monthly, equal on an annual basis to 1.00% of the value of the

Fund's average weekly net assets. In accordance with the Advisory Agreement, the Adviser provides a continuous investment program for the Fund's portfolio and oversees the administration of all aspects of the Fund's business and affairs.

During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund received credits from a designated broker who agreed to pay certain Fund operating expenses. The amount of such expenses paid through this directed brokerage arrangement during this period was \$1,076.

The cost of calculating the Fund's NAV per share is a Fund expense pursuant to the Advisory Agreement between the Fund and the Adviser. During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund accrued \$22,500 in accounting fees in the Statement of Operations.

As per the approval of the Board, the Fund compensates officers of the Fund, who are employed by the Fund and are not employed by the Adviser (although the officers may receive incentive based variable compensation from affiliates of the Adviser). During the six months ended June 30, 2018, the Fund accrued \$57,225 in Payroll expenses in the Statement of Operations.

The Fund pays each Trustee who is not considered an affiliated person an annual retainer of \$6,000 plus \$2,000 for each Board meeting attended. Each Trustee is reimbursed by the Fund for any out of pocket expenses incurred in attending meetings. All Board committee members receive \$500 per meeting attended, the Audit Committee Chairman receives an annual fee of \$3,000, the Nominating Committee Chairman and the Lead Trustee each receives an annual fee of \$2,000. A Trustee may receive a single meeting fee, allocated among the participating funds, for participation in certain meetings held on behalf of multiple funds. Trustees who are directors or employees of the Adviser or an affiliated company receive no compensation or expense reimbursement from the Fund.

- **4. Portfolio Securities.** Purchases and sales of securities during the six months ended June 30, 2018, other than short term securities and U.S. Government obligations, aggregated \$145,914,218 and \$146,564,340, respectively.
- **5. Capital.** The Fund is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares of beneficial interest (par value \$0.001). The Board has authorized the repurchase of its shares in the open market when the shares are trading at a discount of 10.0% or more (or such other percentage as the Board may determine from time to time) from the NAV of the shares. During the six months ended June 30, 2018 and the year ended December 31, 2017, the Fund did not repurchase any of the common shares.

Transactions in common shares of beneficial interest for the six months ended June 30, 2018 and the year ended December 31, 2017 were as follows:

		hs Ended 8 (Unaudited)	Year Ended December 31, 2017	
	Shares	Amount	Shares	Amount
Net increase from shares issued upon reinvestment of distributions	_	\$	32.692	\$233.552

As of June 30, 2018, after considering the Series A Preferred offering, the Fund has approximately \$170 million available for issuance of common or preferred shares under the current shelf registration.

The Fund's Declaration of Trust, as amended, authorizes the issuance of an unlimited number of \$0.001 par value Preferred Shares. On October 26, 2017, the Fund issued 1,200,000 shares of 5.200% Series A Cumulative Preferred Shares ("Series A Preferred"), receiving \$28,851,132, after the deduction of offering expenses of \$203,868 and underwriting fees of \$945,000. The liquidation value of the Series A Preferred is \$25 per share. The Series A Preferred has an annual dividend rate of 5.200%. The Series is non callable before October 26, 2022. At June 30, 2018, 1,200,000 shares were outstanding and accrued dividends amounted to \$21,667.

The Series A Preferred is senior to the common shares and results in the financial leveraging of the common shares. Such leveraging tends to magnify both the risks and opportunities to common shareholders. Dividends on the Series A Preferred are cumulative. The Fund is required by the 1940 Act and by the Statement of Preferences to meet certain asset coverage tests with respect to the Series A Preferred. If the Fund fails to meet these requirements and does not correct such failure, the Fund may be required to redeem, in part or in full, the Series A Preferred at the redemption price of \$25 per share plus an amount equal to the accumulated and unpaid dividends whether or not declared on such shares in order to meet the requirements. Additionally, failure to meet the foregoing asset coverage requirements could restrict the Fund's ability to pay dividends to common shareholders and could lead to sales of portfolio securities at inopportune times. The income received on the Fund's assets may vary in a manner unrelated to the fixed rate, which could have either a beneficial or detrimental impact on net investment income and gains available to common shareholders.

The holders of Preferred Shares generally are entitled to one vote per share held on each matter submitted to a vote of shareholders of the Fund and will vote together with holders of common shares as a single class. The holders of Preferred Shares voting together as a single class also have the right currently to elect two Trustees and, under certain circumstances, are entitled to elect a majority of the Board of Trustees. In addition, the affirmative vote of a majority of the votes entitled to be cast by holders of all outstanding shares of the Preferred Shares, voting as a single class, will be required to approve any plan of reorganization adversely affecting the Preferred Shares, and the approval of two-thirds of each class, voting separately, of the Fund's outstanding voting shares must approve the conversion of the Fund from a closed-end to an open-end investment company. The approval of a majority (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the outstanding Preferred Shares and a majority (as defined in the 1940 Act) of the Fund's outstanding voting securities are required to approve certain other actions, including changes in the Fund's investment objectives or fundamental investment policies.

- **6. Indemnifications.** The Fund enters into contracts that contain a variety of indemnifications. The Fund's maximum exposure under these arrangements is unknown. However, the Fund has not had prior claims or losses pursuant to these contracts. Management has reviewed the Fund's existing contracts and expects the risk of loss to be remote.
- **7. Subsequent Events.** Management has evaluated the impact on the Fund of all subsequent events occurring through the date the financial statements were issued and has determined that there were no subsequent events requiring recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

### Shareholder Meeting - May 14, 2018 - Final Results

The Fund's Annual Meeting of Shareholders was held on May 14, 2018 in Greenwich, Connecticut. At that meeting, common and preferred shareholders, voting together as a single class, elected Anthony J. Colavita, Frank J. Fahrenkopf, Jr., and William F. Heitmann as Trustees of the Fund. A total of 18,192,982 votes, 18,205,913 votes, and 18,310,669 votes were cast in favor of these Trustees, and a total of 1,152,071 votes, 1,139,140 votes, and 1,034,383 votes were withheld for these Trustees, respectively.

In addition, preferred shareholders, voting as a separate class, elected Salvatore J. Zizza, as a Trustee of the Fund. A total of 1,083,799 votes were cast in favor of this Trustee and a total of 69,523 votes were withheld for this Trustee.

James P. Conn, Vincent D. Enright, Michael J. Melarkey, Kuni Nakamura, and Anthonie C. van Ekris continue to serve in their capacities as Trustees of the Fund.

We thank you for your participation and appreciate your continued support.

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Caesar M. P. Bryan joined GAMCO Asset Management in 1994. He is a member of the global investment team of Gabelli Funds, LLC and portfolio manager of several funds within the Gabelli/GAMCO Fund Complex. Prior to joining Gabelli, Mr. Bryan was a portfolio manager at Lexington Management. He began his investment career at Samuel Montagu Company, the London based merchant bank. Mr. Bryan graduated from the University of Southampton in England with a Bachelor of Law and is a member of the English Bar.

**Vincent Hugonnard-Roche** joined GAMCO Investors, Inc. in 2000. He is Director of Quantitative Strategies, head of the Gabelli Risk Management Group, serves as a portfolio manager of Gabelli Funds, LLC, and manages several funds within the Gabelli/GAMCO Fund Complex. He received a Master's degree in Mathematics of Decision Making from EISITI, France and an MS in Finance from ESSEC, France.

We have separated the portfolio managers' commentary from the financial statements and investment portfolio due to corporate governance regulations stipulated by the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. We have done this to ensure that the content of the portfolio managers' commentary is unrestricted. Both the commentary and the financial statements, including the portfolio of investments, will be available on our website at www.gabeli.com.

The Net Asset Value per share appears in the Publicly Traded Funds column, under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds," in Monday's The Wall Street Journal. It is also listed in Barron's Mutual Funds/Closed End Funds section under the heading "Specialized Equity Funds."

The Net Asset Value per share may be obtained each day by calling (914) 921-5070 or visiting www.gabelli.com.

The NASDAQ symbol for the Net Asset Value is "XGNTX."

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Section 23(c) of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, that the Fund may from time to time purchase its common shares in the open market when the Fund's shares are trading at a discount of 10% or more from the net asset value of the shares. The Fund may also, from time to time, purchase its preferred shares in the open market when the preferred shares are trading at a discount to the liquidation value.

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