



# Weekly Market Watch

Week 2. January 2022









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## Global Markets overview

- Gold futures prices are flat after a decent price rise on Wednesday. Silver is also flat into the European trading and in early U.S. activity on Thursday.
- The precious metals are mixed after resilient gains earlier in the week.
- Oil prices are lower on Thursday after a recent price rally, however short-term supply disruptions and strong demand continue to support prices close to their highest levels since 2014.
- Global stock markets are mixed. European shares are mostly up , Asian shares mostly down and U.S. indexes are pointed toward higher at the time of writing. Risk sentiment is bullish.
- In major economic news, China cut its main interest rates slightly, which is the second move this week to lower its key interest rates. China's rate cuts come as other major central banks across the globe are considering tighten their monetary policies.
- Looking ahead markets will be monitoring U.S. initial jobless claims, Philadelphia Fed business survey, U.S. existing homes data and ECB minutes.

## **Private Placements Deal Activity**

Baroyeca Gold & Silver Inc. (TSXV: BGS) (the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has agreed to a \$3,010,000 non-brokered private placement of up to 8,600,000 units of its securities (the "Units") at a price of \$0.35 per Unit, each Unit consisting of one common share and one-half of a non-transferable share purchase warrant, with each whole such warrant entitling the holder to acquire one additional common share of the Company at a price of \$0.50 per share for a period of one year. The Company may pay fees in cash and/or securities in connection with this financing. Link:

Alexco Resource Corp. (NYSE American: AXU) (TSX: AXU) ("Alexco" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has entered into an agreement with a syndicate of underwriters (the "Underwriters") led by Cormark Securities Inc. pursuant to which the Underwriters have agreed to purchase on a bought deal basis (i) 1,851,900 common shares to be issued as "flow-through shares" with respect to "Canadian exploration expenses" ("CEE") within the meaning of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and the regulations thereunder in force as of the date hereof (the "Tax Act") (the "CEE Flow-Through Shares") at a price of C\$2.70 per CEE Flow-Through Share (the "CEE Offering Price"); and (ii) 1,287,600 common shares to be issued as "flow-through shares" with respect to "Canadian development expenses" ("CDE") within the meaning of the Tax Act (the "CDE Flow-Through Shares") at a price of C\$2.33 per CDE Flow-Through Share (the "CDE Offering Price") (collectively, the "Offering"). The gross proceeds of the Offering will be approximately C\$8.0 million. Link:

**ExGen Resources Inc.** (TSX.V: EXG; OTC: BXXRF) ("ExGen") is pleased to announce that, further to its news releases dated November 23, 2021 and January 14, 2022, the maximum gross proceeds of its non-brokered private placement offering of common shares in the capital of ExGen ("Offered Shares") at a price of \$0.10 per Offering Share has been increased to up to \$2,850,000 (a maximum of 28,500,000 Offered Shares) (the "Private Placement"). The Private Placement is anticipated to close on or about January 28, 2022. Link:

Amex Exploration Inc. ("Amex" or the "Company") (TSXV: AMX) is pleased to announce that it has entered into an agreement with PI Financial Corp. on behalf of a syndicate of underwriters (collectively, the "Underwriters"), pursuant to which the Underwriters have agreed to purchase, on a "bought deal" private placement basis, 7,000,000 flow-through common shares (the "Flow-Through Shares") of the Company, at a price per Flow-Through Share of \$4.82 (the "Issue Price"), for gross proceeds of C\$33,740,000 (the "Offering"). Link:

Pasofino Gold Limited (TSXV: VEIN) (OTCQB: EFRGF) (FSE: N07A) ("Pasofino" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has closed its non-brokered private placement (announced December 6th, 2021) of common shares at \$0.70 (or US\$0.55) per share for gross proceeds of approximately US\$5.2 million (the "Offering"). Approximately US\$4.5 million of the Offering (being 8,220,626 Common Shares) has been subscribed for by ESAN, a leading Turkish mining company. Link:

Midland Exploration Inc. ("Midland") (TSX-V: MD) is pleased to announce that it has completed a third and last tranche of the non brokered private placement previously announced on December 7, 2021 (the "Private Placement") by issuing 170,000 common shares at \$0.55 per common share for gross proceeds of \$93,500. BHP Canada Inc. ("BHP") has exercised its right to maintain its ownership at 5.0% by acquiring those 170,000 common shares of Midland. This right had been granted to BHP on April 18, 2019 pursuant to an Investor Rights Agreement with Midland. The total gross proceeds of the Private Placement is \$2,760,600. Link:

**Revival Gold Inc.** (TSXV: RVG, OTCQB: RVLGF) ("Revival Gold" or the "Company"), announces a non-brokered private placement of 15,000,000 units (the "Units") at \$0.65 per Unit (the "Issue Price") for gross proceeds of up to \$9,750,000 (the "Financing"). Each Unit will consist of one (1) common share (each a "Common Share") of the Company and one half of one (0.5) common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant, a "Warrant"). Each whole Warrant is exercisable into one (1) Common Share at a price of \$0.90 at any time for a period of twenty-four (24) months following the closing of the Financing. Link:

Grid Metals Corp. (TSXV:GRDM) (OTCQB:MSMGF) ( "Grid " or the "Company") today announced it has closed its previously announced financing ( the "Transaction") with Lithium Royalty Corp. ("LRC") (a leading pure play battery royalty and streaming company). The Transaction consists of a private placement financing, royalty sales on two properties pertaining to lithium minerals and asset sales of 25% interests in lithium rights on the two properties ( Mayville Lithium and Campus Creek) Total funding to Grid in connection to the proposed Transaction is approximately CAD\$6.3 million. The working capital of Grid has increased to approximately \$ 8.8 million. Link:

Rise Gold Corp. (CSE: RISE) (OTCQX: RYES) (the "Company") announces that it intends to raise up to US\$2,200,000 through the issuance of up to 5,500,000 units (each a "Unit") at a price of US\$0.40 per Unit (~CDN\$0.50 per Unit), with each Unit comprising one share of common stock (a "Share") and one share purchase warrant (the "Private Placement"). Each whole warrant (a "Warrant") entitles the holder to acquire one Share at an exercise price of US\$0.60 for a period of two years from the date of issuance. Link:

Battery Mineral Resources Corp. (TSXV: BMR) (OTCQB: BTRMF) ("Battery" or "BMR" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it intends to complete a non-brokered private placement of unsecured convertible debentures (the "Debentures") for total gross proceeds of up to C\$5 million. The proceeds from the Debentures will be used to fund an extension of the successful 2021 exploration drilling program at the Company's recently acquired Punitaqui copper project in Chile and for general working capital purposes. Link

## Mining News

Skeena Resources Limited (TSX:SKE)(NYSE:SKE) ("Skeena" or the "Company") is pleased to announce the discovery of a significant zone of near surface, footwall style mineralization, the 23 Zone. This new zone is outside the limits of the Company's current pit-constrained mineral resources at the Eskay Creek gold-silver project ("Eskay Creek" or the "Project") located in the Golden Triangle of British Columbia...Read more

**Golden Minerals Company** ("Golden Minerals", "Golden" or the "Company") (NYSE-A: AUMN and TSX: AUMN) is pleased to announce assay results from the first drill program ever conducted at its Sarita Este gold-silver-copper prospect in Salta Province, Argentina. The Company drilled 10 diamond drill ("DD") holes totaling 2,518 meters ("m") exploring several targets of untested epithermal gold-silver and copper porphyry targets...Read more

Vizsla Silver Corp. (TSXV: VZLA) (OTCQB: VIZSF) (Frankfurt: 0G3) ("Vizsla" or the "Company") is pleased to announce a new high-grade, precious metal rich discovery within the hanging wall of Tajitos at its 100%-owned, flagship Panuco silver-gold project ("Panuco" or the "Project") located in Mexico...Read more

**B2Gold Corp.** (TSX: BTO) (NYSE AMERICAN: BTG) (NSX: B2G) ("B2Gold" or the "Company") is pleased to announce its total gold production and consolidated gold revenues for the fourth quarter and full-year 2021, in addition to its production and budget guidance for 2022. All dollar figures are in United States dollars unless otherwise indicated...Read more

Rupert Resources Ltd ("Rupert" or the "Company"), a company advancing the multi-million-ounce Ikkari gold deposit and new regional discoveries at the company's 100% owned Rupert Lapland Project in Northern Finland, is pleased to announce that infill drilling at Ikkari is returning higher gold grades and exploration drilling has extended mineralisation at the Company's largely untested Heinä Central target. Ikkari has a National Instrument 43-101 inferred mineral resource estimate of 49 million tonnes ("Mt") at 2.5 grams per tonne gold ("g/t Au") for 3.95 million ounces (see Sept. 13, 2021 press release) 1. Approximately 80,000 metres ("m") of drilling is planned for 2022; 60% focused on upgrading and expanding the Ikkari resource estimate, with the remainder allocated to regional exploration...Read more

Western Alaska Minerals Corp. (the "Company" or "WAM") (TSXV: WAM) is pleased to announce the final 2021 drill results from the Waterpump Creek carbonate replacement deposit ("CRD") target at its 100%-owned Illinois Creek project in western Alaska. Additional assays are pending from 2021 drilling at the Honker high grade gold target and the Last Hurrah CRD prospect...Read more

ValOre Metals Corp. ("ValOre"; TSX-V: VO; OTC: KVLQF; Frankfurt: KEQ0, "the Company") today provided an update on metallurgical testwork program at ValOre's 100%-owned Pedra Branca Platinum Group Elements ("PGE", "2PGE+Au") Project ("Pedra Branca") in northeastern Brazil...Read more

Calibre Mining Corp. (TSX: CXB; OTCQX: CXBMF) ("Calibre" or the "Company") is pleased to report previously unreleased results from the remaining nine core holes completed during previous exploration programs at the newly acquired, 100% owned Gold Rock project ("Gold Rock") in Nevada, USA. These holes were part of a larger reverse circulation ("RC") and core program, but assays have only recently become available due to COVID-19-related delays in processing and assays...Read more

CopperCorp Resources Inc. ("CopperCorp" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that the common shares of the Company (the "Shares") commenced trading on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSXV") under the symbol CPER at the market open on January 14th, 2021. This follows the closing of the Company's initial public offering led by Haywood Securities Inc., whereby 10,000,000 Shares were issued at a price of \$0.50 per Share for gross proceeds of \$5,000,000...Read more

First Majestic Silver Corp. (TSX: FR) (NYSE: AG) (FSE: FMV) ("First Majestic" or the "Company") is pleased to announce fourth quarter production reached a new quarterly record of 8.6 million silver equivalent ounces, consisting of 3.4 million silver ounces and 67,411 gold ounces, representing a 17% increase compared to the prior quarter. Additionally, full year 2021 production reached a new Company record of 26.9 million silver equivalent ounces, consisting of 12.8 million silver ounces and 192,353 gold ounces, or a 32% increase over 2020. The Company is also pleased to announce its 2022 guidance of producing between 32.2 to 35.8 million silver equivalent ounces, consisting of 12.2 to 13.5 million ounces of silver and 258,000 to 288,000 ounces of gold, with AISC cost guidance of between \$16.79 to \$18.06 per silver equivalent ounce...Read more

Centerra Gold Inc. ("Centerra" or the "Company") (TSX: CG and NYSE: CGAU) reports 2021 fourth quarter and full-year production and 2022 production and cost guidance...Read more

Fortuna Silver Mines Inc. (NYSE: FSM) (TSX: FVI) reports production results for the fourth quarter and full year 2021 from its four operating mines in the Americas and West Africa: the Lindero Mine in Argentina, the San Jose Mine in Mexico, the Caylloma Mine in Peru, and the Yaramoko Mine in Burkina Faso. For the full year 2021, the Company produced 207,192 ounces of gold and 7,498,701 ounces of silver or 305,859 gold equivalent1 ounces...Read more

Eldorado Gold Corporation ("Eldorado" or the "Company") today provided detailed 2022 production and cost guidance and an improved five-year production outlook...Read more

Triple Flag Precious Metals Corp. (with its subsidiaries, "Triple Flag" or the "Company") (TSX: TFPM, TSX: TFPM.U) today announced record metal sales of 83,602 gold equivalent ounces ("GEOs") for 2021. This represents a new annual record, exceeding last year's record by 33% and exceeding 2021 guidance of 80,000 to 83,000 GEOs. Triple Flag achieved record annual revenues of \$150.4 million for 2021, an increase of 34% over 2020. Triple Flag also announced metal sales of 20,605 GEOs for the fourth quarter of 2021, resulting in revenues of \$37.0 million in the quarter ...Read more

Alexco Resource Corp. (NYSE American: AXU) ("SX: AXU) ("Alexco" or the "Company") today reports an updated and expanded mineral resource estimate for the Company's Bermingham deposit, located within the Keno Hill Silver District ("KHSD" or the "District") in Canada's Yukon Territory...Read more

Sabre Gold Mines Corp. (TSX: SGLD; OTCQB: SGLDF) (the "Company" or "Sabre Gold") is pleased to announce the results of a Preliminary Economic Assessment ("PEA") for the Company's 100% owned, road-accessible Brewery Creek Gold Project located in Yukon Territory, Canada...Read more

Solaris Resources Inc. (TSX: SLS; OTCQB: SLSSF) ("Solaris" or the "Company") is pleased to announce a significant new discovery in maiden drilling of the Warintza South target at its Warintza Project ("Warintza" or "the Project") in southeastern Ecuador...Read more

**Pure Gold Mining Inc.** (TSX-V:PGM, LSE:PUR) ("PureGold" or the "Company"), is pleased to report high-grade drill intercepts returned from surface and underground drilling completed during the fourth quarter of 2021. This recently expanded drilling program was successful in confirming the tenor and continuity of gold mineralization in near-term production stopes, as well as establishing the potential for resource expansion close to existing development. Infill and extension drilling continues from both surface and underground to refine and prioritize mine sequencing, optimize mine production, and support incremental resource expansion in areas of active development...Read more

**Liberty Gold Corp.** (TSX: LGD; OTCQX: LGDTF) ("Liberty Gold" or the "Company") is pleased to announce additional reverse circulation ("RC") results from the 2021 drill program in the Rangefront Focus Area ("RFA") at the Black Pine oxide gold deposit, Idaho...Read more

**Equity Metals Corporation,** Drills Shallow, High-Grade Gold-Silver, Including 0.4 Metres of 9.0g/t Au, 3,574g/t Ag, 12.7% Cu, 1.2% Pb and 5.5% Zn (5,692g/t AgEq), on the Eastern Portion of the Camp Vein Target, Silver Queen Project, BC; Crews Mobilized for Winter Drill...Read more

Thesis Gold Inc. (TSXV: TAU) (WKN: A2QQ0Y) ("Thesis") or the "Company") is pleased to announce additional drill results from the Bonanza Zone, including 7.42 metres (m) core length of 49.14 grams per tonne (g/t) gold in drill hole 21BNZDD010. The Bonanza Zone is one of four primary zones tested during the >16,000 metre inaugural 2021 drill program at its 100% owned Ranch Gold Project, located in the Golden Horseshoe of north-central British Columbia, Canada...Read more

**Gold Standard Ventures Corp.** (NYSE AMERICAN: GSV) ("SSV) ("Gold Standard" or the "Company") today announced positive drill results from eight reverse circulation ("RC") drill holes at the Pinion SB Zone ("SB Zone") as part of its 2021 Exploration and Development Program (see press release dated May 20, 2021). The SB Zone is the contiguous southeast extension of the Pinion deposit...**Read more** 

Ranchero Gold Corp. ("Ranchero" or the "Company") (TSX.V:RNCH) is pleased to announce the first set of assay results from its inaugural drill program at the highly prospective Maíz Azul target, which is part of its 100%-owned Santa Daniela gold project located in Sonora, Mexico...Read more

Fabled Silver Gold Corp. ("Fabled" or the "Company") (TSXV:FCO) (OTC PINK:FBSGF) (FSE:7NQ) announces the results of surface diamond drilling from the upgraded 14,400 -meter drill program on the "Santa Maria" Property in Parral, Mexico...Read more

White Metal Resources Corp. (TSXV: WHM) (FSE: CGK1) (OTC Pink: TNMLF) ("White Metal" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has received additional drill results from its ongoing Phase 3 drilling program at its flagship Tower Mountain Gold Project (the "Project" or "Property"). The two drill holes The two drill holes TM-21-120 and TM-21-121 were designed to test the down dip and expansion of the Bench Zone and the Company is very pleased to report that both holes were successful in expanding the Bench Zone ...Read more

# **Erebor Insights Research**

Top Private Equity Deals in Mining Sector (Last 12 months)

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Apollo Global Management	Tronox	13-Sep-21	4,300.00
KPS Capital Partners	Norsk Hydro - Rolling division	05-Mar-21	1,659.60
IG4 Capital Investimentos	Sociedad Quimica y Minera de Chile	16-Apr-21	916
Kamur Partners , ACE Equity Partners, Cerritos Holdings	Australian Strategic Materials (Holdings)	21-Jul-21	250
Suzhou CATH Energy Technologies	AVZ International - Manono Lithium and Tin Project - Australia	27-Sep-21	240
Synergy Metals Investments Holding , Apollo Global Management	JSW Cement	15-Jul-21	201.2
Koch Strategic Platforms	Standard Lithium	24-Nov-21	100
Allegro Funds Pty.	Capral	14-Apr-21	88.3
Jinshi Investment Co.	Chaohu Yunhai Magnesium Industry	18-Aug-21	77.1
Leeds Equity Partners	American Equipment	04-May-21	73

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