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GROW

First Quarter 2026 Results Webcast



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(GROW)



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The DNA of Volatility

Standard Deviation For One Year, as of September 30, 2025

	One-Day	Ten-Day
S&P 500	±1%	±3%
Gold Bullion	±1%	±3%
GROW	±2%	±4%
Dow Jones U.S. Asset Managers Index	±2%	±5%
Oil	±2%	±5%
Bitcoin	±2%	±5%
JETS	±2%	±6%
GOAU	±2%	±6%
NYSE Arca Airline Index	±3%	±7%
HIVE Digital Technologies Ltd.	±5%	±16%



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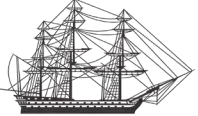
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Top Institutional Shareholders

Percentage of Shares Outstanding, as of 09/30/2025

1 **6.28%** **GATOR** 
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

2 **5.68%**  **Vanguard**[®]
THE VANGUARD GROUP, INC.

3 **4.81%** **Perritt**
CAPITAL MANAGEMENT



Frank Holmes CEO and CIO owns approximately **19%** of the company and has approximately **99%** of voting control.



Strategy and Tactics

- 1 Create thematic products that are sustainable using a smart beta 2.0 strategy. Requires rigorous back testing for 1,000s of hours.
- 2 Our mission is to make people feel financially happy and secure that their wealth is consistently growing.
- 3 Strategically buy back stock using an algorithm on flat and down days.
- 4 Manage and preserve cash for future growth opportunities and market corrections.
- 5 M&A activity to acquire fund assets.
- 6 Grow our subscriber base and followers.
- 7 Increase our exposure to Bitcoin Ecosystem.



Why We Buy Back Our Stock

The Company ***believes its stock is undervalued*** and therefore buys back shares of GROW when the price is **flat or down from the previous trading day using an algorithm.**

This is part of the Company's **two-pillar** strategy to enhance shareholder value by paying the dividend as well as the buyback amount per year.



Current Share Repurchase Program

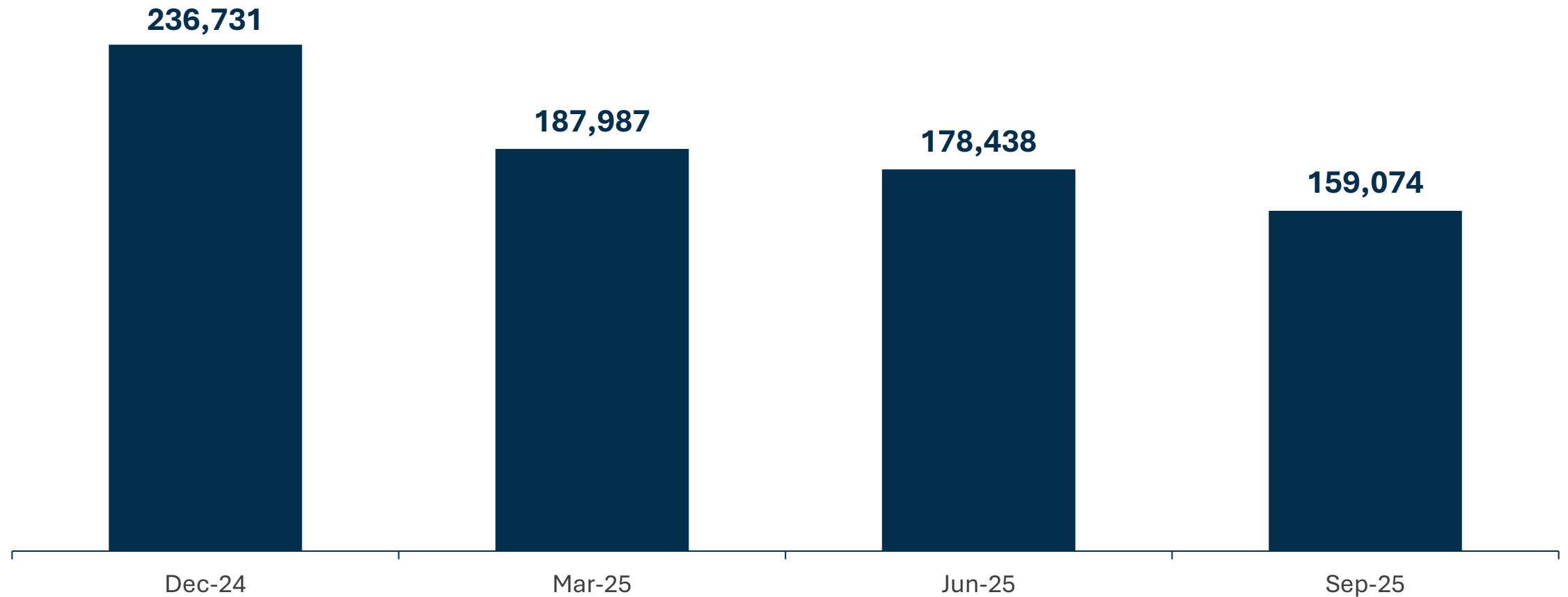
For the three-months Ended September 30, 2025, the Company repurchased a total of **159,074** class A shares using cash of approximately **\$400,000**.

May be suspended or discontinued as deemed necessary.



GROW Shares Repurchased

Quarterly Repurchases Through September 2025



GROW Dividends

The Company has paid a monthly dividend since

June 2007

Current yield at a share price of **\$2.60** as of 10/27/2025.

3.46%

Monthly dividend payment of **\$0.0075**

Approved through December 2025

Reviewed by the Board quarterly



Shareholder Yield =

$$\frac{\text{Dividends} + \text{Buybacks} + \text{Debt Reduction}}{\text{Market Capitalization}}$$



U.S. Global Investors vs. The Competition

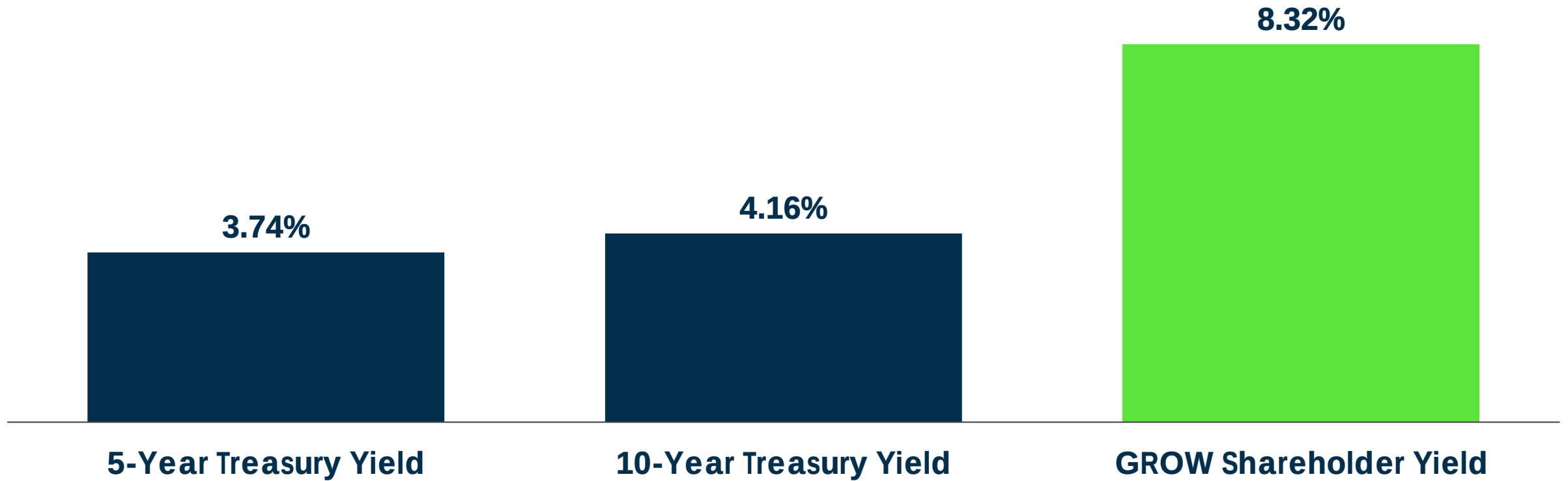
As of Quarter End September 30, 2025



ETF Business	Price/Book	Return on Assets	Pre-Tax Margin	Dividend Yield	P/E Ratio
100% ETFs	3.99	7.1	22%	0.99%	15.46
75% of Operating Revenue	0.78	1.72%	13.41%	3.27%	42.6
40% of Assets in QQQ ETF	0.98	2.90%	16.60%	3.46%	16.38

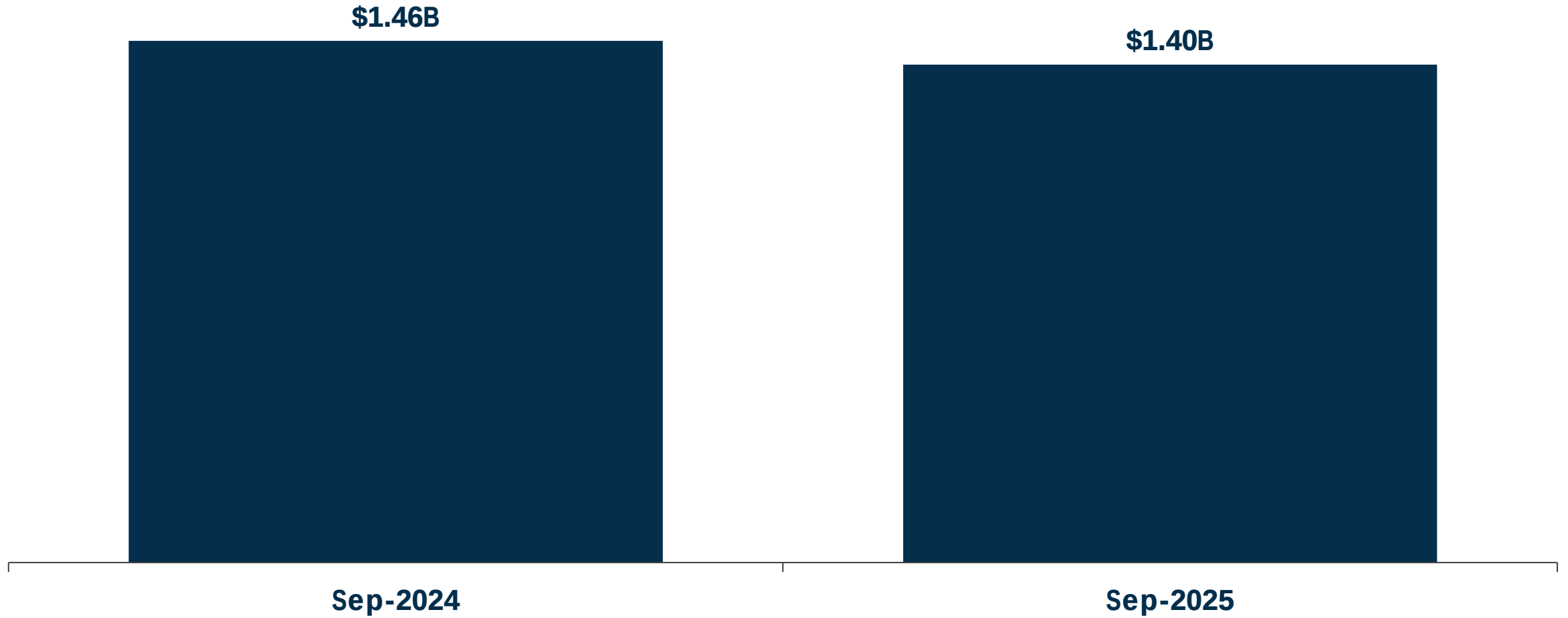
U.S. Global Investors Is Committed To Returning Value To Shareholders When Compared To Treasury Yields

Yields as of September 30, 2025

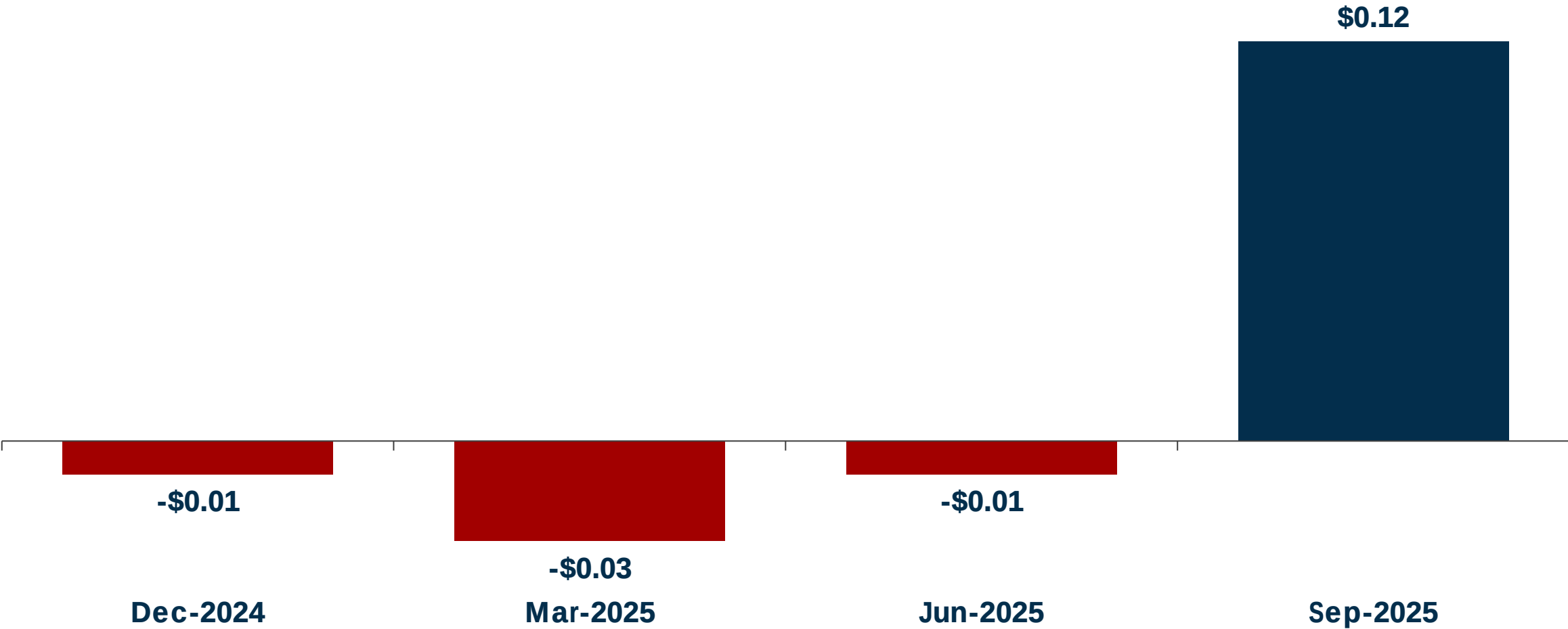


Average Assets Under Management, in Billions of USD

Three-Month Period Ended September 30 of Each Year



Quarterly Earnings (Loss) Per Share: Impacted by Tariff War



GROW's Investment in HIVE Digital Technologies

8% Convertible
Debenture **\$842,000**
(includes debenture and conversion feature)

Redirect & Repurpose into Bitcoin Ecosystem.



\$2.60

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**close on 10/27/2025*

\$1.4 Billion

Average Assets Under Management

09/30/2025

\$2.25 Million

Operating Revenues

09/30/2025



A Look At Q12026

GROW Strengths

- 1** The company has steady cashflow, despite a volatile and challenging macro market environment.
- 2** The company has a strong balance sheet which includes both cash and other investments.
- 3** The company continues to buy back stock on flat or down days and pay a monthly dividend.



Smart Beta 2.0 Investing

Our **Quantamental Investment Strategy** combines cutting edge technology with robust data analysis to help optimize returns and manage risk effectively for our shareholders.

We believe the use of **Smart Beta 2.0** factors in our thematic fund lineup sets us apart from the competition.

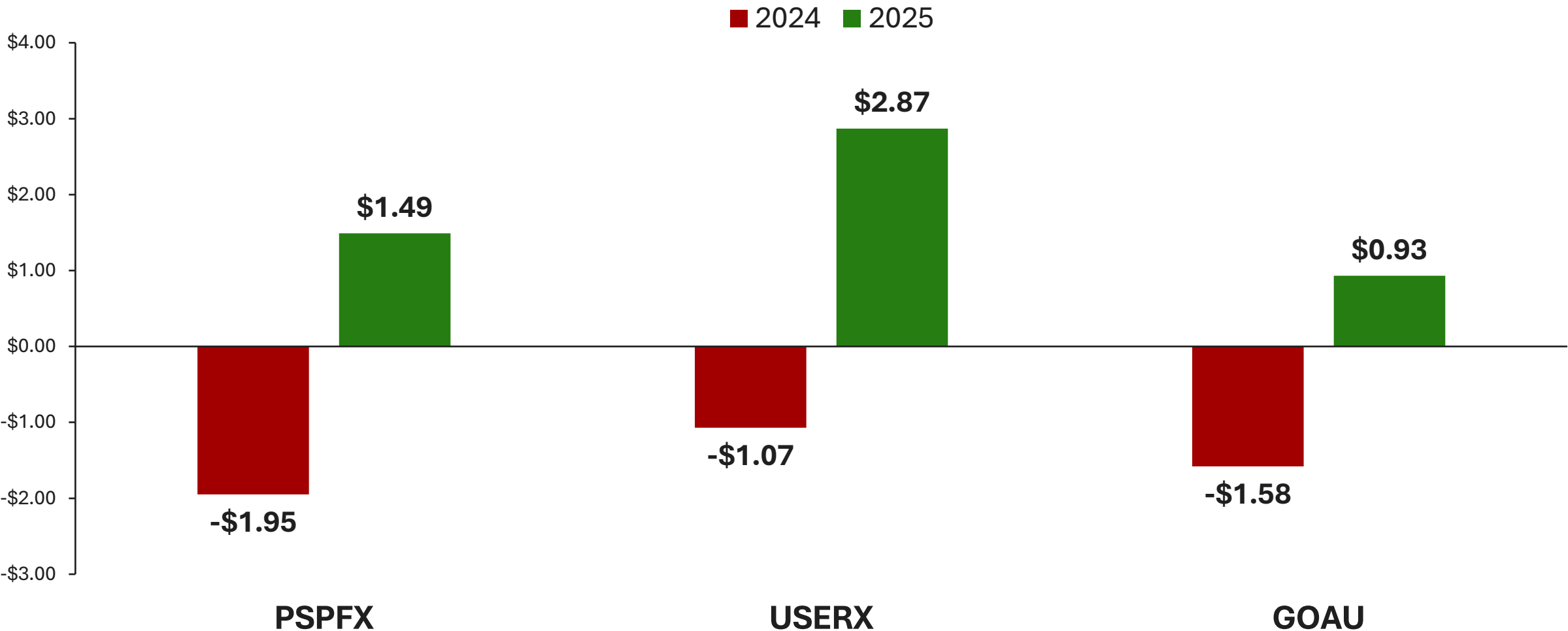
Quant approach, back tested **1000's of hours** over decades of data to determine optimized portfolio construction and stock factors to rebalance every quarter.



The Quant Approach

Fund Assets Respond to Rising Gold Price

Fund Flows In Million USD – 3Q2024 vs 3Q2025



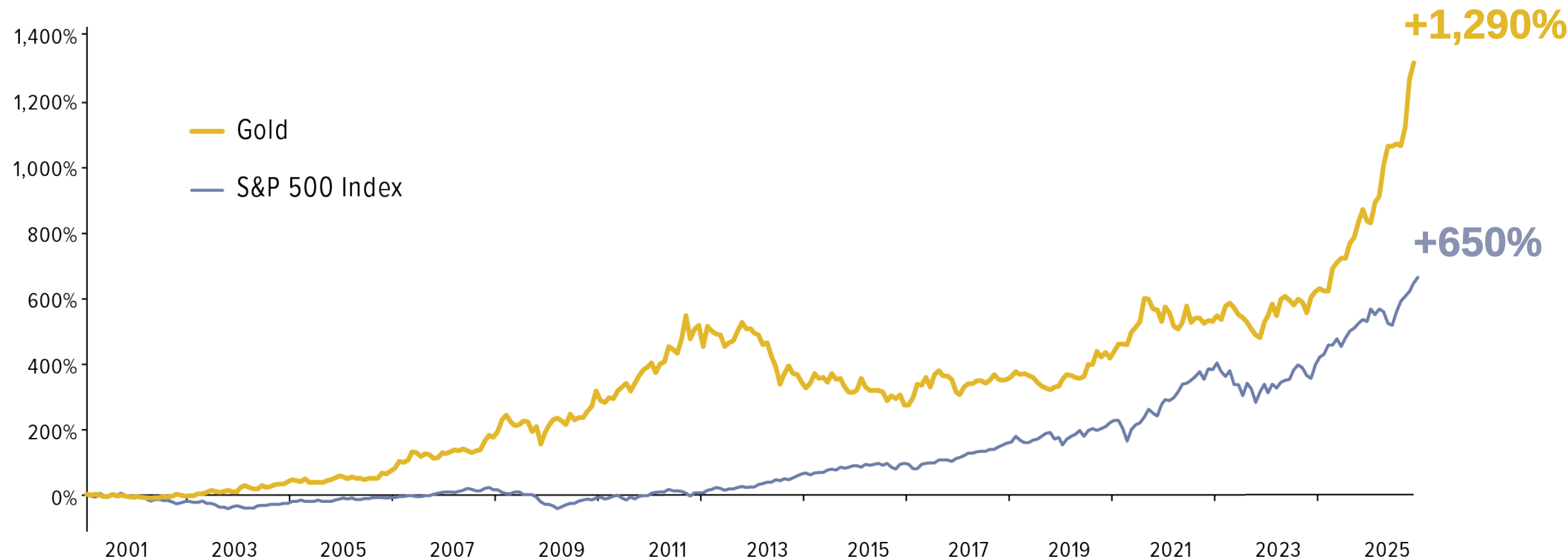
Gold Reached All-Time High In 2025!

Gold Price Per Ounce From August 30, 2022 – October 16, 2025



Gold Climbs Past The S&P 500 This Century

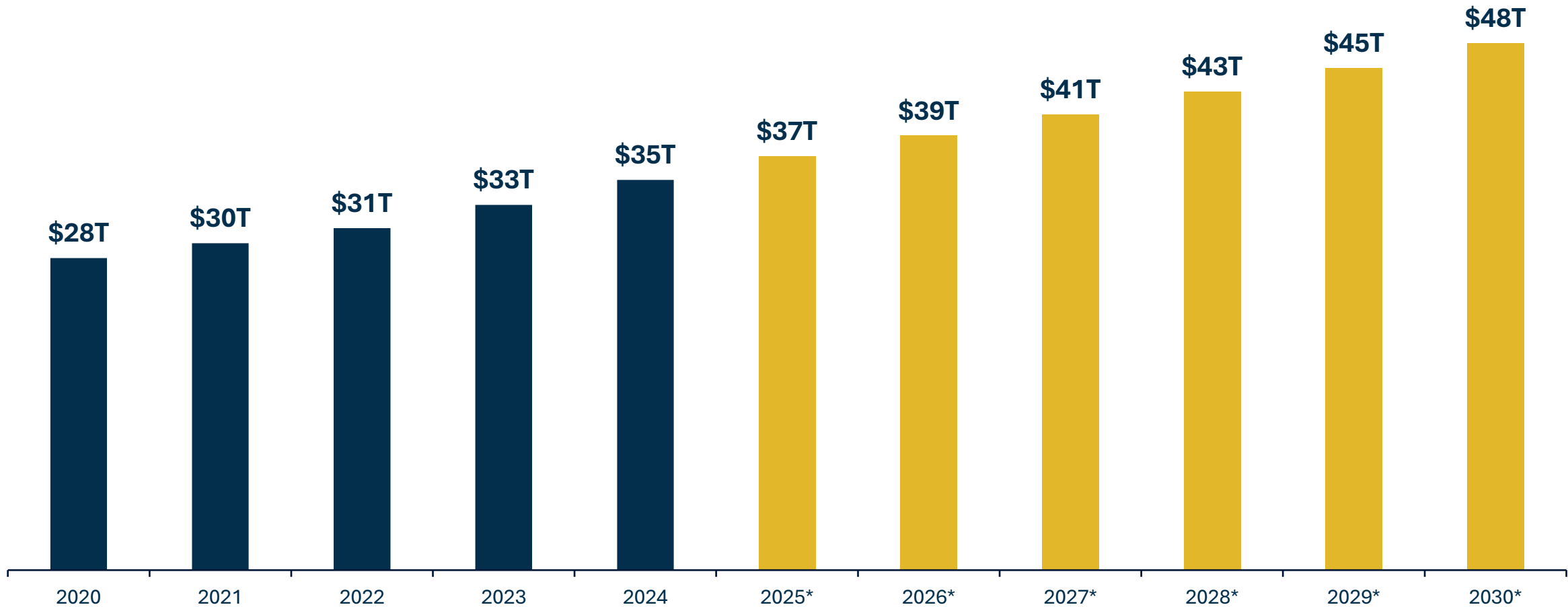
Performance From December 31, 1999 – November 3, 2025



National Debt Of The U.S. Will Keep Rising

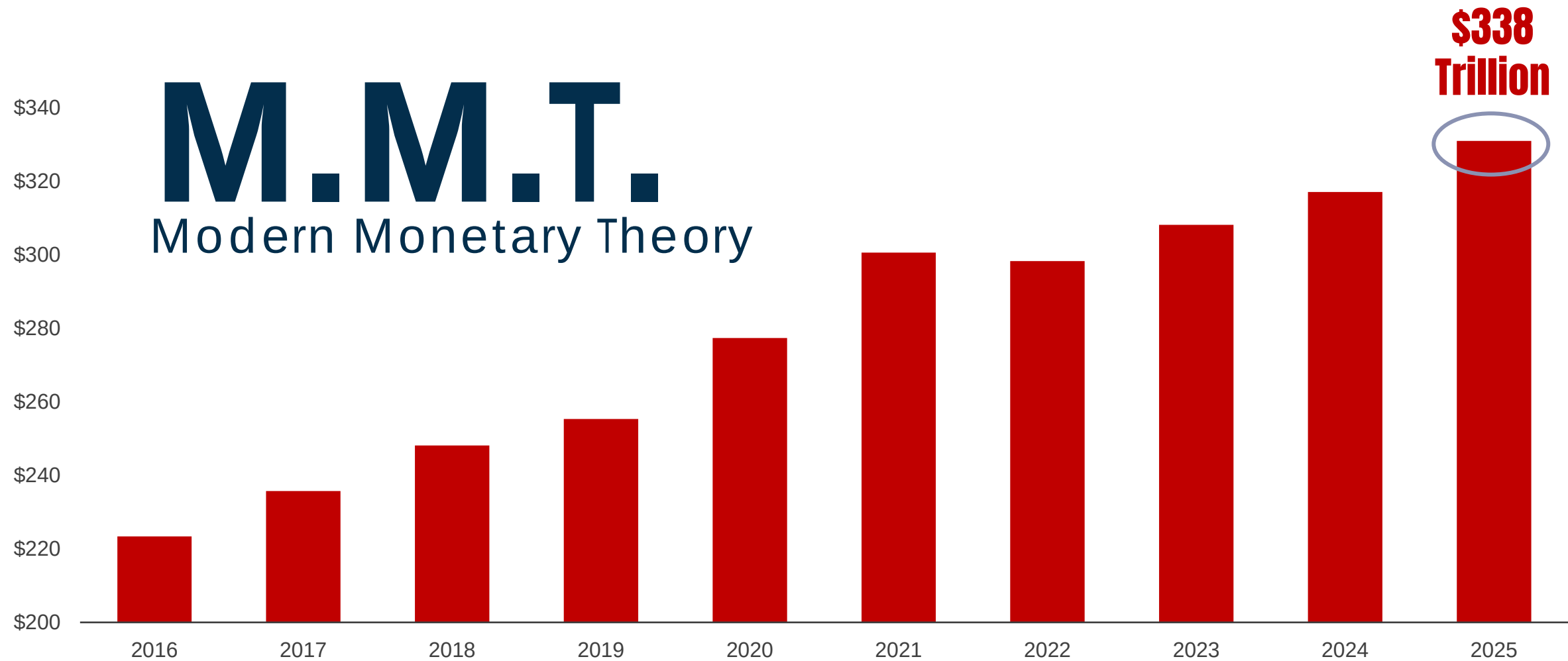


United States: National Debt From 2020 to 2030E* | In Trillions of USD



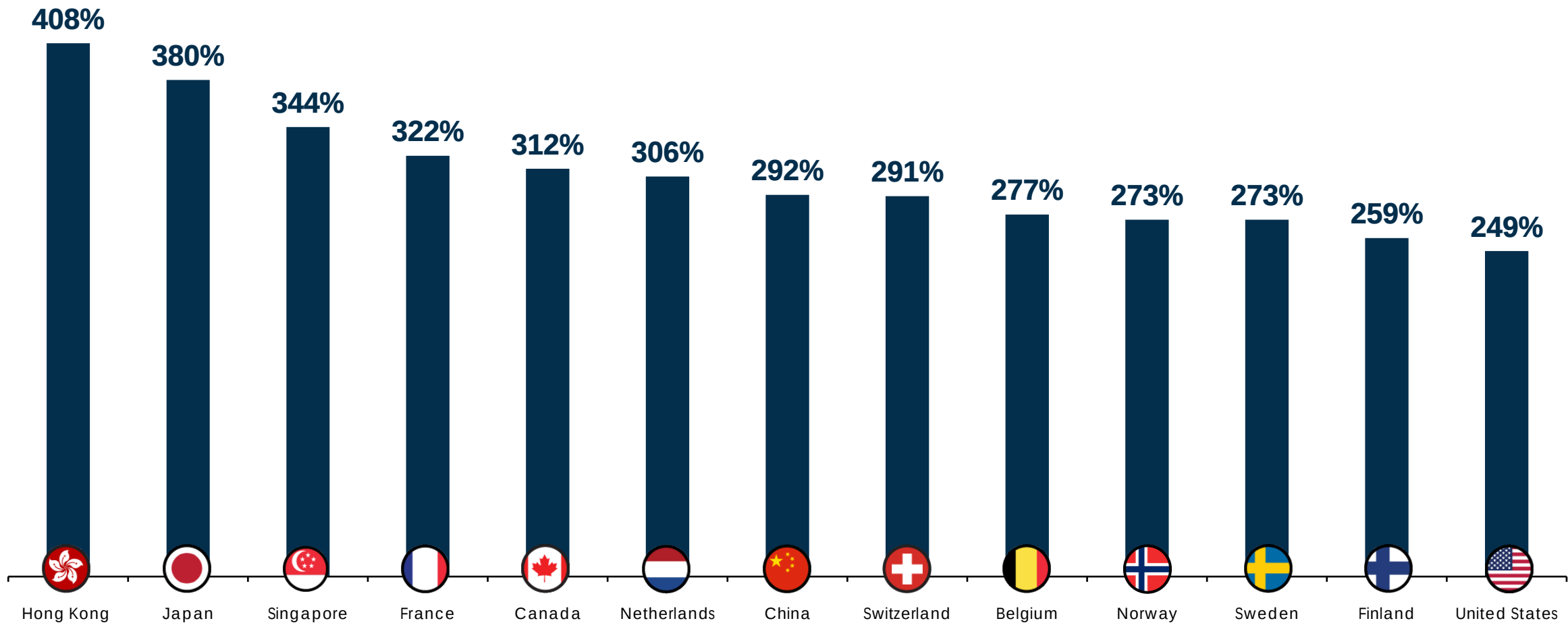
GoGold Theme: Total Global Debt Through Second Quarter of 2025

Trillions of USD



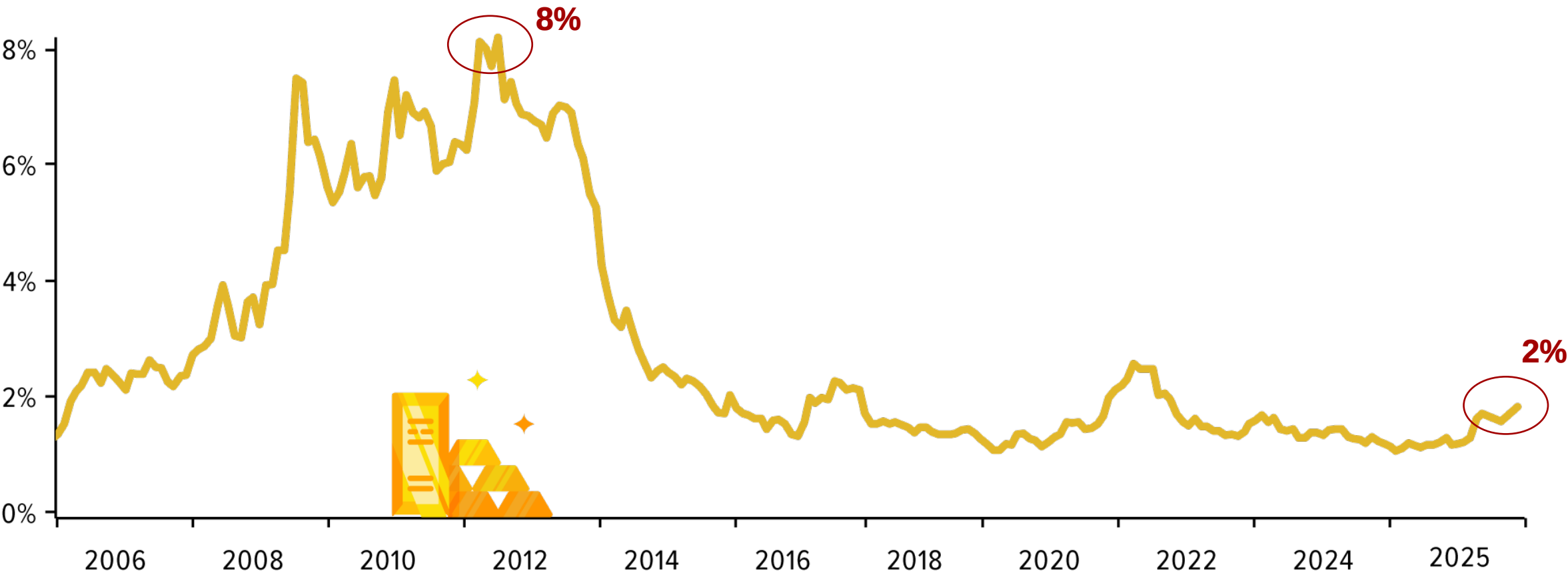
U.S. Debt Now Among the World's Highest

Total Debt as a Percentage of GDP, as of Mar. 31, 2025



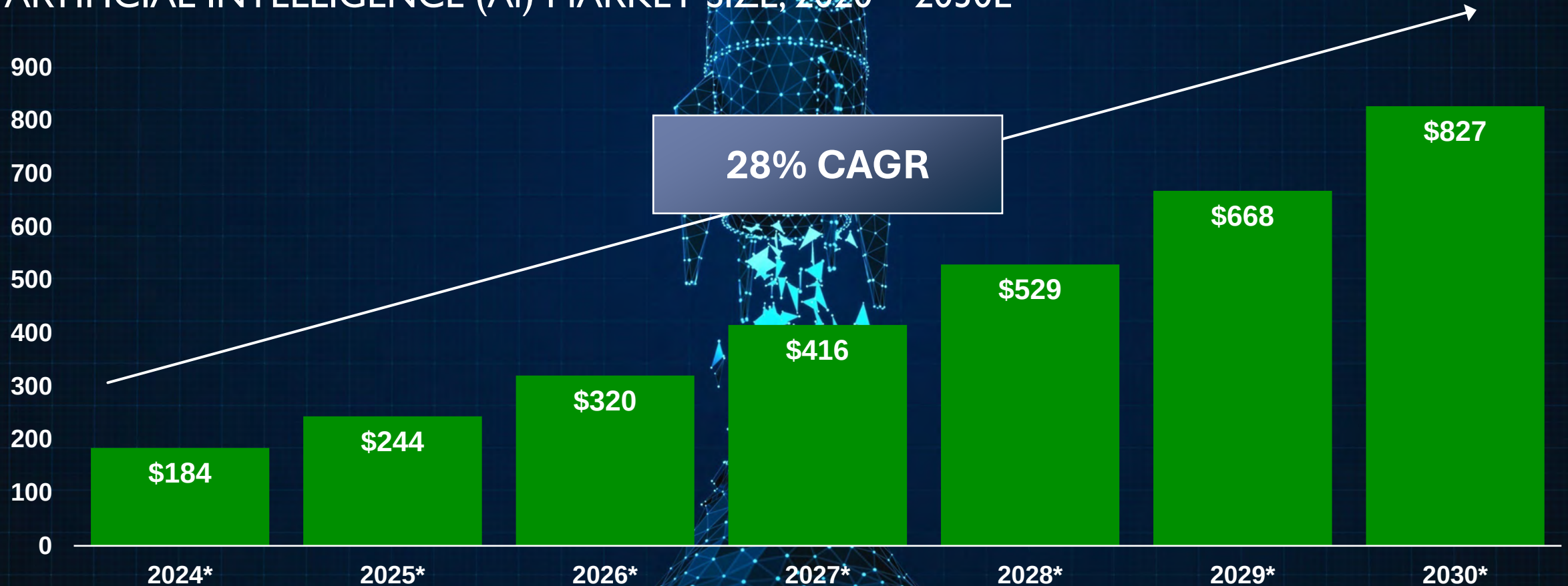
Implied Investor Allocation to Gold Is Relatively Low

U.S. ETF Market Share of All Gold ETF Assets

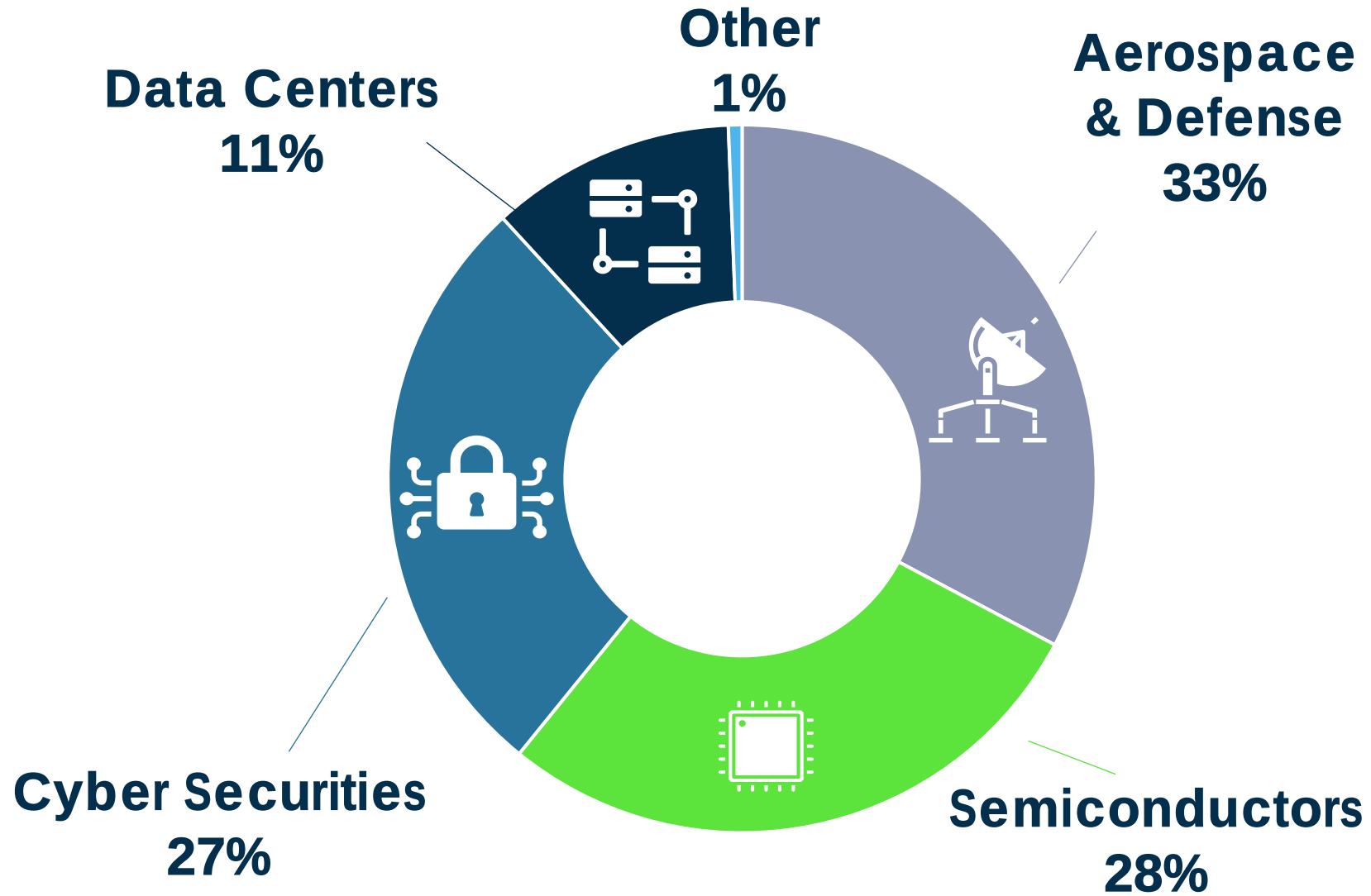


THE Ai MARKET IS EXPLODING

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (Ai) MARKET SIZE, 2020 – 2030E



Aerospace & Defense: Ai To Rebuild The Military





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Income Statement - Financial Analysis

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CFO



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First Quarter 2026

Financial Highlights

- 1 Average assets under management of **\$1.4 billion**
- 2 Operating revenues of **\$2.25 million**
- 3 Net income of **1.5 million**



Operational Earnings
(Cash Flow)

Investment Earnings
Realized (Cash Flow)
Unrealized

+

Earnings

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

Three Months Ended September 30,
2025 2024

Operating Revenues		
Advisory fees	\$ 2,209	\$ 2,127
Administrative services fees	42	30
Total Operating Revenues	2,251	2,157
Operating Expenses		
Employee compensation and benefits	1,182	1,081
General and administrative	1,410	1,503
Advertising	161	109
Depreciation	11	22
Interest	2	1
Total Operating Expenses	2,766	2,716

Consolidated Statements of Operations

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS, EXCEPT PER SHARE DATA)

Three Months Ended September 30,
2025 2024

Operating Income (Loss)	\$ (515)	\$ (559)
Other Income (Loss)		
Net investment income (loss)	2,277	917
Other Income (loss)	82	78
Total Other Income (Loss)	2,359	995
Income (Loss) Before Income Taxes	1,844	436
Provision for Income Taxes		
Tax expense (benefit)	337	121
Net Income (Loss)	\$ 1,507	\$ 315
Earnings (Loss) Per Share		
Basic Net Income (Loss) per share	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.02
Diluted Net Income (Loss) per share	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.02
Basic weighted average number of common shares outstanding	12,971,512	13,714,517
Diluted weighted average number of common shares outstanding	12,974,543	13,714,517

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	September 30, 2025 (unaudited)	June 30, 2025
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 24,586	\$ 24,552
Restricted cash	1,000	1,000
Investments in trading securities at fair value, current	9,734	9,692
Accounts and other receivables (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	1,077	1,036
Receivable for investment principal repayments (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	750	750
Tax receivable	1,553	1,540
Prepaid expenses	400	549
Total Current Assets	39,100	39,119
Net Property and Equipment	1,090	1,101

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	September 30, 2025 (unaudited)	June 30, 2025
Other Assets		
Deferred tax asset	\$ 945	\$ 1,268
Investments in trading securities at fair value, non-current	3,040	2,496
Investments in available-for-sale debt securities at fair value (amortized cost: \$3,334, and \$3,993, respectively) (net of allowance for credit losses of \$0, and \$0, respectively)	842	1,576
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities at amortized cost	1,000	1,000
Less: Allowance for credit losses	(47)	(52)
Investments in held-to-maturity debt securities, net of allowance for credit losses	953	948
Other Investments	2,677	1,349
Financing lease, right of use assets	84	8
Other assets, non-current	199	199
Total Other Assets	8,740	7,844
Total Assets	\$ 48,930	\$ 48,064

Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	September 30, 2025 (unaudited)	June 30, 2025
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 20	\$ 10
Accrued compensation and related costs	431	469
Dividends payable	291	296
Financing lease liability, short-term	26	8
Other accrued expenses	1,138	1,091
Total Current Liabilities	1,906	1,874
Long-Term Liabilities		
Deferred tax liability	71	17
Reserve for uncertain tax positions	821	891
Notes payable	75	75
Financing lease liability, long-term	66	-
Total Long-Term Liabilities	1,033	983
Total Liabilities	2,939	2,857
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13)		



Consolidated Balance Sheets

(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	September 30, 2025 (unaudited)	June 30, 2025
Shareholders' Equity		
Common stock (class A) - \$0.025 par value; nonvoting; 28,000,000 shares authorized; 13,866,999 shares issued at September 30, 2025, and June 30, 2025; 10,830,912 and 10,982,687 shares outstanding at September 30, 2025, and June 30, 2025, respectively	\$ 347	\$ 347
Common stock (class B) - \$0.025 par value; nonvoting; 4,500,000 shares authorized; no shares issued	-	-
Convertible common stock (class C) - \$0.025 par value; voting; 3,500,000 shares authorized; 2,068,549 shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2025, and June 30, 202	52	52
Additional paid-in-capital	16,563	16,556
Treasury stock, class A shares at cost; 3,036,087 and 2,884,312 shares at September 30, 2025, and June 30, 2025, respectively	(8,165)	(7,781)
Accumulated comprehensive income, net of tax	39	98
Retained earnings	37,155	35,935
Total Shareholders' Equity	45,991	45,207
Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	\$ 48,930	\$ 48,064

Marketing Highlights

Holly Schoenfeldt

Director Of Marketing



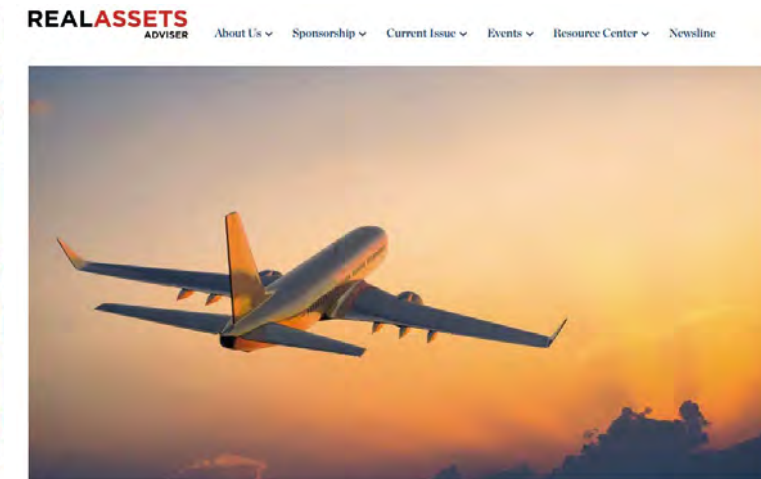
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