

the Gold & Silver STANDARD



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A worldwide blockchain currency
safeguarded to the price of gold & silver.

At a glance

The Gold and Silver Standard outperforms its competitors, making it the ideal choice for investing in real gold and silver.

Discover the key differences in the chart below.

	Gold & Silver Standard	Physical Bullion	ETF	CFD Broker Account	Perth Mint Account
Fully Allocated direct legal ownership	✓	✓			
Bullion Vaulted & Insured in Australia	✓	?			✓
Independently Audited	✓	?	?		
Secure and transparent via DLT (Blockchain)	✓				
ERC-20 (Ethereum chain) - DeFi ready	✓				
Non government or financial institution	✓	✓		✓	
Tradeable 24/7	✓				✓
Fully redeemable for bullion	✓	✓			✓
Zero storage & transfer fees	✓			✓	✓
Deep liquidity & multiple trade outlets	✓	✓	✓		
No minimum or maximum trade amounts	✓				✓
Direct peer-to-peer transfer	✓	✓			

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Groundbreaking tech rooted in decades of bullion expertise.

BACKED BY AINSLIE BULLION, SINCE 1974.



The Gold and Silver Standard are digital currencies backed 100% by gold and silver bullion already secured, insured and audited in a high security Australian vaults.

The Gold and Silver Standard are made possible by Ainslie Bullion, a leading Australian bullion dealer since 1974. For absolute transparency, all mint and burn transactions and a database of all corresponding bars are shown publicly through our website.

Director Paul Engeman says

Gold and Silver Standard is unique in that it provides a secure stable coin 100% backed by gold and silver bullion all in a high regulatory environment, geopolitically safe Australia and with the expertise of one of Australia's oldest and most trusted bullion dealers.

Traditionally, people investing in gold or silver could choose between buying the real metal and securely storing it at their own expense, or buying certificates or paper gold that can be sold back to the dealer or market at a future date.

By introducing Blockchain into the purchase and sale process of gold and silver, the costs and time handling the metal can be drastically reduced, thus it can be a cheaper way to secure gold and silver.

The other very beneficial outcome from using the Gold and Silver Standard is it can be bought and sold on 24/7 cryptocurrency exchanges. Being relatively stable, it is also extremely attractive to crypto investors to park their profits in-between trades avoiding fiat currency based stablecoins.

The Gold and Silver Standard are ERC-20 compliant, using the Ethereum blockchain. The Ethereum blockchain is the largest and most trusted blockchain protocol and unlocks all the network effect and Decentralised Finance (DeFi) applications it supports.

Purchases can also be made over the counter through Ainslie's headquarters in Brisbane CBD Australia in person, by phone or via their webshop.

This is a massive change to the bullion investment landscape and also draws attention to a world economy in unprecedented territory borne of too much debt and too much monetary stimulus. It's never been easier to secure bullion, thanks to the blockchain.

Why ^{the} Gold & Silver STANDARD?



STABILITY

Our asset backed digital currencies tether to the price of gold and silver bullion. This can present a non Fiat currency based stablecoin safe haven for investors, an inflation hedge worldwide currency, or a cost effective investment in gold and silver. They combine the high security of vaulted metals and blockchain technology to safeguard your investment.



TRANSPARENCY

Using blockchain, all transactions are transparent and very efficient. Every Gold or Silver Standard token is equivalent to a gram of real gold or silver. Every single bullion bar of real gold and silver is stored and audited in *Reserve Vault* and *The Melbourne Vault*, two of the most secure bullion storage facilities in the Southern Hemisphere.



TRANSFERENCE

Move between other blockchain based currencies with ease, through the most exciting currency innovation of this generation. You can also exchange or redeem our digital currency for real gold and silver bullion. Alternatively buy with, or cash out for AUD with Ainslie Wealth or participating Fiat pairing exchanges.



Direct & Fully Redeemable

Part of what makes us so unique is the ease with which you can redeem your tokens for real gold or silver bullion. Redemptions are managed through Ainslie Wealth in Brisbane, Australia.

Purchase AUS & AGS online, phone or in store.

THROUGH OUR NOMINATED EXCHANGES

Firstly, you can purchase and sell through our nominated exchanges. This is as simple as clicking on the Buy button through our website.

You can choose between a traditional centralised exchange that accepts AUD or USD as well as other cryptos, or a decentralised exchange that accepts and trades only ERC-20 tokens and is simple, safe and anonymous.

Exchanges provide a 24/7 means of trading your tokens in a live priced market against a host of crypto options.

OVER THE COUNTER, AT OUR OFFICE

With OTC you deal with humans (though you can order online) at Ainslie Wealth. This means you can lock in a price and then pay for your purchase or receive funds to your bank account, or as cash on a sale. You can do all of this by either visiting Ainslie Wealth's CBD office in Brisbane, phoning Ainslie Wealth or placing an order on their webshop, ainsliewealth.com.au.

You can pay or be paid in cash, bank transfer, bullion, or other major cryptos.

By dealing with our sister company Ainslie Wealth, there is effectively no limit to the size of your purchase as they simply buy that much metal, deposit it in *Reserve Vault* and *The Melbourne Vault*, mint the tokens and deposit those in your wallet. That is all off-market and therefore doesn't move the market unduly. Likewise, they can facilitate large buy backs as well.

Redeeming your tokens for bullion.

DIGITAL COINS WORTH THEIR WEIGHT

Gold and Silver Standard tokens provide direct ownership of securely stored bullion.

You can easily redeem your tokens for physical gold and silver bullion bars at any time.

- Just contact Ainslie Wealth to arrange withdrawing your metal by redeeming your tokens by phone or email.
- Withdrawal fees apply to cover the expense of this process and to help keep storage and transfer fees free for token holders.

Otherwise, Ainslie Wealth accept both Gold Standard and Silver Standard as a form of payment meaning you can easily swap your tokens for any quantity or type of bullion bars, coins, or other cryptocurrencies outside of these redemption terms at the usual spreads.

If you are remote to Brisbane, Ainslie Wealth can securely ship your bullion directly to you insured, arrange a storage account where they can store it for you, or deliver (no charge) to *Reserve Vault* and *The Melbourne Vault* where you can get your own safe or a custodial account.

The tokens being easily redeemable means that the financial mechanics of arbitrage will always keep the tokens pegged to the spot price of gold and silver respectively, the very essence of an asset backed stablecoin.

\$0.00 on transfers.
\$0.00 for storage.
Low margins.

SAVINGS. FLEXIBILITY. SECURITY.

'The Gold and Silver Standard' gold and silver bullion is stored securely in world class vaults, verified by a world class assurance firm, and insured by the world's leading insurer. With a market cap in the tens of millions and through economies of scale and logistics efficiencies, Ainslie Wealth can absorb the cost of these services.

In other words there are no other costs or fees incurred. Compare that to storing and insuring your own bullion in a vault and you are well ahead owning Gold and Silver Standard.

Because large format bullion bars are used together with blockchain efficiencies, all buyers of AUS and AGS tokens enjoy very low premiums over spot. Such margins are normally only afforded to very large value traders.





Safe & Sound

Every Gold or Silver Standard token =
1 gram of real gold or silver. And this is
securely stored at the *Reserve Vault* &
The Melbourne Vault.

Underground, Down-under.

ULTRA HIGH-SECURITY VAULTS IN GEO POLITICALLY SAFE AUSTRALIA



The Gold and Silver Standard securely stores and audits all of its physical gold and silver holdings at *Reserve Vault* and *The Melbourne Vault*. These secure underground vaults in Australia, are two of the highest-level security storage facilities in the Southern Hemisphere.

Only clients have access to these facilities and all visitation must be booked ahead of time and all visitors are accompanied from the entrance by a licensed guard. All holdings within the vault are fully insured by one of the worlds leading insurers.

All metals held are independently verified in situ as well.
You can see more information about the by visiting:

Reserve Vault
The Melbourne Vault

www.reservevault.com.au
www.melbournevault.com.au

Quarterly auditing to keep you informed.

To provide token holders with additional assurance and comfort that all the metal backing the tokens is really there, an internationally recognised assurance firm verifies not only that the metal is secured, but that it remains secured and it is indeed real pure bullion.

WHAT THE VERIFICATION ENTAILS

- Each quarter the assurance firm downloads the latest database records for each metal.
- Each bar on the database is checked by the assurance firm to ensure both the weight and serial number are as recorded on the database. A report of factual findings is produced.
- Bars are loaded into tamper evident storage units sealed with a unique serial number noted by the assurance firm. This serves two purposes. For us, it means we don't need to re-count tonnes of metal every quarter; only that added or changed during the preceding quarter. For you it means the metal can't be 'used' between audits. If it is disturbed it will be immediately evident to the assurance firm and noted on the report. Of course, given tokens can be redeemed for metal, there will be times when seals are broken to access metal for redemptions but this will be obvious and noted by the report and the database.
- The assurance firm will randomly check 1 in 5 bars for purity. In Australia, precious metals bullion must be at least 99.5% pure for gold (though in practice all gold bullion is 99.99%) and

99.9% pure for silver. These will be the standard for Gold and Silver Standard metal held. Any exceptions to that would be noted in the report. The assurance firm will use a Sigma Metalytics precious metal verifier which tests deeper and does not get fooled by 'plating'.

The latest of these reports will be available for inspection on our website.

TOKEN AUDIT

A simple search of the contract address on the blockchain (either independently or through our website interrogator) allows anyone to then verify that the number of tokens on issue at the time equals the amount of metal secured.

More fundamentally, token holders can take additional comfort in the fact that the token smart contracts for both AUS and AGS were thoroughly tested and audited independently by Entersoft prior to launch.



Entersoft is an Application security service provider with a focus on proactive security through security by design. Through their managed service offerings, they currently work with 300+ customers in FinTech, IoT, Blockchain, BFSI and Healthcare. They help their customers achieve a high Application security quotient and instil proactive app security culture in the developers' DNA. Through offensive assessments, proactive monitoring and pragmatic security, they make application security a DevOps responsibility. They not only provide best in class Security assessments, they also inculcate DevSecOps within organizations. Entersoft were engaged by and found critical bugs in Yahoo, Blackberry, Dropbox and Western Union to name a few. In 2018 they were awarded Fintech of the Year by Economic Times ETNet.

FROM THE TOKEN REPORT

· Code Quality

The code quality is of high standard, and we believe it is well written and neat code. There is enough documentation for each function.

· Result

Audit was conducted on the provided three contract files. The following table provides an overall picture of the security posture. Means no bugs are identified.

#	SMART CONTRACT PENETRATION TEST OBJECTIVES	RESULT
1	RE-ENTRANCY	✓
2	INTEGER OVERFLOW / UNDERFLOW	✓
3	DOS (BY EXTERNAL REVERT/THROW)	✓
4	PAYABLE FALLBACK FUNCTION IMPLEMENTATION	✓
5	INHERIT ONLY WELL TESTED LIBRARIES	✓
6	REMOVAL OF UN-USED VARIABLES	✓
7	COSTLY LOOPS	✓
8	CALLS TO EXTERNAL CONTRACTS	✓
9	ALWAYS USE SAFEMATH LIBRARY FOR MATHEMATICAL CALCULATIONS	✓
10	HANDLING THE RESPONSE FROM EXTERNAL CONTRACT FUNCTIONS	✓
OVERALL SECURITY POSTURE		Secure



Profit in a storm

By choosing our gold or silver stable coin, you're protecting yourself from your local currency inflation, from economic news or times of national conflict.



Why gold and silver?

1. SAFE HAVEN AGAINST ECONOMIC UNCERTAINTY

- Gold and silver are generally uncorrelated to shares or equities. In the five worst years on the ASX, shares declined 24.4% and gold rose 38.5%. You were 63% better off in gold. In the GFC (over 2 years) – shares halved and gold doubled.
- Since the Global Financial Crisis (GFC), a financial crash caused by too much debt, we have seen over 40% more debt added to the system. We have seen Central Banks around the world unleash unprecedented monetisation ('printing money') and reduce interest rates to near and even below zero. This desperate attempt to reflate the system has not worked. Amid moribund real global economic growth, it has artificially inflated financial assets (shares, bonds, etc) beyond fundamentals. It has made it worse and left them nowhere to run when it next crashes.
- The 2020 COVID19 recession only saw this taken to a dangerously high new level to the point where it is now hard to see a painless exit from this stimulus.

2. SUPPLY & DEMAND FUNDAMENTALS

- Both gold and silver production appear to have reached a peak in 2015 and are now in decline after years of suppressed prices, declining mining yields and lack of new discoveries. As at 2017, demand for gold outstripped mine supply by 25%.
- The world's Central banks, already strategically holding large quantities of gold, have bought over 3,000 tonne since the GFC.
- Whilst there is around \$8 trillion worth of gold in existence, estimates indicate only \$1.5 trillion is available to the general market. There is approx \$300 trillion of financial assets in the world. What happens when even a fraction of that \$300 trillion tries to get into that \$1.5 trillion market space? Supply and demand is Economics 101...
- Chinese demand has surged since 2013 and continues. Investment demand too, started to surge in 2016.

- About half of all silver produced is used in growing industrial uses to which its properties are unique. Most of those uses discard the metal afterwards without recovery.
- Both gold and silver are relatively small markets that can quickly be overwhelmed by sentiment based investment.

Balance your wealth in an unbalanced world.TM

Imagine a world-wide currency that's totally tethered to the price of gold or silver. With the advent of blockchain we've done just that. For many around the world this means freedom from super debased currencies, out of control cost of living expenses or even just the benefits of moving away from the US dollar as a primary worldwide currency.

By choosing our gold or silver stablecoin, you are protecting yourself from your local currency inflation and economic, financial or geopolitical turmoil. Where traditionally, you would store a portion of wealth in physical gold or silver, you now have the ability to store this wealth on the immutable blockchain. This provides the same stability of real money in times of economic turmoil and comes with the added benefit of quicker access and efficiency when purchasing as well as the ability to transfer your blockchain gold and silver into other crypto assets and currencies through our nominated exchanges.

Cryptocurrency traders often have nowhere stable, transparent and trustworthy to place their holdings in-between trades. The Gold Standard and Silver Standard provide the perfect solution - a tokenised monetary asset to place holdings before and in-between trades.

The Gold Standard AUS and Silver Standard AGS are now the perfect stablecoins in a world of crypto volatility, economic and geopolitical uncertainty, and currency debasement.

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