



Monthly Gold Compass

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1. Gold

“I view gold as the primary global currency. It is the only currency, along with silver, that does not require a counterparty signature.”

Alan Greenspan

Gold Performance in Major Currencies, 2000–2024

Year	USD	EUR	GBP	AUD	CAD	CNY	JPY	CHF	INR	Average
2000	-5.3%	1.2%	2.0%	11.3%	-1.9%	-5.4%	5.8%	-4.2%	1.4%	0.6%
2001	2.4%	8.3%	5.3%	11.4%	8.8%	2.4%	18.0%	5.5%	5.8%	7.6%
2002	24.4%	5.6%	12.2%	13.3%	22.9%	24.4%	12.2%	3.5%	23.7%	15.8%
2003	19.6%	-0.2%	8.0%	-10.7%	-1.3%	19.6%	8.1%	7.4%	13.9%	7.2%
2004	5.6%	-1.9%	-1.7%	1.5%	-2.0%	5.6%	0.8%	-3.1%	0.1%	0.5%
2005	18.1%	35.1%	31.6%	25.9%	14.1%	15.1%	35.9%	36.3%	22.8%	26.1%
2006	23.0%	10.4%	8.1%	14.3%	23.3%	19.0%	24.2%	14.1%	20.7%	17.5%
2007	30.9%	18.5%	29.2%	18.0%	12.0%	22.5%	22.5%	21.8%	16.9%	21.4%
2008	5.4%	10.0%	43.1%	30.5%	28.7%	-1.5%	-14.2%	-0.8%	30.0%	14.6%
2009	24.8%	21.8%	12.9%	-1.6%	7.9%	24.8%	27.9%	21.1%	19.2%	17.6%
2010	29.5%	38.6%	34.2%	13.6%	22.8%	25.1%	13.2%	16.8%	24.8%	24.3%
2011	10.2%	13.9%	10.6%	10.3%	12.7%	5.2%	4.5%	10.7%	30.7%	12.1%
2012	7.1%	5.0%	2.5%	5.3%	4.2%	6.0%	20.7%	4.5%	11.1%	7.4%
2013	-28.0%	-30.9%	-29.4%	-16.1%	-23.0%	-30.1%	-12.6%	-29.8%	-19.1%	-24.3%
2014	-1.8%	11.6%	4.4%	7.3%	7.5%	0.7%	11.6%	9.4%	0.2%	5.6%
2015	-10.4%	-0.1%	-5.3%	0.6%	6.8%	-6.2%	-9.9%	-9.7%	-5.9%	-4.5%
2016	8.5%	12.1%	29.6%	9.6%	5.3%	16.1%	5.4%	10.3%	11.4%	12.0%
2017	13.1%	-0.9%	3.3%	4.6%	5.9%	6.0%	9.0%	8.3%	6.3%	6.2%
2018	-1.5%	3.0%	4.3%	8.9%	6.8%	4.1%	-4.2%	-0.8%	7.3%	3.1%
2019	18.3%	21.0%	13.7%	18.8%	12.6%	19.7%	17.2%	16.6%	21.3%	17.7%
2020	25.0%	14.8%	21.3%	14.1%	22.6%	17.2%	18.8%	14.3%	28.0%	19.6%
2021	-3.6%	3.6%	-2.6%	2.2%	-4.3%	-6.1%	7.5%	-0.6%	-1.7%	-0.6%
2022	-0.2%	6.0%	11.6%	6.3%	7.0%	8.3%	13.7%	1.1%	10.8%	7.2%
2023	13.1%	9.7%	7.4%	13.1%	10.5%	16.3%	21.6%	2.9%	13.7%	12.0%
2024	27.2%	35.6%	29.4%	40.0%	38.1%	30.8%	41.7%	37.1%	30.8%	34.5%
CAGR	9.7%	9.5%	10.8%	9.9%	9.6%	9.1%	11.6%	7.1%	12.8%	10.0%

Source: Reuters Eikon (as of 12/31/2024), Incrementum AG



Annualized Performance of Gold, in USD, if Bought on the Last Day of the Month and Held until 12/31/2024 (Holding Period \geq 1 Year)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2000	9.35%	9.25%	9.48%	9.60%	9.66%	9.41%	9.65%	9.67%	9.76%	9.95%	9.90%	9.90%
2001	10.05%	10.06%	10.26%	10.19%	10.20%	10.15%	10.26%	10.16%	9.90%	10.15%	10.28%	10.24%
2002	10.22%	10.02%	9.96%	9.91%	9.67%	9.89%	10.10%	10.00%	9.86%	10.00%	10.02%	9.64%
2003	9.38%	9.67%	9.89%	9.90%	9.58%	9.88%	9.79%	9.55%	9.45%	9.50%	9.36%	9.18%
2004	9.38%	9.50%	9.15%	9.70%	9.63%	9.69%	9.77%	9.57%	9.50%	9.41%	9.17%	9.36%
2005	9.61%	9.48%	9.61%	9.57%	9.85%	9.65%	9.76%	9.74%	9.36%	9.45%	9.15%	8.92%
2006	8.42%	8.53%	8.35%	7.73%	7.86%	8.18%	8.02%	8.13%	8.44%	8.40%	8.04%	8.19%
2007	8.07%	7.96%	8.06%	7.96%	8.16%	8.31%	8.22%	8.17%	7.58%	7.20%	7.34%	6.98%
2008	6.36%	6.08%	6.49%	6.85%	6.77%	6.53%	6.64%	7.30%	7.03%	8.30%	7.54%	7.08%
2009	6.76%	6.67%	6.90%	7.18%	6.53%	6.95%	6.78%	6.85%	6.48%	6.26%	5.45%	5.99%
2010	6.12%	5.93%	5.99%	5.61%	5.42%	5.30%	5.70%	5.33%	5.00%	4.75%	4.64%	4.49%
2011	4.99%	4.58%	4.51%	3.86%	4.03%	4.23%	3.63%	2.77%	3.69%	3.29%	3.17%	4.06%
2012	3.24%	3.46%	3.62%	3.66%	4.23%	4.05%	3.99%	3.63%	3.26%	3.53%	3.58%	3.81%
2013	3.90%	4.38%	4.32%	5.05%	5.66%	6.79%	6.18%	5.73%	6.25%	6.32%	6.90%	7.33%
2014	7.08%	6.50%	6.88%	6.87%	7.25%	6.71%	7.12%	7.14%	7.85%	8.23%	8.37%	8.29%
2015	7.48%	8.17%	8.51%	8.58%	8.60%	8.85%	9.72%	9.40%	9.70%	9.50%	10.45%	10.58%
2016	10.04%	8.88%	9.02%	8.50%	9.39%	8.40%	8.21%	8.71%	8.73%	9.22%	10.48%	10.84%
2017	10.26%	9.94%	10.06%	9.95%	10.06%	10.50%	10.29%	9.80%	10.42%	10.64%	10.73%	10.52%
2018	10.15%	10.61%	10.66%	10.92%	11.28%	12.05%	12.63%	13.14%	13.46%	13.31%	13.39%	12.67%
2019	12.30%	12.61%	13.11%	13.45%	13.32%	11.97%	12.10%	10.78%	11.64%	11.24%	12.16%	11.58%
2020	10.73%	11.00%	11.40%	10.02%	9.56%	9.00%	6.65%	6.84%	8.09%	8.36%	10.01%	8.45%
2021	9.39%	11.42%	12.15%	11.36%	9.32%	11.91%	11.42%	11.72%	13.14%	12.98%	13.54%	12.79%
2022	13.87%	11.90%	11.66%	12.95%	14.80%	16.09%	17.82%	20.12%	22.58%	24.46%	20.85%	19.92%
2023	17.45%	21.82%	17.87%	18.06%	20.14%	23.16%	22.68%	25.43%	32.35%	27.14%	26.39%	27.21%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



Correlation Table for Gold, 12/31/2024

		DXY	GDX	S&P 500	VIX	CRB TR	WTI	Copper	Bitcoin
Trading Days	15D	-0.48	0.90	0.65	-0.08	0.01	-0.12	0.10	0.39
	30D	-0.02	0.81	0.42	-0.05	0.39	0.40	0.15	0.43
	60D	-0.37	0.81	0.16	0.00	0.41	0.32	0.53	-0.02
	90D	-0.39	0.82	0.20	-0.07	0.42	0.31	0.54	0.04
	120D	-0.32	0.82	0.30	-0.15	0.36	0.27	0.48	0.10
	150D	-0.37	0.83	0.25	-0.09	0.39	0.27	0.53	0.08
	180D	-0.36	0.83	0.25	-0.10	0.39	0.26	0.53	0.09
30 Day	52 Week High	-0.02	0.92	0.54	0.34	0.74	0.57	0.83	0.51
	Date	12/31/2024	6/20/2024	1/26/2024	7/15/2024	12/11/2024	12/11/2024	6/26/2024	9/13/2024
	52 Week Low	-0.76	0.69	-0.24	-0.49	-0.17	-0.21	-0.05	-0.41
	Date	11/19/2024	4/18/2024	11/6/2024	2/13/2024	2/29/2024	2/29/2024	2/12/2024	11/22/2024
	% Time (+)	0%	100%	86%	38%	90%	85%	98%	68%
	% Time (-)	100%	0%	14%	62%	10%	15%	2%	32%
90Day	52 Week High	-0.27	0.86	0.38	0.29	0.47	0.35	0.64	0.24
	Date	10/22/2024	9/20/2024	11/4/2024	2/12/2024	12/17/2024	12/5/2024	11/20/2024	10/31/2024
	52 Week Low	-0.59	0.75	0.01	-0.28	0.06	-0.03	0.19	-0.17
	Date	3/26/2024	1/11/2024	2/22/2024	11/1/2024	3/27/2024	3/20/2024	4/17/2024	1/12/2024
	% Time (+)	0%	100%	100%	30%	100%	96%	100%	78%
	% Time (-)	100%	0%	0%	70%	0%	4%	0%	22%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Gold, in USD, 01/1970–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Gold in USD, and EUR, 01/2023–12/2024



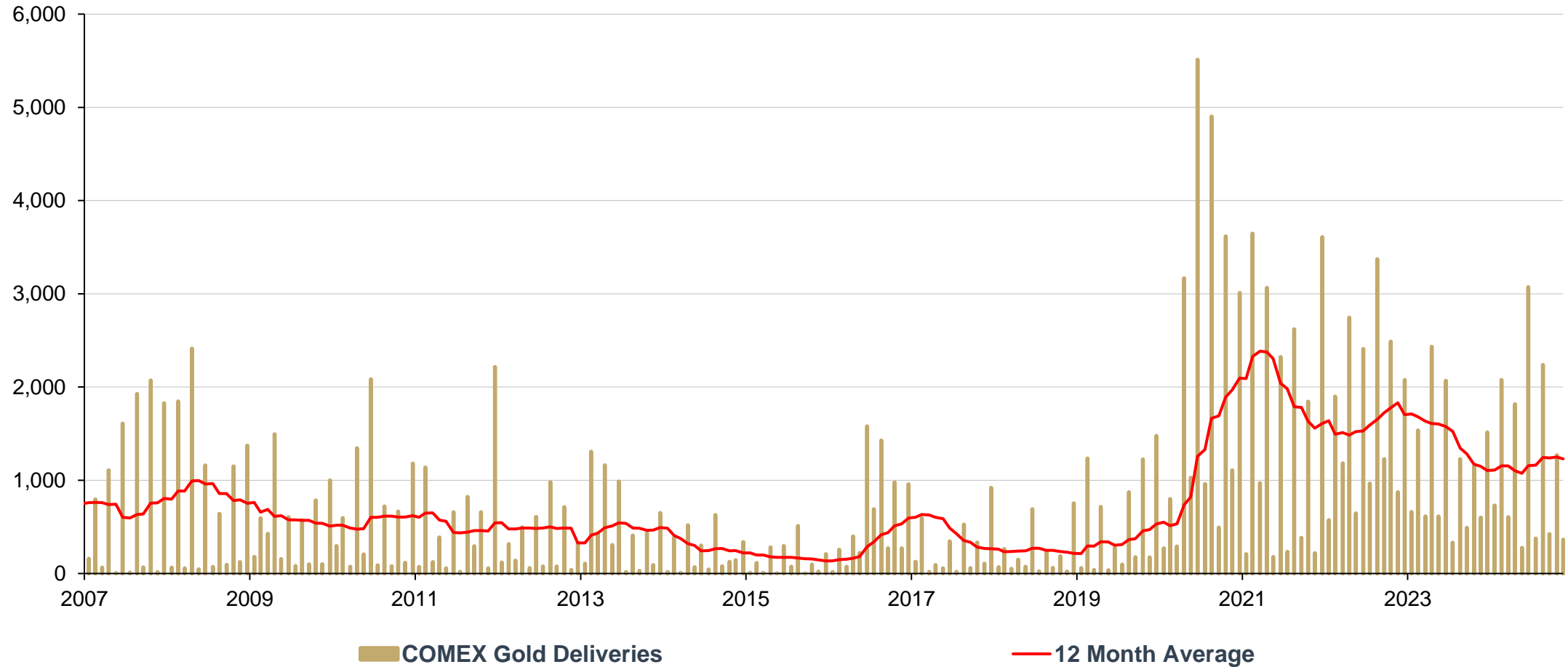
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Gold, in USD, and Incrementum World Gold Price (IWGP), 01/2015–12/2024



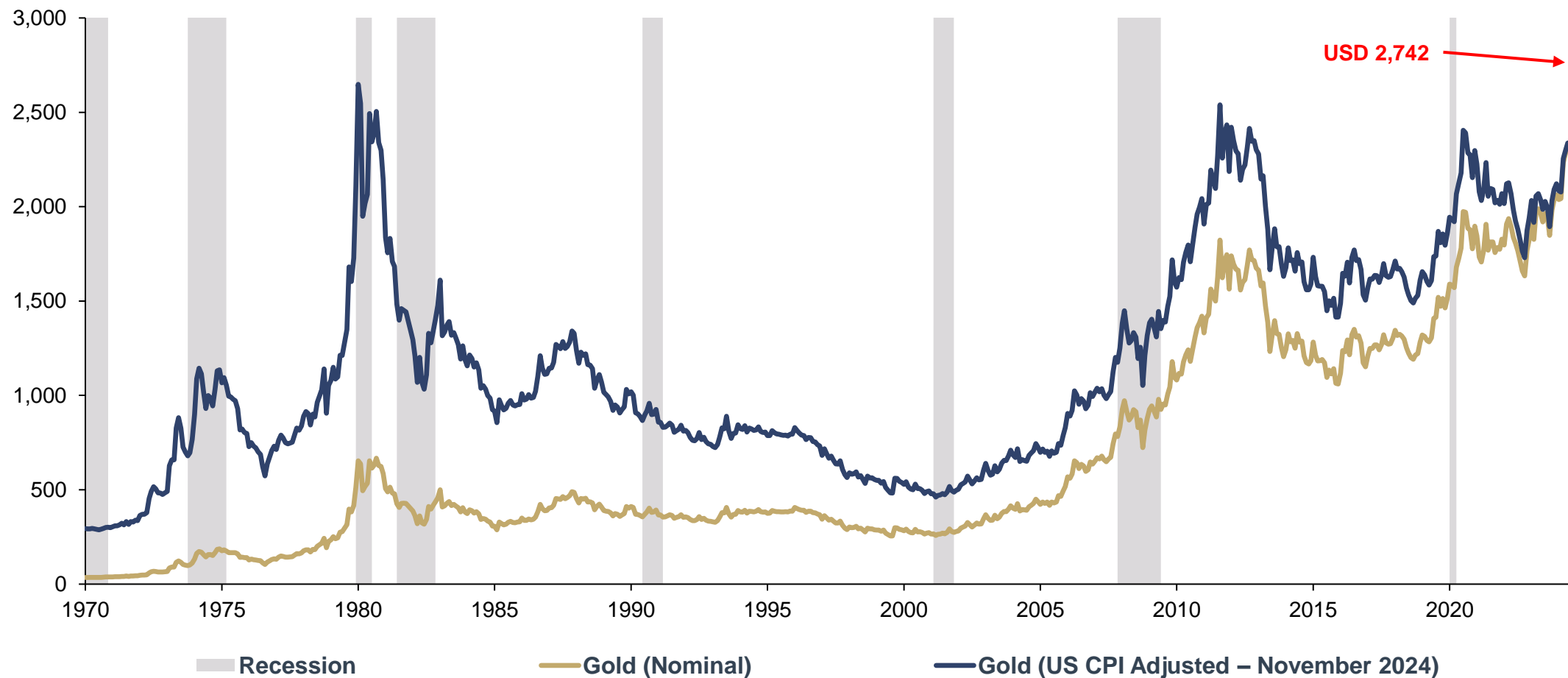
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COMEX Gold Deliveries, in Thousands of Troy Ounces, 01/2007–12/2024



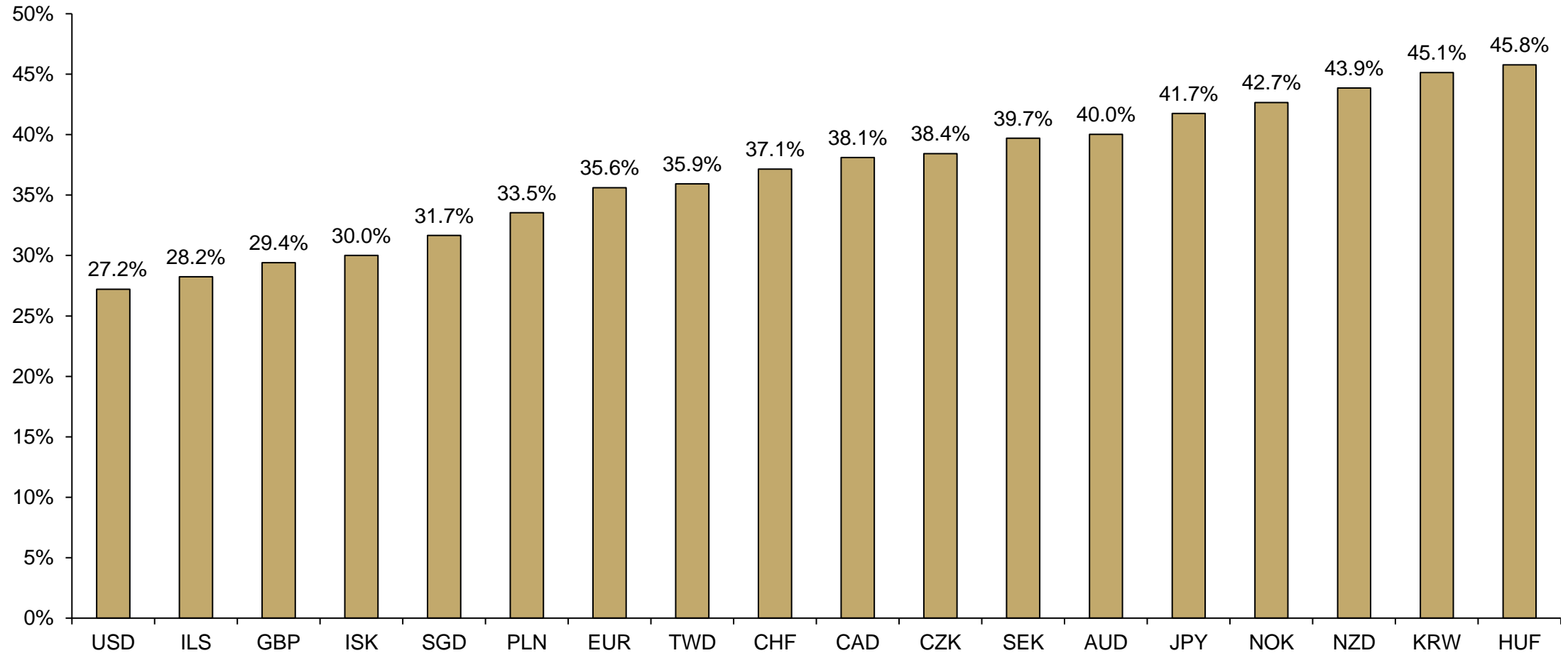
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Gold (Nominal), and Gold (US CPI Adjusted – November 2024), in USD, 01/1970–11/2024



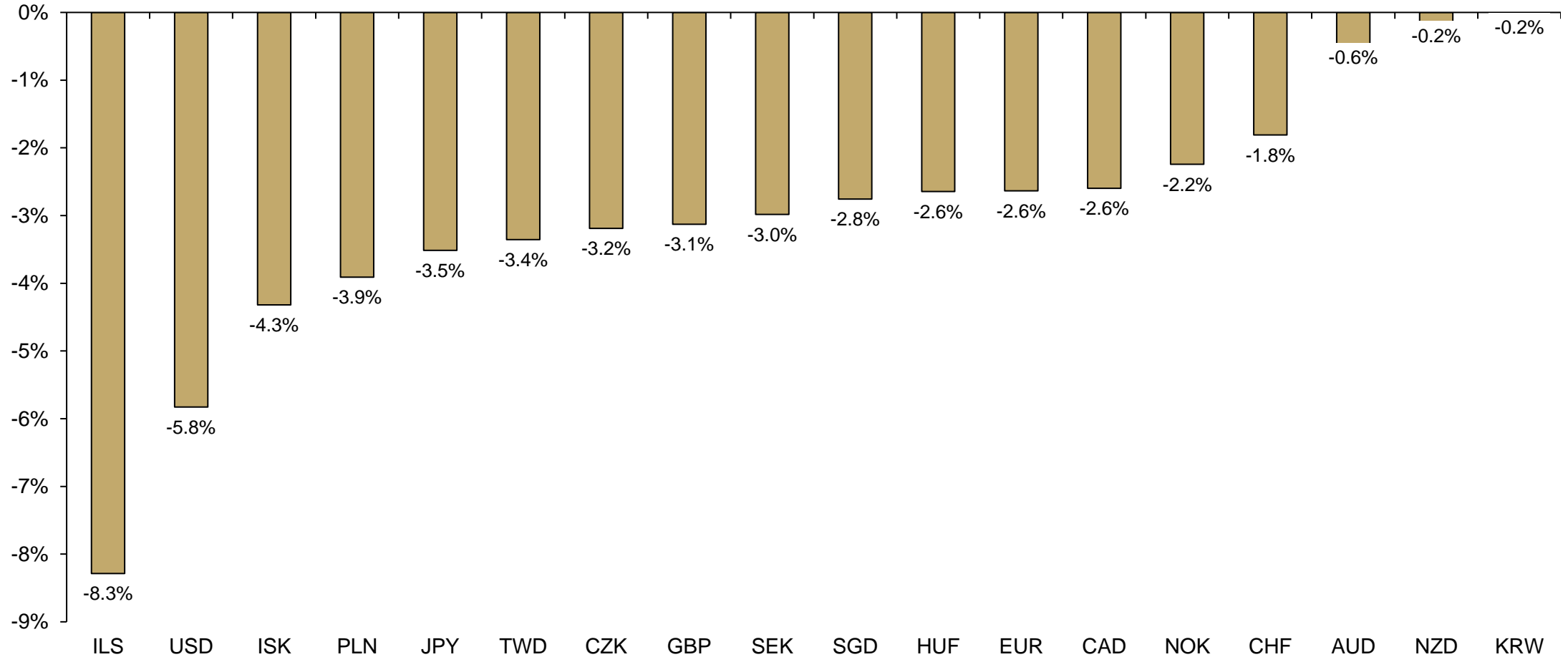
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Gold in Various Developed Market Currencies, 2024



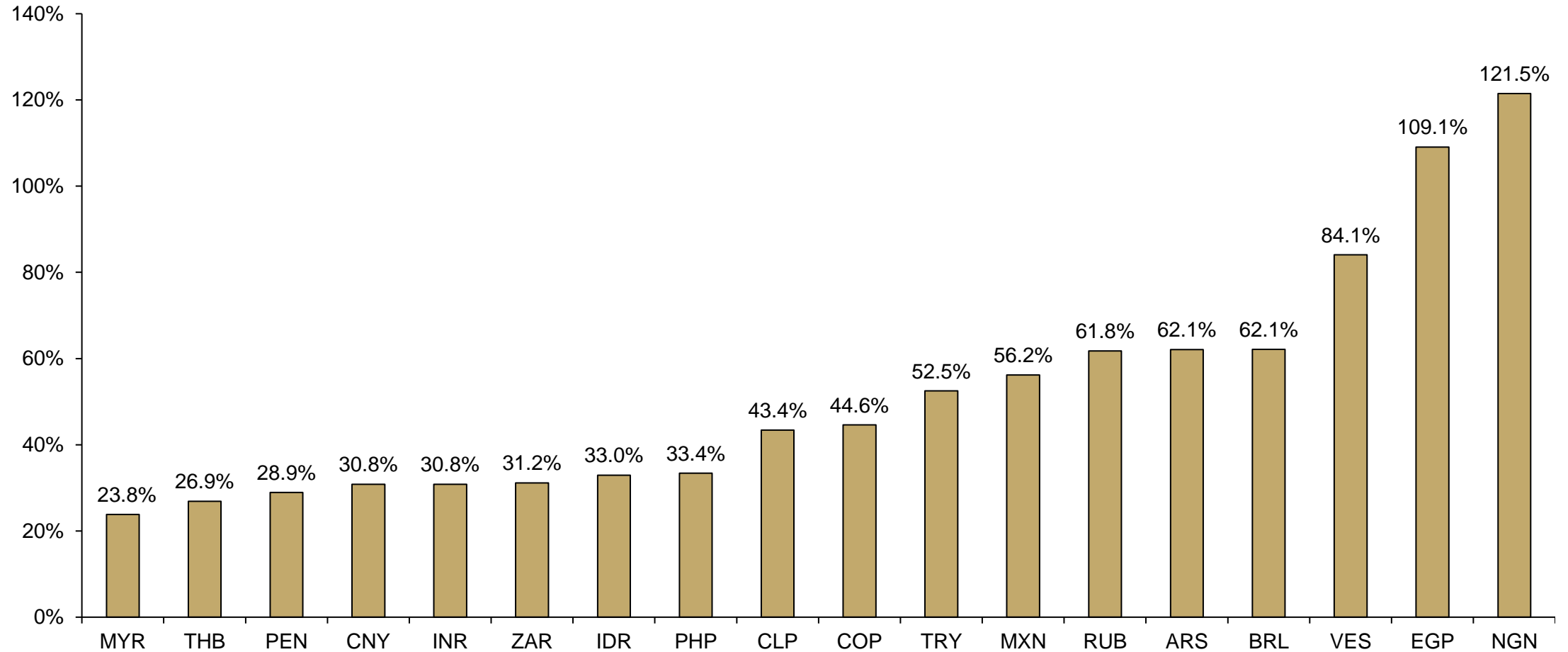
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Gold in Various Developed Market Currencies below All-Time High



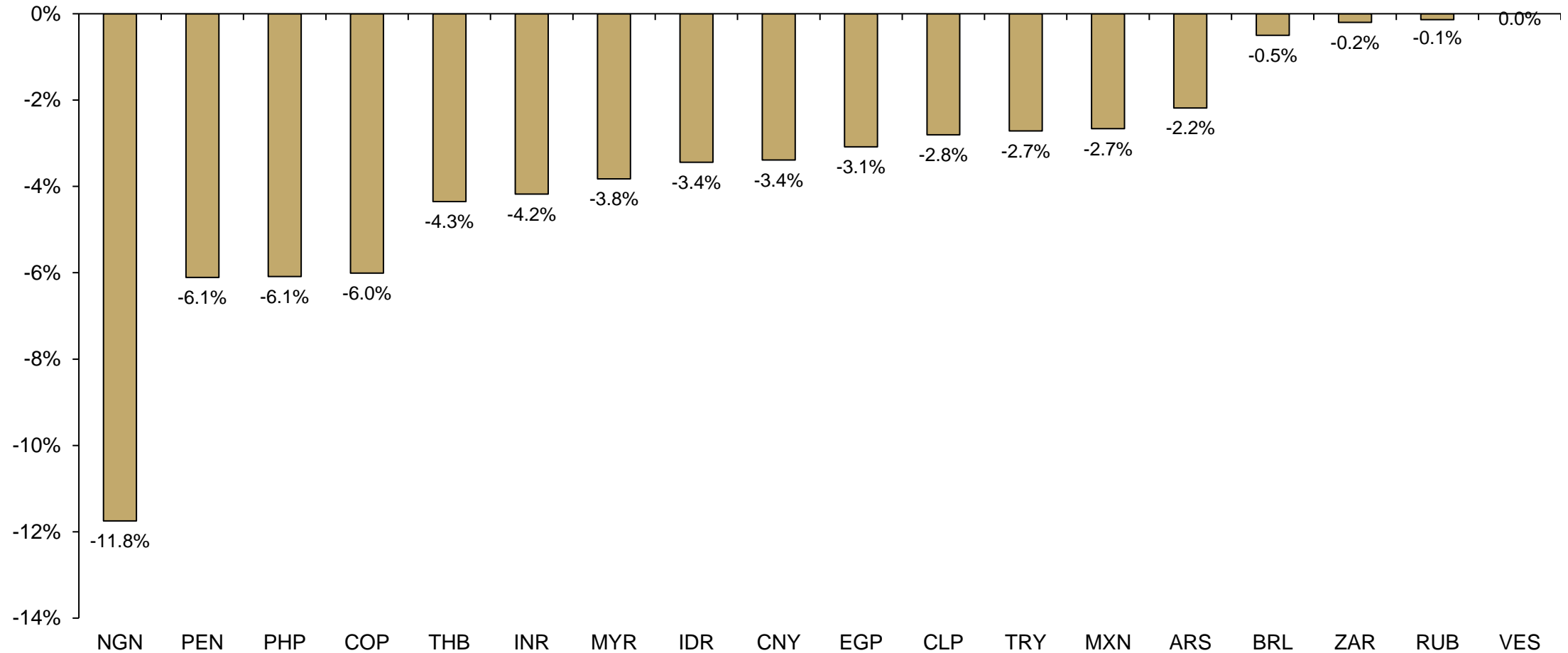
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Gold in Various Emerging Market Currencies, 2024



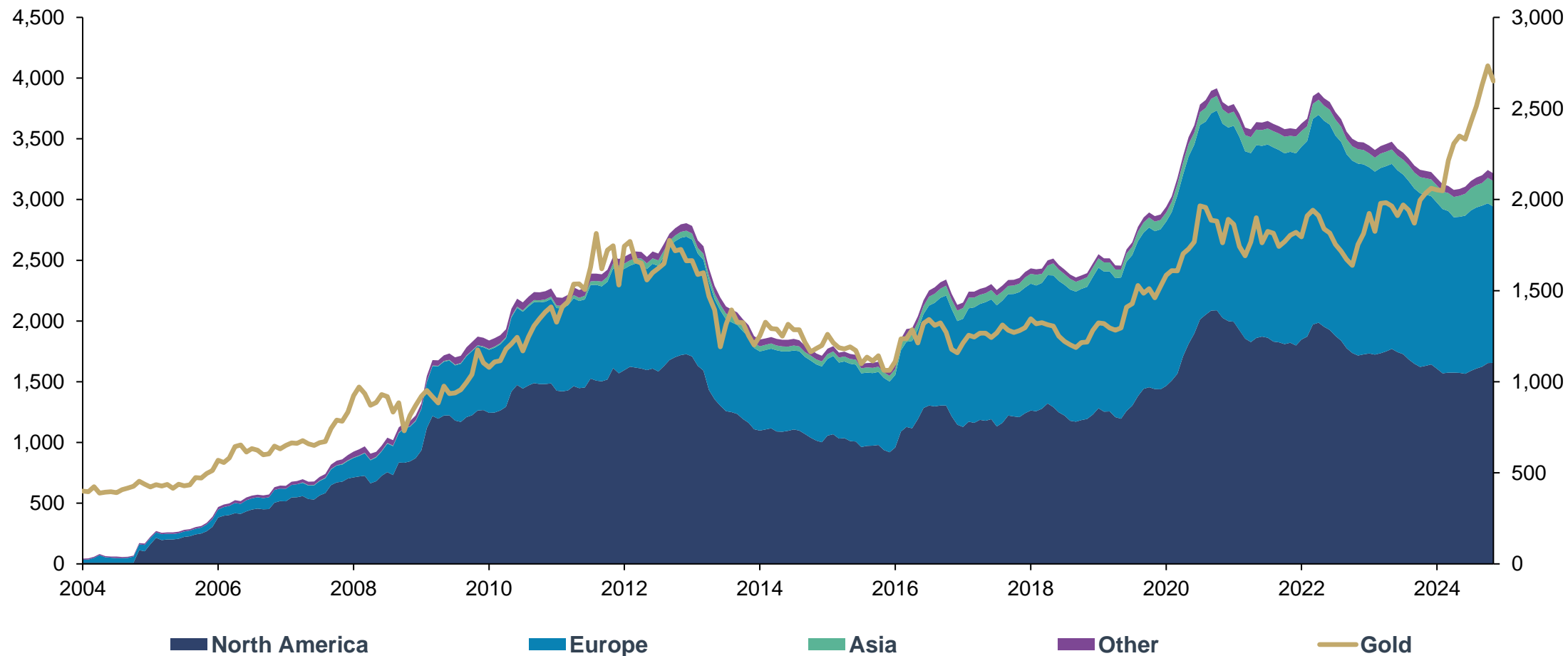
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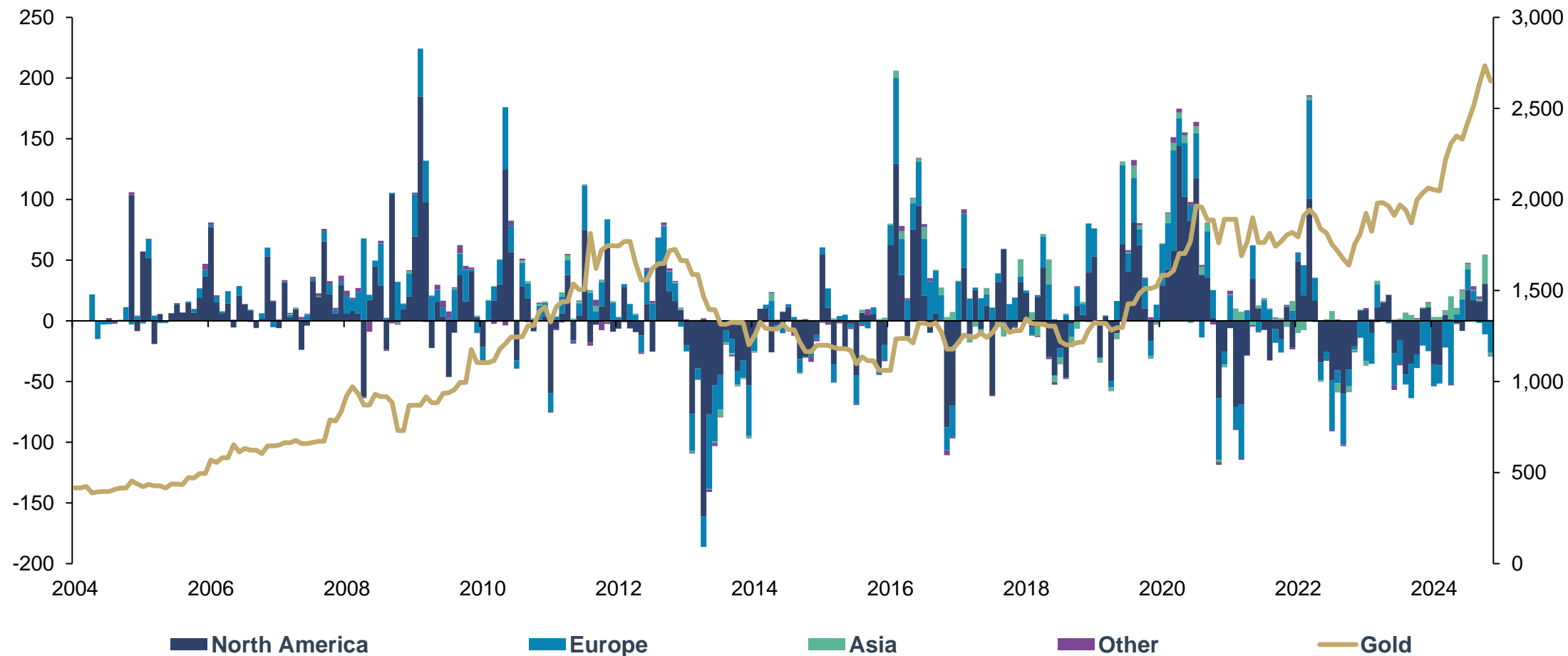
Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Monthly Gold ETF Flows by Region (lhs), in Tonnes, and Gold (rhs), in USD, 01/2004–11/2024



Source: World Gold Council, Incrementum AG

Monthly Gold ETF Flows by Region (lhs), in Tonnes, and Gold (rhs), in USD, 01/2004–11/2024



Source: World Gold Council, Incrementum AG

Gold/Silver Ratio, 01/2015–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

2. Silver

“Trading silver is a tough way to make an easy living.”

Rich Ross

Silver Performance in Major Currencies, 2000–2024

Year	USD	EUR	GBP	AUD	CAD	CNY	JPY	CHF	INR	Average
2000	-15.0%	-9.1%	-8.4%	0.0%	-11.9%	-15.0%	-5.0%	-13.9%	-8.9%	-9.7%
2001	0.4%	6.2%	3.3%	9.2%	6.7%	0.4%	15.7%	3.5%	3.8%	5.5%
2002	3.3%	-12.4%	-6.8%	-6.0%	2.0%	3.3%	-6.9%	-14.1%	2.7%	-3.9%
2003	24.6%	3.9%	12.5%	-7.0%	2.7%	24.6%	12.6%	11.9%	18.6%	11.6%
2004	14.5%	6.3%	6.6%	10.0%	6.2%	14.5%	9.3%	5.1%	8.6%	9.0%
2005	29.7%	48.5%	44.6%	38.4%	25.4%	26.5%	49.3%	49.8%	35.0%	38.6%
2006	46.1%	31.1%	28.4%	35.8%	46.4%	41.3%	47.4%	35.5%	43.3%	39.5%
2007	14.8%	3.8%	13.3%	3.4%	-1.8%	7.4%	7.4%	6.8%	2.5%	6.4%
2008	-23.5%	-20.2%	3.9%	-5.3%	-6.6%	-28.5%	-37.7%	-28.0%	-5.6%	-16.8%
2009	48.9%	45.4%	34.7%	17.5%	28.8%	49.0%	52.7%	44.6%	42.3%	40.4%
2010	83.4%	96.2%	89.9%	60.8%	73.8%	77.0%	60.2%	65.3%	76.6%	75.9%
2011	-10.3%	-7.2%	-9.9%	-10.2%	-8.2%	-14.3%	-14.9%	-9.9%	6.4%	-8.7%
2012	9.5%	7.3%	4.8%	7.6%	6.5%	8.4%	23.4%	6.9%	13.6%	9.8%
2013	-36.0%	-38.5%	-37.2%	-25.4%	-31.4%	-37.8%	-22.3%	-37.5%	-28.0%	-32.7%
2014	-19.3%	-8.3%	-14.2%	-11.9%	-11.7%	-17.3%	-8.3%	-10.2%	-17.7%	-13.2%
2015	-11.7%	-1.6%	-6.7%	-0.9%	5.2%	-7.6%	-11.2%	-11.0%	-7.2%	-5.9%
2016	15.2%	19.0%	37.6%	16.3%	11.8%	23.2%	11.9%	17.1%	18.3%	18.9%
2017	6.4%	-6.8%	-2.9%	-1.6%	-0.4%	-0.3%	2.5%	1.8%	-0.1%	-0.2%
2018	-8.7%	-4.4%	-3.2%	1.0%	-1.0%	-3.5%	-11.2%	-8.0%	-0.5%	-4.4%
2019	15.2%	17.8%	10.8%	15.7%	9.7%	16.6%	14.2%	13.6%	18.1%	14.6%
2020	47.8%	35.7%	43.4%	34.9%	44.9%	38.6%	40.5%	35.2%	51.3%	41.4%
2021	-11.7%	-5.2%	-10.8%	-6.5%	-12.4%	-14.1%	-1.6%	-9.0%	-10.0%	-9.0%
2022	3.0%	9.4%	15.2%	9.8%	10.5%	11.8%	17.3%	4.4%	14.4%	10.6%
2023	-0.9%	-3.8%	-5.8%	-0.8%	-3.1%	2.0%	6.7%	-9.7%	-0.3%	-1.7%
2024	21.5%	29.5%	23.6%	33.8%	31.9%	25.0%	35.4%	31.0%	25.0%	28.5%
CAGR	7.2%	7.1%	8.4%	7.5%	7.2%	6.7%	9.2%	4.8%	10.3%	7.6%

Source: Reuters Eikon (as of 12/31/2024), Incrementum AG



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2000	7.09%	7.26%	7.34%	7.40%	7.47%	7.40%	7.46%	7.51%	7.62%	7.77%	7.85%	7.96%
2001	7.81%	8.14%	8.36%	8.35%	8.31%	8.44%	8.55%	8.64%	8.19%	8.67%	8.76%	8.30%
2002	8.74%	8.48%	8.38%	8.51%	8.07%	8.28%	8.55%	8.73%	8.69%	8.75%	8.86%	8.54%
2003	8.50%	8.79%	8.97%	8.80%	8.97%	8.97%	8.40%	8.48%	8.49%	8.60%	8.33%	7.83%
2004	7.62%	7.28%	6.45%	7.88%	7.80%	8.13%	7.56%	7.42%	7.34%	7.09%	6.82%	7.51%
2005	7.59%	7.17%	7.33%	7.56%	7.21%	7.51%	7.40%	7.75%	7.30%	7.27%	6.79%	6.45%
2006	5.87%	5.93%	5.04%	4.09%	4.61%	5.38%	5.23%	4.51%	5.22%	4.84%	4.11%	4.59%
2007	4.33%	4.09%	4.43%	4.45%	4.46%	4.95%	4.77%	5.18%	4.39%	4.11%	4.34%	4.02%
2008	3.23%	2.27%	3.14%	3.30%	3.31%	3.13%	3.03%	4.73%	5.54%	6.91%	6.66%	6.04%
2009	5.33%	5.12%	5.23%	5.58%	3.97%	4.99%	4.86%	4.41%	3.70%	3.85%	3.03%	3.66%
2010	3.97%	3.87%	3.47%	3.05%	3.09%	3.10%	3.35%	2.84%	2.02%	1.11%	0.20%	-0.47%
2011	0.21%	-1.13%	-1.90%	-3.64%	-2.09%	-1.34%	-2.37%	-2.68%	-0.26%	-1.27%	-0.97%	0.32%
2012	-1.06%	-1.40%	-0.86%	-0.55%	0.34%	0.41%	0.27%	-0.75%	-1.43%	-0.89%	-1.20%	-0.40%
2013	-0.70%	0.11%	0.16%	1.50%	2.29%	3.42%	3.36%	1.85%	2.60%	2.53%	3.39%	3.68%
2014	3.86%	2.90%	3.62%	3.95%	4.20%	3.09%	3.42%	3.91%	5.34%	5.89%	6.43%	6.31%
2015	5.35%	5.79%	5.83%	6.22%	5.88%	6.59%	7.38%	7.58%	7.72%	7.01%	8.22%	8.52%
2016	8.23%	7.79%	7.44%	5.73%	7.13%	5.25%	4.27%	5.41%	5.11%	6.05%	7.18%	7.71%
2017	6.51%	5.99%	6.12%	7.00%	7.00%	7.69%	7.58%	7.01%	7.93%	7.95%	8.29%	7.91%
2018	7.68%	8.63%	8.82%	8.95%	9.02%	9.42%	10.17%	11.49%	11.53%	12.17%	12.41%	10.95%
2019	10.42%	11.13%	11.89%	12.34%	13.03%	12.23%	11.19%	8.87%	10.62%	9.43%	10.96%	10.12%
2020	10.05%	12.05%	16.51%	15.03%	11.08%	10.90%	3.91%	0.53%	5.27%	4.93%	6.18%	2.30%
2021	1.73%	2.14%	4.60%	3.01%	0.81%	2.92%	3.75%	5.86%	8.42%	6.22%	7.96%	7.46%
2022	9.04%	6.09%	5.73%	9.37%	12.02%	15.26%	15.65%	22.54%	20.44%	20.90%	13.46%	9.76%
2023	10.85%	19.24%	10.95%	8.93%	13.96%	17.22%	11.43%	13.34%	23.58%	21.98%	13.18%	21.52%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Correlation Table for Silver, 12/31/2024

		DXY	SIL	S&P 500	VIX	CRB TR	WTI	Copper	Bitcoin
Trading Days	15D	-0.65	0.82	0.80	-0.31	-0.07	-0.20	0.80	0.40
	30D	-0.24	0.78	0.52	-0.23	0.33	0.36	0.43	0.22
	60D	-0.40	0.80	0.21	-0.14	0.34	0.23	0.32	0.00
	90D	-0.41	0.83	0.32	-0.25	0.45	0.34	0.37	0.13
	120D	-0.29	0.79	0.41	-0.29	0.42	0.28	0.38	0.17
	150D	-0.31	0.79	0.35	-0.19	0.46	0.30	0.31	0.13
	180D	-0.33	0.81	0.33	-0.17	0.47	0.31	0.27	0.14
30 Day	52 Week High	0.05	0.91	0.71	0.40	0.76	0.58	0.70	0.58
	Date	8/16/2024	6/24/2024	9/11/2024	7/15/2024	6/13/2024	7/3/2024	1/19/2024	9/13/2024
	52 Week Low	-0.67	0.61	-0.16	-0.63	0.01	-0.07	-0.12	-0.32
	Date	1/5/2024	8/2/2024	12/13/2024	9/26/2024	2/14/2024	2/14/2024	4/29/2024	12/17/2024
	% Time (+)	2%	100%	91%	31%	100%	93%	90%	72%
	% Time (-)	98%	0%	9%	69%	0%	7%	10%	28%
90Day	52 Week High	-0.20	0.84	0.48	0.16	0.59	0.40	0.47	0.27
	Date	10/22/2024	11/26/2024	10/31/2024	1/12/2024	9/16/2024	9/25/2024	3/25/2024	11/5/2024
	52 Week Low	-0.54	0.73	0.10	-0.36	0.07	-0.01	0.02	-0.14
	Date	4/3/2024	4/29/2024	7/16/2024	10/31/2024	2/29/2024	3/20/2024	6/26/2024	1/16/2024
	% Time (+)	0%	100%	100%	27%	100%	98%	100%	82%
% Time (-)	100%	0%	0%	73%	0%	2%	0%	18%	

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Silver, in USD, 01/1970–12/2024



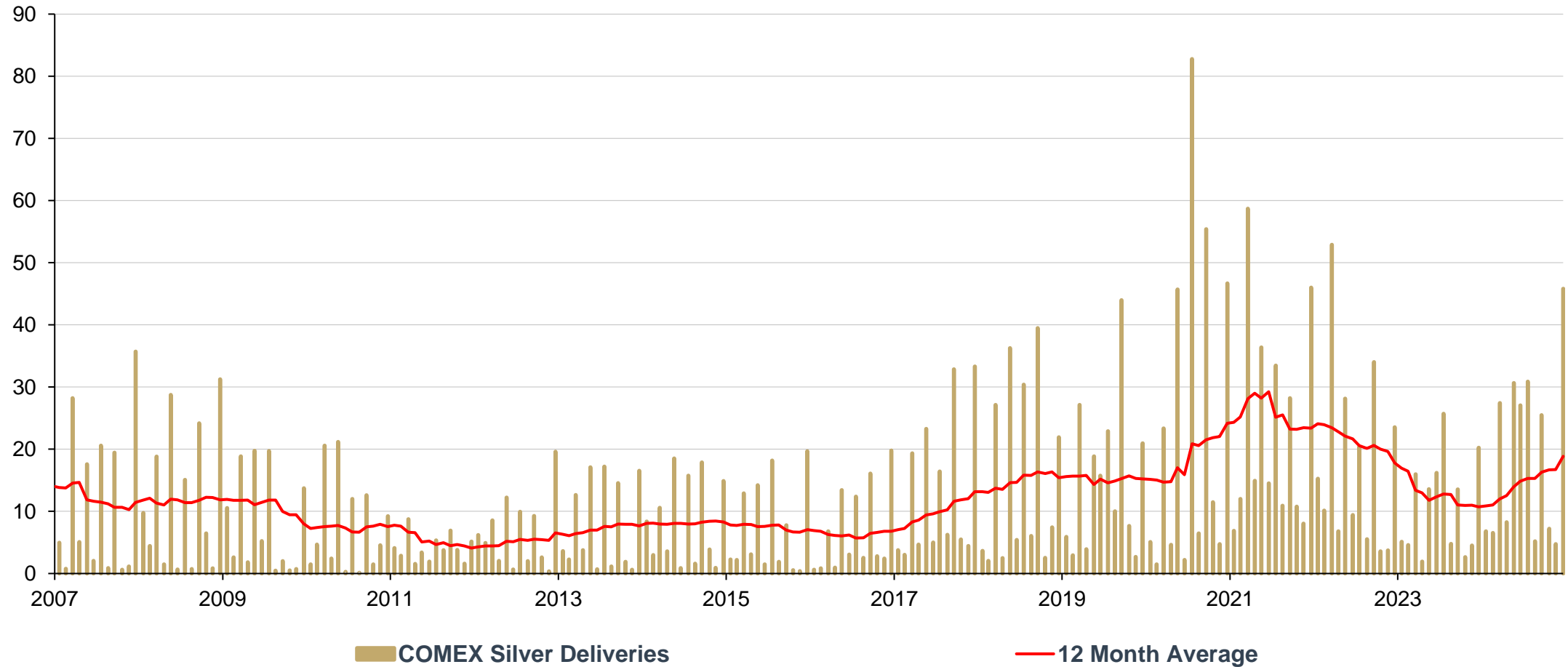
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Silver, in USD, and Incrementum World Silver Price (IWSP), 01/2015–12/2024



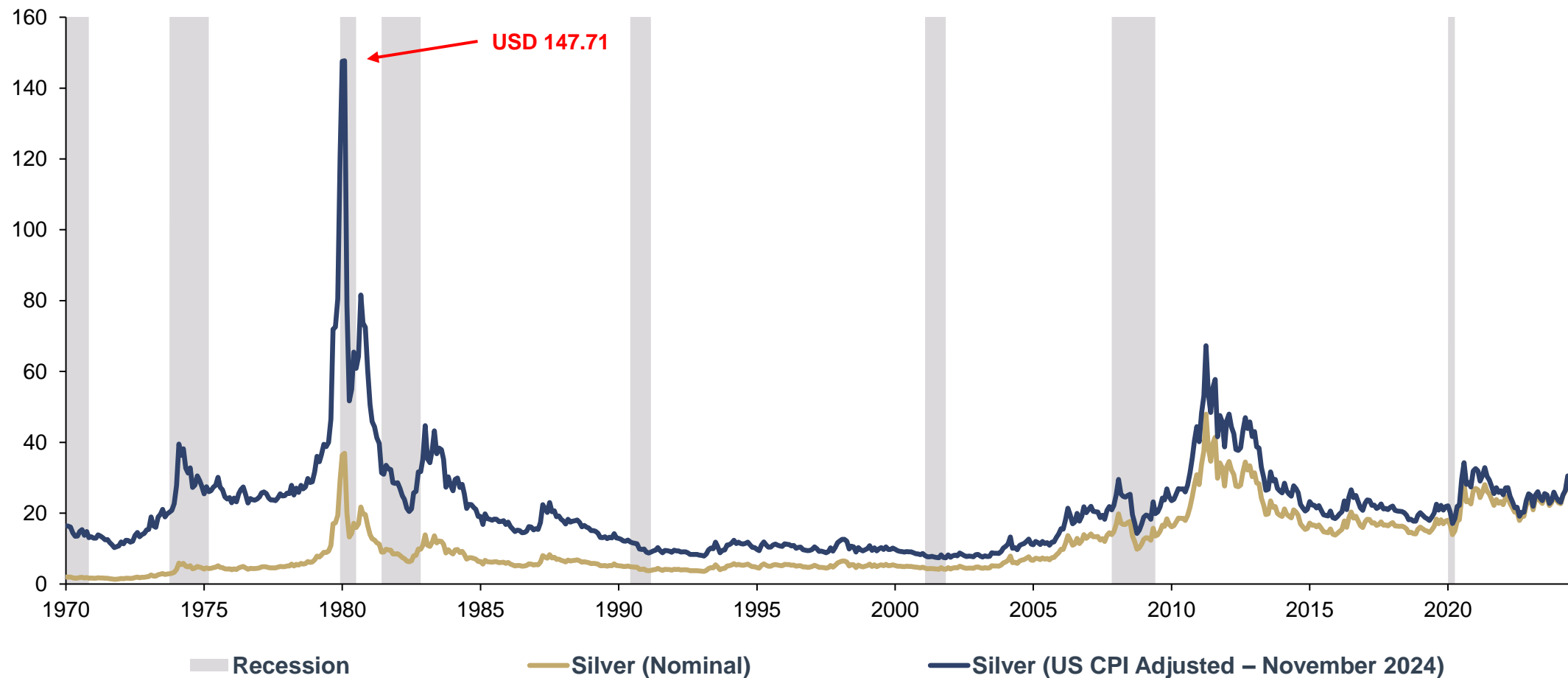
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COMEX Silver Deliveries, in Millions of Troy Ounces, 01/2007–12/2024



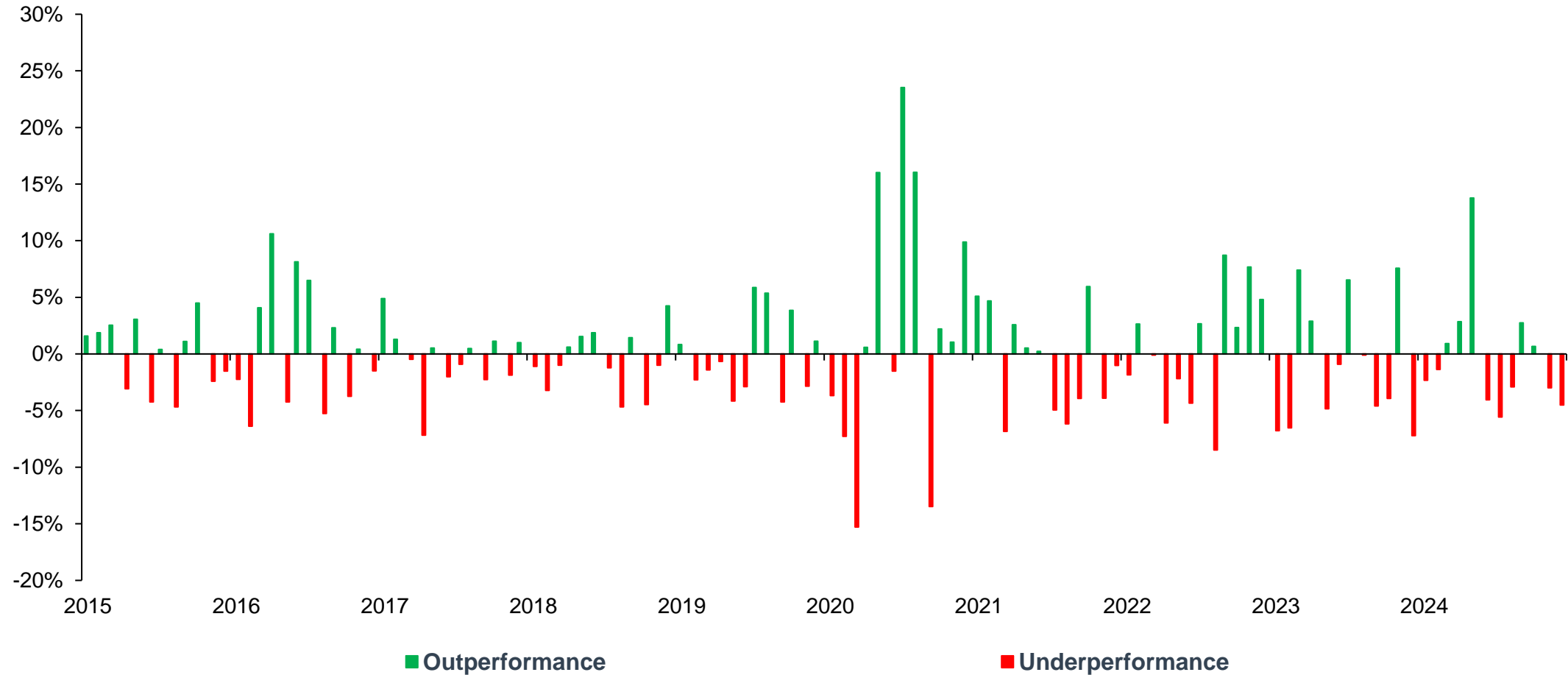
Source: Nick Laird, Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Silver (Nominal), and Silver (US CPI Adjusted – November 2024), in USD, 01/1970–11/2024



Source: Nick Laird, Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Performance of Silver Relative to Gold (Monthly), 01/2015–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

3. Miner

“You make most of your money in a bear market, you just don’t realize it at the time.”

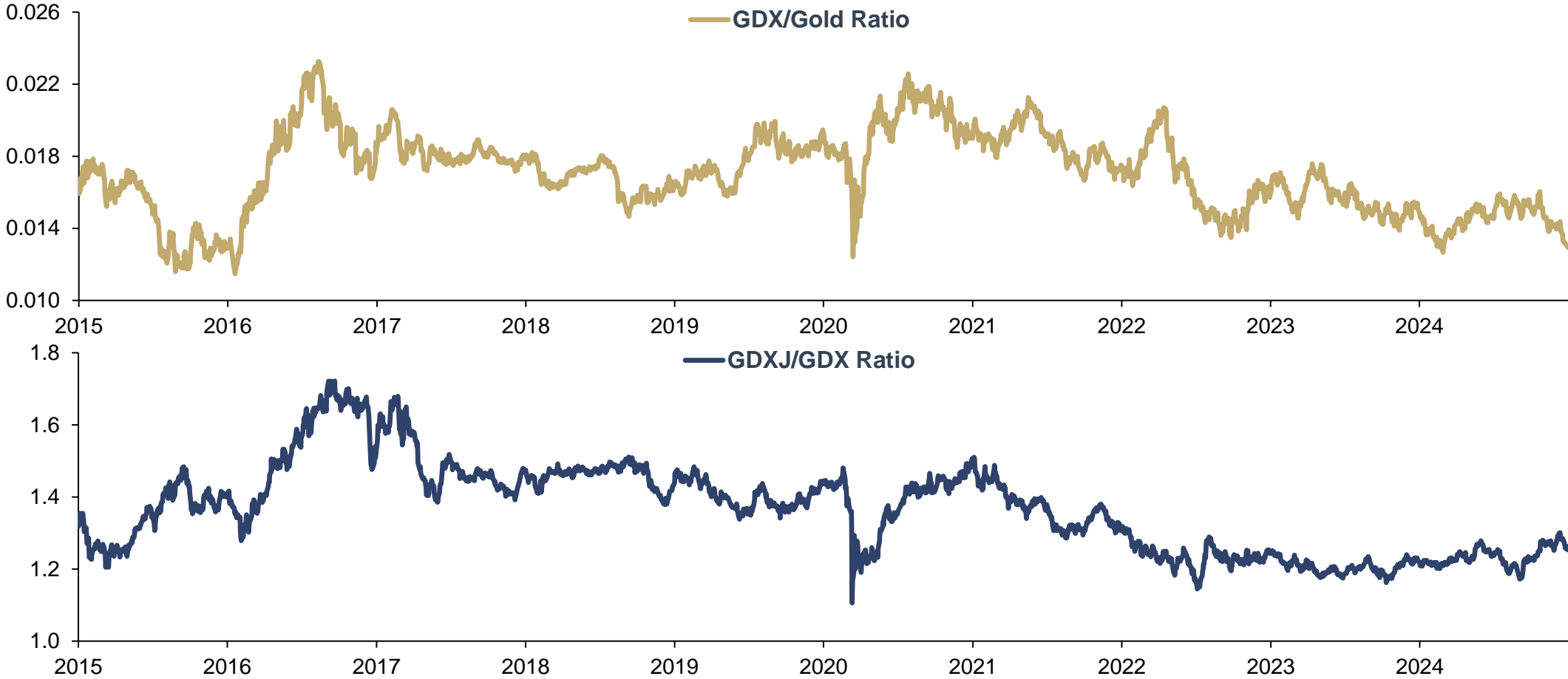
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Monthly Performance of Bullion and Miners, 01/2023–12/2024

	Gold	HUI	GDX	GDXJ	Silver	SIL	SILJ
Jan-23	5.67%	11.65%	11.72%	9.26%	-1.11%	7.53%	6.07%
Feb-23	-5.22%	-15.27%	-14.08%	-13.25%	-11.76%	-11.98%	-13.58%
Mar-23	7.70%	17.87%	17.59%	16.90%	15.11%	15.23%	14.99%
Apr-23	1.11%	1.74%	3.80%	0.63%	4.00%	-2.73%	-2.43%
May-23	-1.37%	-7.62%	-7.95%	-6.57%	-6.23%	-9.74%	-10.69%
Jun-23	-2.18%	-2.85%	-2.59%	-3.98%	-3.09%	-3.63%	-3.20%
Jul-23	2.32%	3.47%	4.32%	5.61%	8.87%	6.81%	10.02%
Aug-23	-1.24%	-6.06%	-6.84%	-4.43%	-1.35%	-4.54%	-7.36%
Sep-23	-4.71%	-9.06%	-8.03%	-10.45%	-9.31%	-9.81%	-11.30%
Oct-23	7.27%	5.19%	4.09%	3.44%	3.34%	0.54%	-0.59%
Nov-23	2.68%	10.88%	11.82%	15.57%	10.26%	15.31%	16.13%
Dec-23	1.32%	0.88%	-0.99%	-1.61%	-5.90%	2.38%	2.15%
Jan-24	-1.23%	-10.13%	-9.90%	-10.84%	-3.55%	-10.47%	-12.80%
Feb-24	0.30%	-6.70%	-5.65%	-5.68%	-1.08%	-9.06%	-8.14%
Mar-24	9.26%	21.17%	19.95%	21.52%	10.17%	18.87%	23.97%
Apr-24	2.38%	4.53%	4.78%	4.44%	5.23%	11.36%	10.07%
May-24	1.81%	8.06%	6.55%	11.54%	15.58%	13.44%	14.73%
Jun-24	-0.05%	-4.07%	-3.88%	-6.67%	-4.11%	-10.09%	-9.73%
Jul-24	5.26%	13.89%	11.79%	9.62%	-0.30%	10.48%	11.57%
Aug-24	2.24%	2.67%	1.82%	-0.43%	-0.67%	-5.02%	-5.15%
Sep-24	5.25%	2.05%	3.11%	6.18%	7.99%	7.21%	7.60%
Oct-24	4.15%	0.49%	1.31%	5.68%	4.82%	10.17%	6.83%
Nov-24	-3.29%	-6.25%	-6.64%	-7.56%	-6.28%	-6.03%	-13.87%
Dec-24	-1.12%	-8.48%	-9.96%	-10.34%	-5.64%	-12.55%	-16.27%
CAGR	19.9%	9.5%	8.8%	9.5%	9.8%	6.2%	-3.0%
MAX	9.3%	21.2%	20.0%	21.5%	15.6%	18.9%	24.0%
MIN	-5.2%	-15.3%	-14.1%	-13.2%	-11.8%	-12.6%	-16.3%
Current Price	2,624	275.6	33.9	42.75	28.87	31.77	9.93

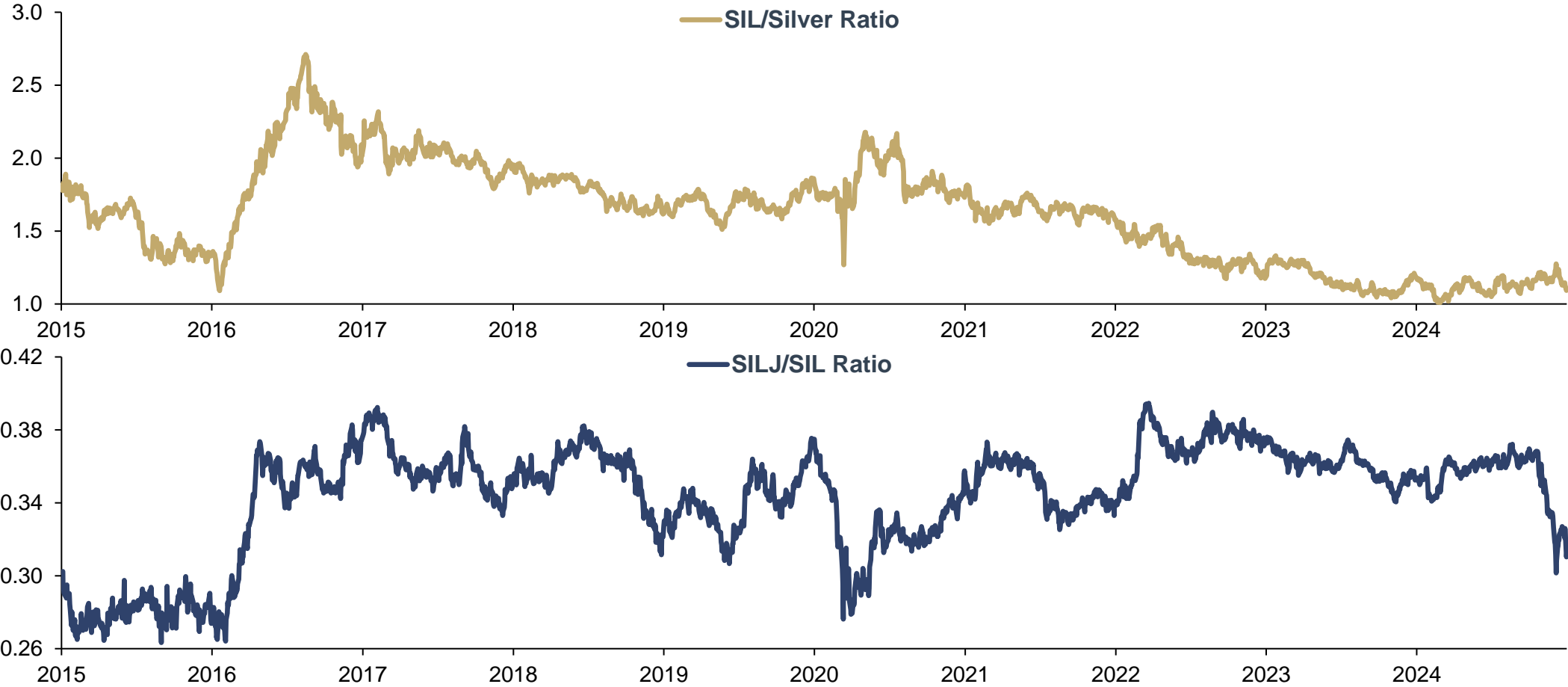
Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

GDX/Gold Ratio (top), and GDXJ/GDX Ratio (bottom), 01/2015–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

SIL/Silver Ratio (top), and SILJ/SIL Ratio (bottom), 01/2015–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

4. Macro (Inflation, Markets, Positioning, etc.)

“We now understand better how little we understand about inflation.”

Jerome Powell

Inflation Heat Map (Developed Markets), yoy, 12/2022–11/2024

	USA CPI	Canada CPI	Euro Area HICP	Germany HICP	France HICP	Italy HICP	Switzerland CPI	Great Britain CPI	Japan CPI	South Korea CPI	Australia CPI
Dec-22	6.45%	6.32%	9.20%	9.61%	6.73%	12.34%	2.84%	10.53%	4.00%	5.02%	7.83%
Jan-23	6.41%	5.92%	8.64%	9.17%	7.04%	10.67%	3.28%	10.05%	4.39%	4.98%	7.56%
Feb-23	6.04%	5.25%	8.50%	9.27%	7.29%	9.84%	3.37%	10.42%	3.28%	4.66%	7.29%
Mar-23	4.98%	4.30%	6.88%	7.75%	6.68%	8.09%	2.95%	10.06%	3.26%	4.17%	7.02%
Apr-23	4.93%	4.41%	6.95%	7.61%	6.89%	8.59%	2.57%	8.66%	3.55%	3.69%	6.69%
May-23	4.05%	3.36%	6.09%	6.26%	6.01%	7.99%	2.16%	8.68%	3.24%	3.38%	6.35%
Jun-23	2.97%	2.81%	5.50%	6.77%	5.33%	6.75%	1.71%	7.95%	3.34%	2.73%	6.03%
Jul-23	3.18%	3.27%	5.28%	6.47%	5.07%	6.29%	1.61%	6.83%	3.32%	2.35%	5.81%
Aug-23	3.67%	4.00%	5.22%	6.44%	5.72%	5.54%	1.55%	6.66%	3.12%	3.36%	5.59%
Sep-23	3.70%	3.80%	4.31%	4.34%	5.66%	5.62%	1.65%	6.65%	3.01%	3.70%	5.37%
Oct-23	3.24%	3.12%	2.88%	3.00%	4.55%	1.83%	1.69%	4.60%	3.28%	3.77%	4.93%
Nov-23	3.14%	3.12%	2.37%	2.27%	3.86%	0.58%	1.44%	3.94%	2.89%	3.31%	4.49%
Dec-23	3.35%	3.40%	2.90%	3.77%	4.10%	0.50%	1.71%	3.99%	2.59%	3.18%	4.05%
Jan-24	3.09%	2.86%	2.75%	3.10%	3.40%	0.92%	1.28%	3.98%	2.10%	2.82%	3.91%
Feb-24	3.15%	2.78%	2.57%	2.75%	3.21%	0.84%	1.17%	3.41%	2.79%	3.13%	3.76%
Mar-24	3.48%	2.90%	2.41%	2.32%	2.41%	1.25%	1.04%	3.23%	2.68%	3.10%	3.62%
Apr-24	3.36%	2.69%	2.36%	2.38%	2.37%	0.91%	1.37%	2.33%	2.47%	2.92%	3.69%
May-24	3.27%	2.87%	2.55%	2.79%	2.60%	0.82%	1.39%	1.99%	2.85%	2.67%	3.75%
Jun-24	2.97%	2.67%	2.51%	2.54%	2.54%	0.90%	1.33%	1.98%	2.85%	2.41%	3.81%
Jul-24	2.89%	2.53%	2.58%	2.60%	2.70%	1.58%	1.29%	2.23%	2.74%	2.55%	3.48%
Aug-24	2.53%	1.95%	2.15%	2.04%	2.19%	1.25%	1.06%	2.22%	3.02%	2.01%	3.14%
Sep-24	2.44%	1.64%	1.74%	1.81%	1.44%	0.74%	0.84%	1.68%	2.54%	1.60%	2.81%
Oct-24	2.60%	2.02%	1.99%	2.36%	1.59%	0.98%	0.62%	2.28%	2.24%	1.25%	
Nov-24	2.75%	1.89%	2.23%	2.38%	1.68%	1.48%	0.73%	2.62%	2.90%	1.53%	

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



Inflation Heat Map (Emerging Markets), yoy, 12/2022–11/2024

	Argentina CPI	Brazil CPI	Mexico CPI	South Africa CPI	Nigeria CPI	Turkey CPI	Russia CPI	China CPI	India CPI	Indonesia CPI	Thailand CPI
Dec-22	94.80%	5.79%	7.82%	7.20%	21.34%	64.27%	11.92%	1.80%	5.72%	5.41%	5.89%
Jan-23	98.80%	5.77%	7.91%	6.89%	21.82%	57.68%	11.81%	2.10%	6.52%	5.10%	5.02%
Feb-23	102.50%	5.60%	7.62%	7.04%	21.91%	55.18%	10.96%	1.00%	6.44%	5.38%	3.79%
Mar-23	104.30%	4.65%	6.85%	7.07%	22.04%	50.51%	3.51%	0.70%	5.66%	5.01%	2.83%
Apr-23	108.80%	4.18%	6.25%	6.84%	22.22%	43.68%	2.29%	0.10%	4.70%	4.35%	2.67%
May-23	114.20%	3.94%	5.84%	6.30%	22.41%	39.59%	2.50%	0.20%	4.31%	4.09%	0.53%
Jun-23	115.60%	3.16%	5.06%	5.37%	22.79%	38.21%	3.25%	0.00%	4.87%	3.54%	0.23%
Jul-23	113.40%	3.99%	4.79%	4.73%	24.08%	47.83%	4.31%	-0.30%	7.44%	3.11%	0.38%
Aug-23	124.40%	4.61%	4.64%	4.81%	25.80%	58.94%	5.16%	0.10%	6.83%	3.45%	0.88%
Sep-23	138.30%	5.19%	4.45%	5.37%	26.72%	61.53%	6.03%	0.00%	5.02%	2.29%	0.30%
Oct-23	142.70%	4.82%	4.26%	5.92%	27.33%	61.36%	6.67%	-0.20%	4.87%	2.64%	-0.31%
Nov-23	160.90%	4.68%	4.32%	5.52%	28.20%	61.98%	7.48%	-0.50%	5.55%	0.00%	-0.44%
Dec-23	211.40%	4.62%	4.66%	5.13%	28.92%	64.77%	7.42%	-0.30%	5.69%	2.81%	-0.83%
Jan-24	254.20%	4.51%	4.88%	5.32%	29.90%	64.86%	7.44%	-0.80%	5.10%	2.57%	-1.11%
Feb-24	276.20%	4.50%	4.40%	5.56%	31.70%	67.07%	7.71%	0.70%	5.09%	2.75%	-0.77%
Mar-24	287.90%	3.93%	4.42%	5.32%	33.20%	68.50%	7.72%	0.10%	4.85%	3.05%	-0.47%
Apr-24	289.40%	3.69%	4.65%	5.21%	33.69%	69.80%	7.86%	0.30%	4.83%	3.00%	0.19%
May-24	276.40%	3.93%	4.69%	5.20%	33.95%	75.45%	8.30%	0.30%	4.80%	2.84%	1.54%
Jun-24	271.50%	4.23%	4.98%	5.10%	34.19%	71.60%	8.60%	0.20%	5.08%	2.51%	0.62%
Jul-24	263.40%	4.50%	5.57%	4.60%	33.40%	61.78%	9.13%	0.50%	3.60%	2.13%	0.83%
Aug-24	236.70%	4.24%	4.99%	4.41%	32.15%	51.97%	9.06%	0.60%	3.65%	2.12%	0.35%
Sep-24	209.00%	4.42%	4.58%	3.85%	32.70%	49.38%	8.62%	0.40%	5.49%	1.84%	0.61%
Oct-24	193.00%	4.76%	4.76%	2.84%	33.88%	48.58%	8.54%	0.30%	6.21%	1.71%	0.83%
Nov-24	166.00%	4.87%	4.55%	2.93%	34.60%	47.09%	8.90%	0.20%	5.48%	1.55%	0.95%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



Inflation Heat Map (United States), yoy, 12/2022–11/2024

	CPI	Core CPI	PCE	Core PCE	PPI	Core PPI	US Import Prices	Case-Shiller US National HPI	Cleveland Fed 1Y Inflation Expectations	Uni. Michigan 1Y Inflation Expectations	Uni. Michigan 5Y Inflation Expectations
Dec-22	6.45%	5.68%	5.51%	4.95%	6.41%	5.71%	3.20%	5.65%	2.87%	4.30%	3.00%
Jan-23	6.41%	5.54%	5.53%	4.95%	5.77%	5.02%	0.86%	3.85%	2.68%	3.90%	2.90%
Feb-23	6.04%	5.49%	5.21%	4.86%	4.76%	4.63%	-1.12%	2.24%	2.61%	4.20%	2.90%
Mar-23	4.98%	5.56%	4.42%	4.77%	2.70%	3.34%	-4.70%	0.87%	2.07%	3.60%	2.90%
Apr-23	4.93%	5.52%	4.46%	4.78%	2.30%	3.11%	-4.88%	0.02%	2.65%	4.70%	3.00%
May-23	4.05%	5.33%	3.98%	4.71%	1.18%	2.79%	-5.74%	-0.27%	2.65%	4.20%	3.10%
Jun-23	2.97%	4.86%	3.26%	4.37%	0.31%	2.54%	-6.13%	0.10%	1.37%	3.30%	3.00%
Jul-23	3.18%	4.71%	3.37%	4.27%	1.16%	2.73%	-4.78%	1.10%	2.47%	3.40%	3.00%
Aug-23	3.67%	4.41%	3.39%	3.78%	1.88%	2.51%	-2.97%	2.69%	2.61%	3.50%	3.00%
Sep-23	3.70%	4.14%	3.42%	3.66%	1.80%	2.33%	-1.47%	4.06%	2.81%	3.20%	2.80%
Oct-23	3.24%	4.02%	2.99%	3.44%	1.08%	2.16%	-1.82%	4.80%	2.77%	4.20%	3.00%
Nov-23	3.14%	4.02%	2.70%	3.22%	0.77%	1.94%	-1.55%	5.18%	2.79%	4.50%	3.20%
Dec-23	3.35%	3.91%	2.70%	3.04%	1.05%	1.79%	-2.40%	5.68%	3.09%	3.10%	2.90%
Jan-24	3.09%	3.87%	2.61%	3.06%	0.99%	2.04%	-1.34%	6.17%	2.42%	2.90%	2.90%
Feb-24	3.15%	3.76%	2.59%	2.93%	1.61%	2.14%	-0.92%	6.54%	2.43%	3.00%	2.90%
Mar-24	3.48%	3.80%	2.81%	2.98%	1.99%	2.28%	0.43%	6.54%	2.08%	2.90%	2.80%
Apr-24	3.36%	3.62%	2.72%	2.89%	2.33%	2.54%	1.00%	6.39%	2.70%	3.20%	3.00%
May-24	3.27%	3.41%	2.57%	2.67%	2.55%	2.70%	1.29%	6.00%	2.94%	3.30%	3.00%
Jun-24	2.97%	3.28%	2.44%	2.63%	2.96%	3.27%	1.58%	5.49%	2.73%	3.00%	3.00%
Jul-24	2.89%	3.21%	2.47%	2.67%	2.41%	2.58%	1.72%	4.94%	2.56%	2.90%	3.00%
Aug-24	2.53%	3.27%	2.28%	2.73%	2.08%	2.81%	0.78%	4.30%	2.35%	2.80%	3.00%
Sep-24	2.44%	3.26%	2.10%	2.66%	2.04%	3.16%	-0.07%	3.90%	2.24%	2.70%	3.10%
Oct-24	2.60%	3.30%	2.31%	2.79%	2.64%	3.37%	0.64%	3.60%	2.26%	2.70%	3.00%
Nov-24	2.75%	3.30%	2.44%	2.82%	2.97%	3.45%	1.29%		2.43%	2.60%	3.20%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Monthly Performance of Various Commodities, 01/2023–12/2024

	Bloomberg Industrial Metals TR Subindex	Bloomberg Precious Metals TR Subindex	Bloomberg Agriculture TR Subindex	Bloomberg Energy TR Subindex	Bloomberg Livestock TR Subindex	Bloomberg Commodity TR Index	Gold	Silver	Platinum	Palladium	WTI	Natural Gas	Copper
Jan-23	8.11%	4.42%	1.88%	-9.68%	-2.79%	-0.49%	5.67%	-1.11%	-5.46%	-8.04%	-1.73%	-40.02%	11.12%
Feb-23	-9.14%	-6.80%	-3.58%	-3.25%	0.83%	-4.70%	-5.22%	-11.76%	-5.81%	-14.09%	-2.31%	2.35%	-3.10%
Mar-23	-0.33%	9.21%	0.63%	-6.95%	-2.35%	-0.21%	7.70%	15.11%	4.09%	3.05%	-1.79%	-19.33%	0.17%
Apr-23	-3.43%	1.70%	-2.03%	-0.49%	1.73%	-0.75%	1.11%	4.00%	8.34%	2.81%	1.47%	8.75%	-5.71%
May-23	-8.37%	-2.42%	-4.65%	-8.77%	-1.83%	-5.64%	-1.37%	-6.23%	-7.52%	-9.27%	-11.32%	-5.98%	-6.18%
Jun-23	1.15%	-2.38%	4.60%	8.43%	9.83%	4.04%	-2.18%	-3.09%	-9.26%	-9.89%	3.75%	23.48%	3.03%
Jul-23	6.92%	4.00%	2.12%	11.90%	2.81%	6.26%	2.32%	8.87%	5.32%	4.47%	15.80%	-5.86%	6.78%
Aug-23	-4.69%	-1.68%	-1.93%	2.39%	-0.38%	-0.77%	-1.24%	-1.35%	1.93%	-5.26%	2.24%	5.09%	-5.56%
Sep-23	1.58%	-5.71%	-4.63%	4.39%	0.28%	-0.69%	-4.71%	-9.31%	-6.52%	2.56%	8.56%	5.82%	-1.23%
Oct-23	-4.06%	6.33%	1.86%	-2.74%	-1.22%	0.27%	7.27%	3.34%	3.23%	-10.49%	-10.76%	22.06%	-2.27%
Nov-23	0.35%	4.32%	1.49%	-10.44%	-5.64%	-2.25%	2.68%	10.26%	-0.72%	-9.61%	-6.25%	-21.62%	5.15%
Dec-23	4.03%	-0.45%	-4.85%	-6.03%	-2.40%	-2.69%	1.32%	-5.90%	6.51%	8.99%	-5.67%	-10.28%	1.34%
Jan-24	-1.90%	-1.29%	-1.51%	2.79%	8.77%	0.40%	-1.23%	-3.55%	-7.02%	-11.10%	5.86%	-16.47%	0.57%
Feb-24	-0.55%	-0.56%	-4.76%	-0.42%	2.84%	-1.47%	0.30%	-1.08%	-4.59%	-3.54%	3.18%	-11.43%	-1.74%
Mar-24	1.75%	8.56%	2.09%	2.43%	-0.79%	3.31%	9.26%	10.17%	3.68%	7.74%	6.27%	-5.22%	4.41%
Apr-24	13.91%	4.09%	-1.48%	0.37%	-0.82%	2.69%	2.38%	5.23%	2.81%	-6.07%	-1.49%	12.93%	14.01%
May-24	1.81%	4.56%	3.20%	-1.40%	-1.30%	1.76%	1.81%	15.58%	11.16%	-4.25%	-6.03%	29.93%	1.00%
Jun-24	-5.34%	-0.82%	-6.29%	4.07%	0.89%	-1.54%	-0.05%	-4.11%	-4.29%	6.53%	5.91%	0.54%	-4.76%
Jul-24	-6.78%	2.68%	-5.29%	-7.65%	2.35%	-4.04%	5.26%	-0.30%	-1.72%	-4.85%	-4.45%	-21.72%	-5.25%
Aug-24	3.40%	1.93%	0.85%	-4.29%	0.36%	0.05%	2.24%	-0.67%	-5.14%	4.32%	-5.60%	4.47%	-0.36%
Sep-24	6.83%	6.31%	7.19%	0.48%	1.93%	4.86%	5.25%	7.99%	5.42%	3.56%	-7.31%	37.42%	8.47%
Oct-24	-3.71%	4.00%	-4.53%	-4.42%	5.72%	-1.85%	4.15%	4.82%	1.18%	10.61%	1.60%	-7.39%	-4.06%
Nov-24	-1.19%	-3.78%	1.55%	3.66%	-0.17%	0.41%	-3.29%	-6.28%	-4.24%	-11.50%	-1.82%	24.23%	-5.40%
Dec-24	-3.02%	-2.20%	0.79%	6.49%	-0.74%	1.02%	-1.12%	-5.64%	-4.44%	-6.96%	5.47%	8.03%	-2.32%
CAGR	-3.01%	17.19%	-8.99%	-10.96%	8.59%	-1.49%	19.92%	9.76%	-8.07%	-28.75%	-5.47%	-9.90%	2.34%
MAX	13.91%	9.21%	7.19%	11.90%	9.83%	6.26%	9.26%	15.58%	11.16%	10.61%	15.80%	37.42%	14.01%
MIN	-9.14%	-6.80%	-6.29%	-10.44%	-5.64%	-5.64%	-5.22%	-11.76%	-9.26%	-14.09%	-11.32%	-40.02%	-6.18%
Current Price	339.1	643.3	57.01	71.3	60.67	238.6	2,624	28.87	903.8	911	71.72	3.63	3.99

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

CFTC Futures and Options Net Long Positioning, Non-Commercial Traders, 12/27/2024

Asset	Gold	Silver	Platinum	Palladium	Crude Oil	Natural Gas	Copper
Last	243,381	35,237	15,165	-8,089	266,318	-111,355	1,112
W/W	-17,828	-770	4,061	-778	18,085	14,837	-4,168
3M Avg.	268,287	46,081	22,721	-6,031	220,205	-143,603	21,295
6M Avg.	272,650	46,925	19,012	-8,477	231,252	-116,678	24,416
1Y Avg.	241,417	42,598	16,848	-9,787	237,113	-114,268	23,839
1Y High	313,939	65,023	37,588	-2,453	312,326	-55,532	68,048
1Y Low	129,251	7,344	-4,532	-13,914	174,881	-171,590	-33,575
1Y Z-Score	0.04	-0.53	-0.18	0.62	0.78	0.10	-0.89
3Y Avg.	191,817	27,171	12,990	-6,535	279,380	-124,090	3,973
3Y High	321,225	65,023	37,588	-272	453,074	-49,985	68,048
3Y Low	45,973	-12,811	-8,246	-13,914	170,119	-182,100	-35,712
3Y Z-Score	0.80	0.45	0.21	-0.39	-0.19	0.44	-0.11
5Y Avg.	213,140	32,462	16,578	-3,273	372,200	-102,588	13,337
5Y High	388,803	80,646	69,306	11,577	594,465	71,340	80,564
5Y Low	45,973	-12,811	-8,246	-13,914	170,119	-262,534	-44,421
5Y Z-Score	0.47	0.16	-0.11	-0.91	-0.81	-0.14	-0.40

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

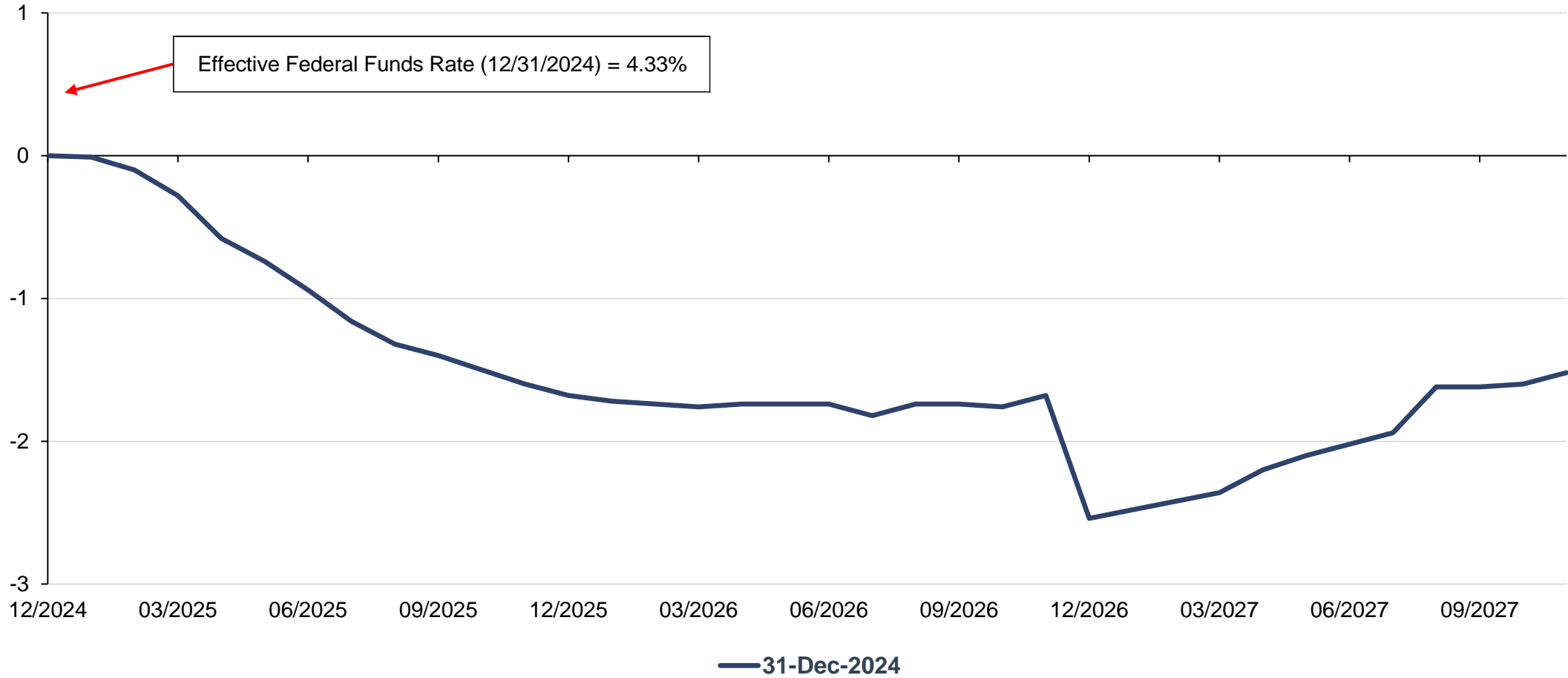


Monthly Performance of Various Assets, 01/2023–12/2024

	S&P 500	VIX	Russell 2000	NASDAQ Comp.	Euro Stoxx 50	Nikkei 225	Shanghai Composite	MSCI World	DXY	US 2Y (Δ in bps)	US 10Y (Δ in bps)	DE 10Y (Δ in bps)	JP 10Y (Δ in bps)
Jan-23	6.18%	-15.47%	9.69%	10.68%	5.52%	4.72%	5.39%	7.00%	-1.38%	-19.60	-30.20	-28.60	7.20
Feb-23	-2.61%	6.40%	-1.81%	-1.11%	1.09%	0.43%	0.74%	-2.53%	2.72%	59.00	38.50	35.80	1.10
Mar-23	3.51%	-0.06%	-4.98%	6.69%	1.17%	2.17%	-0.21%	2.83%	-2.25%	-73.50	-42.40	-32.40	-17.70
Apr-23	1.46%	-11.21%	-1.86%	0.04%	2.73%	2.91%	1.54%	1.59%	-0.83%	0.20	-3.80	1.00	7.40
May-23	0.25%	2.33%	-1.09%	5.80%	-3.04%	7.04%	-3.57%	-1.25%	2.62%	32.60	18.50	-5.10	3.30
Jun-23	6.47%	-20.43%	7.95%	6.59%	2.00%	7.45%	-0.08%	5.93%	-1.36%	48.70	18.20	12.50	-3.50
Jul-23	3.11%	-0.98%	6.06%	4.05%	1.24%	-0.05%	2.78%	3.29%	-1.03%	-0.30	13.80	7.30	20.80
Aug-23	-1.77%	1.21%	-5.17%	-2.17%	-2.22%	-1.67%	-5.20%	-2.55%	1.73%	-1.50	13.40	0.40	4.70
Sep-23	-4.87%	18.13%	-6.03%	-5.81%	-1.10%	-2.34%	-0.30%	-4.45%	2.51%	18.70	48.00	36.70	12.00
Oct-23	-2.20%	2.00%	-6.88%	-2.78%	-2.76%	-3.14%	-2.95%	-2.97%	0.41%	2.50	30.40	-3.10	18.00
Nov-23	8.92%	-24.10%	8.83%	10.70%	4.48%	8.52%	0.36%	9.21%	-2.97%	-35.60	-52.50	-35.90	-27.50
Dec-23	4.42%	2.13%	12.05%	5.52%	2.78%	-0.07%	-1.81%	4.81%	-2.09%	-46.50	-49.00	-41.90	-6.00
Jan-24	1.59%	5.85%	-3.93%	1.02%	2.92%	8.43%	-6.27%	1.14%	1.92%	-2.10	10.50	13.20	12.00
Feb-24	5.17%	-5.81%	5.52%	6.12%	1.54%	7.94%	8.13%	4.11%	0.85%	41.70	28.70	24.30	-2.10
Mar-24	3.10%	2.57%	3.39%	1.79%	3.51%	3.07%	0.86%	3.01%	0.37%	-2.60	-5.80	-11.20	1.10
Apr-24	-4.16%	9.01%	-7.09%	-4.41%	-0.74%	-4.86%	2.09%	-3.85%	1.60%	42.60	49.00	28.90	14.60
May-24	4.80%	-11.96%	4.87%	6.88%	2.12%	0.21%	-0.58%	4.23%	-1.46%	-15.30	-17.20	6.70	20.30
Jun-24	3.47%	1.69%	-1.08%	5.96%	0.06%	2.85%	-3.87%	1.93%	1.14%	-17.30	-16.90	-16.10	-2.90
Jul-24	1.13%	14.10%	10.10%	-0.75%	-0.01%	-1.22%	-0.97%	1.70%	-1.67%	-38.20	-23.80	-18.50	1.50
Aug-24	2.28%	-3.68%	-1.63%	0.65%	1.35%	-1.16%	-3.28%	2.51%	-2.30%	-41.10	-19.40	-1.20	-17.00
Sep-24	2.02%	22.27%	0.56%	2.68%	-2.16%	-1.88%	17.39%	1.69%	-0.90%	-27.60	-10.90	-15.70	-3.60
Oct-24	-0.99%	11.23%	-1.49%	-0.52%	-3.10%	3.06%	-1.70%	-2.04%	3.17%	51.50	48.20	25.80	8.00
Nov-24	5.73%	-29.14%	10.84%	6.21%	0.31%	-2.23%	1.42%	4.47%	1.69%	0.80	-9.00	-30.30	12.00
Dec-24	-2.50%	17.95%	-8.40%	0.48%	-0.46%	4.41%	0.76%	-2.68%	2.60%	7.80	38.30	27.60	2.30
CAGR	23.77%	-12.91%	12.53%	35.83%	8.62%	23.65%	4.16%	19.36%	2.37%	-	-	-	-
MAX	8.92%	22.27%	12.05%	10.70%	5.52%	8.52%	17.39%	9.21%	3.17%	59.00	49.00	36.70	20.80
MIN	-4.87%	-29.14%	-8.40%	-5.81%	-3.10%	-4.86%	-6.27%	-4.45%	-2.97%	-73.50	-52.50	-41.90	-27.50
Current Price	5,882	17.52	2,230	19,311	4,309	39,895	3,352	3,708	108.5	4.25%	4.58%	2.36%	1.08%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Fed Interest Rate Policy Implied by Federal Funds Futures (1 = 25 bps), 12/2024–12/2027



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

US 10-2 Spread (UST 10Y - UST 2Y), 01/2023–12/2024



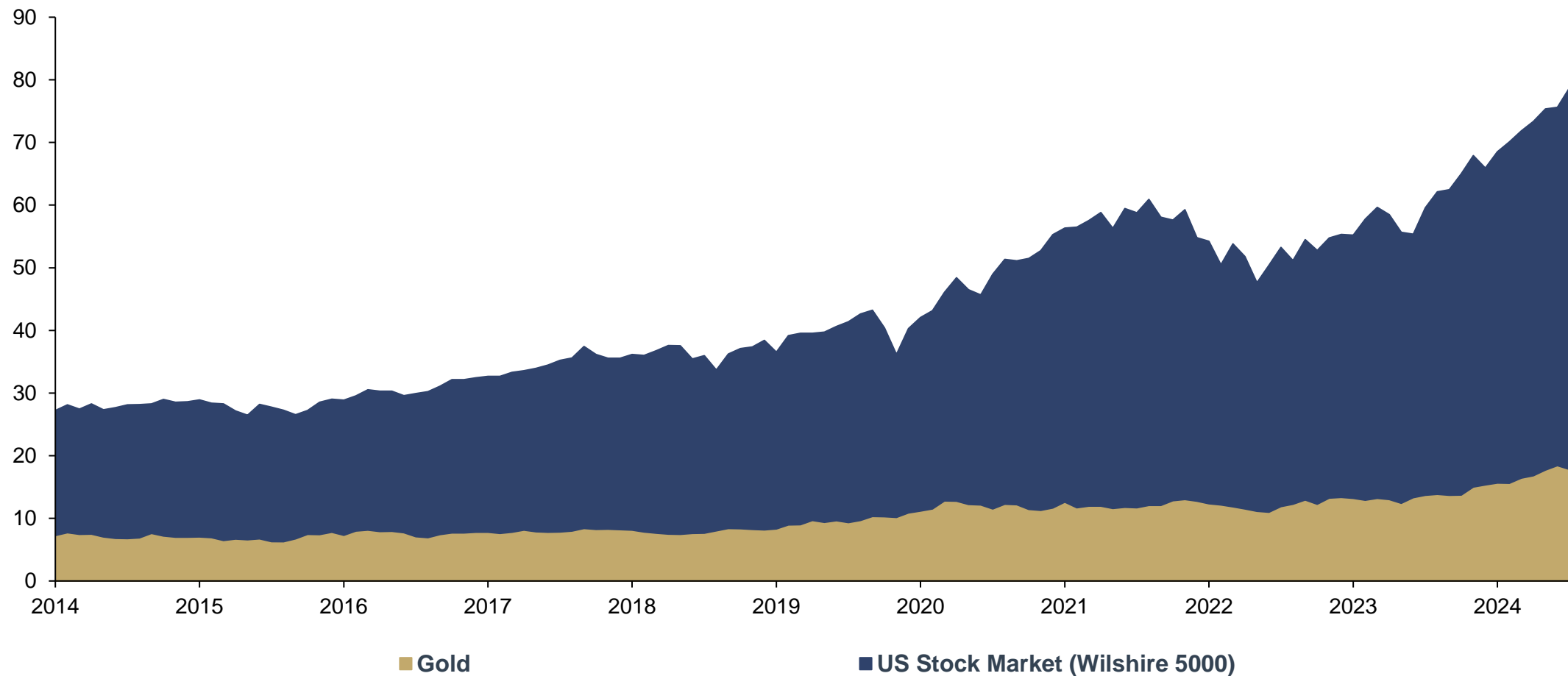
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5. Long Term Charts

“If you decide you want to buy gold, you have the weight of history behind you.”

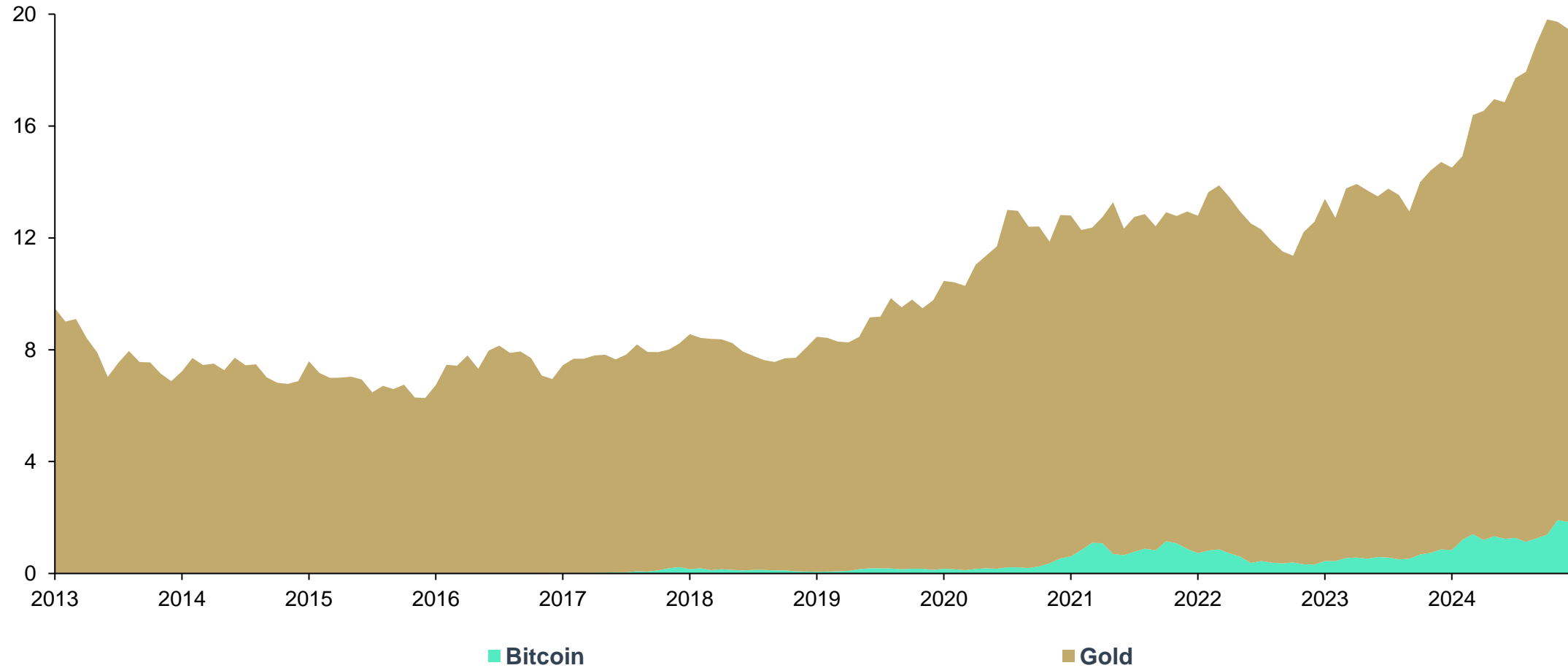
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Market Capitalization of Gold, and US Stock Market (Wilshire 5000), in USD trn, 02/2013–12/2024



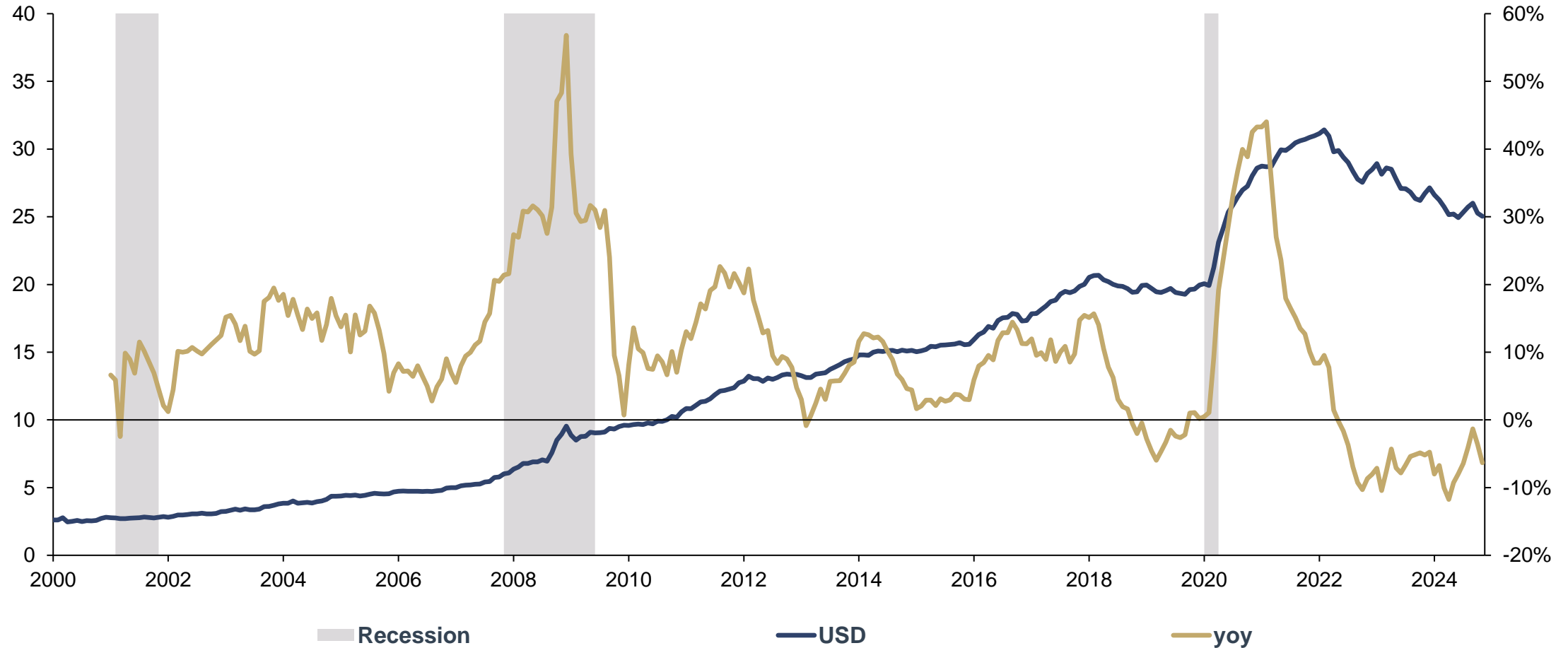
Source: World Gold Council, Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Market Capitalization of Bitcoin, and Gold, in USD trn, 01/2013–12/2024



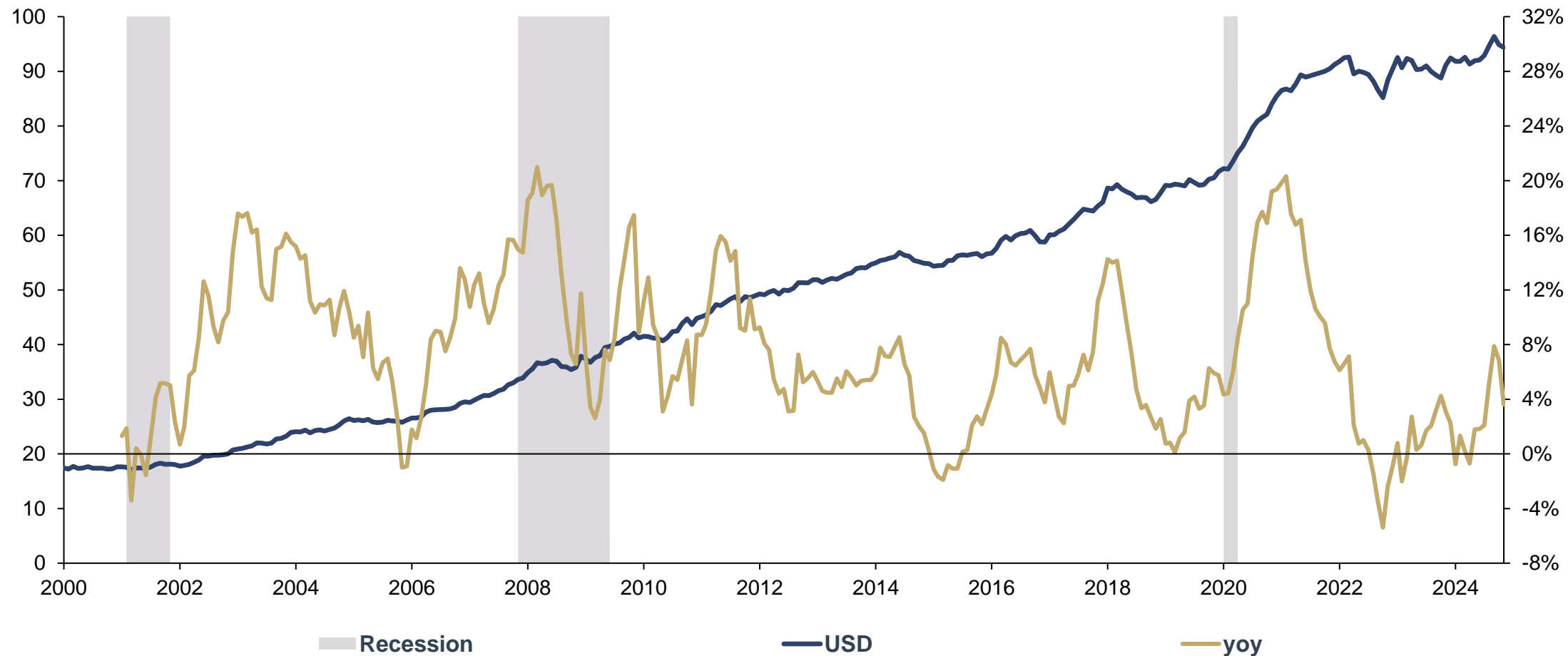
Source: coinmarketcap.com, World Gold Council, Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Aggregated Central Bank Balance Sheets (Fed, ECB, BoJ, PBoC), in USD trn (lhs), and yoy (rhs), 01/2000–11/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

M2 (US, EU, JP, CN, GB, CH), in USD trn (lhs), and yoy (rhs), 01/2000–11/2024



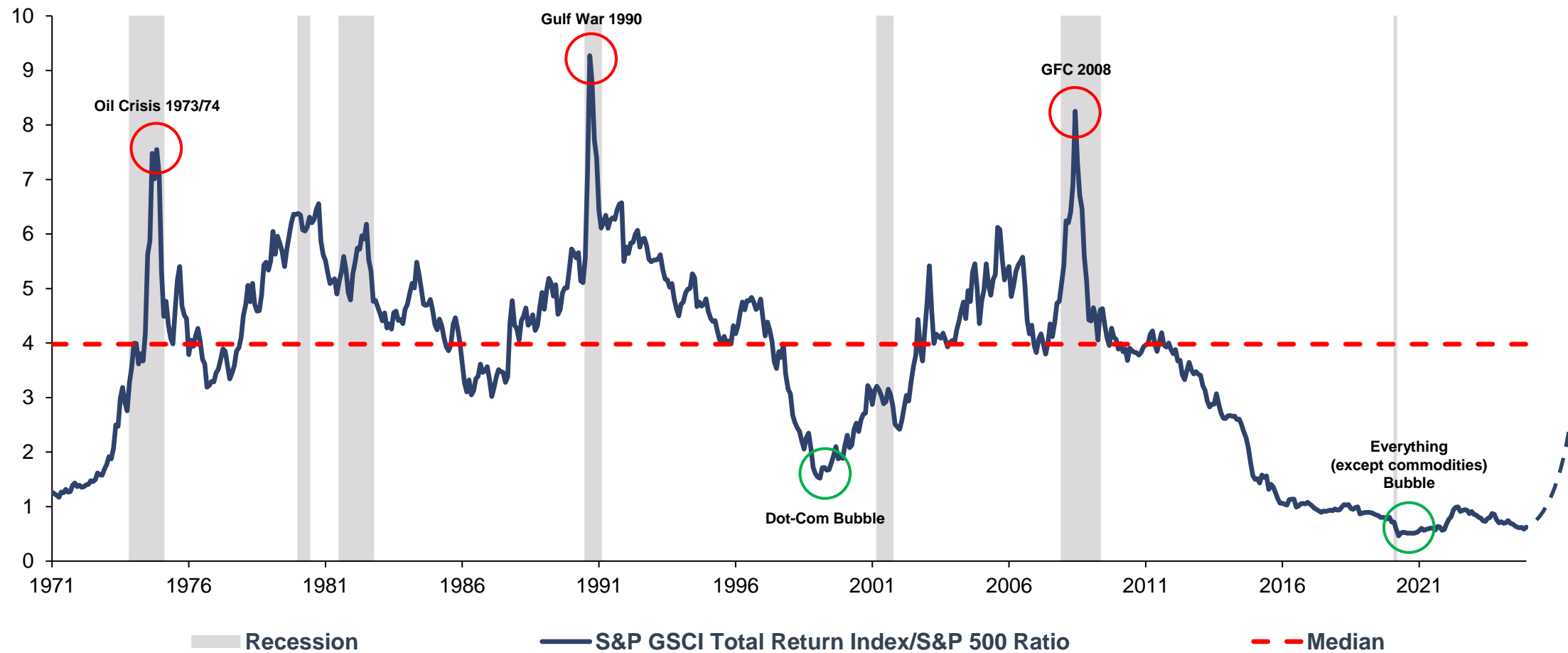
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Buffett Indicator (Wilshire 5000 as % of US GDP), Q1/1971–Q3/2024



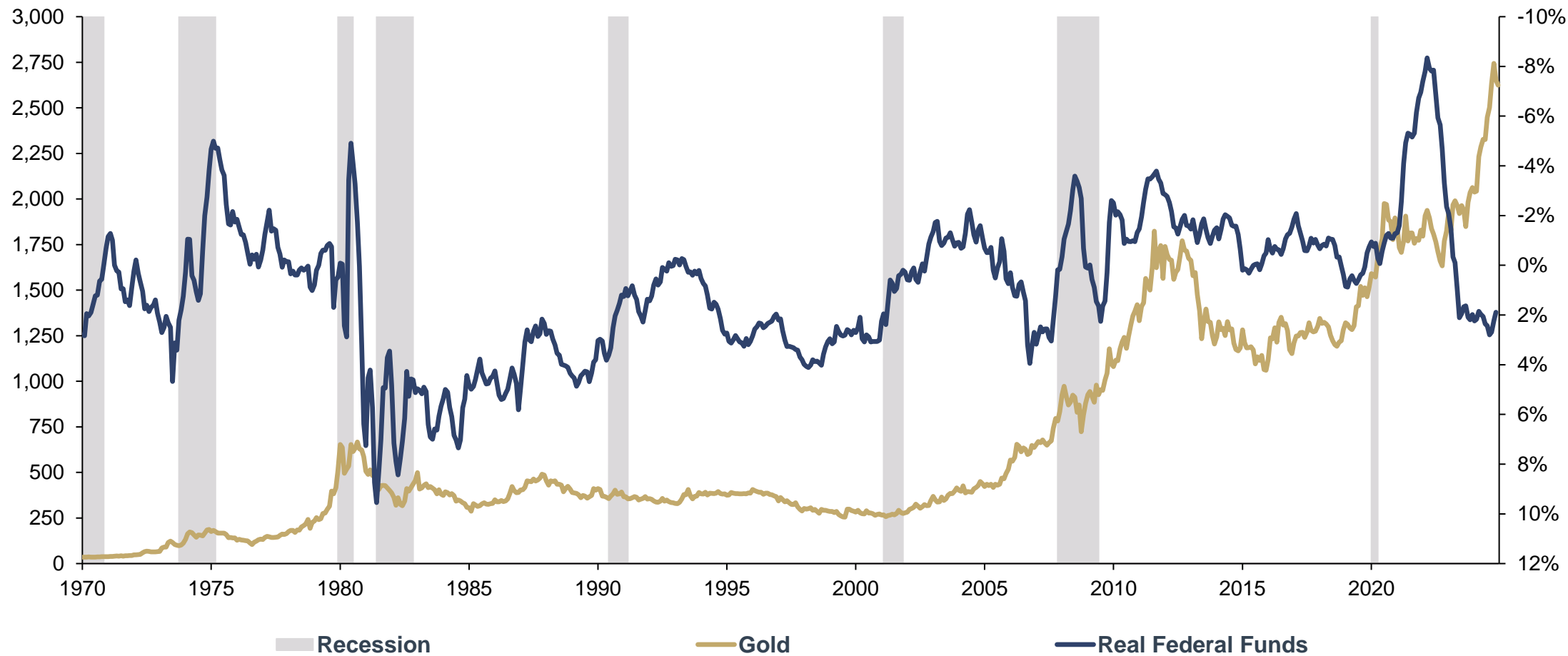
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S&P GSCI Total Return Index/S&P 500 Ratio, 01/1971–12/2024



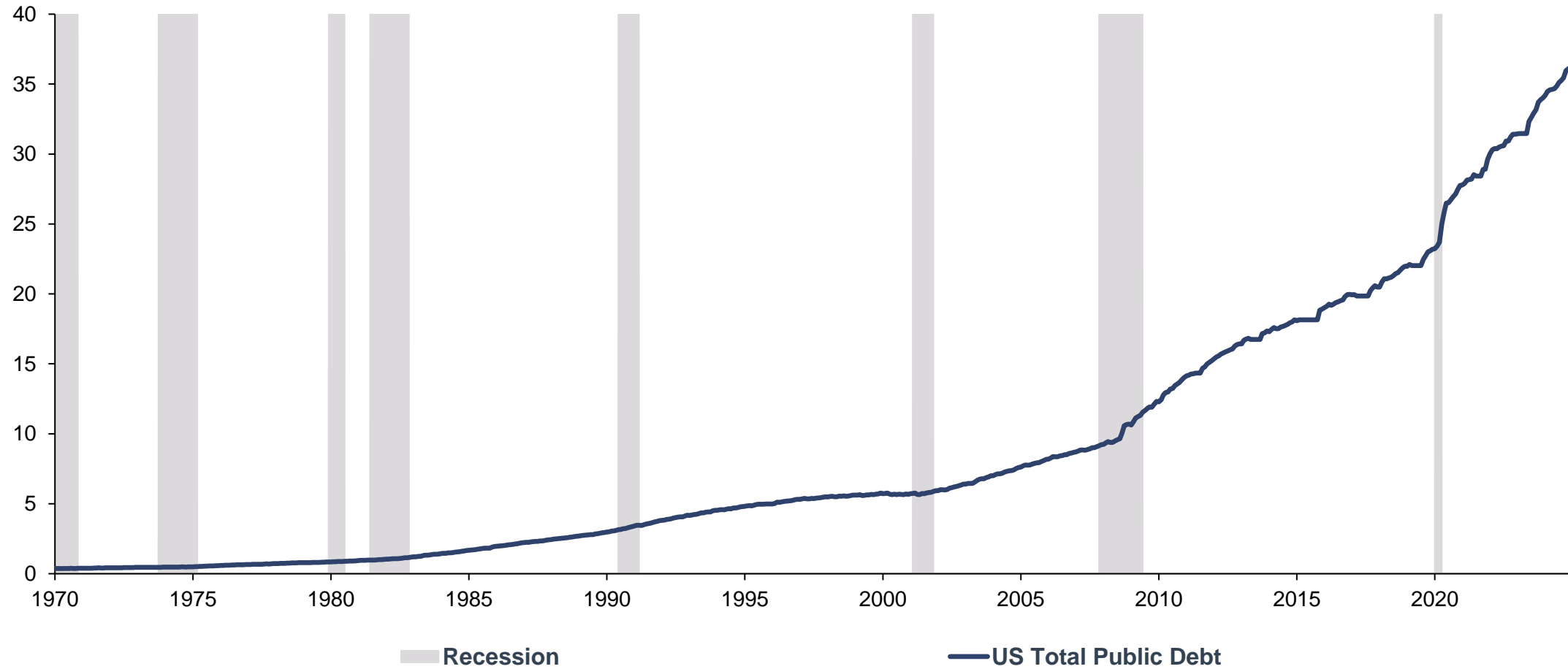
Source: Dr. Torsten Dennin, Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Gold (lhs), in USD, and Real Federal Funds (Federal Funds - CPI) (rhs, inverted), 01/1970–12/2024



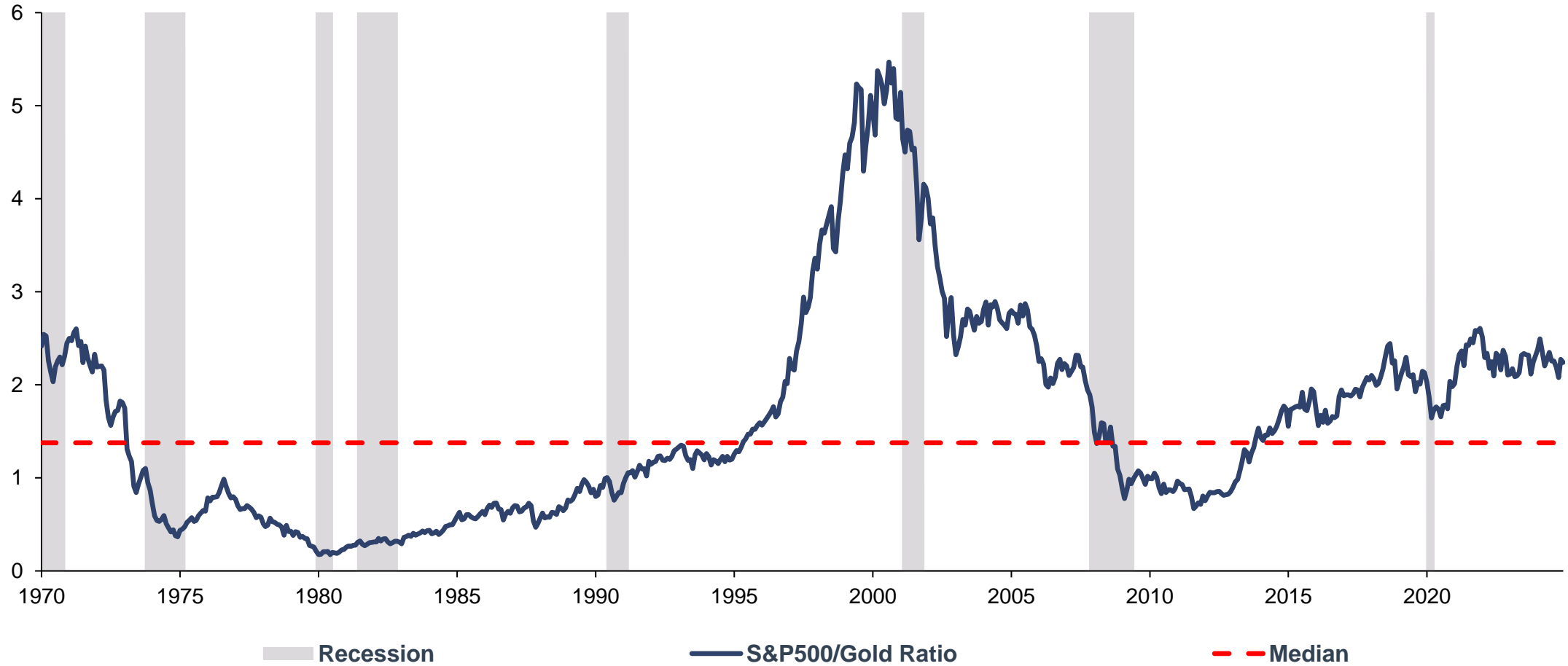
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US Total Public Debt, in USD trn, 01/1970–12/2024



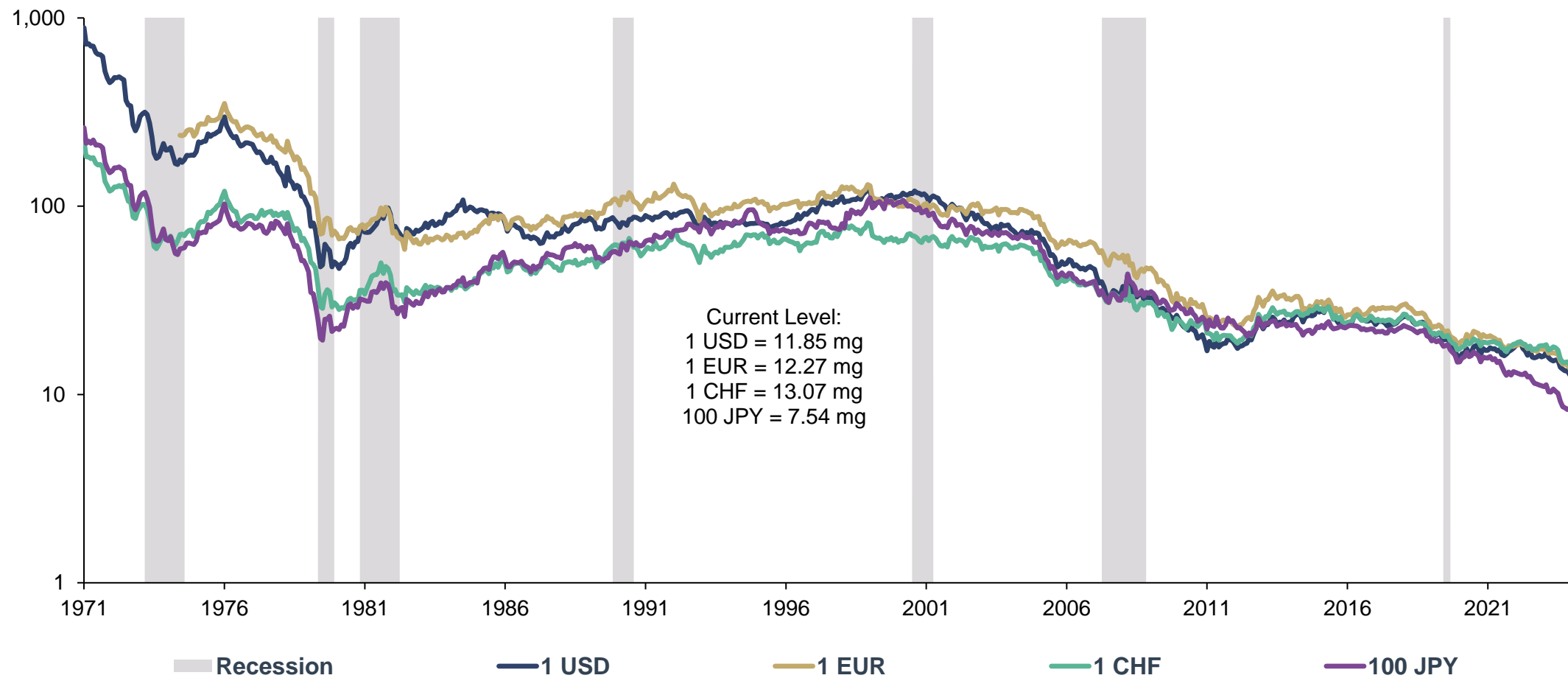
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S&P500/Gold Ratio, 01/1970–12/2024



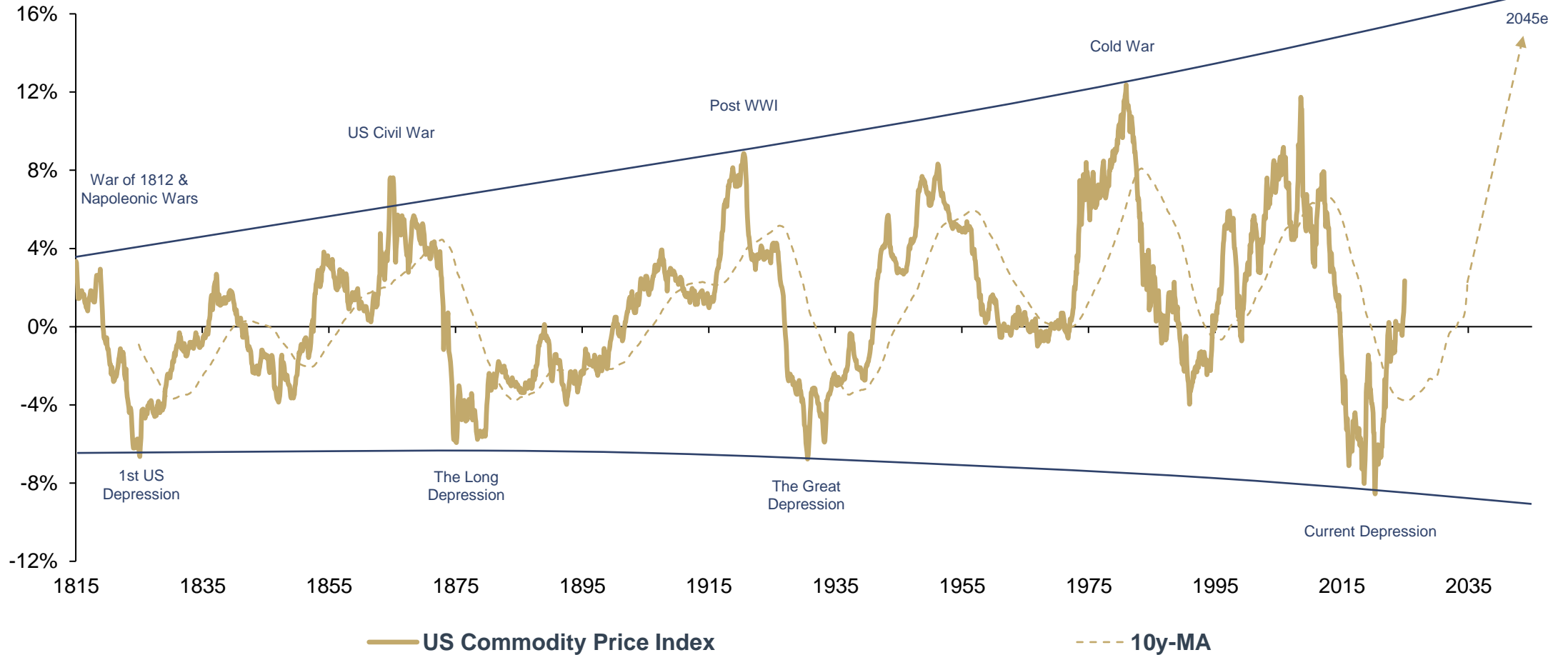
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Various Currencies in Gold (log), in mg, 08/1971–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

US Commodity Price Index, 10-year rolling CAGR, 1815–2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Stifel Report, Incrementum AG

6. Proprietary Models

“I believe it would be both risk-reducing and return-enhancing to consider adding gold to one's portfolio.”

Ray Dalio

Incrementum Inflation Signal, and BCOM TR*, 01/2020–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

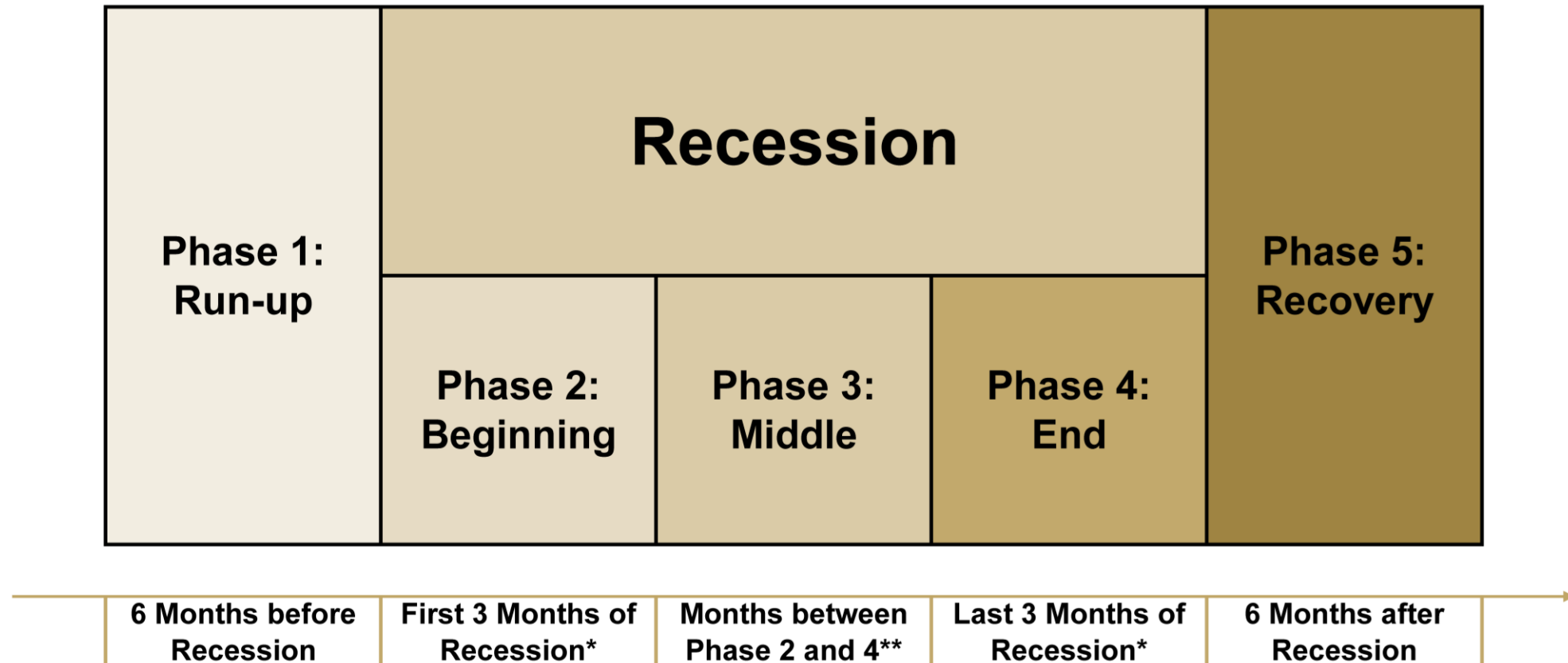
*Bloomberg Commodity Total Return Index

Incrementum Active Aurum Signal, and HUI Index, in USD, 01/2020–12/2024



Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG

Incrementum Recession Phase Model



Source: Incrementum AG, (For more details, see [In Gold We Trust Report 2023, p. 137](#))

*For short recession periods less than 3 months

** For recession periods with 6 or less months no Phase 3 is identified

Gold Performance in the *Incrementum Recession Phase Model*

Date	Duration (Months)	Recession	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5
01/1970-11/1970	11	6.6%	-14.5%	0.1%	1.7%	4.7%	8.9%
12/1973-03/1975	16	73.8%	-12.0%	60.8%	14.7%	-5.8%	-19.7%
02/1980-07/1980	6	-5.9%	120.1%	-20.7%	n/a	18.6%	-17.5%
06/1981-11/1982	18	-9.0%	-23.1%	-10.9%	-3.6%	6.0%	0.3%
08/1990-03/1991	8	-4.1%	-10.0%	2.6%	3.3%	-9.5%	-0.4%
04/2001-11/2001	8	6.4%	-5.9%	5.0%	1.3%	0.0%	19.0%
01/2008-06/2009	18	11.1%	28.4%	9.9%	0.2%	0.9%	18.3%
03/2020-04/2020	2	6.0%	4.3%	-0.9%	n/a	6.9%	11.8%
Average	10.9	10.6%	10.9%	5.7%	2.9%	2.7%	2.6%
Median	9.5	6.2%	-8.0%	1.3%	1.5%	2.8%	4.6%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



Silver Performance in the *Incrementum Recession Phase Model*

Date	Duration (Months)	Recession	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5
01/1970-11/1970	11	-12.3%	14.9%	3.2%	-2.7%	-12.6%	0.9%
12/1973-03/1975	16	42.4%	14.0%	89.4%	-22.4%	-3.1%	6.4%
02/1980-07/1980	6	-53.5%	275.3%	-60.0%	n/a	16.3%	-15.2%
06/1981-11/1982	18	-7.5%	-43.3%	-13.7%	-13.3%	23.6%	38.1%
08/1990-03/1991	8	-19.8%	-7.3%	-13.3%	0.7%	-8.1%	7.3%
04/2001-11/2001	8	-3.0%	-11.7%	0.2%	-2.8%	-0.5%	20.2%
01/2008-06/2009	18	-8.1%	19.2%	16.5%	-24.9%	4.9%	24.0%
03/2020-04/2020	2	-9.9%	-9.2%	-16.2%	n/a	7.5%	57.3%
Average	10.9	-9.0%	31.5%	0.8%	-10.9%	3.5%	17.4%
Median	9.5	-9.0%	3.4%	-6.5%	-8.0%	2.2%	13.7%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



BGMI Performance in the *Incrementum Recession Phase Model*

Date	Duration (Months)	Recession	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5
01/1970-11/1970	11	55.8%	-41.2%	33.3%	9.0%	7.3%	-2.3%
12/1973-03/1975	16	35.9%	46.0%	61.1%	-23.4%	10.2%	-17.2%
02/1980-07/1980	6	27.0%	76.3%	-10.2%	n/a	41.4%	-6.3%
06/1981-11/1982	18	-19.2%	-27.4%	-4.3%	-30.5%	21.6%	55.0%
08/1990-03/1991	8	-22.3%	-18.0%	-22.1%	8.3%	-7.8%	-0.5%
04/2001-11/2001	8	15.0%	2.2%	12.0%	3.6%	-0.9%	56.6%
01/2008-06/2009	18	-27.6%	25.7%	2.1%	-36.8%	12.3%	24.6%
03/2020-04/2020	2	-21.1%	7.3%	-4.1%	n/a	-17.7%	84.3%
Average	10.9	5.4%	8.9%	8.5%	-11.7%	8.3%	24.3%
Median	9.5	-2.1%	4.8%	-1.0%	-9.9%	8.8%	12.0%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



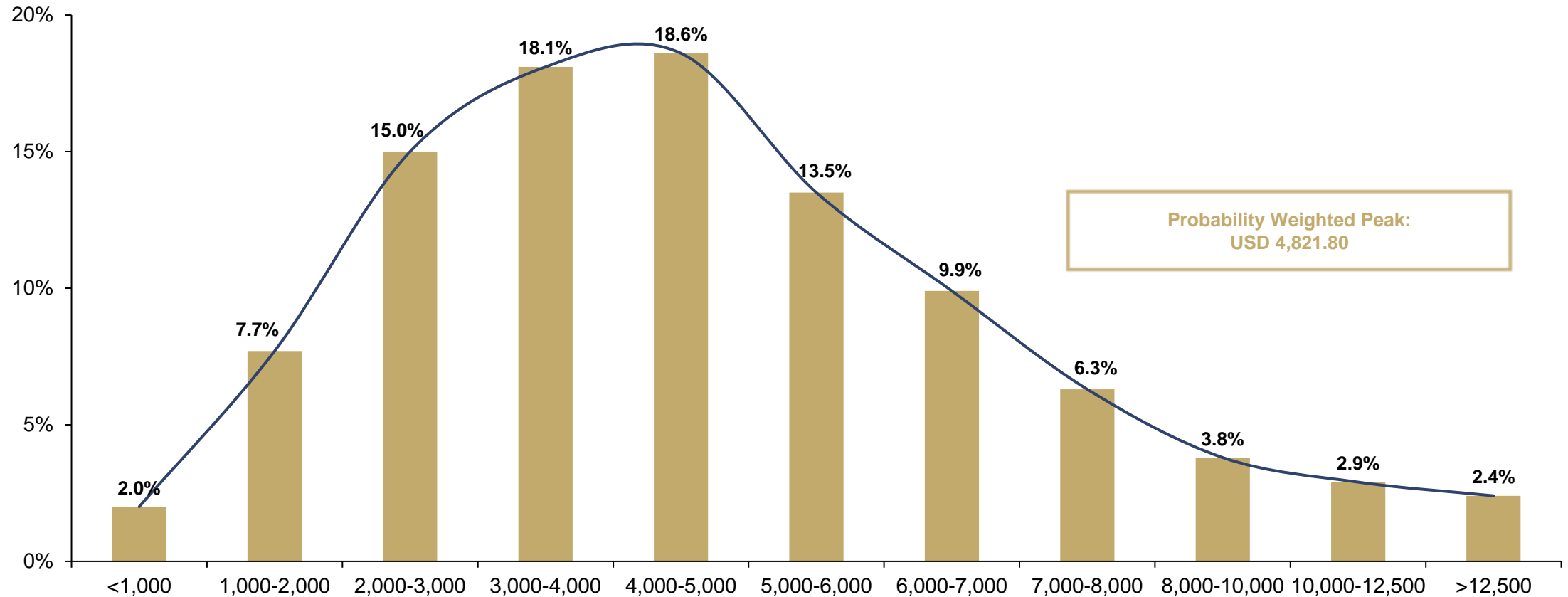
BCOM Performance in the *Incrementum Recession Phase Model*

Date	Duration (Months)	Recession	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4	Phase 5
01/1970-11/1970	11	16.29%	-0.41%	3.34%	10.99%	1.39%	2.04%
12/1973-03/1975	16	26.39%	17.97%	18.55%	20.57%	-11.57%	4.66%
02/1980-07/1980	6	-6.48%	57.45%	-17.82%	n/a	13.79%	-13.75%
06/1981-11/1982	18	-26.71%	-25.15%	-10.94%	-19.53%	2.27%	8.41%
08/1990-03/1991	8	1.91%	1.96%	16.03%	-6.17%	-6.40%	-0.35%
04/2001-11/2001	8	-13.68%	-1.50%	-3.61%	0.64%	-11.02%	7.48%
01/2008-06/2009	18	-33.75%	9.01%	8.99%	-45.54%	11.62%	13.59%
03/2020-04/2020	2	-14.20%	-7.82%	-12.85%	n/a	-1.55%	17.97%
Average	10.9	-6.3%	6.4%	0.2%	-6.5%	-0.2%	5.0%
Median	9.5	-10.1%	0.8%	-0.1%	-2.8%	-0.1%	6.1%

Source: Reuters Eikon, Incrementum AG



Approximated Gold Price in 2030 by Distribution Probability according to the *Incrementum Gold Price Model*



Source: Incrementum AG (For more details, see [In Gold We Trust Report 2020](#), p. 348)

Gold, and Projected Gold Price for 2030, in USD, 01/1970–12/2030



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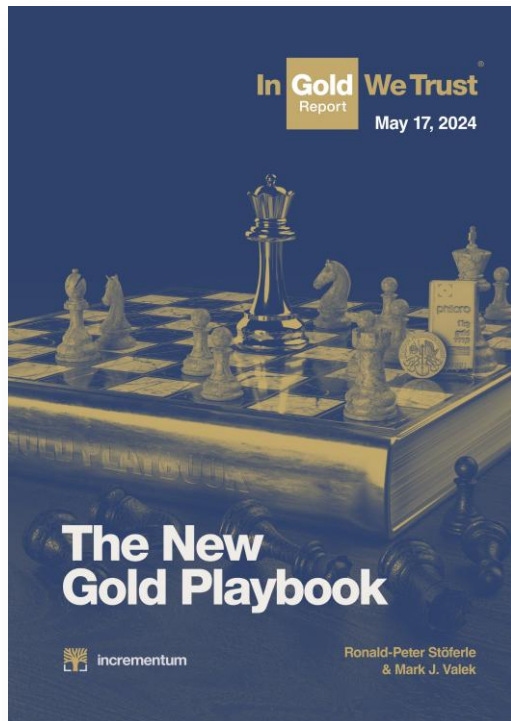
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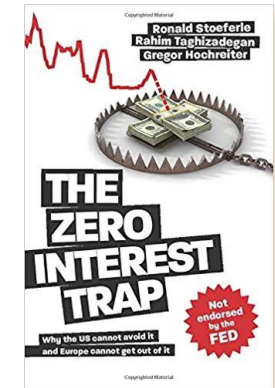
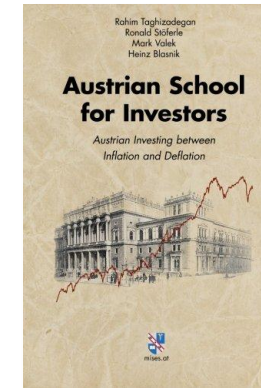
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- **CFTC:** Commodity Futures Trading Commission
- **COMEX:** New York Commodities Exchange
- **Core CPI:** Core Consumer Price Index (Excluding Food and Energy)
- **Core PCE:** Personal Consumption Expenditures (Excluding Food and Energy)
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- **CRB TR:** Thomson Reuters/Corecommodity CRB Total Return Index
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- **GDXJ:** VanEck Junior Gold Miners ETF
- **HICP:** Harmonised Index of Consumer Prices
- **HUI:** NYSE Arca Gold BUGS Index
- **JP 10Y:** Japanese 10 Year Bond
- **M2:** M2 Money Supply
- **MA:** Moving Average
- **PBoC:** People's Bank of China
- **PCE:** Personal Consumption Expenditures
- **PPI:** Producer Price Index
- **S&P GSCI:** Standard & Poor's Goldman Sachs Commodity Index
- **SIL:** Global X Silver Miners ETF
- **SILJ:** ETFMG Prime Junior Silver Miners ETF
- **TR:** Total Return
- **trn:** trillion
- **US 2Y:** United States 2 Year Bond
- **US 10Y:** United States 10 Year Bond
- **VIX:** CBOE Volatility Index
- **WTI:** West Texas Intermediate (Crude Oil)
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- **YTD:** Year to Date

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