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## AN ASSET WORTH ITS "WAIT" IN GOLD.

The gold price reached an all-time high in August 2020, at a price of \$2067 per ounce.

The pandemic caused a global shock to the economic system with 7 trillion leaving the US stock exchanges. Investors were cashed up sitting on huge amounts of capital. With stimulus plans put in place by major economies slashing interest rates, holding cash was not the ideal.

Additionally, with anxiety in the market, what were the asset classes and sectors to invest into? All investors were unsure. A pre-pandemic diversification strategy was not an option as traditional sectors, namely the hospitality sector following travel bans as one example, were very uncertain.

6's portfolios were perfectly placed to take advantage of market conditions and also receive loyal support from the longstanding capital partners who have been placing substantial capital to 6's portfolios.

6's gold transactions included: monetising of gold held under Safe Keeping Receipt (SKR) by reputable institutions and the resource sector with gold being the key commodity produced.

The Federal Reserve Bank's decision to increase interest rates gradually to combat the effects of inflation were no surprise. Any announcement by the Federal Reserve Bank has a knock on effect globally.

## More Recently

Gold prices remain well above the pre-pandemic levels with current gold prices hovering at *circa* \$1900 per ounce mark.

With the recent high levels in the gold price, which are a contributed to a combination of factors, including the weakening dollar and increase geopolitical tensions (between China and the USA), there is an increased demand for "safe haven" assets.

In the middle of 2022, many institutional investors that many worship, took their chief economists' advice and held cash to see what what going to materialise and act accordingly. Some, slightly more bullish institutions, realising that their healthy fee structure was, and is, based on performance selected a hybrid of gold, other stable asset classes and cash investments.

6 however, took a more bullish and contrarian approach which has served the team very well over the years in structures not related to 6.

6's Managing Director has been quoted saying," Now is the best time in our lifetime to generate wealth that will last for generations."

6's diverse portfolios, easily outperforming cash and beating inflation, has not been a very challenging task. 6's strategy of diversification over multiple sectors, part of which is heavily weighted to gold linked transactions has a key differentiation. 6 has exposure to high yielding transactions in sectors which emerged due to the pandemic or existing sectors that were greatly enhance and strengthened by the new post-pandemic way of living. 6 also is stabilised by funding transactions in asset classes that have historically provided stead returns no matter the economic cycle. This includes property development inter alia.

The diversification includes, geographic locations, major currencies and structures having 6 perfectly placed to take advantage of the post-pandemic, climate.

True to 6's strategy (enhanced by China and USA tensions) gold has been a stable asset to fund transactions in. For the last 12 months, there has not been an asset which steadily hedges against inflation (a big problem globally, with focus on the European Union) and currency devaluation.

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