AUSTRALIAN Gold FUND

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A leader in precious metals research

and mining stock investing







WHO WE ARE

AUSTRALIAN GOLD FUND

he Australian Gold Fund (AGF) is a specialist investment enterprise focused on precious metals and ASXlisted mining companies. The business was established in 2019 by Brian W.B. Chu, culminating from his successful journey into precious metals since 2013. The fund allowed him to broadcast his unique insights and display his track record of outperformance in this space. The family-managed gold stock portfolio has since evolved into a disciplined investment entity over time. It now provides tools and insights for precious metals and mining stock investors.

AGF is built on three guiding pillars:

- Transparency- publishing methods, research insights, and performance.
- **Education** equipping investors with the knowledge to understand mining investments.
- Performance- combining data, valuation models, and disciplined strategy to deliver results.

AGF empowers investors through its valuation framework, macro insights, and strategy. It aims to provide clarity and confidence for new investors.

Our Story -



GOLDHUB AUSTRALIA

(SUBSIDIARY OF AGF)

In 2024, the vision of AGF expanded into the digital space with the launch of GoldHub Australia - a cutting-edge platform designed to make gold and mining investment insights more accessible.



GoldHub is more than a product. It extends the Fund's philosophy and research into an interactive platform to provide:

- Live Market Data real-time prices and movements in gold and mining stocks.
- Valuation Tools proprietary metrics to evaluate companies.
- Charting & Sentiment Analysis visual tools to track trends and investor mood.
- Educational Resources bridging the gap between expert research and everyday investors.

The GoldHub Story -







MEET OUR TEAM



BRIAN CHU

Founder of Australian Gold Fund

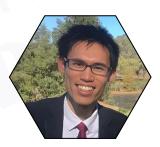
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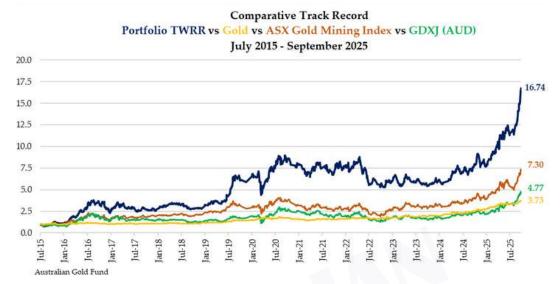
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SNAPSHOT OF

AUSTRALIAN GOLD FUND PERFORMANCE



The 2013 gold bear market battered gold mining companies of all shapes and sizes. Many investors saw their portfolio decimated, their dreams were up in flames. By 2015, things started to turn.

Brian saw the recovery before many did and positioned accordingly. He focused on quality gold producers and undervalued developers the market had overlooked. When others chased momentum and quick gains, he stepped in to build positions for longer term gains.

Brian acted with surgical precision and patience. He held his positions through the inevitable storms, watching as momentum chasers moved in and out, chasing the next shiny object. Sentiment waxed and waned but quality assets began showing their true colours in 2016, Brian was there to capture the outsized gains fitting for a patient and strategic investor.

By 2019, his contrarian approach had generated returns that were twice the ASX Gold Index level - a performance few funds could match. Recognising his proven methodology, Brian established the Australian Gold Fund. He showed his track record to the public for transparency.

The numbers validate his philosophy. He consistently outperformed broader market and industry benchmarks. His achievements went beyond just luck - it came from superior stock selection and timing, the fruits of a disciplined contrarian investor.

Today, through Fat Tail Investment Research, Brian shares these battletested insights, educating investors on how patience and conviction in quality assets can turn market pessimism into golden opportunities.





CASE STUDY

VALUING GOLD STOCKS THE AUSTRALIAN GOLD FUND DIFFERENCE

A defining feature of AGF is its unique approach to valuing mining companies. Many investors rely on traditional ratios such as the Price-to-Earnings and EV/Resources multiples. However, Brian devised his Value to Profit Margin (VPM) multiple, a unique metric that offers a superior outcome.

This valuation framework places cashflow at the centre of the analysis. Instead of focusing on accounting profits, Brian assesses how much surplus cash a company generates after covering its all-in sustaining cost (AISC). He factors this into the company's net market value, producing a ratio that allows him to compare gold producers fairly against each other.

ASX Code	Company	Realised C	Operating Margin %	Standardised Operating Margin %			
		This Quarter	Last Quarter	Change	This Quarter	Last Quarter	Change
ALK	Alkane Resources	45.46%	27.85%	Increase	37.41%	23.51%	Increase
EVN	Evolution Mining	66.87%	62.72%	Increase	65.13%	62.24%	Increase
GMD.	Genesis Minerals	50.48%	48,33%	Increase	49.65%	47.79%	Increase
GOR	Gold Road Resources	42.94%	41.65%	Increase	42.94%	41.72%	Increase
KSN	Kingston Resources						
PNR	Pantoro	39.41%	43.97%	Increase	56.82%	41.76%	Increase
RMS	Ramelius Resources		94,90%				
RRL	Regis Resources	45.38%	44.72%	Increase	45.54%	45.15%	Increase
WAF	West African Resources						
WGX.	Westgold Resources	48.05%	38.90%	Increase	48.46%	39.61%	Increase

Operating Margins: Measuring Efficiency

The VPM multiple's merit is that it rewards efficiency: low-cost producers with strong margins are more valuable than high-cost peers.

Cashflow matters more than headline profit figures. The multiple identifies miners capable of withstanding downturns and thriving in bull markets.



Fair Valuation Based on VPM

Practical Example: Ramelius Resources (ASX:RMS)

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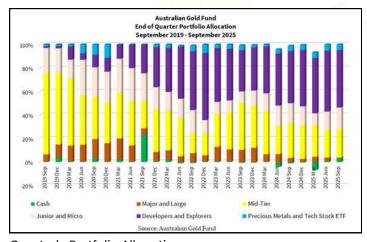
TRACK RECORD OF STOCK SUCCESSES

The best gains came from buying quality companies at their weakest point, when the market had lost hope. Patience, discipline, and conviction turned steep losses into some of my largest wins.

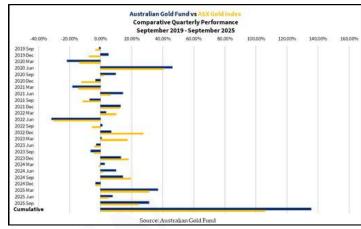
Brian's investment record testifies to AGF's success and reputation. Here are some of his success stories.

Ramelius Resources, Resolute Mining, and St Barbara Mines (2013-16)

Brian purchased these companies at deep discounts when sentiment was at its lowest. The recovery in gold made these companies standout performers, generating triple and even quadrupledigit percent returns.



Quarterly Portfolio Allocation



AGF Consistently Outperforming the ASX Gold Index

Perseus Mining, Red 5 & West African Resources (2018-21)

Brian accumulated these companies during their development phase amidst a volatile period. The rewards came as their mines came into production during the 2019-20 bull market.

Two Types of Gold Stocks Brian Backed (2022–25)

Near-Term Producers – Black Cat Syndicate, Catalyst Metals, Genesis Minerals, and Pantoro Gold: Brian was early to identify companies with nearterm mine operations that were close to production. As they poured gold and expanded, these yielded rewards.

Emerging Explorers & Developers -

Barton Gold Holdings, Meeka Metals, Southern Cross Gold, Spartan Resources, and Warriedar Resources: Identifying these standouts early led to outsized gains as discoveries and milestones created substantial value.





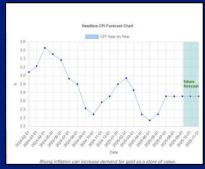
GoldHUB AUSTRALIA

MORE THAN A HOBBY OR VOCATION, IT IS OUR PASSION

YOUR GO-TO PLATFORM

GoldHub Australia is the destination for serious investors in mining and precious metals. We combine real-time market data, proprietary valuation tools, and a proven framework to build this platform. We aim to deliver you a competitive advantage over other investors that rely on traditional financial methods and metrics.

Headline CPI Forecast	Sep-25		Oct-25		Nov-25	
	MoM CPI	CPI YoY	MoM CPI	CPI YoY	MoM CPI	CPI Yo
	0.0%	2.5%	0.0%	2.5%	0.0%	2.5%
	0.1%	2.6%	0.1%	2.6%	0.1%	2.6%
Sensitivity Forecast	0.2%	2.7%	0.2%	2.7%	0.2%	2.7%
sensitivity Forecast	0.3%	2.8%	0,3%	2.8%	0.3%	2.8%
	0.4%	2.9%	0.4%	2.9%	0.4%	2.9%
	0.5%	3.0%	0.5%	3.0%	0.5%	3.0%
	0.6%	3.1%	0.6%	3.1%	0.6%	3.1%
Base-case Scenario	2.7%		2,7%		2.7%	
Best-case Scenario	2.5%		2.5%		2.5%	
Worst-case Spenario	2.9%		2.0%		2.0%	



Inflation Sensitivity Forecast

CORE TOOLS & FEATURES

Live Quotes & Index Charts – Access real-time gold, silver, and ASX mining indices powered by TradingView. Timely information helps you seize the moment with your investing decisions.

Proprietary Database, Valuation & Sentiment Models – Navigate comprehensive operating, financial, and technical data across an extensive range of gold mining companies. Use our unique analytical tools including the Valuation to Profit Margin (VPM) Multiple, Gold Stocks Valuation Index, and Speculative Gold Stocks Index to gain an edge over other investors.

Gold-Equivalent Calculator – Our innovative tool reframes investments, expenses, and assets in gold terms, empowering investors to accurately measure real purchasing power across different time periods.

Educational Resources -

Comprehensive dashboards, detailed guides, and expert commentary that demystify complex mining financials and macroeconomic drivers, making sophisticated analysis accessible to both emerging and veteran investors.



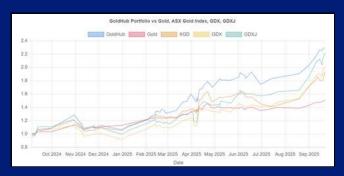


PROVEN RESULTS: DATA THAT DELIVERS

GoldHub goes beyond theoretical analysis and static charts. Our tools drive portfolio performance with tangible results.

Superior Performance Track Record

 The GoldHub Portfolio (blue line)
 has consistently outperformed gold
 bullion, ASX Gold Index (XGD), the
 GDX, and GDXJ, affirming the
 success in our research-driven,
 active allocation strategy.



GoldHub Portfolio Performance vs Benchmarks

 Outperformance in Different Market Conditions – Our proprietary insights identify and capture growth trends among quality producers, developers and explorers. While the trends in the precious metals market can affect mining company performance, we focus on quality and timing to give us a leading edge.

WHY INVESTORS CHOOSE GOLDHUB

"Probably the best things about GoldHub is that they will extract data, for a fee, which I can download into my own worksheets which saves me time in getting the data myself." WL

"Like all professional tradesman I rely on the quality of my tools to achieve the desired result. GoldHub Australia has well and truly become my most indispensable Gold macro/micro analytics tool in my toolkit." JW



Comparative quarterly performance of producers

INVESTOR TAKEAWAY

GoldHub Australia transforms complexity into clarity. Our institutional-grade analytics, live data, and proven performance show that you can use our tools and data to enhance your portfolio outcomes. We seek to save you the time in poring through company reports, presentations, and broker reports. We do the hard work for you to extract the data so you can focus on your analysis and make timely decisions.





FROM ACADEMIA TO INDUSTRY

A GRADUAL TRANSITION

BIO OF

BRIAN CHU



At the Bald Hill Mine, Hill End NSW, January 2019

In 2013, Brian Chu was a university lecturer in actuarial studies, statistics, finance, and risk management. He embarked on a transformative journey to learn about precious metals and the financial markets.

Challenging the popular pursuit of the Australian Dream to own property, Brian strived to understand money and value. He understood the burden of debt and sought to protect his purchasing power by investing in precious metals assets.



At th 2025 Gold Coast Gold Conference holding the Melbourne Cup, April 2025



With Kingston Resources MD, Andrew Corbett, March 2025

Beginning this journey amidst a brutal bear market, this experience reshaped Brian's outlook. He championed precious metals through research, investing, and education. Over the years he became an editor at Fat Tail Investment Research, a contributor at Ausbiz and a speaker at industry events. Today he helps others build wealth by challenging conventions and focusing on long-term value.



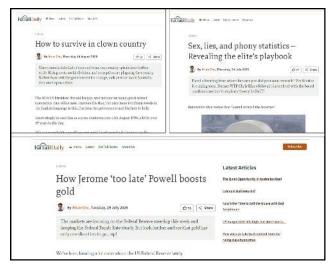
At the BullionStar Vault Storage, October 2024





CONNECTION

WITH FAT TAIL INVESTMENT RESEARCH



Fat Tail Daily Newsletters

Brian Chu joined Fat Tail Investment
Research, a leading independent
publisher in 2021. He writes the precious
metals newsletters, The Australian Gold
Report and Gold Stock Pro, providing
actionable insights and strategies for
precious metals and mining stock
investors.

Taking the helm at the end of a raging bull market, Brian steered through one of the hardest bear markets in precious metals for 25 years. Undeterred by this challenge, he used his personal experience in 2013-14 to help his readers weather investor fatigue and punishing price movements.

He built a loyal readership over the years through his consistent strategy and focus on the long-term. Many readers enjoyed substantial rewards by following his stock-picking and portfolio strategy.



Brian withGreg Canvan and James "Woody"
Woodburn in the much-loved Bullion & Bordeaux Hour

Brian's newsletters integrate his methodologies and proprietary analytics. His readers can invest the same way he runs his fund. He does not just provide stock tips but shares his reasoning to educate his readers

With over 3,500 paid subscribers across Australia, Brian is recognised as an authoritative voice in precious metals and mining investment



Brian features in the Fat Tail Investment Research YouTube channel to share his insights



Brian with Greg Canavan





ON THE GROUND

SITE VISITS



Examining core drill samples at Juno, Western Australia, September 2025



Inspecting gold coin batches at the Perth Mint Coinery, September 2025



Handling fine gold pellets at the Perth Mint Refinery, September 2025



Watching gold pouring at the Perth Mint Refinery, September 2025



Watching gold bar fabrication at the Perth Mint Coinery, September 2025



Inspecting core drill samples at the Sunday Creek Project, September 2024



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