

## FTSE Gold Mines Index Series – Ground Rule Update

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FTSE Russell would like to inform clients of the following update to the FTSE Gold Mines Index Series Ground Rules which is effective immediately:

### Section 4: Eligible Securities

#### New Rule

##### 4.1 Gold Production

- 4.1.3 Eligibility of new securities formed as a result of the merger of companies on the Monitored List will be assessed as follows:

The combined production and revenue data for the one year preceding the official date of the merger of the individual securities will be assessed to determine eligibility. The newly-merged security will be considered for index inclusion at the next semi-annual review. Liquidity will be tested from the official date of the merger.

#### Old Rule

##### 4.1 Gold Production

- 4.1.3 An eligible company formed as a result of the merger of two established, but individually ineligible, gold mining companies will be considered for inclusion in the index series at the next semi-annual review.

An updated copy of the FTSE Gold Mines Index Series Ground Rules (v5.8) is now available using the following link: [FTSE\\_Gold\\_Mines\\_Index\\_Series.pdf](#) or on the FTSE Russell website: [www.ftserussell.com](http://www.ftserussell.com)

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