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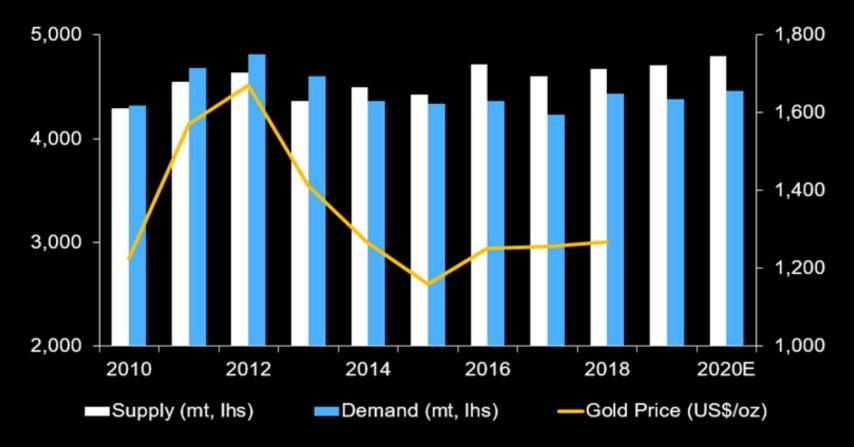
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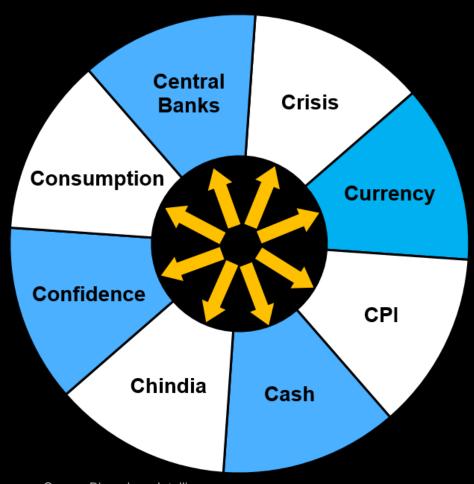
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Gold Fundamentals May Improve in 2020



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, Metals Focus, World Gold Council

Show Me The Money – Gold Price's Eight Elements



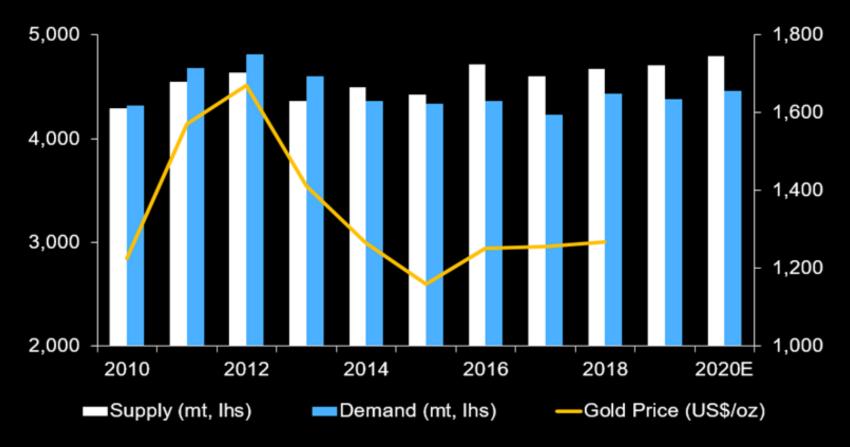
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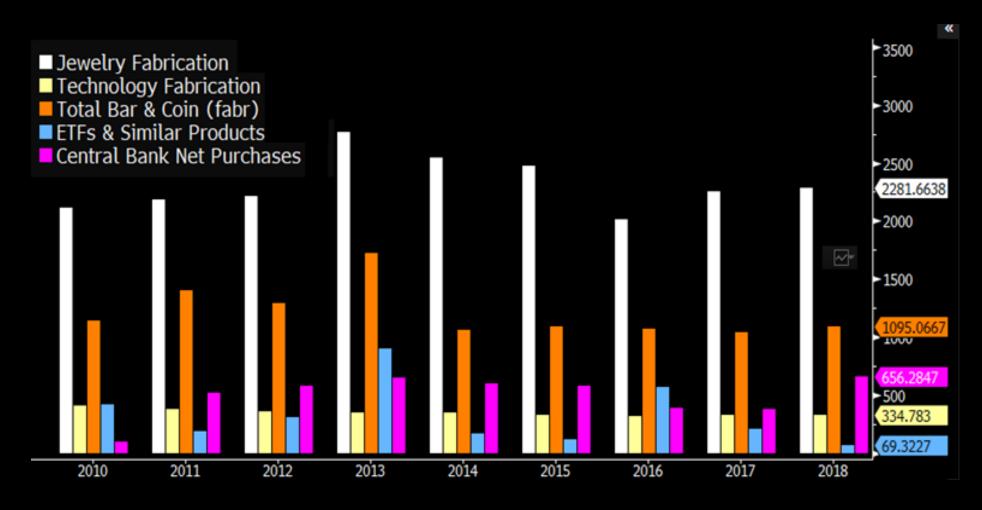
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Global Economic Uncertainties May Spur Gold Demand



Source: Metals Focus, Bloomberg Intelligence; in metric tons

What's Gold to You?

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Commodity (Metal)

Currency (Medium)

Cure (Medicine)

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Profit

Preservation

Prospect

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Product

Positioning

Policy

Delete

Perish

Pressure

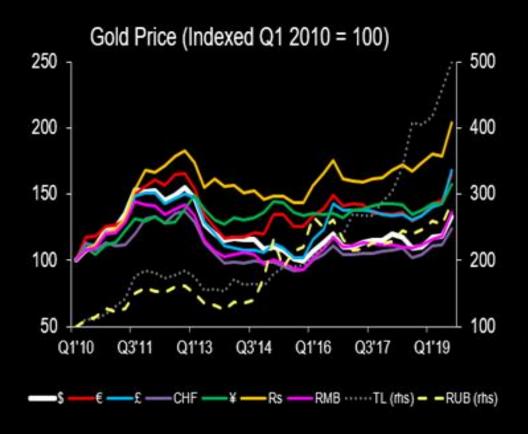
Predicament

Bl's Gold-Demand Prognosis

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Currency Uncertainty Brings Sunnier Outlook for Gold

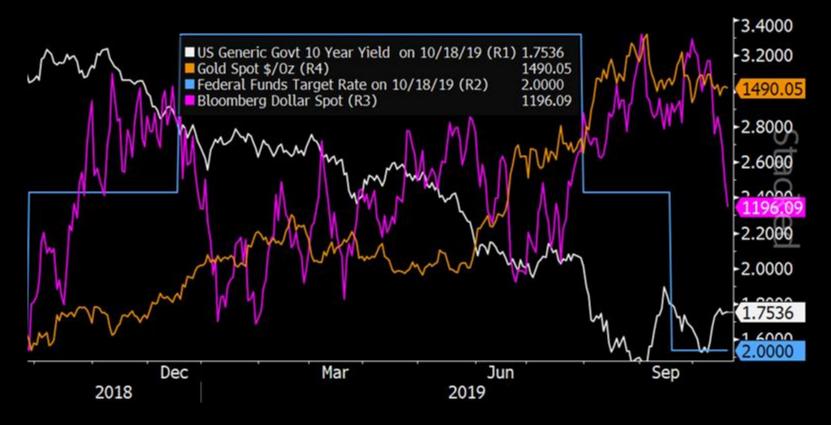


Gold	Quarter	Q3'19	Spot Px***	Q1'10
Price (Px)	PX	VS.	VS.	VS.
Currency	Peak *	Peak Px**	Peak Px**	Spot Px**
Dollar (\$)	Q3'11	-13%	-13%	33%
Euro (€)	Q4'12	0%	0%	66%
GBP (£)	Q3'19		-4%	60%
CHF	Q4'12	-10%	-9%	24%
Yen (¥)	Q3'19		1%	59%
Rupee (Rs)	Q3'19	4	2%	108%
RMB	Q3'11	-18%	-5%	37%
RUB	Q3'19		-1%	184%
Lira (TL)	Q3'19		3%	414%

Note: "Period to Q3 2019; "* Average price for the quarter, "* Gold price as at November 20, 2019

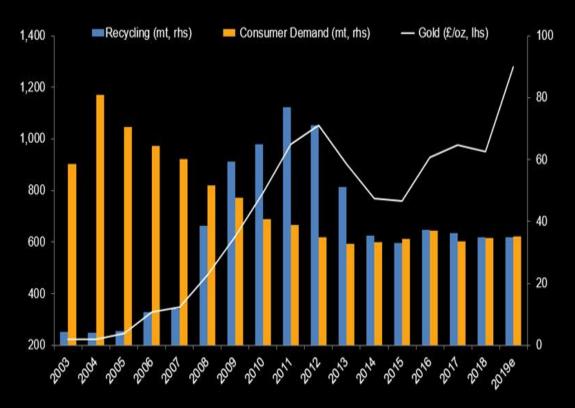
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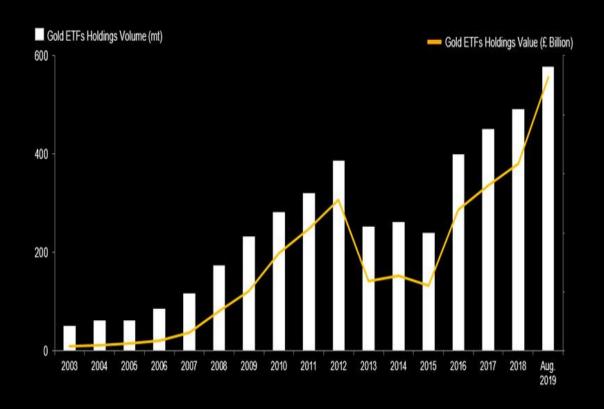
Dollar, Yields Turn Gold From Sleepy Panda to Roaring Dragon



See Gold's Empowerment As Global Reserve Currency research at https://bloom.bg/31nVHIH

Gold Navigates Brexit Maze As U.K. Exit EU





Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, Metals Focus, World Gold Council

See U.K. Feels Pound Pinch, May Buy Gold to Navigate Brexit Maze research at https://bloom.bg/2pxJvSe

Why China, India Are Key Gold Markets

Metal	Russia	U.S.	Europe	Asia (excl. Chindia)	India	Africa
Gold	21	5	3	2	1	10
Aluminum	48	7	4	4	19	56
Copper	40	7	3	3	24	92
Lead	397	3	3	3	9	58
Nickel	46	8	3	2	15	22
Tin	352	5	3	2	15	57
Zinc	30	7	3	3	9	56

Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis for 2018, Metals Focus, WBMS

Gold May Predict A Turnaround in China

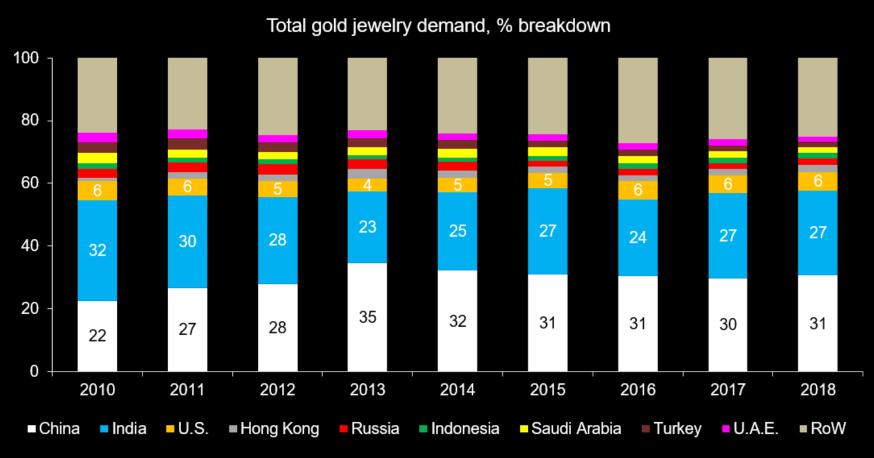
Metal Prices-Real GDP Growth Correlation (2001-18)

Metal	Cycle	World	China	U.S.	Europe	South America
Iron ore	Early	0.52	0.52	0.15	0.42	0.67
Copper	Mid	0.66	0.53	0.30	0.48	0.66
Silver	Mid-Late	0.48	0.52	0.11	0.31	0.57
Gold	Late	0.34	0.60	0.03	0.16	0.54

Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, IMF

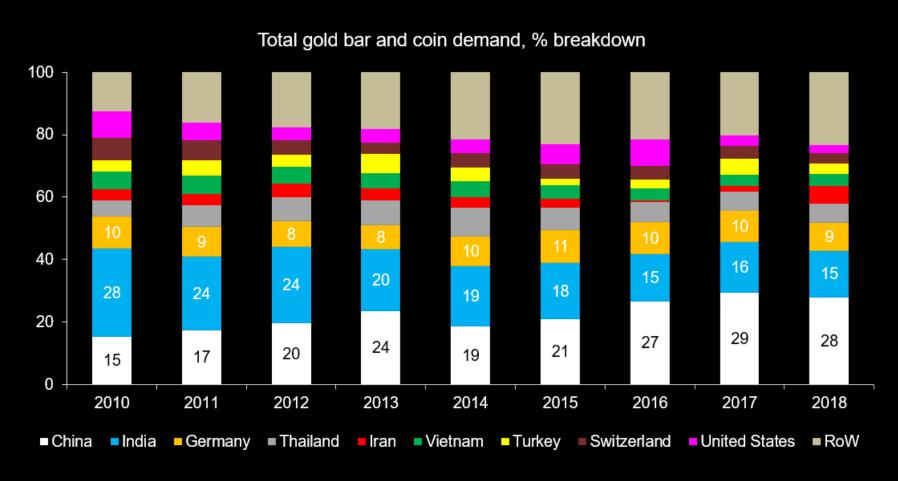
See Early, Mid or Late Cycle Metal Play? Metals As Economic Indicator research at https://bloom.bg/2SZ7KTk

China, India dominate jewelry demand, Russia's 5th largest in 2018



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, Metals Focus, World Gold Council

China stays No. 1 bar and coin investors, Russia's decline slowed



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, Metals Focus, World Gold Council

Central Banks' Gold Appetite



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, IMF

Golden Opportunity in Lower-Carbon World

Renewable Energy

Medicine

Electronics

Engineering

Aerospace

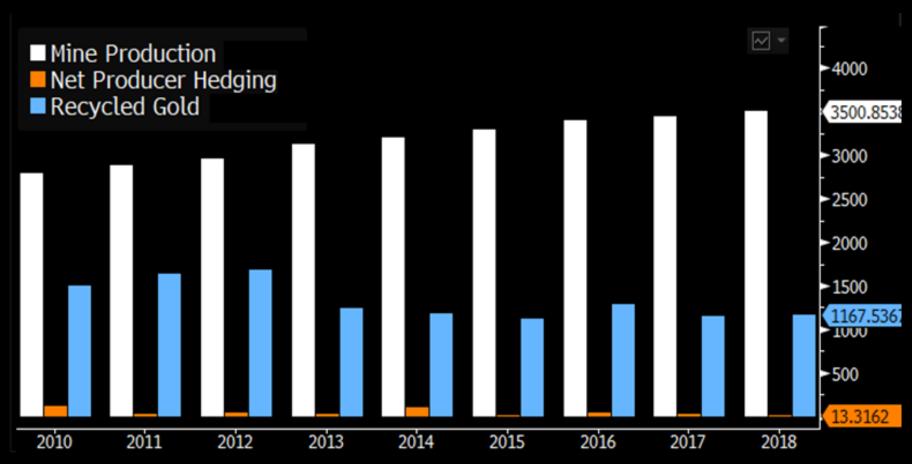
Jewellery

Investment

See Metals & Miners: Friends or Foe of Climate? research at https://bloom.bg/2JJeCSp; More Green Metals May Be Mined From Home, Waste or in Backyards research at https://bloom.bg/2NOwUWB

Gold Supply

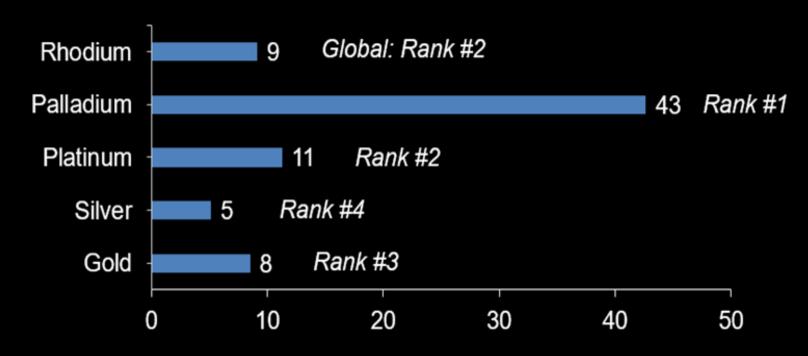
Global Supply May Peak, But Growth Rates Could Slow



Source: Metals Focus, Bloomberg Intelligence; in metric tons

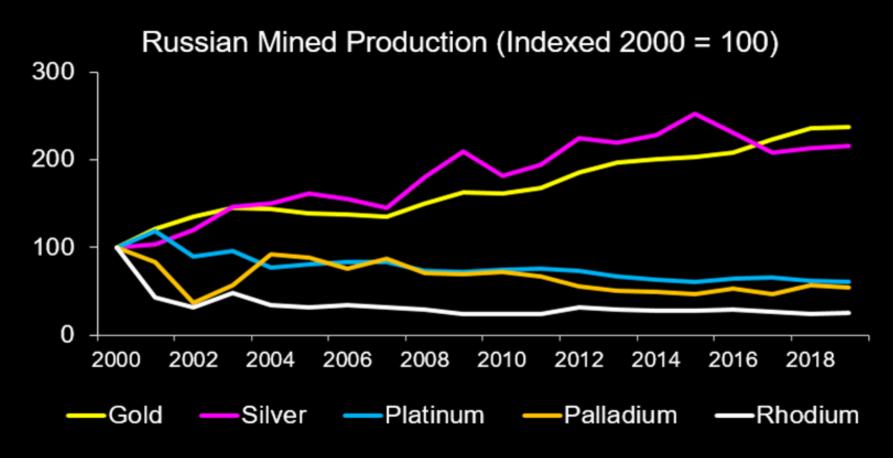
Russia's Precious Metals Mined Production Importance





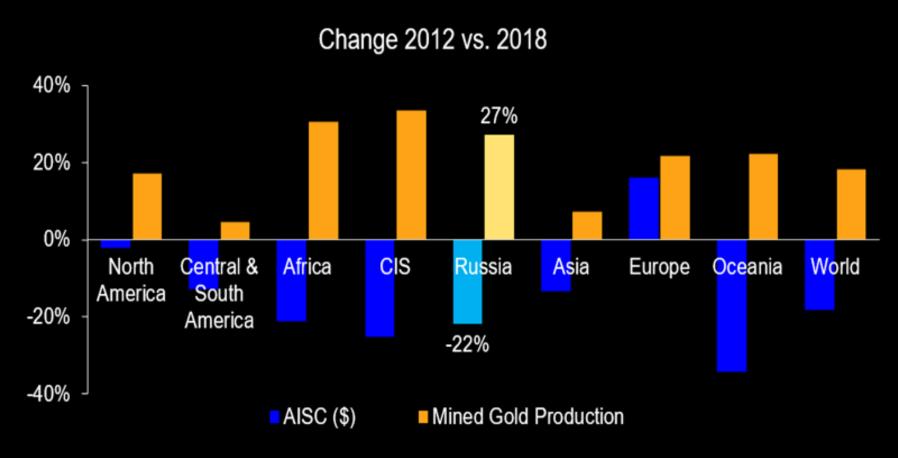
Source: Metals Focus, Johnson Matthey, Bloomberg Intelligence analysis (2018 data)

Russian Gold Mined Supply May Climb vs. Other Precious Metals



Source: Metals Focus, Johnson Matthey, Bloomberg Intelligence analysis (2018 data)

Russian Gold Mined Supply Up 27% in 2012-18, AISC down 22%

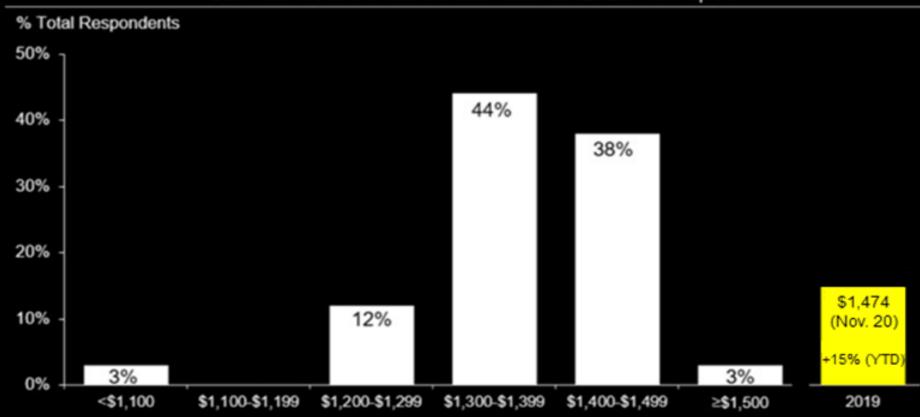


Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, Metals Focus data

Price Expectations

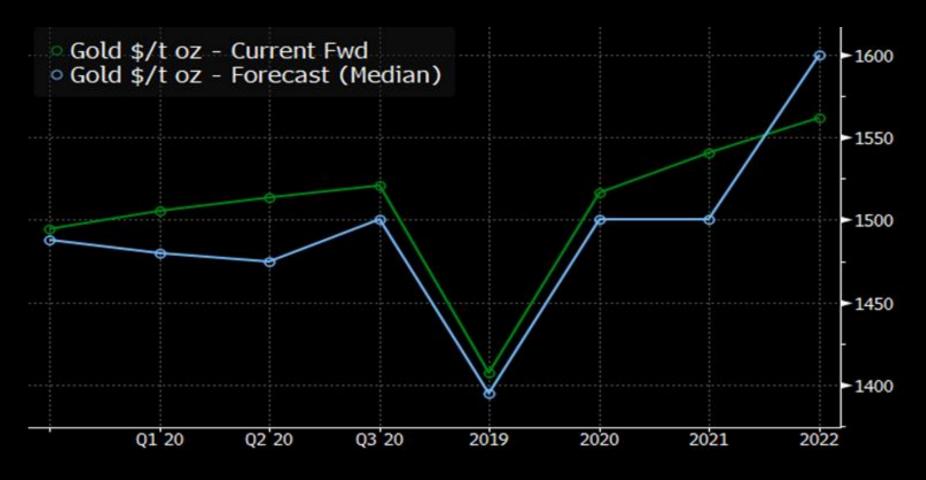
Year of Pig: BI Poll Right on Gold, Yet Crystal Ball Shows Cracks





Bloomberg Precious Metals Forum May 15 2018, see BI Poll Right on Gold, Palladium, Yet Crystal Ball Shows Cracks research at https://bloom.bg/2MqszGp

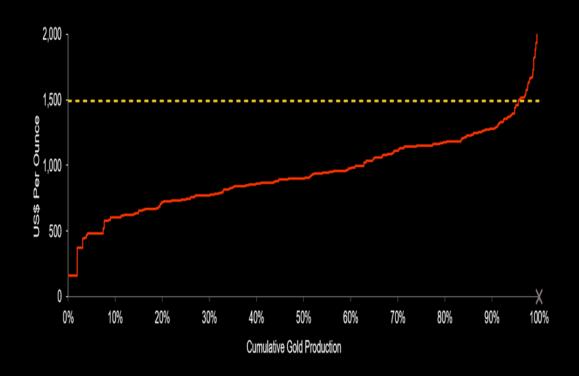
Gold Futures Point to \$1,541 by 2022, Consensus \$1,600



Source:Bloomberg Intelligence analysis as at November 20, 2019

Gold Miners' Cost vs. Long-term Price Assumptions

All-In Sustaining Cost Curve



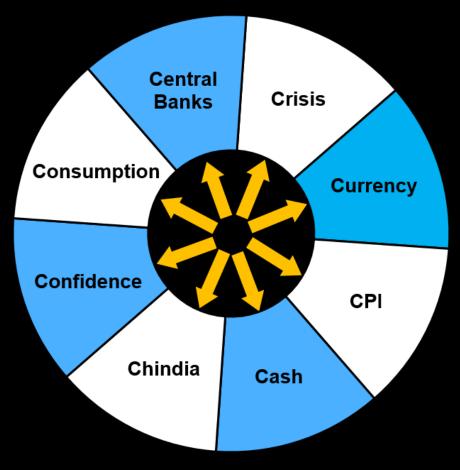
Source: Metals Focus, Bloomberg Intelligence

Top Producers' Price Assumption



Source:Bloomberg Intelligence, Company reports (top 20)

Show Me The Money



Source:Bloomberg Intelligence

Gold Price at \$2,000/oz Needs Eight Ingredients in the Mix



Source: Bloomberg Intelligence analysis, IMF, Metals Focus, World Gold Council

Conclusion

- Gold fundamentals may improve as global economic uncertainty persists
- Supply growth could be challenging on mined-production
- Demand risks and supply wildcards
- Russia's precious metals market importance likely to stay
- Russia's mined production including gold, palladium may continue to rise
- Gold price at \$2,000 an ounce needs eight ingredients in the mix
- Gold's versatility makes forecasting hard
- What's Gold to You?

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