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## Direxion Launches New Daily 2X Leveraged Metals and Mining ETF (MNM)

*MNM Provides 200% Exposure to Metals and Mining Industry*

NEW YORK – December 16, 2021 – [Direxion \(www.direxion.com\)](http://www.direxion.com) announced today the launch of the [Direxion Daily Metal Miners Bull 2X Shares \(Ticker: MNM\)](https://www.direxion.com/product/daily-metal-miners-bull-2x-etf) (<https://www.direxion.com/product/daily-metal-miners-bull-2x-etf>). The Fund seeks to achieve 200% of the daily performance of the **S&P Metals and Mining Select Industry Index**.

The S&P Metals and Mining Select Industry Index provides exposure to U.S. companies engaged in the extraction of metals and other natural resources. The **metals and mining industry** includes companies in the following sub-industries: aluminum; coal & consumable fuels; copper; diversified metals & mining; **gold**; **precious metals & minerals**; silver; and steel.

“The 5-year, \$973B **infrastructure** plan provides a massive boost to government development. This includes transportation, roads, bridges, passenger and freight rail, public transit, EVs, the electricity grid, broadband and clean water,” said **David Mazza, Managing Director, Head of Product at Direxion**. “As this development continues to evolve, along with an uptick in volatility, the **metals and mining industry** is one traders may want to consider.”

Traders seeking to gain 200% daily exposure to **metals and mining stocks**, can access companies such as Freeport-McMoRan Inc (FCX), Nucor Corp (NUE), Alcoa Corp (AA) and Steel Dynamics Inc (STLD) and others through this [leveraged metals and mining ETF \(\\$MNM\)](https://www.direxion.com/product/daily-metal-miners-bull-2x-etf) - <https://www.direxion.com/product/daily-metal-miners-bull-2x-etf>. For additional metals and mining stocks, see the table below.

As of August 31, 2021, the 29 constituents had a median total market capitalization of \$8 billion, total market capitalizations ranging from \$528 million to \$53.3 billion, and were concentrated in the metals and mining industry, which is included in the materials sector. Top ten index holdings are as follows:

**2X Metals and Mining ETF (Ticker: MNM) Index Holdings**

| Name                         | Ticker | Weight (%) |
|------------------------------|--------|------------|
| MP Materials Corp            | MP     | 6.31       |
| Freeport-McMoRan Inc         | FCX    | 5.12       |
| Reliance Steel & Aluminum Co | RS     | 4.90       |
| Commercial Metals Co         | CMC    | 4.89       |
| Newmont Corp                 | NEM    | 4.72       |
| Nucor Corp                   | NUE    | 4.64       |
| Alcoa Corp                   | AA     | 4.60       |
| Royal Gold Inc               | RGLD   | 4.51       |
| Hecla Mining Co              | HL     | 4.49       |
| Steel Dynamics Inc           | STLD   | 4.45       |

Source: Source: Bloomberg Finance, L.P., S&P, as of 11.30.2021.

Like all **leveraged ETFs**, this **Direxion ETF** is intended only for investors with an in-depth understanding of the risks associated with seeking leveraged investment results, and who plan to actively monitor and manage their positions. There is no guarantee that this Fund will meet its objective.

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Mining and metal companies can be significantly affected by international political and economic developments, energy conservation, the success of exploration projects, commodity prices, taxes and government regulations.

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