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## DIREXION SHARES ETF TRUST

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#### 2 X BULL FUND

Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares  
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares  
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares (CHAU)

#### 2 X BEAR FUND

Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares  
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares

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The funds offered in this prospectus (each a "Fund" and collectively the "Funds") will trade on the NYSE Arca, Inc. upon commencement of operations (the "Exchange").

The Funds seek *daily leveraged* investment results and are intended to be used as short-term trading vehicles. The Funds with "Bull" in their names attempt to provide daily investment results that correlate to two times the performance of an underlying index on a daily basis. The Funds with "Bear" in their names are collectively referred to as the "Bear Funds" and attempt to provide daily investment results that correlate to two times the inverse (or opposite) of the performance of an underlying index on a daily basis.

The Funds are not intended to be used by, and are not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. The Funds are very different from most mutual funds and exchange-traded funds. Investors should note that:

(1) The Funds pursue *daily leveraged* investment objectives, which means that the Funds are riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Funds magnify the performance of their underlying index.

(2) The Bear Funds pursue a *daily leveraged* investment objective that is *inverse* to the performance of their underlying index, a result opposite of most mutual funds and exchange-traded funds.

(3) The Funds seek *daily leveraged* investment results. The pursuit of these investment objectives means that the return of a Fund for a period longer than a full trading day will be the product of the series of daily leveraged returns for each trading day during the relevant period. As a consequence, especially in periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect a Fund's return as much or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of a Fund's stated daily leveraged investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

The Funds are not suitable for all investors. The Funds are designed to be utilized only by sophisticated investors, such as traders and active investors employing dynamic strategies. Such investors are expected to monitor and manage their portfolios frequently. Investors in the Funds should:

- (a) understand the risks associated with the use of leverage,
- (b) understand the consequences of seeking daily leveraged investment results,
- (c) for a Bear Fund, understand the risk of shorting, and
- (d) actively monitor and manage their investments.

Investors who do not understand the Funds or do not intend to actively manage their funds and monitor their investments should not buy the Funds. There is no assurance that any Fund will achieve its investment objective and an investment in a Fund could lose money. No single Fund is a complete investment program.

If a Fund's underlying index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, the Fund's investors would lose all of their money. The Funds' investment adviser, Rafferty Asset Management, LLC ("Rafferty" or "Adviser"), will attempt to position a Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its net asset value on a given trading day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on a Fund's gains. As a consequence, a Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to underlying index movements beyond 45% on a given trading day, whether that movement is favorable or adverse to the Fund. For example, if a Bull Fund's underlying index was to gain 50%, that Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90%, which corresponds to 200% of an underlying index gain of 45%, rather than 200% of an underlying index gain of 50%.

*These securities have not been approved or disapproved by the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") or the U.S. Commodity Futures Trading Commission ("CFTC"), nor have the SEC or CFTC passed upon the adequacy of this Prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.*

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# SUMMARY OF DIREXION SHARES

## Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares

### Important Information Regarding the Fund

The Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares ("Fund") seeks **daily** leveraged investment results. The pursuit of daily leveraged goals means that the Fund is riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Fund's objective is to magnify the performance of an underlying index. The pursuit of daily leveraged investment goals means that the return of the Fund for a period longer than a full trading day may have no resemblance to 200% of the return of its underlying index for such longer period because the aggregate return of the Fund is the product of the series of each trading day's daily leveraged returns. During periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect the Fund's return as much as or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of the Fund's stated investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks daily investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the performance of the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index. The Index is composed of equity securities of issuers involved in the exploration and production of gold and does not track changes in the spot price of gold as a commodity. ***The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results and does not seek to achieve its stated investment objective over a period of time greater than one day.*** The Fund is different and much riskier than most exchange-traded funds.

**The Fund is designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking daily leveraged investment results, understand the risks associated with the use of leverage and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results relative to the Index and is different and riskier than similarly benchmarked exchange-traded funds that do not use leverage. Therefore, the Fund is not intended to be used by, and is not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

### Fees and Expenses of the Fund

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy or hold shares of the Fund ("Shares"). Investors purchasing shares in the secondary market may pay costs (including customary brokerage commissions) charged by their broker.

**Annual Fund Operating Expenses<sup>(1)</sup>** (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

Management Fees	0.50%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses of the Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	0.37%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	0.07%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	0.94%
Expense Cap/Reimbursement	-0.27%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Expense Cap/Reimbursement	0.67%

<sup>(1)</sup> Rafferty Asset Management, LLC ("Rafferty" or the "Adviser") has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with the Fund. Under the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse the Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that the Fund's Total Annual Operating Expenses exceed 0.60% of the Fund's daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, acquired fund fees and expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation). Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by the Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses are estimated for the Fund's current fiscal year.

### Expense Example

The example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund's operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years
\$68	\$273

### Portfolio Turnover

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or "turns over" its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, affect the Fund's performance.

## Principal Investment Strategies

The Fund, under normal circumstances, creates long positions by investing at least 80% of its assets in the securities that comprise the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index (“Index”) and/or financial instruments that provide leveraged and unleveraged exposure to the Index. These financial instruments include: swap agreements; exchange-traded funds (“ETFs”); swaps on ETFs, futures contracts; forward contracts; short positions; reverse repurchase agreements; and other financial instruments. On a day-to-day basis, the Fund invests the remainder of its assets in money market funds, depository accounts with institutions with high quality credit ratings or short-term debt instruments that have terms-to-maturity of less than 397 days and exhibit high quality credit profiles, including U.S. government securities and repurchase agreements.

The Index is a modified market capitalization weighted index comprised of publicly traded companies that operate globally in both developed and emerging markets, and are involved primarily in the mining for gold and silver. The Index’s average market capitalization was \$9.09 billion and its median market capitalization was \$2.75 billion as of December 31, 2014. Components of the Index include the gold mining industry as of December 31, 2014. The components of the Index and the percentages represented by certain industries in the Index may change over time. The Fund will concentrate its investment (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) in a particular industry or group of industries to approximately the same extent as the Index is so concentrated.

The Fund may gain leveraged exposure to only a representative sample of the securities in the Index that have aggregate characteristics similar to those of the Index. The Fund gains this exposure either by directly investing in the underlying securities of the Index or by investing in derivatives that provide leveraged exposure to those securities. Derivatives are financial instruments that derive value from the underlying reference asset or assets, such as stocks, bonds, or funds (including ETFs), interest rates or indexes. The Fund invests in derivatives as a substitute for investing directly in a security in order to gain leveraged exposure to the Index or its components. The Fund seeks to remain fully invested at all times consistent with its stated investment objective. At the close of the markets each trading day, Rafferty positions the Fund’s portfolio so that its exposure to the Index is consistent with the Fund’s stated investment objective. The impact of the Index’s movements during the day will affect whether the Fund’s portfolio needs to be re-positioned. For example, if the Index has risen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should rise, meaning that the Fund’s exposure will need to be increased. Conversely, if the Index has fallen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should fall, meaning the Fund’s exposure will need to be reduced. This re-positioning strategy typically results in high portfolio turnover.

**Because of daily rebalancing and the compounding of each day’s return over time, the return of the Fund for periods longer than a single day will be the result of each day’s returns compounded over the period, which will very likely differ from 200% of the return of the Index over the same period. The Fund will lose money if the Index performance is flat over time, and as a result of daily rebalancing, the Index’s volatility and the effects of compounding, it is even possible that the Fund will lose money over time while the Index’s performance increases.**

## Principal Investment Risks

An investment in the Fund entails risk. The Fund could lose money or its performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. The Adviser cannot guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. In addition, the Fund presents some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review all of the risks listed below and understand how these risks interrelate before making an investment in the Fund. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Fund. There is the risk that you could lose all or a portion of your money invested in the Fund.

### ***Adverse Market Conditions Risk***

Because the Fund magnifies the performance of the Index, its performance will suffer during conditions in which the Index declines.

### ***Adviser’s Investment Strategy Risk***

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for the Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate the Fund’s daily performance with 200% of the daily performance of the Index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable the Fund to achieve its investment objective.

### ***Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, forward contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Fund and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

### **Concentration Risk**

The performance of the Fund may be more volatile than a fund that does not concentrate its investments in a specific industry or group of industries. The Fund also may be more susceptible to any single economic market, political or regulatory occurrence affecting that industry or group of industries. However, the Fund only may concentrate its investments (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) to approximately the same extent that its underlying index concentrates in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries. For purposes of this limitation, securities of the U.S. government (including its agencies and instrumentalities), repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. government securities, and securities of state or municipal governments and their political subdivisions are not considered to be issued by members of any industry.

### **Counterparty Risk**

The Fund may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments may include, but are not limited to, swap agreements. The use of swap agreements and other counterparty instruments involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. For example, the Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. In addition, the Fund may enter into swap agreements that involve a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. The Fund does not specifically limit its counterparty risk with respect to any single counterparty. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Fund and, as a result, the Fund may not be able to achieve its investment objective.

### **Currency Exchange Rate Risk**

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

### **Daily Index Correlation/Tracking Risk**

There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve a high degree of correlation to the Index and therefore achieve its daily leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of correlation with the Index, the Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily leveraged investment objective. The Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by the Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect the Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. The Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in the Index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the Index. In addition, the Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the Index. The Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its Index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the Index is impacted dynamically by the Index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that the Fund will be perfectly exposed to the Index at the end of each day. The possibility of the Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its Index increases on days when the Index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Fund's ability to meet its daily leveraged investment objective.

### **Depository Receipt Risk**

To the extent the Fund seeks exposure to foreign companies, the Fund may have investments or exposure to depository receipts or other securities convertible into securities of foreign issuers, including American Depository Receipts ("ADRs"), European Depository Receipts ("EDRs"), and Global Depository Receipts ("GDRs"). While the use of ADRs, EDRs and GDRs, which are traded on exchanges and represent an ownership in a foreign security, provide an alternative to directly purchasing the underlying foreign securities in their respective national markets and currencies, investments in ADRs, EDRs, and GDRs continue to be subject to certain of the risks associated with investing directly in foreign securities.

### **Derivatives Risk**

The Fund uses investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options, that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than



investing in the underlying securities. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Fund. The use of derivatives may expose the Fund to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Fund uses derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Fund from achieving its investment objective. The Fund may use a combination of swaps on the Index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the Index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the Index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF or as a result of the underlying ETF's shares trading a premium or discount from the underlying ETF's NAV on the secondary market and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Fund invests in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Fund may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of correlation with the Index as it would if the Fund used swaps that utilized the Index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Fund's return. In addition, the Fund's investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

*Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

*Futures Contracts.* There may be an imperfect correlation between the changes in market value of the securities held by the Fund and the prices of futures contracts. There may not be a liquid secondary market for the futures contracts.

*Forward Contracts.* Forward contracts are two- party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at

an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.

#### ***Early Close/Trading Halt Risk***

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in the Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, the Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

#### ***Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk***

The Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are 200% of the return of the Index for periods other than a single day. The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to that day's gains or reducing exposure in response to that day's losses. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of the Index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Fund's daily target (200%) generally will not equal the Fund's performance over that same period. If the daily performance of the Fund's Index reduces the amount of a shareholder's investment, any further adverse daily performance will lead to a smaller dollar loss because the shareholder's investment had already been reduced by the prior adverse performance. Equally, however, if the daily performance of the Fund's Index increases the amount of a shareholder's investment, the dollar amount lost due to future adverse performance will increase correspondingly.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of the Fund's portfolio may diverge significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in 200% of the return of the Fund's Index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of the Fund. It also is expected that the Fund's use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform 200% of the return of the Index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on the Fund's performance as the Index experiences volatility. The Index's volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the Index. The table below provides examples of how Index volatility could affect the Fund's performance. The chart shows estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to

illustrate how holding the Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown. As shown below, the Fund would be expected to lose 6.1% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its Index provided no return over a one year period during which the Index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the Index's annualized volatility were to rise to 75% and the Index return for the year was 0%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Fund widens to approximately 43%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the Index is flat. For instance, if the Index's annualized volatility is 100%, the Fund would be expected to lose over 60% of its value, even if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%.

**Table 1**

One Year Index Return	200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
-60%	-120%	-84.2%	-85.0%	-87.5%	-90.9%	-94.1%
-50%	-100%	-75.2%	-76.5%	-80.5%	-85.8%	-90.8%
-40%	-80%	-64.4%	-66.2%	-72.0%	-79.5%	-86.8%
-30%	-60%	-51.5%	-54.0%	-61.8%	-72.1%	-82.0%
-20%	-40%	-36.6%	-39.9%	-50.2%	-63.5%	-76.5%
-10%	-20%	-19.8%	-23.9%	-36.9%	-53.8%	-70.2%
0%	0%	-1.0%	-6.1%	-22.1%	-43.0%	-63.2%
10%	20%	19.8%	13.7%	-5.8%	-31.1%	-55.5%
20%	40%	42.6%	35.3%	12.1%	-18.0%	-47.0%
30%	60%	67.3%	58.8%	31.6%	-3.7%	-37.8%
40%	80%	94.0%	84.1%	52.6%	11.7%	-27.9%
50%	100%	122.8%	111.4%	75.2%	28.2%	-17.2%
60%	120%	153.5%	140.5%	99.4%	45.9%	-5.8%

The Index's annualized historical volatility rate for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 32.91%. The Index's highest volatility rate for any one calendar year during the five-year period was 44.58% and volatility for a shorter period of time may have been substantially higher. The Index's annualized performance for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 15.64%. Historical Index volatility and performance are not indications of what the Index volatility and performance will be in the future. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the Index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of the Index.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Fund, see "Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies" in the Fund's statutory prospectus, and "Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds" in the Fund's Statement of Additional Information.**

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the investment. The Fund is not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. This table is intended to underscore the fact that the Fund is designed as a short-term trading vehicle for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

**Emerging Markets Risk**

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries include: political or social upheaval; nationalization of businesses; restrictions on foreign ownership; prohibitions on the repatriation of assets; and risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times.

As the result of recent events involving the Ukraine and the Russian Federation, the United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions on certain Russian individuals and a Russian bank. The United States and other nations or international organizations may impose additional economic sanctions or take other actions that may adversely affect Russian-related issuers including economic sanctions against companies in various sectors of the Russian economy, including, but not limited to, the financial services, energy, metals and mining, engineering, and defense and defense-related materials sectors. These sanctions, if imposed, could impair the Fund's ability to meet its investment objective. For example, the Fund may be prohibited from investing in securities issued by companies subject to such sanctions. In addition, the sanctions may require the Fund to freeze its existing investments in Russian companies, prohibiting the Fund from buying, selling or otherwise transacting in these investments.

For these or other reasons, in the event that an emergency exists in which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund to dispose of its securities or to determine its net asset value ("NAV"), the Fund could seek to suspend redemptions of creation units. The Fund could also, among other things, limit or suspend creations of creation units. During the period that

creations or redemptions are affected, the Fund's shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to their NAV. In the case of a period during which creations are suspended, the Fund could experience substantial redemptions, which may cause the Fund to experience increased transaction costs and make greater taxable distributions to shareholders of the Fund. The Fund may also change its investment objective by, for example, seeking to track an alternative index. Alternatively, the Fund could liquidate, through a liquidating trust or otherwise, all or a portion of its assets, which may be at unfavorable prices.

#### ***Equity Securities Risk***

Investments in publicly issued equity securities and securities that provide exposure to equity securities, including common stocks, in general are subject to market risks that may cause their prices to fluctuate over time. Fluctuations in the value of equity securities in which the Fund invests will cause the NAV of the Fund to fluctuate.

#### ***Foreign Securities Risk***

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies.

#### ***Gain Limitation Risk***

If the Fund's Index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, you would lose all of your money. Rafferty will attempt to position the Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on the Fund's gains. As a consequence, the Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to Index gains beyond 45% in a given day. For example, if the Index were to gain 50%, the Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is 200% of the Index gain of 50%.

#### ***Geographic Concentration Risk***

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, the Fund may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### ***Gold and Silver Related Companies Risk***

Because the Index is concentrated in the gold mining industry and may have significant exposure to assets in the silver mining industry, the Fund will be sensitive to changes in the overall condition of gold and silver related companies. Competitive pressures may have a significant effect on the financial condition of gold and silver related companies. Also gold and silver related companies are highly dependent on the price of gold and silver bullion, respectively, and may be adversely affected by a variety of worldwide economic, financial and political factors. These prices may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time which may cause the value of the gold and silver related companies to be more volatile than the general market. In times of significant inflation or great economic uncertainty, gold, silver and other precious metals may outperform traditional investments such as bonds and stocks. However, in times of stable economic growth, traditional equity and debt investments could offer greater appreciation potential and the value of gold, silver and other precious metals may be adversely affected, which could in turn affect the Fund. If a natural disaster or other event with a significant economic impact occurs in a region in which the companies included in the Index operate, such disaster or event could negatively impact the profitability of such companies and, in turn, impact the Fund's return.

#### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of the Fund's holdings pursuant to its daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of the Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). The Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short-term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of the Fund's trading. As such, if the Fund's extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

#### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Fund seeks leveraged investment results from the close of the market on a given trading day until the close of the market on the subsequent trading day. The exact exposure of an investment in the Fund intraday in the secondary market is a function of the difference between the value of



the Index at the market close on the first trading day and the value of the Index at the time of purchase. If the Index gains value, the Fund's net assets will rise by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Conversely, if the Index declines, the Fund's net assets will decline by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Since a Fund starts each trading day with exposure which is 200% of its net assets, a change in both the exposure and the net assets of the Fund by the same absolute amount results in a change in the comparative relationship of the two. As an example (using simplified numbers), if the Fund had \$100 in net assets at the market close, it would seek \$200 of exposure to the next trading day's Index performance. If the Index rose by 1% by noon the following trading day, the exposure of the Fund will have risen by 1% to \$202 and the net assets will have risen by that \$2 gain to \$102. With net assets of \$102 and exposure of \$202, a purchaser at that point would be receiving 198% exposure of her investment instead of 200%.

#### **Leverage Risk**

To achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Fund, you are exposed to the risk that a decline in the daily performance of the Index will be leveraged. This means that your investment in the Fund will be reduced by an amount equal to 2% for every 1% daily decline in the Index, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment. The Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of an Index decline of more than 50%. Further, purchasing shares during a day may result in greater than 200% exposure to the performance of the Index if the Index declines between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day.

To fully understand the risks of using leverage in the Fund, see "Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk" above.

#### **Liquidity Risk**

Some securities held by the Fund, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to value. If the Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty's judgment of the security's true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent the Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation with the Index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

#### **Market Risk**

The Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market.

#### **Mining and Metal Industry Risk**

The Fund will invest in securities issued by, and/or have exposure to, companies primarily involved in the mining of precious metals. Investments in mining and metal industry companies may be speculative and subject to greater price volatility than investments in other types of companies. Increased environmental or labor costs may depress the value of mining and metal investments. In addition, changes in international monetary policies or economic and political conditions can affect the supply of gold and precious metals, and consequently the value of mining and metal company investments. The United States or foreign governments may pass laws or regulations limiting metal investments for strategic or other policy reasons. Further, the principal supplies of metal industries may be concentrated in a small number of countries and regions.

#### **Money Market Instrument Risk**

The Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

#### **Non-Diversification Risk**

The Fund is non-diversified, which means it invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund's NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a conventional diversified fund.

#### **Other Investment Companies (including ETFs) Risk**

Investments in the securities of other investment companies, including ETFs, may involve duplication of advisory fees and certain other expenses. By investing in another investment

company or ETF, the Fund becomes a shareholder thereof. As a result, Fund shareholders indirectly bear the Fund's proportionate share of the fees and expenses paid by shareholders of the other investment company or ETF, in addition to the fees and expenses Fund shareholders bear in connection with the Fund's own operations. The Fund's performance may be magnified positively or negatively by virtue of its investment in other investment companies or ETFs. If the investment company or ETF fails to achieve its investment objective, the value of the Fund's investment will decline, adversely affecting the Fund's performance. In addition, closed end investment company or ETF shares potentially may trade at a discount or a premium and are subject to brokerage and other trading costs, which could result in greater expenses to the Fund. Finally, because the value of other investment company and ETF shares depends on the demand in the market, the Adviser may not be able to liquidate the Fund's holdings in those shares at the most optimal time, adversely affecting the Fund's performance.

#### **Regulatory Risk**

The Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Fund operates, increase the particular costs of the Fund's operations and/or change the competitive landscape.

#### **Valuation Time Risk**

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

#### **Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds**

**Trading Issues.** Trading in Shares on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of that exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable, such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the exchange on which it trades, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of the Fund that are listed for trading on an exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and

redeemed in creation units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. The Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with the Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Fund.

#### **Fund Performance**

No prior investment performance is provided for the Fund because it had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus. Upon commencement of operations, updated performance will be available on the Fund's website at [www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance](http://www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance) or by calling the Fund toll free at 1-866-476-7523.

#### **Management**

##### **Investment Adviser**

Rafferty Asset Management, LLC is the Fund's investment adviser.

##### **Portfolio Manager**

Paul Brigandi, the Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and has served in this role since the Fund's inception.

##### **Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

The Fund's shares are not individually redeemable. The Fund will issue and redeem Shares only to Authorized Participants in exchange for the deposit or delivery of a basket of assets (securities and/or cash) in large blocks, known as creation units, each of which is comprised of 50,000 Shares. Retail investors may only purchase and sell Shares on a national securities exchange through a broker-dealer and may incur brokerage costs. Because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at a price greater than NAV (premium) or less than NAV (discount).

##### **Tax Information**

The Fund intends to make distributions that may be taxed as ordinary income or long-term capital gains. Those distributions will be subject to federal income tax and may also be subject to state and local taxes, unless you are investing through a tax-deferred arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Distributions or investments made through tax-deferred arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal. Distributions by the Fund may be significantly higher than those of most other ETFs.

**Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank or financial advisor), the Fund and/or the Adviser may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other financial intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.

## Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares

### Important Information Regarding the Fund

The Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares (“Fund”) seeks **daily inverse** leveraged investment results. The pursuit of daily inverse leveraged goals means that the Fund is riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Fund’s objective is to magnify the performance of an underlying index. The pursuit of daily inverse leveraged investment goals means that the return of the Fund for a period longer than a full trading day may have no resemblance to –200% of the return of its underlying index for such longer period because the aggregate return of the Fund is the product of the series of each trading day’s daily leveraged returns. During periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect the Fund’s return as much as or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of the Fund’s stated investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks daily investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the inverse (or opposite) of the performance of the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index. The Index is composed of equity securities of issuers involved in the exploration and production of gold and does not track changes in the spot price of gold as a commodity. **The Fund seeks daily inverse leveraged investment results and does not seek to achieve its stated investment objective over a period of time greater than one day. The Fund is different and much riskier than most exchange-traded funds.**

**The Fund is designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking daily inverse leveraged investment results, understand the risks associated with shorting and the use of leverage, and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. The Fund seeks daily inverse leveraged investment results relative to the Index and is different and riskier than similarly benchmarked exchange-traded funds that do not use leverage. Therefore, the Fund is not intended to be used by, and is not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

### Fees and Expenses of the Fund

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy or hold shares of the Fund (“Shares”). Investors purchasing shares in the secondary market may pay costs (including customary brokerage commissions) charged by their broker.

**Annual Fund Operating Expenses<sup>(1)</sup>** (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

Management Fees	0.50%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses of the Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	0.37%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	0.00%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	0.87%
Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>–0.27%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>0.60%</u>

<sup>(1)</sup> Rafferty Asset Management, LLC (“Rafferty” or the “Adviser”) has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with the Fund. Under the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty has contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse the Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that the Fund’s Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses exceed 0.60% of the Fund’s daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, acquired fund fees and expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation). Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by the Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses are estimated for the Fund’s current fiscal year.

### Expense Example

The example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years
\$61	\$251

### Portfolio Turnover

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These

costs, which are not reflected in Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, affect the Fund's performance.

### **Principal Investment Strategies**

The Fund, under normal circumstances, creates short positions by investing at least 80% of its assets in: swap agreements; exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"); swaps on ETFs, futures contracts; forward contracts; short equity positions; reverse repurchase agreements; and other financial instruments that, in combination, provide inverse leveraged and unleveraged exposure to the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index ("Index"). On a day-to-day basis, the Fund invests the remainder of its assets in money market funds, depository accounts with institutions with high quality credit ratings or short-term debt instruments that have terms-to-maturity of less than 397 days and exhibit high quality credit profiles, including U.S. government securities and repurchase agreements. The Fund does not invest in equity securities.

The Index is a modified market capitalization weighted index comprised of publicly traded companies that operate globally in both developed and emerging markets, and are involved primarily in the mining for gold and silver. The Index's average market capitalization was \$9.09 billion and its median market capitalization was \$2.75 billion as of December 31, 2014. Components of the Index include the gold mining industry as of December 31, 2014. The components of the Index and the percentages represented by certain industries in the Index may change over time. The Fund will concentrate its investment (i.e., hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) in a particular industry or group of industries to approximately the same extent as the Index is so concentrated.

The Fund may gain inverse leveraged exposure to only a representative sample of the securities in the Index that have aggregate characteristics similar to those of the Index. The Fund gains this inverse exposure by investing in a combination of financial instruments that provide inverse leveraged exposure to the underlying securities of the Index. Derivatives are financial instruments that derive value from the underlying reference asset or assets, such as stocks, bonds, or funds (including ETFs), interest rates or indexes. The Fund invests in derivatives as a substitute for directly shorting securities in order to gain inverse leveraged exposure to the Index or its components. The Fund seeks to remain fully invested at all times consistent with its stated investment objective. At the close of the markets each trading day, Rafferty positions the Fund's portfolio so that its exposure to the Index is consistent with the Fund's investment objective. The impact of the Index's movements during the day will affect whether the Fund's portfolio needs to be re-positioned. For example, if the Index has fallen on a

given day, net assets of the Fund should rise, meaning that the Fund's exposure will need to be increased. Conversely, if the Index has risen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should fall, meaning the Fund's exposure will need to be reduced. This re-positioning strategy typically results in high portfolio turnover.

**Because of daily rebalancing and the compounding of each day's return over time, the return of the Fund for periods longer than a single day will be the result of each day's returns compounded over the period, which will very likely differ from -200% of the return of the Index over the same period. The Fund will lose money if the Index performance is flat over time, and as a result of daily rebalancing, the Index's volatility and the effects of compounding, it is even possible that the Fund will lose money over time while the Index's performance decreases.**

### **Principal Investment Risks**

An investment in the Fund entails risk. The Fund could lose money or its performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. The Adviser cannot guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. In addition, the Fund presents some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review all of the risks listed below and understand how these risks interrelate before making an investment in the Fund. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Fund. There is the risk that you could lose all or a portion of your money invested in the Fund.

#### ***Adverse Market Conditions Risk***

Because the Fund magnifies the inverse performance of the Index, its performance will suffer during conditions in which the Index rises.

#### ***Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk***

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for the Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate the Fund's daily performance with -200% of the daily performance of the Index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable the Fund to achieve its investment objective.

#### ***Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, forward contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the



value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Fund and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

#### ***Cash Transaction Risk***

Unlike most ETFs, the Fund currently intends to effect creations and redemptions principally for cash, rather than principally for in-kind securities, because of the nature of the financial instruments held by the Fund. As such, investments in Shares may be less tax efficient than investments in conventional ETFs.

#### ***Concentration Risk***

The performance of the Fund may be more volatile than a fund that does not concentrate its investments in a specific industry or group of industries. The Fund also may be more susceptible to any single economic market, political or regulatory occurrence affecting that industry or group of industries. However, the Fund only may concentrate its investments (i.e., hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) to approximately the same extent that its underlying index concentrates in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries. For purposes of this limitation, securities of the U.S. government (including its agencies and instrumentalities), repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. government securities, and securities of state or municipal governments and their political subdivisions are not considered to be issued by members of any industry.

#### ***Counterparty Risk***

The Fund may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments may include, but are not limited to, swap agreements. The use of swap agreements and other counterparty instruments involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. For example, the Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. In addition, the Fund may enter into swap agreements that involve a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. The Fund does not specifically limit its counterparty risk with respect to any single counterparty. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Fund and, as a result, the Fund may not be able to achieve its investment objective.

#### ***Currency Exchange Rate Risk***

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

#### ***Daily Inverse Index Correlation/Tracking Risk***

Shareholders should lose money when the Index rises, which is a result that is the opposite from traditional index tracking funds. There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve a high degree of inverse correlation to the Index and therefore achieve its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of inverse correlation with the Index, the Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. The Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily inverse leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by the Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect the Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. The Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in the Index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the Index. In addition, the Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the Index. The Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its Index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the Index is impacted dynamically by the Index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that the Fund will be perfectly exposed to the Index at the end of each day. The possibility of the Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its Index increases on days when the Index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Fund's ability to meet its daily inverse leveraged investment objective.

#### ***Depository Receipt Risk***

To the extent the Fund seeks exposure to foreign companies, the Fund may have exposure to depository receipts or other securities convertible into securities of foreign issuers, including American Depository Receipts ("ADRs"), European

Depository Receipts (“EDRs”), and Global Depository Receipts (“GDRs”). While the use of ADRs, EDRs and GDRs, which are traded on exchanges and represent an ownership in a foreign security, provide an alternative to directly purchasing the underlying foreign securities in their respective national markets and currencies, investments in ADRs, EDRs, and GDRs continue to be subject to certain of the risks associated with investing directly in foreign securities.

#### **Derivatives Risk**

The Fund uses investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options, that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than directly shorting the underlying securities. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Fund. The use of derivatives may expose the Fund to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Fund uses derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Fund from achieving its investment objective. The Fund may use a combination of swaps on the Index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the Index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the Index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF or as a result of the underlying ETF’s shares trading a premium or discount from the underlying ETF’s NAV on the secondary market and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Fund invests in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Fund may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of inverse correlation with the Index as it would if the Fund used swaps that utilized the Index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Fund’s return. In addition, the Fund’s investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

*Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of

securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

*Futures Contracts.* There may be an imperfect correlation between the changes in market value of the securities held by the Fund and the prices of futures contracts. There may not be a liquid secondary market for the futures contracts.

*Forward Contracts.* Forward contracts are two- party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.

#### **Early Close/Trading Halt Risk**

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in the Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, the Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

#### **Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk**

The Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are –200% of the return of the Index for periods other than a single day. The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to the Index’s daily losses and reducing exposure in response to the Index’s daily gains. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of the Index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Fund’s daily target (–200%) generally will not equal the Fund’s performance over that same period. If the daily performance of the Fund’s Index reduces the amount of a shareholder’s investment, any further adverse daily performance will lead to a smaller dollar loss because the shareholder’s investment had already been reduced by the prior adverse performance. Equally, however, if the daily performance of the Fund’s Index increases the amount of a shareholder’s investment, the dollar amount lost due to future adverse performance will increase correspondingly.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of the Fund's portfolio may diverge significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in -200% of the return of the Fund's Index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of the Fund. It also is expected that the Fund's use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform -200% of the return of the Index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on the Fund's performance as the Index experiences volatility. The Index's volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the Index. The table below provides examples of how Index volatility could affect the Fund's performance. The chart shows estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to illustrate how holding the Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain inverse leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown. As shown below, the Fund would be expected to lose 17.1% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its Index provided no return over a one year period during which the Index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the Index's annualized volatility were to rise to 75% and the Index return for the year was 0%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Fund widens to approximately 81.5%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the Index is flat. For instance, if the Index's annualized volatility is 100%, the Fund would be expected to lose approximately 95% of its value, even if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%.

**Table 1**

One Year Index Return	-200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
-60%	120%	506.5%	418.1%	195.2%	15.6%	-68.9%
-50%	100%	288.2%	231.6%	88.9%	-26.0%	-80.1%
-40%	80%	169.6%	130.3%	31.2%	-48.6%	-86.2%
-30%	60%	98.1%	69.2%	-3.6%	-62.2%	-89.8%
-20%	40%	51.6%	29.5%	-26.2%	-71.1%	-92.2%
-10%	20%	19.8%	2.3%	-41.7%	-77.2%	-93.9%
0%	0%	-3.0%	-17.1%	-52.8%	-81.5%	-95.0%
10%	-20%	-19.8%	-31.5%	-61.0%	-84.7%	-95.9%
20%	-40%	-32.6%	-42.4%	-67.2%	-87.2%	-96.5%
30%	-60%	-42.6%	-50.9%	-72.0%	-89.1%	-97.1%
40%	-80%	-50.5%	-57.7%	-75.9%	-90.6%	-97.5%
50%	-100%	-56.9%	-63.2%	-79.0%	-91.8%	-97.8%
60%	-120%	-62.1%	-67.6%	-81.5%	-92.8%	-98.1%

The Index's annualized historical volatility rate for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 32.91%. The Index's highest volatility rate for any one calendar year during the five-year period was 44.58% and volatility for a shorter period of time may have been substantially higher. The Index's annualized performance for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 15.64%. Historical Index volatility and performance are not indications of what the Index volatility and performance will be in the future. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the Index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of the Index.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Fund, see "Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies" in the Fund's statutory prospectus, and "Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds" in the Fund's Statement of Additional Information.**

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the investment. The Fund is not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. This table is intended to underscore the fact that the Fund is designed as a short-term trading vehicle for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

**Emerging Markets Risk**

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries

include: political or social upheaval; nationalization of businesses; restrictions on foreign ownership; prohibitions on the repatriation of assets; and risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times.

As the result of recent events involving the Ukraine and the Russian Federation, the United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions on certain Russian individuals and a Russian bank. The United States and other nations or international organizations may impose additional economic sanctions or take other actions that may adversely affect Russian-related issuers including economic sanctions against companies in various sectors of the Russian economy, including, but not limited to, the financial services, energy, metals and mining, engineering, and defense and defense-related materials sectors. These sanctions, if imposed, could impair the Fund's ability to meet its investment objective. For example, the Fund may be prohibited from investing in securities issued by companies subject to such sanctions. In addition, the sanctions may require the Fund to freeze its existing investments in Russian companies, prohibiting the Fund from buying, selling or otherwise transacting in these investments.

For these or other reasons, in the event that an emergency exists in which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund to dispose of its securities or to determine its net asset value ("NAV"), the Fund could seek to suspend redemptions of creation units. The Fund could also, among other things, limit or suspend creations of creation units. During the period that creations or redemptions are affected, the Fund's shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to their NAV. In the case of a period during which creations are suspended, the Fund could experience substantial redemptions, which may cause the Fund to experience increased transaction costs and make greater taxable distributions to shareholders of the Fund. The Fund may also change its investment objective by, for example, seeking to track an alternative index. Alternatively, the Fund could liquidate, through a liquidating trust or otherwise, all or a portion of its assets, which may be at unfavorable prices.

#### **Foreign Securities Risk**

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards

in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies.

#### **Gain Limitation Risk**

If the Fund's Index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, you would lose all of your money. Rafferty will attempt to position the Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on the Fund's gains. As a consequence, the Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to Index losses beyond 45% in a given day. For example, if the Index were to lose 50%, the Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is -200% of the Index loss of 50%.

#### **Geographic Concentration Risk**

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, the Fund may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### **Gold and Silver Related Companies Risk**

Because the Index is concentrated in the gold mining industry and may have significant exposure to assets in the silver mining industry, the Fund will be sensitive to changes in the overall condition of gold and silver related companies. Competitive pressures may have a significant effect on the financial condition of gold and silver related companies. Also gold and silver related companies are highly dependent on the price of gold and silver bullion, respectively, and may be adversely affected by a variety of worldwide economic, financial and political factors. These prices may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time which may cause the value of the gold and silver related companies to be more volatile than the general market. In times of significant inflation or great economic uncertainty, gold, silver and other precious metals may outperform traditional investments such as bonds and stocks. However, in times of stable economic growth, traditional equity and debt investments could offer greater appreciation potential and the value of gold, silver and other precious metals may be adversely affected, which could in turn affect the Fund. If a natural disaster or other event with a significant economic impact occurs in a region in which the companies included in the Index operate, such disaster or event could negatively impact the profitability of such companies and, in turn, impact the Fund's return.



### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of the Fund's holdings pursuant to its daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of the Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). The Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short-term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of the Fund's trading. As such, if the Fund's extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Fund seeks leveraged investment results from the close of the market on a given trading day until the close of the market on the subsequent trading day. The exact exposure of an investment in the Fund intraday in the secondary market is a function of the difference between the value of the Index at the market close on the first trading day and the value of the Index at the time of purchase. The Fund's gains occur as its market exposure declines and its losses are accompanied by increases in market exposure. If the Index declines, the Fund's net assets will rise by an amount equal to the decline in the Fund's exposure. Conversely, if the Index rises the Fund's net assets will decline by the same amount as the increase in the Fund's exposure. As an example (using simplified numbers), if the Fund had \$100 in net assets at the market close, it would seek -\$200 of exposure to the next trading day's Index performance. If the Index declined by 1% by noon the following trading day, the exposure of the Fund will fall by 1% to -\$198 and the net assets will rise by \$2 to \$102. With net assets of \$102 and exposure of -\$198, a purchaser at that point would be receiving -194% exposure of her investment instead of -200%.

### ***Leverage Risk***

To achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Fund, you are exposed to the risk that an increase in the daily performance of the Index will be leveraged. This means that your investment in the Fund will be reduced by an amount equal

to 2% for every 1% daily increase in the Index, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment. The Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of an Index increase of more than 50%. Further, purchasing shares during a day may result in greater than -200% exposure to the performance of the Index if the Index rises between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day.

To fully understand the risks of using leverage in the Fund, see "Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk" above.

### ***Liquidity Risk***

Some securities held by the Fund, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to value. If the Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty's judgment of the security's true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent the Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation with the Index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

### ***Market Risk***

The Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market.

### ***Mining and Metal Industry Risk***

The Fund will invest in securities issued by, and/or have exposure to, companies primarily involved in the mining of precious metals. Investments in mining and metal industry companies may be speculative and subject to greater price volatility than investments in other types of companies. Increased environmental or labor costs may depress the value of mining and metal investments. In addition, changes in international monetary policies or economic and political conditions can affect the supply of gold and precious metals, and consequently the value of mining and metal company investments. The United States or foreign governments may pass laws or regulations limiting metal investments for strategic or other policy reasons. Further, the principal supplies of metal industries may be concentrated in a small number of countries and regions.



### **Money Market Instrument Risk**

The Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

### **Non-Diversification Risk**

The Fund is non-diversified, which means it invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund's NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a conventional diversified fund.

### **Regulatory Risk**

The Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Fund operates, increase the particular costs of the Fund's operations and/or change the competitive landscape.

### **Shorting Risk**

In order to achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund may engage in short sales which are designed to provide the Fund gains when the price of a particular security, basket of securities or indices declines. When the Fund shorts securities of another investment company, it borrows shares of that investment company which it then sells. The Fund closes out a short sale by purchasing the security that it has sold short and returning that security to the entity that lent the security. The Fund may also seek inverse or "short" exposure through the use of derivatives such as swap agreements or futures contracts, which may expose the Fund to certain risks such as an increase in volatility or decrease in the liquidity of the securities of the underlying short position. If the Fund were to experience this volatility or decreased liquidity, the Fund's return may be lower, the Fund's ability to obtain inverse exposure through the use of derivatives may be limited or the Fund may be required to obtain inverse exposure through alternative investments strategies that may be less desirable or more costly to implement. If the securities underlying the short positions are thinly traded or have a limited market due to various factors, including regulatory action, the Fund may be unable to meet its investment objective due to lack of available

securities or counterparties. During such periods, the Fund's ability to issue additional creation units may be adversely affected. Obtaining inverse exposure through the use of derivatives or other financial instruments may be considered an aggressive investment technique.

### **Valuation Time Risk**

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

### **Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds**

**Trading Issues.** Trading in Shares on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of that exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable, such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the exchange on which it trades, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of the Fund that are listed for trading on an exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and redeemed in creation units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. The Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with the Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Fund.

### **Fund Performance**

No prior investment performance is provided for the Fund because it had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus. Upon commencement of operations, updated performance will be available on the Fund's website at [www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance](http://www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance) or by calling the Fund toll free at 1-866-476-7523.

## **Management**

### **Investment Adviser**

Rafferty Asset Management, LLC is the Fund's investment adviser.

### **Portfolio Manager**

Paul Brigandi, the Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and has served in this role since the Fund's inception.

### **Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

The Fund's shares are not individually redeemable. The Fund will issue and redeem Shares for cash only to Authorized Participants in large blocks, known as creation units, each of which is comprised of 50,000 Shares. Retail investors may only purchase and sell Shares on a national securities exchange through a broker-dealer and may incur brokerage costs. Because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at a price greater than NAV (premium) or less than NAV (discount).

### **Tax Information**

The Fund intends to make distributions that may be taxed as ordinary income or long-term capital gains. Those distributions will be subject to federal income tax and may also be subject to state and local taxes, unless you are investing through a tax-deferred arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Distributions or investments made through tax-deferred arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal. Distributions by the Fund may be significantly higher than those of most other ETFs.

### **Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank or financial advisor), the Fund and/or the Adviser may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other financial intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.

## Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares

### Important Information Regarding the Fund

The Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares (“Fund”) seeks **daily** leveraged investment results. The pursuit of daily leveraged goals means that the Fund is riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Fund’s objective is to magnify the performance of an underlying index. The pursuit of daily leveraged investment goals means that the return of the Fund for a period longer than a full trading day may have no resemblance to 200% of the return of its underlying index for such longer period because the aggregate return of the Fund is the product of the series of each trading day’s daily leveraged returns. During periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect the Fund’s return as much as or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of the Fund’s stated investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks daily investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the performance of the Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index. The Index is composed of equity securities of issuers involved in the exploration and production of gold and does not track changes in the spot price of gold as a commodity. **The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results and does not seek to achieve its stated investment objective over a period of time greater than one day.** The Fund is different and much riskier than most exchange-traded funds.

**The Fund is designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking daily leveraged investment results, understand the risks associated with the use of leverage and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results relative to the Index and is different and riskier than similarly benchmarked exchange-traded funds that do not use leverage. Therefore, the Fund is not intended to be used by, and is not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

### Fees and Expenses of the Fund

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy or hold shares of the Fund (“Shares”). Investors purchasing shares in the secondary market may pay costs (including customary brokerage commissions) charged by their broker.

**Annual Fund Operating Expenses<sup>(1)</sup>** (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

Management Fees	0.50%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses of the Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	0.45%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	<u>0.08%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	1.03%
Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>-0.35%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>0.68%</u>

<sup>(1)</sup> Rafferty Asset Management, LLC (“Rafferty” or the “Adviser”) has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with the Fund. Under the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse the Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that the Fund’s Total Annual Operating Expenses exceed 0.60% of the Fund’s daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, acquired fund fees and expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation). Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by the Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses are estimated for the Fund’s current fiscal year.

### Expense Example

The example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years
\$69	\$293

### Portfolio Turnover

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, affect the Fund’s performance.

## Principal Investment Strategies

The Fund, under normal circumstances, creates long positions by investing at least 80% of its assets in the securities that comprise the Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index (“Index”) and/or financial instruments that provide leveraged and unleveraged exposure to the Index. These financial instruments include: swap agreements; exchange-traded funds (“ETFs”); swaps on ETFs; futures contracts; forward contracts; short positions; reverse repurchase agreements; and other financial instruments. On a day-to-day basis, the Fund invests the remainder of its assets in money market funds, depository accounts with institutions with high quality credit ratings or short-term debt instruments that have terms-to-maturity of less than 397 days and exhibit high quality credit profiles, including U.S. government securities and repurchase agreements.

The Index tracks the performance of micro-, small- and mid-capitalization companies in the global gold and silver mining industry, as identified by the index provider. The Index includes companies from financial markets that are freely investable to foreign investors, including “emerging markets,” as that term is defined by the index provider. In general, the principal supplies of gold are concentrated in only five countries or territories: Australia, Canada, Russia and certain other former Soviet Union countries, South Africa and the United States.

The Index includes only micro-, small- or mid-cap companies that generate, or demonstrate the potential to generate, at least 50% of their revenues from gold or silver mining, hold real property that has the potential to produce at least 50% of the company’s revenue from gold or silver mining when developed, or primarily invest in gold or silver. As of December 31, 2014, the Index included 64 stocks with an average market capitalization of \$394.7 million and a median market capitalization of \$299.1 million.

In addition, stocks must meet strict size and liquidity requirements: The full market capitalization has to exceed 150 million in U.S. Dollars, the three months average-daily-trading volume must be higher than 1.0 million in U.S. Dollars and the stocks must have traded at least 250,000 shares per month over the last six months.

The Index is calculated with the stock prices converted to U.S. Dollars in real-time. The Index is reviewed quarterly and changes are implemented on the third Friday of every quarter-end month (*i.e.* March, June, September and December). Changes become effective on the next trading day. Components of the Index include the gold mining industry as of December 31, 2014. The components of the Index and the percentages represented by certain industries in the Index may change over time. The Fund will concentrate its investment (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the

stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) in a particular industry or group of industries to approximately the same extent as the Index is so concentrated.

The Fund may gain leveraged exposure to only a representative sample of the securities in the Index that have aggregate characteristics similar to those of the Index. The Fund gains this exposure either by directly investing in the underlying securities of the Index or by investing in derivatives that provide leveraged exposure to those securities. Derivatives are financial instruments that derive value from the underlying reference asset or assets, such as stocks, bonds, or funds (including ETFs), interest rates or indexes. The Fund invests in derivatives as a substitute for investing directly in a security in order to gain leveraged exposure to the Index or its components. The Fund seeks to remain fully invested at all times consistent with its stated investment objective. At the close of the markets each trading day, Rafferty positions the Fund’s portfolio so that its exposure to the Index is consistent with the Fund’s stated investment objective. The impact of the Index’s movements during the day will affect whether the Fund’s portfolio needs to be re-positioned. For example, if the Index has risen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should rise, meaning that the Fund’s exposure will need to be increased. Conversely, if the Index has fallen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should fall, meaning the Fund’s exposure will need to be reduced. This re-positioning strategy typically results in high portfolio turnover.

**Because of daily rebalancing and the compounding of each day’s return over time, the return of the Fund for periods longer than a single day will be the result of each day’s returns compounded over the period, which will very likely differ from 200% of the return of the Index over the same period. The Fund will lose money if the Index performance is flat over time, and as a result of daily rebalancing, the Index’s volatility and the effects of compounding, it is even possible that the Fund will lose money over time while the Index’s performance increases.**

## Principal Investment Risks

An investment in the Fund entails risk. The Fund could lose money or its performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. The Adviser cannot guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. In addition, the Fund presents some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review all of the risks listed below and understand how these risks interrelate before making an investment in the Fund. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Fund. There is the risk that you could lose all or a portion of your money invested in the Fund.

### ***Adverse Market Conditions Risk***

Because the Fund magnifies the performance of the Index, its performance will suffer during conditions in which the Index declines.

### ***Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk***

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for the Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate the Fund's daily performance with 200% of the daily performance of the Index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable the Fund to achieve its investment objective.

### ***Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, forward contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Fund and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

### ***Concentration Risk***

The performance of the Fund may be more volatile than a fund that does not concentrate its investments in a specific industry or group of industries. The Fund also may be more susceptible to any single economic market, political or regulatory occurrence affecting that industry or group of industries. However, the Fund only may concentrate its investments (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) to approximately the same extent that its underlying index concentrates in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries. For purposes of this limitation, securities of the U.S. government (including its agencies and instrumentalities), repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. government securities, and securities of state or municipal governments and their political subdivisions are not considered to be issued by members of any industry.

### ***Counterparty Risk***

The Fund may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments may include, but are not limited to, swap agreements. The use of swap agreements and other counterparty instruments involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio

securities transactions. For example, the Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. In addition, the Fund may enter into swap agreements that involve a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. The Fund does not specifically limit its counterparty risk with respect to any single counterparty. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Fund and, as a result, the Fund may not be able to achieve its investment objective.

### ***Currency Exchange Rate Risk***

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

### ***Daily Index Correlation/Tracking Risk***

There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve a high degree of correlation to the Index and therefore achieve its daily leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of correlation with the Index, the Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily leveraged investment objective. The Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by the Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect the Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. The Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in the Index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the Index. In addition, the Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the Index. The Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its Index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the Index is impacted dynamically by the Index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that the Fund will be perfectly exposed to the Index at the end of each day. The possibility



of the Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its Index increases on days when the Index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Fund's ability to meet its daily leveraged investment objective.

#### ***Depository Receipt Risk***

To the extent the Fund seeks exposure to foreign companies, the Fund may have investments or exposure to depository receipts or other securities convertible into securities of foreign issuers, including American Depository Receipts ("ADRs"), European Depository Receipts ("EDRs"), and Global Depository Receipts ("GDRs"). While the use of ADRs, EDRs and GDRs, which are traded on exchanges and represent an ownership in a foreign security, provide an alternative to directly purchasing the underlying foreign securities in their respective national markets and currencies, investments in ADRs, EDRs, and GDRs continue to be subject to certain of the risks associated with investing directly in foreign securities.

#### ***Derivatives Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options, that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than investing in the underlying securities directly. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Fund. The use of derivatives may expose the Fund to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Fund uses derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Fund from achieving its investment objective. The Fund may use a combination of swaps on the Index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the Index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the Index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF or as a result of the underlying ETF's shares trading a premium or discount from the underlying ETF's NAV on the secondary market and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Fund invests in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Fund may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of correlation with the Index as it would if the Fund used swaps that utilized the Index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Fund's return. In addition, the Fund's

investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

*Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

*Futures Contracts.* There may be an imperfect correlation between the changes in market value of the securities held by the Fund and the prices of futures contracts. There may not be a liquid secondary market for the futures contracts.

*Forward Contracts.* Forward contracts are two- party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.

#### ***Early Close/Trading Halt Risk***

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in the Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, the Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

#### ***Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk***

The Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are 200% of the return of the Index for periods other than a single day. The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to that day's gains or reducing exposure in response to that day's losses. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in

daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of the Index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Fund's daily target (200%) generally will not equal the Fund's performance over that same period. If the daily performance of the Fund's Index reduces the amount of a shareholder's investment, any further adverse daily performance will lead to a smaller dollar loss because the shareholder's investment had already been reduced by the prior adverse performance. Equally, however, if the daily performance of the Fund's Index increases the amount of a shareholder's investment, the dollar amount lost due to future adverse performance will increase correspondingly.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of the Fund's portfolio may diverge significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in 200% of the return of the Fund's Index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of the Fund. It also is expected that the Fund's use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform 200% of the return of two times the Index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on the Fund's performance as the Index experiences volatility. The Index's volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the Index. The table below provides examples of how Index volatility could affect the Fund's performance. The chart shows estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to illustrate how holding the Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown. As shown below, the Fund would be expected to lose 6.1% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its Index provided no return over a one year period during which the Index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the Index's annualized volatility were to rise to 75% and the Index return for the year was 0%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Fund widens to approximately 43%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the Index is flat. For instance, if the Index's annualized volatility is 100%, the Fund would be expected to lose over 60% of its value, even if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%.

**Table 1**

One Year Index Return	200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
-60%	-120%	-84.2%	-85.0%	-87.5%	-90.9%	-94.1%
-50%	-100%	-75.2%	-76.5%	-80.5%	-85.8%	-90.8%
-40%	-80%	-64.4%	-66.2%	-72.0%	-79.5%	-86.8%
-30%	-60%	-51.5%	-54.0%	-61.8%	-72.1%	-82.0%
-20%	-40%	-36.6%	-39.9%	-50.2%	-63.5%	-76.5%
-10%	-20%	-19.8%	-23.9%	-36.9%	-53.8%	-70.2%
0%	0%	-1.0%	-6.1%	-22.1%	-43.0%	-63.2%
10%	20%	19.8%	13.7%	-5.8%	-31.1%	-55.5%
20%	40%	42.6%	35.3%	12.1%	-18.0%	-47.0%
30%	60%	67.3%	58.8%	31.6%	-3.7%	-37.8%
40%	80%	94.0%	84.1%	52.6%	11.7%	-27.9%
50%	100%	122.8%	111.4%	75.2%	28.2%	-17.2%
60%	120%	153.5%	140.5%	99.4%	45.9%	-5.8%

The Index's annualized historical volatility rate for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 42.89%. The Index's highest volatility rate for any one calendar year during the five-year period was 45.83% and volatility for a shorter period of time may have been substantially higher. The Index's annualized performance for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 21.94%. Historical Index volatility and performance are not indications of what the Index volatility and performance will be in the future. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the Index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of the Index.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Fund, see "Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies" in the Fund's statutory prospectus, and "Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds" in the Fund's Statement of Additional Information.**

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the investment. The Fund is not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. This table is intended to underscore the fact that the Fund is designed as a short-term trading vehicle for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

**Emerging Markets Risk**

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries include: political or social upheaval; nationalization of businesses; restrictions on foreign ownership; prohibitions

on the repatriation of assets; and risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times.

As the result of recent events involving the Ukraine and the Russian Federation, the United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions on certain Russian individuals and a Russian bank. The United States and other nations or international organizations may impose additional economic sanctions or take other actions that may adversely affect Russian-related issuers including economic sanctions against companies in various sectors of the Russian economy, including, but not limited to, the financial services, energy, metals and mining, engineering, and defense and defense-related materials sectors. These sanctions, if imposed, could impair the Fund's ability to meet its investment objective. For example, the Fund may be prohibited from investing in securities issued by companies subject to such sanctions. In addition, the sanctions may require the Fund to freeze its existing investments in Russian companies, prohibiting the Fund from buying, selling or otherwise transacting in these investments.

For these or other reasons, in the event that an emergency exists in which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund to dispose of its securities or to determine its net asset value ("NAV"), the Fund could seek to suspend redemptions of creation units. The Fund could also, among other things, limit or suspend creations of creation units. During the period that creations or redemptions are affected, the Fund's shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to their NAV. In the case of a period during which creations are suspended, the Fund could experience substantial redemptions, which may cause the Fund to experience increased transaction costs and make greater taxable distributions to shareholders of the Fund. The Fund may also change its investment objective by, for example, seeking to track an alternative index. Alternatively, the Fund could liquidate, through a liquidating trust or otherwise, all or a portion of its assets, which may be at unfavorable prices.

#### ***Equity Securities Risk***

Investments in publicly issued equity securities and securities that provide exposure to equity securities, including common stocks, in general are subject to market risks that may cause their prices to fluctuate over time. Fluctuations in the value of equity securities in which the Fund invests will cause the NAV of the Fund to fluctuate.

#### ***Foreign Securities Risk***

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a

result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies.

#### ***Gain Limitation Risk***

If the Fund's Index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, you would lose all of your money. Rafferty will attempt to position the Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on the Fund's gains. As a consequence, the Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to Index gains beyond 45% in a given day. For example, if the Index were to gain 50%, the Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is 200% of the Index gain of 50%.

#### ***Geographic Concentration Risk***

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, the Fund may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### ***Gold and Silver Related Companies Risk***

Because the Index is concentrated in the gold mining industry and may have significant exposure to assets in the silver mining industry, the Fund will be sensitive to changes in the overall condition of gold and silver related companies. Competitive pressures may have a significant effect on the financial condition of gold and silver related companies. Also gold and silver related companies are highly dependent on the price of gold and silver bullion, respectively, and may be adversely affected by a variety of worldwide economic, financial and political factors. These prices may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time which may cause the value of the gold and silver related companies to be more volatile than the general market. In times of significant inflation or great economic uncertainty, gold, silver and other precious metals may outperform traditional investments such as bonds and stocks. However, in times of stable economic growth, traditional equity and debt investments could offer greater appreciation potential and the value of gold, silver and other precious metals may be adversely affected, which could in turn affect the Fund. If a natural disaster or other event with a significant economic impact occurs in a region in which the companies included in the Index operate, such disaster or event could negatively impact the profitability of such companies and, in turn, impact the Fund's return.

### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of the Fund's holdings pursuant to its daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of the Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). The Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short-term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of the Fund's trading. As such, if the Fund's extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Fund seeks leveraged investment results from the close of the market on a given trading day until the close of the market on the subsequent trading day. The exact exposure of an investment in the Fund intraday in the secondary market is a function of the difference between the value of the Index at the market close on the first trading day and the value of the Index at the time of purchase. If the Index gains value, the Fund's net assets will rise by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Conversely, if the Index declines, the Fund's net assets will decline by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Since a Fund starts each trading day with exposure which is 200% of its net assets, a change in both the exposure and the net assets of the Fund by the same absolute amount results in a change in the comparative relationship of the two. As an example (using simplified numbers), if the Fund had \$100 in net assets at the market close, it would seek \$200 of exposure to the next trading day's Index performance. If the Index rose by 1% by noon the following trading day, the exposure of the Fund will have risen by 1% to \$202 and the net assets will have risen by that \$2 gain to \$102. With net assets of \$102 and exposure of \$202, a purchaser at that point would be receiving 198% exposure of her investment instead of 200%.

### ***Leverage Risk***

To achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Fund, you are exposed to the risk that a decline in the daily performance of the Index will be leveraged. This means that your investment in the

Fund will be reduced by an amount equal to 2% for every 1% daily decline in the Index, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment. The Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of an Index decline of more than 50%. Further, purchasing shares during a day may result in greater than 200% exposure to the performance of the Index if the Index declines between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day.

To fully understand the risks of using leverage in the Fund, see "Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk" above.

### ***Liquidity Risk***

Some securities held by the Fund, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to value. If the Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty's judgment of the security's true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent the Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation with the Index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

### ***Market Risk***

The Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market.

### ***Micro-Capitalization Company Risk***

Stock prices of micro-cap companies are significantly more volatile, and more vulnerable to adverse business and economic developments than those of larger companies. In addition, micro-cap companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies, including companies which are considered small- or mid-capitalization. Furthermore, micro-cap companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. As a result, their performance can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of the Fund's portfolio.

### ***Mining and Metal Industry Risk***

The Fund will invest in securities issued by, and/or have exposure to, companies primarily involved in the mining of



precious metals. Investments in mining and metal industry companies may be speculative and subject to greater price volatility than investments in other types of companies. Increased environmental or labor costs may depress the value of mining and metal investments. In addition, changes in international monetary policies or economic and political conditions can affect the supply of gold and precious metals, and consequently the value of mining and metal company investments. The United States or foreign governments may pass laws or regulations limiting metal investments for strategic or other policy reasons. Further, the principal supplies of metal industries may be concentrated in a small number of countries and regions.

#### ***Money Market Instrument Risk***

The Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

#### ***Non-Diversification Risk***

The Fund is non-diversified, which means it invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund's NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a conventional diversified fund.

#### ***Other Investment Companies (including ETFs) Risk***

Investments in the securities of other investment companies, including ETFs, may involve duplication of advisory fees and certain other expenses. By investing in another investment company or ETF, the Fund becomes a shareholder thereof. As a result, Fund shareholders indirectly bear the Fund's proportionate share of the fees and expenses indirectly paid by shareholders of the other investment company or ETF, in addition to the fees and expenses Fund shareholders bear in connection with the Fund's own operations. The Fund's performance may be magnified positively or negatively by virtue of its investment in other investment companies or ETFs. If the investment company or ETF fails to achieve its investment objective, the value of the Fund's investment will decline, adversely affecting the Fund's performance. In addition, closed end investment company or ETF shares

potentially may trade at a discount or a premium and are subject to brokerage and other trading costs, which could result in greater expenses to the Fund. Finally, because the value of other investment company and ETF shares depends on the demand in the market, the Adviser may not be able to liquidate the Fund's holdings in those shares at the most optimal time, adversely affecting the Fund's performance.

#### ***Regulatory Risk***

The Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Fund operates, increase the particular costs of the Fund's operations and/or change the competitive landscape.

#### ***Small- and/or Mid-Capitalization Company Risk***

Investing in the securities of small and/or mid-capitalization companies, and securities that provide exposure to small and/or mid-capitalization companies, involves greater risks and the possibility of greater price volatility than investing in more-established, larger capitalization companies. Small and mid-capitalization companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies. Furthermore, those companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. In addition, because these stocks are not well-known to the investing public, do not have significant institutional ownership and are followed by relatively few security analysts, there will normally be less publicly available information concerning these securities compared to what is available for the securities of larger companies. Adverse publicity and investor perceptions, whether based on fundamental analysis, can decrease the value and liquidity of securities held by the Fund. As a result, the performance of small and/or mid-capitalization companies can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of the Fund's portfolio.

#### ***Valuation Time Risk***

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

#### ***Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds***

***Trading Issues.*** Trading in Shares on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the



view of that exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable, such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the exchange on which it trades, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of the Fund that are listed for trading on an exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and redeemed in creation units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. The Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with the Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Fund.

#### **Fund Performance**

No prior investment performance is provided for the Fund because it had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus. Upon commencement of operations, updated performance will be available on the Fund's website at [www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance](http://www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance) or by calling the Fund toll free at 1-866-476-7523.

#### **Management**

##### **Investment Adviser**

Rafferty Asset Management, LLC is the Fund's investment adviser.

##### **Portfolio Manager**

Paul Brigandi, the Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and has served in this role since the Fund's inception.

#### **Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

The Fund's shares are not individually redeemable. The Fund will issue and redeem Shares only to Authorized Participants in exchange for the deposit or delivery of a basket of assets (securities and/or cash) in large blocks, known as creation units, each of which is comprised of 50,000 Shares. Retail investors may only purchase and sell Shares on a national securities exchange through a broker-dealer and may incur

brokerage costs. Because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at a price greater than NAV (premium) or less than NAV (discount).

#### **Tax Information**

The Fund intends to make distributions that may be taxed as ordinary income or long-term capital gains. Those distributions will be subject to federal income tax and may also be subject to state and local taxes, unless you are investing through a tax-deferred arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Distributions or investments made through tax-deferred arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal. Distributions by the Fund may be significantly higher than those of most other ETFs.

#### **Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank or financial advisor), the Fund and/or the Adviser may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other financial intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.

## Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares

### Important Information Regarding the Fund

The Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares (“Fund”) seeks **daily inverse** leveraged investment results. The pursuit of daily inverse leveraged goals means that the Fund is riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Fund’s objective is to magnify the performance of an underlying index. The pursuit of daily inverse leveraged investment goals means that the return of the Fund for a period longer than a full trading day may have no resemblance to –200% of the return of its underlying index for such longer period because the aggregate return of the Fund is the product of the series of each trading day’s daily leveraged returns. During periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect the Fund’s return as much as or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of the Fund’s stated investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks daily inverse investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the inverse (or opposite) of the performance of the Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index. The Index is composed of equity securities of issuers involved in the exploration and production of gold and does not track changes in the spot price of gold as a commodity. **The Fund seeks daily inverse leveraged investment results and does not seek to achieve its stated investment objective over a period of time greater than one day.** The Fund is different and much riskier than most exchange-traded funds.

**The Fund is designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking daily inverse leveraged investment results, understand the risks associated with shorting and the use of leverage, and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. The Fund seeks daily inverse leveraged investment results relative to the Index and is different and riskier than similarly benchmarked exchange-traded funds that do not use leverage. Therefore, the Fund is not intended to be used by, and is not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

### Fees and Expenses of the Fund

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy or hold shares of the Fund (“Shares”). Investors purchasing shares in the secondary market may pay costs (including customary brokerage commissions) charged by their broker.

**Annual Fund Operating Expenses<sup>(1)</sup>** (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

Management Fees	0.50%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses of the Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	0.45%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	0.00%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	0.95%
Expense Cap/Reimbursement	–0.35%
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>0.60%</u>

<sup>(1)</sup> Rafferty Asset Management, LLC (“Rafferty” or the “Adviser”) has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with the Fund. Under the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty has contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse the Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that the Fund’s Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses exceed 0.60% of the Fund’s daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, acquired fund fees and expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation). Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by the Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses are estimated for the Fund’s current fiscal year.

### Expense Example

The example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years
\$61	\$268

### Portfolio Turnover

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are

held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, affect the Fund's performance.

### Principal Investment Strategies

The Fund, under normal circumstances, creates short positions by investing at least 80% of its assets in: swap agreements; exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"); swaps on ETFs; futures contracts; forward contracts; short equity positions; reverse repurchase agreements; and other financial instruments that, in combination, provide leveraged and unleveraged exposure to the Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index ("Index"). On a day-to-day basis, the Fund invests the remainder of its assets in money market funds, depository accounts with institutions with high quality credit ratings or short-term debt instruments that have terms-to-maturity of less than 397 days and exhibit high quality credit profiles, including U.S. government securities and repurchase agreements. The Fund does not invest in equity securities.

The Index tracks the performance of micro-, small- and mid-capitalization companies in the global gold and silver mining industry, as identified by the index provider. The Index includes companies from financial markets that are freely investable to foreign investors, including "emerging markets," as that term is defined by the index provider. In general, the principal supplies of gold are concentrated in only five countries or territories: Australia, Canada, Russia and certain other former Soviet Union countries, South Africa and the United States.

The Index includes only micro-, small- or mid-cap companies that generate, or demonstrate the potential to generate, at least 50% of their revenues from gold or silver mining, hold real property that has the potential to produce at least 50% of the company's revenue from gold or silver mining when developed, or primarily invest in gold or silver. As of December 31, 2014, the Index included 64 stocks with an average market capitalization of \$394.7 million and a median market capitalization of \$299.1 million.

In addition, stocks must meet strict size and liquidity requirements: The full market capitalization has to exceed 150 million in U.S. Dollars, the three months average-daily-trading volume must be higher than 1.0 million in U.S. Dollars and the stocks must have traded at least 250,000 shares per month over the last six months.

The Index is calculated with the stock prices converted to U.S. Dollars in real-time. The Index is reviewed quarterly and changes are implemented on the third Friday of every quarter-end month (i.e. March, June, September and December). Changes become effective on the next trading day. Components of the Index include the gold mining

industry as of December 31, 2014. The components of the Index and the percentages represented by certain industries in the Index may change over time. The Fund will concentrate its investment (i.e., hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) in a particular industry or group of industries to approximately the same extent as the Index is so concentrated.

The Fund may gain inverse leveraged exposure to only a representative sample of the securities in the Index that have aggregate characteristics similar to those of the Index. The Fund gains this inverse exposure by investing in a combination of financial instruments that provide inverse leveraged exposure to the underlying securities of the Index. Derivatives are financial instruments that derive value from the underlying reference asset or assets, such as stocks, bonds, or funds (including ETFs), interest rates or indexes. The Fund invests in derivatives as a substitute for directly shorting securities in order to gain inverse leveraged exposure to the Index or its components. The Fund seeks to remain fully invested at all times consistent with its stated investment objective. At the close of the markets each trading day, Rafferty positions the Fund's portfolio so that its exposure to the Index is consistent with the Fund's stated investment objective. The impact of the Index's movements during the day will affect whether the Fund's portfolio needs to be re-positioned. For example, if the Index has fallen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should rise, meaning that the Fund's exposure will need to be increased. Conversely, if the Index has risen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should fall, meaning the Fund's exposure will need to be reduced. This re-positioning strategy typically results in high portfolio turnover.

**Because of daily rebalancing and the compounding of each day's return over time, the return of the Fund for periods longer than a single day will be the result of each day's returns compounded over the period, which will very likely differ from -200% of the return of the Index over the same period. The Fund will lose money if the Index performance is flat over time, and as a result of daily rebalancing, the Index's volatility and the effects of compounding, it is even possible that the Fund will lose money over time while the Index's performance decreases.**

### Principal Investment Risks

An investment in the Fund entails risk. The Fund could lose money or its performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. The Adviser cannot guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. In addition, the Fund presents some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review all of the risks listed below and understand how these risks interrelate before making an investment in the

Fund. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Fund. There is the risk that you could lose all or a portion of your money invested in the Fund.

#### ***Adverse Market Conditions Risk***

Because the Fund magnifies the inverse performance of the Index, its performance will suffer during conditions in which the Index rises.

#### ***Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk***

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for the Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate the Fund's daily performance with -200% of the daily performance of the Index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable the Fund to achieve its investment objective.

#### ***Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, forward contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Fund and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

#### ***Cash Transaction Risk***

Unlike most ETFs, the Fund currently intends to effect creations and redemptions principally for cash, rather than principally for in-kind securities, because of the nature of the financial instruments held by the Fund. As such, investments in Shares may be less tax efficient than investments in conventional ETFs.

#### ***Concentration Risk***

The performance of the Fund may be more volatile than a fund that does not concentrate its investments in a specific industry or group of industries. The Fund also may be more susceptible to any single economic market, political or regulatory occurrence affecting that industry or group of industries. However, the Fund only may concentrate its investments (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) to approximately the same extent that its underlying index concentrates in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries. For purposes of this limitation, securities of the U.S. government (including its

agencies and instrumentalities), repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. government securities, and securities of state or municipal governments and their political subdivisions are not considered to be issued by members of any industry.

#### ***Counterparty Risk***

The Fund may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments may include, but are not limited to, swap agreements. The use of swap agreements and other counterparty instruments involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. For example, the Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. In addition, the Fund may enter into swap agreements that involve a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. The Fund does not specifically limit its counterparty risk with respect to any single counterparty. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Fund and, as a result, the Fund may not be able to achieve its investment objective.

#### ***Currency Exchange Rate Risk***

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

#### ***Daily Inverse Index Correlation/Tracking Risk***

Shareholders should lose money when the Index rises, which is a result that is the opposite from traditional index tracking funds. There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve a high degree of inverse correlation to the Index and therefore achieve its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of inverse correlation with the Index, the Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. The Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily inverse leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the

use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by the Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect the Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. The Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in the Index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the Index. In addition, the Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the Index. The Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its Index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the Index is impacted dynamically by the Index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that the Fund will be perfectly exposed to the Index at the end of each day. The possibility of the Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its Index increases on days when the Index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Fund's ability to meet its daily inverse leveraged investment objective.

#### **Depository Receipt Risk**

To the extent the Fund seeks exposure to foreign companies, the Fund may have investments or exposure to depository receipts or other securities convertible into securities of foreign issuers, including American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs"), European Depositary Receipts ("EDRs"), and Global Depositary Receipts ("GDRs"). While the use of ADRs, EDRs and GDRs, which are traded on exchanges and represent an ownership in a foreign security, provide an alternative to directly purchasing the underlying foreign securities in their respective national markets and currencies, investments in ADRs, EDRs, and GDRs continue to be subject to certain of the risks associated with investing directly in foreign securities.

#### **Derivatives Risk**

The Fund uses investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options, that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than directly shorting the underlying securities. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Fund. The use of derivatives may expose the Fund to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Fund uses derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Fund from achieving

its investment objective. The Fund may use a combination of swaps on the Index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the Index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the Index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF or as a result of the underlying ETF's shares trading a premium or discount from the underlying ETF's NAV on the secondary market and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Fund invests in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Fund may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of inverse correlation with the Index as it would if the Fund used swaps that utilized the Index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Fund's return. In addition, the Fund's investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

*Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

*Futures Contracts.* There may be an imperfect correlation between the changes in market value of the securities held by the Fund and the prices of futures contracts. There may not be a liquid secondary market for the futures contracts.

*Forward Contracts.* Forward contracts are two-party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.

#### **Early Close/Trading Halt Risk**

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain



securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in the Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, the Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

#### **Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk**

The Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are –200% of the return of the Index for periods other than a single day. The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to the Index’s daily losses and reducing exposure in response to the Index’s daily gains. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of the Index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Fund’s daily target (–200%) generally will not equal the Fund’s performance over that same period. If the daily performance of the Fund’s Index reduces the amount of a shareholder’s investment, any further adverse daily performance will lead to a smaller dollar loss because the shareholder’s investment had already been reduced by the prior adverse performance. Equally, however, if the daily performance of the Fund’s Index increases the amount of a shareholder’s investment, the dollar amount lost due to future adverse performance will increase correspondingly.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of the Fund’s portfolio may diverge significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in –200% of the return of the Fund’s Index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of the Fund. It also is expected that the Fund’s use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform –200% of the return of the index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on the Fund’s performance as the Index experiences volatility. The Index’s volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the Index. The table below provides examples of how Index volatility could affect the Fund’s performance. The chart shows estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to illustrate how holding the Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain inverse leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown. As shown below, the Fund would be expected to lose 17.1% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its Index provided no return over a

one year period during which the Index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the Index’s annualized volatility were to rise to 75% and the Index return for the year was 0%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Fund widens to approximately 81.5%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the Index is flat. For instance, if the Index’s annualized volatility is 100%, the Fund would be expected to lose approximately 95% of its value, even if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%.

**Table 1**

One Year Index Return	–200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
–60%	120%	505.2%	433.6%	268.6%	143.5%	67.1%
–50%	100%	289.4%	247.5%	147.6%	69.9%	20.3%
–40%	80%	171.3%	143.6%	79.3%	24.4%	–11.6%
–30%	60%	99.7%	80.3%	33.4%	–5.3%	–30.0%
–20%	40%	53.1%	38.5%	3.2%	–25.6%	–44.9%
–10%	20%	21.0%	9.7%	–17.4%	–39.9%	–55.0%
0%	0%	–1.9%	–11.1%	–32.8%	–50.3%	–62.3%
10%	–20%	–19.0%	–26.5%	–44.3%	–59.3%	–68.2%
20%	–40%	–32.0%	–38.3%	–53.4%	–65.5%	–73.3%
30%	–60%	–42.1%	–47.6%	–60.6%	–70.7%	–77.0%
40%	–80%	–50.1%	–55.0%	–66.3%	–74.8%	–79.9%
50%	–100%	–56.6%	–61.0%	–70.9%	–78.1%	–82.5%
60%	–120%	–61.9%	–65.9%	–74.7%	–81.1%	–84.7%

The Index’s annualized historical volatility rate for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 42.89%. The Index’s highest volatility rate for any one calendar year during the five-year period was 45.83% and volatility for a shorter period of time may have been substantially higher. The Index’s annualized performance for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 21.94%. Historical Index volatility and performance are not indications of what the Index volatility and performance will be in the future. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the Index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of the Index.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Fund, see “Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies” in the Fund’s statutory prospectus, and “Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds” in the Fund’s Statement of Additional Information.**

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the

investment. The Fund is not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. This table is intended to underscore the fact that the Fund is designed as a short-term trading vehicle for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

#### ***Emerging Markets Risk***

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries include: political or social upheaval; nationalization of businesses; restrictions on foreign ownership; prohibitions on the repatriation of assets; and risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times.

As the result of recent events involving the Ukraine and the Russian Federation, the United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions on certain Russian individuals and a Russian bank. The United States and other nations or international organizations may impose additional economic sanctions or take other actions that may adversely affect Russian-related issuers including economic sanctions against companies in various sectors of the Russian economy, including, but not limited to, the financial services, energy, metals and mining, engineering, and defense and defense-related materials sectors. These sanctions, if imposed, could impair the Fund's ability to meet its investment objective. For example, the Fund may be prohibited from investing in securities issued by companies subject to such sanctions. In addition, the sanctions may require the Fund to freeze its existing investments in Russian companies, prohibiting the Fund from buying, selling or otherwise transacting in these investments.

For these or other reasons, in the event that an emergency exists in which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund to dispose of its securities or to determine its net asset value ("NAV"), the Fund could seek to suspend redemptions of creation units. The Fund could also, among other things, limit or suspend creations of creation units. During the period that creations or redemptions are affected, the Fund's shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to their NAV. In the case of a period during which creations are suspended, the Fund could experience substantial redemptions, which may cause the Fund to experience increased transaction costs and make greater taxable distributions to shareholders of the Fund. The Fund may also change its investment objective by, for example, seeking to track an alternative index. Alternatively, the Fund could liquidate, through a liquidating trust or otherwise, all or a portion of its assets, which may be at unfavorable prices.

#### ***Foreign Securities Risk***

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies.

#### ***Gain Limitation Risk***

If the Fund's Index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, you would lose all of your money. Rafferty will attempt to position the Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on the Fund's gains. As a consequence, the Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to Index losses beyond 45% in a given day. For example, if the Index were to lose 50%, the Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is -200% of the Index loss of 50%.

#### ***Geographic Concentration Risk***

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, the Fund may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### ***Gold and Silver Related Companies Risk***

Because the Index is concentrated in the gold mining industry and may have significant exposure to assets in the silver mining industry, the Fund will be sensitive to changes in the overall condition of gold and silver related companies. Competitive pressures may have a significant effect on the financial condition of gold and silver related companies. Also gold and silver related companies are highly dependent on the price of gold and silver bullion, respectively, and may be adversely affected by a variety of worldwide economic, financial and political factors. These prices may fluctuate substantially over short periods of time which may cause the value of the gold and silver related companies to be more volatile than the general market. In times of significant inflation or great economic uncertainty, gold, silver and other precious metals may outperform traditional investments such as bonds and stocks. However, in times of stable economic growth, traditional equity and debt investments could offer greater appreciation potential and the value of gold, silver and other precious metals may be

adversely affected, which could in turn affect the Fund. If a natural disaster or other event with a significant economic impact occurs in a region in which the companies included in the Index operate, such disaster or event could negatively impact the profitability of such companies and, in turn, impact the Fund's return.

#### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of the Fund's holdings pursuant to its daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of the Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). The Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short-term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of the Fund's trading. As such, if the Fund's extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

#### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Fund seeks leveraged investment results from the close of the market on a given trading day until the close of the market on the subsequent trading day. The exact exposure of an investment in the Fund intraday in the secondary market is a function of the difference between the value of the Index at the market close on the first trading day and the value of the Index at the time of purchase. The Fund's gains occur as its market exposure declines and its losses are accompanied by increases in market exposure. If the Index declines, the Fund's net assets will rise by an amount equal to the decline in the Fund's exposure. Conversely, if the Index rises the Fund's net assets will decline by the same amount as the increase in the Fund's exposure. As an example (using simplified numbers), if the Fund had \$100 in net assets at the market close, it would seek -\$200 of exposure to the next trading day's Index performance. If the Index declined by 1% by noon the following trading day, the exposure of the Fund will fall by 1% to -\$198 and the net assets will rise by \$2 to \$102. With net assets of \$102 and exposure of -\$198, a purchaser at that point would be receiving -194% exposure of her investment instead of -200%.

#### ***Leverage Risk***

To achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing

leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Fund, you are exposed to the risk that an increase in the daily performance of the Index will be leveraged. This means that your investment in the Fund will be reduced by an amount equal to 2% for every 1% daily increase in the Index, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment. The Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of an Index increase of more than 50%. Further, purchasing shares during a day may result in greater than -200% exposure to the performance of the Index if the Index rises between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day.

To fully understand the risks of using leverage in the Fund, see "Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk" above.

#### ***Liquidity Risk***

Some securities held by the Fund, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to value. If the Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty's judgment of the security's true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent the Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation with the Index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

#### ***Market Risk***

The Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market.

#### ***Micro-Capitalization Company Risk***

Stock prices of micro-cap companies are significantly more volatile, and more vulnerable to adverse business and economic developments than those of larger companies. In addition, micro-cap companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies, including companies which are considered small- or mid-capitalization. Furthermore, micro-cap companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. As a result, their performance can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of the Fund's portfolio.

### ***Mining and Metal Industry Risk***

The Fund will invest in securities issued by, and/or have exposure to, companies primarily involved in the mining of precious metals. Investments in mining and metal industry companies may be speculative and subject to greater price volatility than investments in other types of companies. Increased environmental or labor costs may depress the value of mining and metal investments. In addition, changes in international monetary policies or economic and political conditions can affect the supply of gold and precious metals, and consequently the value of mining and metal company investments. The United States or foreign governments may pass laws or regulations limiting metal investments for strategic or other policy reasons. Further, the principal supplies of metal industries may be concentrated in a small number of countries and regions.

### ***Money Market Instrument Risk***

The Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

### ***Non-Diversification Risk***

The Fund is non-diversified, which means it invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund's NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a conventional diversified fund.

### ***Regulatory Risk***

The Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Fund operates, increase the particular costs of the Fund's operations and/or change the competitive landscape.

### ***Shorting Risk***

In order to achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund may engage in short sales which are designed to provide the Fund gains when the price of a particular security, basket of securities or indices declines. When the Fund shorts

securities of another investment company, it borrows shares of that investment company which it then sells. The Fund closes out a short sale by purchasing the security that is sold short and returning that security to the entity that lent the security. The Fund may also seek inverse or "short" exposure through the use of derivatives such as swap agreements or futures contracts, which may expose the Fund to certain risks such as an increase in volatility or decrease in the liquidity of the securities of the underlying short position. If the Fund were to experience this volatility or decreased liquidity, the Fund's return may be lower, the Fund's ability to obtain inverse exposure through the use of derivatives may be limited or the Fund may be required to obtain inverse exposure through alternative investments strategies that may be less desirable or more costly to implement. If the securities underlying the short positions are thinly traded or have a limited market due to various factors, including regulatory action, the Fund may be unable to meet its investment objective due to lack of available securities or counterparties. During such periods, the Fund's ability to issue additional creation units may be adversely affected. Obtaining inverse exposure through the use of derivatives or other financial instruments may be considered an aggressive investment technique.

### ***Small- and/or Mid-Capitalization Company Risk***

Investing in the securities of small and/or mid-capitalization companies, and securities that provide exposure to small and/or mid-capitalization companies, involves greater risks and the possibility of greater price volatility than investing in more-established, larger capitalization companies. Small and mid-capitalization companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies. Furthermore, those companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. In addition, because these stocks are not well-known to the investing public, do not have significant institutional ownership and are followed by relatively few security analysts, there will normally be less publicly available information concerning these securities compared to what is available for the securities of larger companies. Adverse publicity and investor perceptions, whether based on fundamental analysis, can decrease the value and liquidity of securities held by the Fund. As a result, the performance of small and/or mid-capitalization companies can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of the Fund's portfolio.

### ***Valuation Time Risk***

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign



markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

### ***Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds***

**Trading Issues.** Trading in Shares on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of that exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable, such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the exchange on which it trades, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of the Fund that are listed for trading on an exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and redeemed in creation units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. The Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with the Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Fund.

### **Fund Performance**

No prior investment performance is provided for the Fund because it had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus. Upon commencement of operations, updated performance will be available on the Fund's website at [www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance](http://www.direxioninvestments.com/etfs?producttab=performance) or by calling the Fund toll free at 1-866-476-7523.

### **Management**

#### **Investment Adviser**

Rafferty Asset Management, LLC is the Fund's investment adviser.

#### **Portfolio Manager**

Paul Brigandi, the Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and has served in this role since the Fund's inception.

### **Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

The Fund's shares are not individually redeemable. The Fund will issue and redeem Shares for cash only to Authorized Participants in large blocks, known as creation units, each of which is comprised of 50,000 Shares. Retail investors may only purchase and sell Shares on a national securities exchange through a broker-dealer and may incur brokerage costs. Because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at a price greater than NAV (premium) or less than NAV (discount).

### **Tax Information**

The Fund intends to make distributions that may be taxed as ordinary income or long-term capital gains. Those distributions will be subject to federal income tax and may also be subject to state and local taxes, unless you are investing through a tax-deferred arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Distributions or investments made through tax-deferred arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal. Distributions by the Fund may be significantly higher than those of most other ETFs.

### **Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank or financial advisor), the Fund and/or the Adviser may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other financial intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.



## Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares

### Important Information Regarding the Fund

The Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares (“Fund”) seeks **daily** leveraged investment results. The pursuit of daily leveraged goals means that the Fund is riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Fund’s objective is to magnify the performance of an underlying index. The pursuit of daily leveraged investment goals means that the return of the Fund for a period longer than a full trading day may have no resemblance to 200% of the return of its underlying index for such longer period because the aggregate return of the Fund is the product of the series of each trading day’s daily leveraged returns. During periods of market volatility, the volatility of the underlying index may affect the Fund’s return as much as or more than the return of the underlying index. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of the Fund’s stated investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day.

### Investment Objective

The Fund seeks daily investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the performance of the CSI 300 Index. **The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results and does not seek to achieve its stated investment objective over a period of time greater than one day.** The Fund is different and much riskier than most exchange-traded funds.

**The Fund is designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking daily leveraged investment results, understand the risks associated with the use of leverage and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. The Fund seeks daily leveraged investment results relative to the Index and is different and riskier than similarly benchmarked exchange-traded funds that do not use leverage. Therefore, the Fund is not intended to be used by, and is not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

### Fees and Expenses of the Fund

This table describes the fees and expenses that you may pay if you buy or hold shares of the Fund (“Shares”). Investors purchasing shares in the secondary market may pay costs (including customary brokerage commissions) charged by their broker.

**Annual Fund Operating Expenses<sup>(1)</sup>** (expenses that you pay each year as a percentage of the value of your investment)

Management Fees	0.75%
Distribution and/or Service (12b-1) Fees	0.00%
Other Expenses of the Fund <sup>(2)</sup>	0.41%
Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses	<u>0.16%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses	1.32%
Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>-0.21%</u>
Total Annual Fund Operating Expenses After Expense Cap/Reimbursement	<u>1.11%</u>

<sup>(1)</sup> Rafferty Asset Management, LLC (“Rafferty” or the “Adviser”) has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with the Fund. Under the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse the Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that the Fund’s Total Annual Operating Expenses exceed 0.95% of the Fund’s daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, acquired fund fees and expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation). Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by the Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

<sup>(2)</sup> Other Expenses are estimated for the Fund’s current fiscal year.

### Expense Example

The example is intended to help you compare the cost of investing in the Fund with the cost of investing in other mutual funds. The example assumes that you invest \$10,000 in the Fund for the time periods indicated and then redeem all of your shares at the end of those periods. The example also assumes that your investment has a 5% return each year and that the Fund’s operating expenses remain the same. Although your actual costs may be higher or lower, based on these assumptions your costs would be:

1 Year	3 Years
\$113	\$398

### Portfolio Turnover

The Fund pays transaction costs, such as commissions, when it buys and sells securities (or “turns over” its portfolio). A higher portfolio turnover rate may indicate higher transaction costs and may result in higher taxes when Fund shares are held in a taxable account. These costs, which are not reflected in Annual Fund Operating Expenses or in the example, affect the Fund’s performance.

## Principal Investment Strategies

The Fund, under normal circumstances, creates long positions by investing at least 80% of its assets in financial instruments that provide leveraged and unleveraged exposure to the CSI 300 Index ("Index"). These financial instruments include: swap agreements; exchange-traded funds ("ETFs"); swaps on ETFs; futures contracts; options on securities, indices and futures contracts; forward contracts; short positions; reverse repurchase agreements; and other financial instruments. On a day-to-day basis, the Fund invests the remainder of its assets in money market funds, depository accounts with institutions with high quality credit ratings or short-term debt instruments that have terms-to-maturity of less than 397 days and exhibit high quality credit profiles, including U.S. government securities and repurchase agreements.

The Index is a modified free-float market capitalization weighted index comprised of the largest and most liquid stocks in the Chinese A-share market. As of December 31, 2014, the Index included 300 securities of companies with a market capitalization range of approximately \$1.7 billion to \$305 billion and an average market capitalization of \$14.2 billion. Index constituent stocks must have been listed for more than three months (unless the stock's average daily A-share market capitalization since its initial listing ranks among the top 30 of all A-shares) and must not be experiencing obvious abnormal fluctuations or market manipulations. As of December 31, 2014, the Index was concentrated in the financial industry. The Fund will concentrate its investment (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) in a particular industry or group of industries to approximately the same extent as the Index is so concentrated.

A-shares are issued by companies incorporated in the People's Republic of China ("China" or the "PRC"). A-shares are traded in renminbi ("RMB") on the Shenzhen or Shanghai Stock Exchanges. The A-share market in China is made available to domestic PRC investors and certain foreign investors, including those foreign investors that have been approved as Renminbi Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("RQFII") or as Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("QFII"). A RQFII or QFII license may be obtained by submitting an application to the China Securities Regulatory Commission ("CSRC"). After obtaining a RQFII or QFII license, the RQFII or QFII also applies to China's State Administration of Foreign Exchange ("SAFE") for a specific aggregate dollar amount investment quota in which the RQFII or QFII can invest in A-shares.

Because the Fund does not satisfy the criteria to qualify as a RQFII or QFII itself, the Fund expects to invest a majority of its assets in other investment companies (including ETFs)

that seek to replicate the Index, swaps, futures contracts and other types of derivative instruments or financial instruments, including swaps on the index or swaps on funds that seek to replicate the performance of the Index to obtain the leveraged exposure necessary to achieve its investment objective.

Derivatives are financial instruments that derive value from the underlying reference asset or assets, such as stocks, bonds, or funds (including ETFs), interest rates or indexes. The Fund invests in derivatives as a substitute for investing directly in a security in order to gain leveraged exposure to the Index or its components. The Fund seeks to remain fully invested at all times consistent with its stated investment objective. At the close of the markets each trading day, Rafferty positions the Fund's portfolio so that its exposure to the Index is consistent with the Fund's stated investment objective. The impact of the Index's movements during the day will affect whether the Fund's portfolio needs to be re-positioned. For example, if the Index has risen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should rise, meaning that the Fund's exposure will need to be increased. Conversely, if the Index has fallen on a given day, net assets of the Fund should fall, meaning the Fund's exposure will need to be reduced. This re-positioning strategy typically results in high portfolio turnover.

**Because of daily rebalancing and the compounding of each day's return over time, the return of the Fund for periods longer than a single day will be the result of each day's returns compounded over the period, which will very likely differ from 200% of the return of the Index over the same period. The Fund will lose money if the Index performance is flat over time, and as a result of daily rebalancing, the Index's volatility and the effects of compounding, it is even possible that the Fund will lose money over time while the Index's performance increases.**

## Principal Investment Risks

An investment in the Fund entails risk. The Fund could lose money or its performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. The Adviser cannot guarantee that the Fund will achieve its investment objective. In addition, the Fund presents some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review all of the risks listed below and understand how these risks interrelate before making an investment in the Fund. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Fund. There is the risk that you could lose all or a portion of your money invested in the Fund.

***Special Risk Considerations Relating to RQFII and QFII Investments Risk***

The Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective is dependent on the ability of other ETFs and counterparties to obtain their QFII or RQFII quota. The Fund also cannot predict what would occur if general QFII or RQFII quotas were reduced or eliminated. Either circumstance would likely have a material adverse impact on the Fund through its indirect investments and would likely adversely affect the willingness and ability of potential swap counterparties to engage in swaps with the Fund that are linked to the performance of A-shares. Additionally, other ETFs may limit or suspend creation unit activity and shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to its net asset value ("NAV") and therefore impact the Fund's ability to obtain exposure to the Index and the Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective or obtain a high correlation to the Index.

Presently, there are a limited number of firms and potential counterparties that have RQFII or QFII status or are willing and able to enter into swap transactions linked to the performance of A-shares. If the Fund is unable to obtain sufficient leveraged exposure to the Index due to the limited availability of necessary investments or financial instruments, the Fund could, among other things, as a defensive measure, limit or suspend creation units until the Adviser determines that the requisite exposure to the Index is obtainable. During the period that creation units are suspended, the Fund could trade at a significant premium or discount to its NAV and could experience substantial redemptions. Alternatively, the Fund could change its investment objective, by example, seeking leveraged exposure to track an alternative index focused on Chinese-related stocks other than A-shares or other appropriate investments, or decide to liquidate the Fund.

***Adverse Market Conditions Risk***

Because the Fund magnifies the performance of the Index, its performance will suffer during conditions in which the Index declines.

***Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk***

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for the Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate the Fund's daily performance with 200% of the daily performance of the Index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable the Fund to achieve its investment objective.

***Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk***

The Fund uses investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher

than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, forward contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Fund and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

***China Investing Risk***

Although the Fund will not invest directly in A-shares, it is subject, indirectly, to certain risks applicable to investing in A-shares. Investing in securities of Chinese companies, including investments that provide exposure to A-shares, involves certain risks and considerations not typically associated with investing in securities of U.S. issuers, including, among others (i) the small size of the market for Chinese securities and low trading volume, resulting in a lack of liquidity and in price volatility; (ii) currency devaluations and other currency exchange rate fluctuation or blockage; (iii) the nature and extent of intervention by the PRC government in the Chinese securities markets, whether such intervention will continue and the impact of such intervention or its discontinuation; (iv) the risk of nationalization or expropriation of assets; (v) the risk that the PRC government may decide not to continue to support economic reform programs; (vi) limitation on the use of brokers; (vii) higher rates of inflation; (viii) greater political, economic and social uncertainty; (ix) market volatility caused by potential regional or territorial conflicts or natural disasters and; (x) the risk of increased trade tariffs, embargoes and other trade limitations. These factors can directly affect A-shares, and may indirectly affect investments that derive their value from A-shares.

The economy of China differs, often unfavorably, from the U.S. economy in such respects as structure, general development, government involvement, wealth distribution, rate of inflation, growth rate, interest rates, allocation of resources and capital reinvestment and others. The PRC central government has historically exercised substantial control over virtually every sector of the Chinese economy through administrative regulation and/or state ownership and actions of the PRC central and local government authorities continue to have a substantial effect on economic conditions in China. In addition, previously the PRC government has from time to time taken actions that influence the prices at which certain goods may be sold, encourage companies to invest or concentrate in particular industries, induce mergers between companies in certain industries and induce private companies to publicly offer their securities to increase or continue the rate of economic growth, control the rate of inflation or otherwise regulate economic expansion. It may do so in the future as well, potentially having a significant adverse effect on economic conditions in China.

The Chinese securities markets are emerging markets with limited operating history characterized by relatively low trading volume, resulting in substantially less liquidity and greater price volatility. Liquidity risks may be more pronounced for the A-share market than for Chinese securities markets in general because the A-share market is subject to greater government restrictions and control, including trading suspensions. Price fluctuations of A-shares are currently limited to either 5% or 10% per trading day. In addition, there is less regulation and monitoring of Chinese securities markets and the activities of investors, brokers and other participants than in the United States. Accounting, auditing and financial reporting standards in China are different from U.S. standards and, therefore, disclosure of certain material information may not be made. In addition, less information may be available than would be the case if investments were restricted to securities of U.S. issuers. There is also generally less governmental regulation of the securities industry in China, and less enforcement of regulatory provisions relating thereto, than in the United States. Additionally, it may be more difficult to obtain a judgment in a court outside of the United States.

The PRC government strictly regulates the payment of foreign currency denominated obligations and sets monetary policy. In addition, the Chinese economy is export-driven and highly reliant on trade. Adverse changes to the economic conditions of its primary trading partners, such as the United States, Japan and South Korea, would adversely impact the Chinese economy. An economic downturn in China would adversely impact the Fund's performance.

Emerging markets such as China can experience high rates of inflation, deflation and currency devaluation. The value of the RMB may be subject to a high degree of fluctuation due to, among other things, changes in interest rates, the effects of monetary policies issued by the PRC, the United States, foreign governments, central banks or supranational entities, the imposition of currency controls of other national or global political or economic developments. The Fund's exposure to the RMB and changes in value of the RMB versus the U.S. dollar may result in reduced returns of the Fund and result in volatility. The RMB is currently not a freely convertible currency. The PRC government places strict regulation on RMB and sets the value of RMB to levels dependent on the value of the U.S. dollar, but the PRC government has been under pressure to manage the currency in a less restrictive fashion so that it is less correlation to the U.S. dollar. The PRC government's imposition of restriction on the repatriation of RMB out of mainland China may limit the depth of the offshore RMB market and reduces the liquidity of Chinese investments. There may not be sufficient amount of RMB for funds that invest directly in A-shares because there is limited availability of the RMB currency. As a result, funds may not be able to be fully invested in A-shares.

#### ***Counterparty Risk***

The Fund may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments may include, but are not limited to, swap agreements. The use of swap agreements and other counterparty instruments involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. For example, the Fund bears the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. In addition, the Fund may enter into swap agreements that involve a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. The Fund does not specifically limit its counterparty risk with respect to any single counterparty. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Fund and, as a result, the Fund may not be able to achieve its investment objective.

#### ***Currency Exchange Rate Risk***

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

#### ***Daily Index Correlation/Tracking Risk***

There is no guarantee that the Fund will achieve a high degree of correlation to the Index and therefore achieve its daily leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of correlation with the Index, the Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily leveraged investment objective. The Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by the Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect the Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. The Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in the Index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or



industries may be different from that of the Index. In addition, the Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the Index. The Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its Index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the Index is impacted dynamically by the Index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that the Fund will be perfectly exposed to the Index at the end of each day. The possibility of the Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its Index increases on days when the Index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Fund's ability to meet its daily leveraged investment objective.

### **Derivatives Risk**

The Fund uses investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options, that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than investing in the underlying securities directly. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Fund. The use of derivatives may expose the Fund to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Fund uses derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Fund from achieving its investment objective. The Fund may use a combination of swaps on the Index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the Index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the Index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF or as a result of the underlying ETF's shares trading a premium or discount from the underlying ETF's NAV on the secondary market and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Fund invests in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Fund may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of correlation with the Index as it would if the Fund used swaps that utilized the Index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Fund's return. In addition, the Fund's investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

*Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in

rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

*Futures Contracts.* There may be an imperfect correlation between the changes in market value of the securities held by the Fund and the prices of futures contracts. There may not be a liquid secondary market for the futures contracts.

*Forward Contracts.* Forward contracts are two-party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.

### **Early Close/Trading Halt Risk**

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in the Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, the Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

### **Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk**

The Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are 200% of the return of the Index for periods other than a single day. The Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to that day's gains or reducing exposure in response to that day's losses. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of the Index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Fund's daily target (200%) generally will not equal the Fund's performance over that same period. If the daily performance of the Fund's Index reduces the amount of a shareholder's investment, any further adverse daily performance will lead to a smaller dollar loss because the shareholder's investment had already been reduced by the



prior adverse performance. Equally, however, if the daily performance of the Fund's Index increases the amount of a shareholder's investment, the dollar amount lost due to future adverse performance will increase correspondingly.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of the Fund's portfolio may diverge significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in 200% of the return of the Fund's Index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of the Fund. It also is expected that the Fund's use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform 200% of the return of the Index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on the Fund's performance as the Index experiences volatility. The Index's volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the Index. The table below provides examples of how Index volatility could affect the Fund's performance. The chart shows estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to illustrate how holding the Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown. As shown below, the Fund would be expected to lose 6.1% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its Index provided no return over a one year period during which the Index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the Index's annualized volatility were to rise to 75% and the Index return for the year was 0%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Fund widens to approximately 43%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the Index is flat. For instance, if the Index's annualized volatility is 100%, the Fund would be expected to lose over 60% of its value, even if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%.

**Table 1**

One Year Index Return	200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
-60%	-120%	-84.2%	-85.0%	-87.5%	-90.9%	-94.1%
-50%	-100%	-75.2%	-76.5%	-80.5%	-85.8%	-90.8%
-40%	-80%	-64.4%	-66.2%	-72.0%	-79.5%	-86.8%
-30%	-60%	-51.5%	-54.0%	-61.8%	-72.1%	-82.0%
-20%	-40%	-36.6%	-39.9%	-50.2%	-63.5%	-76.5%
-10%	-20%	-19.8%	-23.9%	-36.9%	-53.8%	-70.2%
0%	0%	-1.0%	-6.1%	-22.1%	-43.0%	-63.2%
10%	20%	19.8%	13.7%	-5.8%	-31.1%	-55.5%
20%	40%	42.6%	35.3%	12.1%	-18.0%	-47.0%
30%	60%	67.3%	58.8%	31.6%	-3.7%	-37.8%
40%	80%	94.0%	84.1%	52.6%	11.7%	-27.9%
50%	100%	122.8%	111.4%	75.2%	28.2%	-17.2%
60%	120%	153.5%	140.5%	99.4%	45.9%	-5.8%

The Index's annualized historical volatility rate for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 21.99%. The Index's highest volatility rate for any one calendar year during the five-year period was 25.57% and volatility for a shorter period of time may have been substantially higher. The Index's annualized performance for the five-year period ended December 31, 2014 was 3.48%. Historical Index volatility and performance are not indications of what the Index volatility and performance will be in the future. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the Index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of the Index.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Fund, see "Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies" in the Fund's statutory prospectus, and "Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds" in the Fund's Statement of Additional Information.**

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the investment. The Fund is not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. This table is intended to underscore the fact that the Fund is designed as a short-term trading vehicle for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

**Emerging Markets Risk**

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries

include: political or social upheaval; nationalization of businesses; restrictions on foreign ownership; prohibitions on the repatriation of assets; and risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times.

#### ***Equity Securities Risk***

Investments in publicly issued equity securities and securities that provide exposure to equity securities, including common stocks, in general are subject to market risks that may cause their prices to fluctuate over time. Fluctuations in the value of equity securities in which the Fund invests will cause the NAV of the Fund to fluctuate.

#### ***Financial Services Companies Risk***

The Fund may invest in, and/or have exposure to, financial services companies. As a result, the Fund is subject to risks of legislative or regulatory changes, adverse market conditions and/or increased competition affecting the financial services companies. Profitability is largely dependent on the availability and cost of capital, and can fluctuate significantly when interest rates change. Credit losses resulting from financial difficulties of borrowers also can negatively impact the sector.

#### ***Foreign Securities Risk***

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies.

#### ***Gain Limitation Risk***

If the Fund's Index moves more than 50% on a given trading day in a direction adverse to the Fund, you would lose all of your money. Rafferty will attempt to position the Fund's portfolio to ensure that the Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on the Fund's gains. As a consequence, the Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to Index gains beyond 45% in a given day. For example, if the Index were to gain 50%, the Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is 200% of the Index gain of 50%.

#### ***Geographic Concentration Risk***

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, the Fund may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of the Fund's holdings pursuant to its daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of the Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). The Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short-term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of the Fund's trading. As such, if the Fund's extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

#### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Fund seeks leveraged investment results from the close of the market on a given trading day until the close of the market on the subsequent trading day. The exact exposure of an investment in the Fund intraday in the secondary market is a function of the difference between the value of the Index at the market close on the first trading day and the value of the Index at the time of purchase. If the Index gains value, the Fund's net assets will rise by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Conversely, if the Index declines, the Fund's net assets will decline by the same amount as the Fund's exposure. Since a Fund starts each trading day with exposure which is 200% of its net assets, a change in both the exposure and the net assets of the Fund by the same absolute amount results in a change in the comparative relationship of the two. As an example (using simplified numbers), if the Fund had \$100 in net assets at the market close, it would seek \$200 of exposure to the next trading day's Index performance. If the Index rose by 1% by noon the following trading day, the exposure of the Fund will have risen by 1% to \$202 and the net assets will have risen by that \$2 gain to \$102. With net assets of \$102 and exposure of \$202, a purchaser at that point would be receiving 198% exposure of her investment instead of 200%.

### **Leverage Risk**

To achieve its daily investment objective, the Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Fund, you are exposed to the risk that a decline in the daily performance of the Index will be leveraged. This means that your investment in the Fund will be reduced by an amount equal to 2% for every 1% daily decline in the Index, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment. The Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of an Index decline of more than 50%. Further, purchasing shares during a day may result in greater than 200% exposure to the performance of the Index if the Index declines between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day.

To fully understand the risks of using leverage in the Fund, see “Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk” above.

### **Liquidity Risk**

Some securities held by the Fund, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to value. If the Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty’s judgment of the security’s true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent the Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation with the Index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

### **Market Risk**

The Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market.

### **Money Market Instrument Risk**

The Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in

which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

### **Non-Diversification Risk**

The Fund is non-diversified, which means it invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund’s NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a conventional diversified fund.

### **Other Investment Companies (including ETFs) Risk**

Investments in the securities of other investment companies, including ETFs, may involve duplication of advisory fees and certain other expenses. By investing in another investment company or ETF, the Fund becomes a shareholder thereof. As a result, Fund shareholders indirectly bear the Fund’s proportionate share of the fees and expenses indirectly paid by shareholders of the other investment company or ETF, in addition to the fees and expenses Fund shareholders bear in connection with the Fund’s own operations. The Fund’s performance may be magnified positively or negatively by virtue of its investment in other investment companies or ETFs. If the investment company or ETF fails to achieve its investment objective, the value of the Fund’s investment will decline, adversely affecting the Fund’s performance. In addition, closed end investment company or ETF shares potentially may trade at a discount or a premium and are subject to brokerage and other trading costs, which could result in greater expenses to the Fund. Finally, because the value of other investment company and ETF shares depends on the demand in the market, the Adviser may not be able to liquidate the Fund’s holdings in those shares at the most optimal time, adversely affecting the Fund’s performance.

### **Regulatory Risk**

The Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Fund operates, increase the particular costs of the Fund’s operations and/or change the competitive landscape.

### **Small- and/or Mid-Capitalization Company Risk**

Investing in the securities of small and/or mid-capitalization companies, and securities that provide exposure to small and/or mid-capitalization companies, involves greater risks and the possibility of greater price volatility than investing in more-established, larger capitalization companies. Small and mid-capitalization companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited

managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies. Furthermore, those companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. In addition, because these stocks are not well-known to the investing public, do not have significant institutional ownership and are followed by relatively few security analysts, there will normally be less publicly available information concerning these securities compared to what is available for the securities of larger companies. Adverse publicity and investor perceptions, whether based on fundamental analysis, can decrease the value and liquidity of securities held by the Fund. As a result, the performance of small and/or mid-capitalization companies can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of the Fund's portfolio.

#### **Valuation Time Risk**

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

#### **Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds**

**Trading Issues.** Trading in Shares on an exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of that exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable, such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the exchange on which it trades, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of the Fund that are listed for trading on an exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and redeemed in creation units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. The Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with

the Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Fund.

#### **Fund Performance**

No prior investment performance is provided for the Fund because it had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus. Upon commencement of operations, updated performance will be available on the Fund's website at [www.direxioninvestments.com/efs?producttab=performance](http://www.direxioninvestments.com/efs?producttab=performance) or by calling the Fund toll free at 1-866-476-7523.

#### **Management**

##### **Investment Adviser**

Rafferty Asset Management, LLC is the Fund's investment adviser.

##### **Portfolio Manager**

Paul Brigandi, the Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Fund and has served in this role since the Fund's inception.

#### **Purchase and Sale of Fund Shares**

The Fund's shares are not individually redeemable. The Fund will issue and redeem Shares only to Authorized Participants in exchange for the deposit or delivery of a basket of assets (securities and/or cash) in large blocks, known as creation units, each of which is comprised of 50,000 Shares. Retail investors may only purchase and sell Shares on a national securities exchange through a broker-dealer and may incur brokerage costs. Because the Shares trade at market prices rather than NAV, Shares may trade at a price greater than NAV (premium) or less than NAV (discount).

#### **Tax Information**

The Fund intends to make distributions that may be taxed as ordinary income or long-term capital gains. Those distributions will be subject to federal income tax and may also be subject to state and local taxes, unless you are investing through a tax-deferred arrangement, such as a 401(k) plan or an individual retirement account. Distributions or investments made through tax-deferred arrangements may be taxed later upon withdrawal. Distributions by the Fund may be significantly higher than those of most other ETFs.

#### **Payments to Broker-Dealers and Other Financial Intermediaries**

If you purchase Shares through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank or financial advisor), the Fund and/or the Adviser may pay the intermediary for the sale of Shares and related services. These payments may create a conflict of interest by influencing the broker-dealer or other financial intermediary and your salesperson to recommend the Fund over another investment. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary's website for more information.



## OVERVIEW OF THE DIREXION SHARES ETF TRUST

The Direxion Shares ETF Trust (“Trust”) is a registered investment company offering a number of separate exchange-traded funds (“ETFs”). This Prospectus describes the ETFs noted in the table below (each a “Fund” and collectively the “Funds”). Rafferty Asset Management, LLC (“Rafferty” or “Adviser”) serves as the investment adviser to each Fund.

Shares of the Funds (“Shares”) are listed, or upon commencement of operations will be listed, on the NYSE Arca, Inc. (the “Exchange”). When Shares are listed and traded on the Exchange, the market prices for the Shares may be different from the intra-day value of the Shares disseminated by the Exchange and from their net asset value (“NAV”). Unlike conventional mutual funds, Shares are not individually redeemable securities. Rather, each Fund issues and redeems Shares on a continuous basis at NAV only in large blocks of Shares called “Creation Units.” A Creation Unit consists of 50,000 Shares. Creation Units of the Bull Funds are issued and redeemed in cash and/or in-kind for securities included in the relevant underlying index. Creation Units of the Bear Funds are issued and redeemed for cash.

Shares may only be purchased from or redeemed with the Funds in Creation Units. As a result, retail investors generally will not be able to purchase or redeem Shares directly from or with the Funds. Most retail investors will purchase or sell Shares in the secondary market with the assistance of a broker. Thus, some of the information contained in this Prospectus, such as information about purchasing and redeeming Shares from or with a Fund and all references to the transaction fee imposed on purchases and redemptions, is not relevant to retail investors.

As used in this Prospectus, the terms “daily,” “day,” and “trading day,” refer to the period from the close of the markets one trading day to the close of the markets on the next trading day.

The Funds with the word “Bull” in their name (collectively, the “Bull Funds”) attempt to provide investment results that correlate positively to the return of an underlying index, meaning the Bull Funds attempt to move in the same direction as the underlying index. The Funds with the word “Bear” in their name (collectively, the “Bear Funds”) attempt to provide investment results that correlate negatively to the return of an underlying index, meaning that the Bear Funds attempt to move in the opposite or inverse direction of the underlying index.

The Bull Funds seek to provide *daily leveraged* investment results, before fees and expenses, of 200% of the performance of an underlying index. The Bear Funds seek to provide *daily leveraged* investment results, before fees and expenses, of –200% of the inverse of the performance of an underlying index. For example, the *daily leveraged* investment objective for the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares is 200% of the daily total return of the performance of the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index, while the *daily inverse leveraged* investment objective for the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares is 200% of the inverse, or opposite, of the daily total return of the performance of the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index. If, on a given day, the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index gains 1%, the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares is designed to gain approximately 2% (which is equal to 200% of 1%), while the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares is designed to lose approximately 2%. Conversely, if the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index loses 1% on a given day, the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares is designed to lose approximately 2%, while the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares is designed to gain approximately 2% (which is equal to –200% of the 1% index loss). Each Fund tracks an underlying index as noted below:

Fund	Underlying Index	Daily Leveraged Investment Objective
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index	200% –200%
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index	200% –200%
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares	CSI 300 Index	200%

To pursue these results, each Fund uses aggressive investment techniques such as engaging in futures, swaps and options transactions. As a result, the Funds are designed to be utilized only by knowledgeable investors who understand the potential consequences of seeking *daily leveraged* and *daily inverse leveraged* investment results, understand the risks associated with the Funds’ use of leverage and are willing to monitor their portfolios frequently. Additionally, the Bear Funds are designed to be utilized by knowledgeable investors who understand the

risks of shorting. The Funds are not intended to be used by, and are not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. There is no assurance that the Funds will achieve their investment objectives and an investment in a Fund could lose money. No single Fund is a complete investment program.

**Changes in Investment Objective.** Each Fund’s investment objective is not a fundamental policy and may be changed by a Fund’s Board of Trustees without shareholder approval.



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING INVESTMENT TECHNIQUES

Rafferty uses a number of investment techniques in an effort to achieve the stated investment objective for each Fund. Each Fund seeks 200% or -200% of the return of its underlying index on a given day.

For the Bull Funds, Rafferty attempts to provide two times the returns of a Bull Fund's underlying index for a one-day period. The Bear Funds are managed to provide returns two times the inverse (or opposite) of the return of a Bear Fund's underlying index for a one-day period. To do this, Rafferty creates net "long" positions for the Bull Funds and net "short" positions for the Bear Funds. (Rafferty may create short positions in the Bull Funds and long positions in the Bear Funds even though the net exposure in the Bull Funds will be long and the net exposure in the Bear Funds will be short.) Long positions move in the same direction as the underlying index, advancing when the underlying index advances and declining when the underlying index declines. Short positions move in the opposite direction of their underlying index, advancing when the underlying index declines and declining when the underlying index advances. Additionally, none of the Funds seek income that is exempt from federal, state or local income taxes.

In seeking to achieve each Fund's investment objective, Rafferty uses statistical and quantitative analysis to determine the investments each Fund makes and the techniques it employs. Rafferty relies upon a pre-determined model to generate orders that result in repositioning each Fund's investments in accordance with its daily investment objective. Using this approach, Rafferty determines the type, quantity and mix of investment positions that it believes in combination should produce daily returns consistent with a Fund's investment objective. In general, if a Fund is performing as designed, the return of the underlying index will dictate the return for that Fund. Each Fund generally pursues its investment objective regardless of the market conditions and does not take defensive positions.

Each Fund has a clearly articulated daily leveraged investment objective which requires the Fund to seek economic exposure in excess of its assets (*i.e.*, net assets plus borrowing for investment purposes). To meet its objectives, each Fund invests in some combination of financial instruments so that it generates economic exposure consistent with the Fund's investment objective.

Each Fund offered in this Prospectus significantly invests in: futures contracts; options on securities, indices and futures contracts; equity caps, floors and collars; swap agreements; forward contracts; short positions; reverse repurchase agreements; ETFs; and other financial instruments. In addition, Rafferty uses these types of investments for the Funds to produce economically "leveraged" investment

results. Leveraging allows Rafferty to generate a greater positive or negative return for the Funds than what would be generated on the invested capital without leverage, thus changing small market movements into larger changes in the value of the investments of a Fund.

The Bull Funds generally may hold a representative sample of the securities in their underlying index. The sampling of securities that is held by a Bull Fund is intended to maintain high correlation with, and similar aggregate characteristics (*e.g.*, market capitalization and industry weightings) to, the underlying index. A Bull Fund also may invest in securities that are not included in an underlying index or may overweight or underweight certain components of the underlying index. Certain Funds' assets may be concentrated in an industry or group of industries to the extent that the Fund's underlying index concentrates in a particular industry or group of industries. In addition, each Fund offered in this Prospectus is non-diversified, which means that it may invest in the securities of a limited number of issuers.

At the close of the markets each trading day, each Fund will position its portfolio to ensure that the Fund's exposure to its underlying index is consistent with the Fund's stated investment objective. The impact of market movements during the day determines whether a portfolio needs to be repositioned. If the underlying index has risen on a given day, a Bull Fund's net assets should rise, meaning their exposure may need to be increased. Conversely, if the underlying index has fallen on a given day, a Bull Fund's net assets should fall, meaning their exposure may need to be reduced. If the underlying index has risen on a given day, a Bear Fund's net assets should fall, meaning its exposure may need to be reduced. If the underlying index has fallen on a given day, a Bear Fund's net assets should rise, meaning its exposure may need to be increased. Any of the Funds' portfolios may also need to be changed to reflect changes in the composition of their underlying index. Rafferty increases a Fund's exposure when its assets rise and reduces a Fund's exposure when its assets fall.

The Funds are designed to provide daily leveraged investment returns, before fees and expenses, that are 200% of the returns of their underlying indices. A Fund may have difficulty in achieving its daily leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transaction costs, income items, accounting standards, significant purchase and redemption activity by Fund shareholders and/or disruptions or a temporary lack of liquidity in the markets for the securities held by the Fund. Additionally, if a Fund's underlying index includes foreign securities or tracks a foreign market index where the foreign market closes before or after the New York Stock Exchange ("NYSE") closes (generally at 4 p.m. Eastern Time), the performance of the underlying index may differ from the expected daily leveraged performance.

Seeking daily leveraged investment results provides potential for greater gains and losses for the Funds relative to the underlying index performance. For a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. This means that the return of an underlying index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by a Fund's daily target (e.g., 200% or -200%) generally will not equal a Fund's performance over that same period. Consider the following examples:

Mary is considering investments in two Funds, Funds A and B. Fund A is a traditional index ETF which seeks (before fees and expenses) to match the performance of the XYZ index. Fund B is a leveraged ETF and seeks daily leveraged investment results (before fees and expenses) that correspond to 200% of the daily performance of the XYZ index.

On Day 1, the XYZ index increases in value from \$100 to \$105, a gain of 5%. On Day 2, the XYZ index declines from \$105 back to \$100, a loss of 4.76%. In the aggregate, the XYZ index has not moved.

An investment in Fund A would be expected to gain 5% on Day 1 and lose 4.76% on Day 2 to return to its original value. The following example assumes a \$100 investment in Fund A when the index is also valued at \$100:

Day	Index Value	Index Performance	Value of Investment
	\$100.00		\$100.00
1	\$105.00	5.00%	\$105.00
2	\$100.00	-4.76%	\$100.00

The same \$100 investment in Fund B, however, would be expected to gain in value on Day 1 but decline in value on Day 2.

The \$100 investment in Fund B would be expected to gain 10% on Day 1 (200% of 5%) but decline 9.52% on Day 2.

Day	Index Performance	200% of Index Performance	Value of Investment
			\$100.00
1	5.00%	10.0%	\$110.00
2	-4.76%	-9.52%	\$ 99.52

Although the percentage decline in Fund B is smaller on Day 2 than the percentage gain on Day 1, the loss is applied to a higher principal amount, so the investment in Fund B experiences a loss even when the aggregate index value for the two-day period has not declined. (These calculations do not include the charges for expense ratio and financing charges.)

As you can see, an investment in Fund B has additional risks due to the effects of leverage and compounding.

The Funds are very different from most mutual funds and ETFs. First, each Fund pursues a *daily leveraged* investment objective, which means that the Funds are riskier than alternatives that do not use leverage because the Funds magnify the performance of their underlying index. Second, each Bear Fund pursues investment goals which are inverse to the performance of its underlying index, a result opposite of most mutual funds and ETFs. Third, the Funds seek *daily leveraged* investment results. An investor who purchases shares of a Fund intra-day will generally receive more, or less, than 200% exposure to the underlying index from that point until the end of the trading day. The actual exposure is a function of the performance of the underlying index from the end of the prior trading day. If a Fund's shares are held for a period longer than a single trading day, the Fund's performance is likely to deviate from 200% or -200% of the return of the underlying index's performance for the longer period. This deviation will increase with higher underlying index volatility and longer holding periods. As a consequence, investors should not plan to hold the Funds unmonitored for periods longer than a single trading day. Further, the return for investors that invest for periods less than a full trading day or for a period different than a trading day will not be the product of the return of a Fund's stated daily leveraged investment objective and the performance of the underlying index for the full trading day. The Funds are not suitable for all investors.

For investments held for longer than a trading day, volatility in the performance of the underlying index from day to day is the primary cause of any disparity between a Fund's actual returns, the product of the Fund's beta and the returns of the underlying index for such longer period. Volatility causes such disparity because it exacerbates the effects of compounding on a Fund's returns. In addition, the effects of volatility are magnified in the Funds due to leverage. For example, consider the following three examples that demonstrate the effect of volatility on a hypothetical fund:

#### Example 1 — Underlying Index Experiences Low Volatility

Mary invests \$10.00 in a hypothetical Bull Fund at the close of trading on Day 1. During Day 2, the Fund's underlying index rises from 100 to 102, a 2% gain. Mary's investment rises 4% to \$10.40. Mary holds her investment through the close of trading on Day 3, during which the Fund's underlying index rises from 102 to 104, a gain of 1.96%. Mary's investment rises to \$10.81, a gain during Day 3 of 3.92%. For the two day period since Mary invested in the Fund, the underlying index gained 4% although Mary's investment increased by 8.1%. Because the underlying index continued to trend upwards with low volatility, Mary's return closely correlates to the 200% return of the return of the underlying index for the period.

John invests \$10.00 in a hypothetical Bear Fund at the close of trading on Day 1. During Day 2, the Fund's underlying

index gains 2%, and John's investment falls by 4% to \$9.60. On Day 3, the underlying index rises by 1.96%, and John's fund falls by 3.92% to \$9.22. For the two day period the underlying index returned 4% while the fund lost 7.8%. John's return still correlates to -200% return of the underlying index, but not as closely as Mary's investment in the Bull Fund.

### **Example 2 — Underlying Index Experiences High Volatility**

Mary invests \$10.00 in a hypothetical Bull Fund after the close of trading on Day 1. During Day 2, the Fund's underlying index rises from 100 to 102, a 2% gain, and Mary's investment rises 4% to \$10.40. Mary continues to hold her investment through the end of Day 3, during which the Fund's underlying index declines from 102 to 98, a loss of 3.92%. Mary's investment declines by 7.84%, from \$10.40 to \$9.58. For the two day period since Mary invested in the Fund, the Fund's underlying index lost 2% while Mary's investment decreased from \$10 to \$9.58, a 4.2% loss. The volatility of the underlying index affected the correlation between the underlying index's return for the two day period and Mary's return. In this situation, Mary lost more than two times the return of the underlying index.

Conversely, John invests \$10.00 in a hypothetical Bear Fund after the close of trading on Day 1. During Day 2, the Fund's underlying index rises from 100 to 102, a 2% gain, and John's investment falls 4% to \$9.60. John continues to hold his investment through the end of Day 3, during which the Fund's underlying index declines from 102 to 98, a loss of 3.92%. John's investment rises by 7.84%, from \$9.60 to \$10.35. For the two day period since John invested in the Fund, the Fund's underlying index lost 2% while John's investment increased from \$10 to \$10.35, a 3.5% gain. The volatility of the underlying index affected the correlation between the underlying index's return for the two day period and John's return. In this situation, John gained less than two times the return of the underlying index.

### **Example 3 — Intra-day Investment with Volatility**

The examples above assumed that Mary purchased the Fund at the close of trading on Day 1 and sold her investment at the close of trading on a subsequent day. However, if she made an investment intra-day, she would have received a beta determined by the performance of the underlying index from the end of the prior trading day until her time of purchase on the next trading day. Consider the following example.

Mary invests \$10.00 in a hypothetical Bull Fund at 11 a.m. on Day 2. From the close of trading on Day 1 until 11 a.m. on Day 2, the underlying index moved from 100 to 102, a 2% gain. In light of that gain, the Fund beta at the point at which Mary invests is 196%. During the remainder of Day 2, the Fund's

underlying index rises from 102 to 110, a gain of 7.84%, and Mary's investment rises 15.4% (which is the underlying index gain of 7.84% multiplied by the 196% beta that she received) to \$11.54. Mary continues to hold her investment through the close of trading on Day 3, during which the Fund's underlying index declines from 110 to 90, a loss of 18.18%. Mary's investment declines by 36.4%, from \$11.54 to \$7.34. For the period of Mary's investment, the Fund's underlying index declined from 102 to 90, a loss of 11.76%, while Mary's investment decreased from \$10.00 to \$7.34, a 27% loss. The volatility of the underlying index affected the correlation between the underlying index's return for period and Mary's return. In this situation, Mary lost more than two times the return of the underlying index. Mary was also hurt because she missed the first 2% move of the underlying index and had a beta of 196% for the remainder of Day 2.

The Funds are designed to be utilized only by sophisticated investors, such as traders and active investors employing dynamic strategies. Such investors are expected to monitor and manage their portfolios frequently. Investors in the Funds should: (a) understand the risks associated with the use of leverage, (b) understand the consequences of seeking daily leveraged investment results, (c) for the Bear Funds understand the risk of shorting, and (d) intend to actively monitor and manage their investments. Investors who do not understand the Funds or do not intend to actively manage their funds and monitor their investments should not buy the Funds. There is no assurance that any of the Funds offered in this Prospectus will achieve their investment objectives and an investment in any Fund could lose money. No single Fund is a complete investment program.

**Market Volatility.** Each Fund seeks to provide a return which is a multiple of the daily performance of its underlying index. No Fund attempts to, and no Fund should be expected to, provide returns which are a multiple of the return of the underlying index for periods other than a single day. Each Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure in response to that day's gains or reducing exposure in response to that day's losses.

Daily rebalancing will impair a Fund's performance if the underlying index experiences volatility. For instance, a Bull Fund would be expected to lose 4% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its underlying index provided no return over a one year period and experienced annualized volatility of 20%. A hypothetical Bear Fund would be expected to lose 12% (as shown in Table 1 below) if its underlying index provided no return over a one year period during which its underlying index experienced annualized volatility of 20%. If the underlying index's annualized volatility were to rise to 40%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period for the Bull Fund widens to approximately 15% while the loss for the Bear Fund rises to 45%.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of Fund value even if the underlying index is flat. For instance, if annualized volatility of the underlying index is 90%, both the Bull and the Bear Funds with same underlying index would be expected to lose more than 76% and 99% respectively, of their value even if the cumulative underlying index return for the year was only 0%. An index's volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of an index.

**Table 1**

Volatility Range	2X Bull Fund Loss	2X Bear Fund Loss
10%	-1%	-3%
20%	-4%	-12%
30%	-9%	-26%
40%	-15%	-45%
50%	-23%	-65%
60%	-33%	-92%
70%	-47%	-99%
80%	-55%	-99%
90%	-76%	-99%
100%	-84%	-99%

Table 2 shows the volatility rate for each of the Funds' underlying indexes over the five year periods ended December 31, 2014. The underlying indices have annualized historical volatility rates over that period ranging from 21.99% to 42.89%. Since market volatility has negative implications for Funds which rebalance daily, investors should be sure to monitor and manage their investments in the Funds particularly in volatile markets. The negative implications of volatility in Table 1 can be combined with the recent volatility ranges of various indexes in Table 2 to give investors some sense of the risks of holding the Funds for long periods. **These tables are intended to simply underscore the fact that the Funds are designed as short-term trading vehicles for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. The Funds are not intended to be used by, and are not appropriate for, investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.**

**Table 2**

Index	5-Year Historical Volatility Rate
NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index	32.91%
Market Vectors™ Global Junior Gold Miners Index	
Index	42.89%
CSI 300 Index	21.99%

**A Precautionary Note to Investors Regarding Dramatic Index Movement.** A Bull Fund seeks daily exposure to its underlying index equal to 200% of its net assets while a Bear

Fund seeks daily exposure to its underlying index equal to -200% of its net assets. As a consequence, a Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of a movement of its underlying index in excess of 50% in a direction adverse to the Fund (meaning a decline in the value of the underlying index of the Bull Fund and a gain in the value of the underlying index for the Bear Fund). Rafferty will attempt to position each Fund's portfolio to ensure that a Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be symmetrical limitations on gains. If Rafferty successfully positions a Fund's portfolio to provide such limits, a Fund's portfolio and NAV will not be responsive to movements in its underlying index beyond 45% in a given day, whether that movement is favorable or adverse to the Fund. For example, if the Bull Fund's underlying index were to gain 50%, the Bull Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90%, which corresponds to 200% of an underlying index gain of 45%, rather than 100%, which is 200% of the underlying index gain of 50%. Rafferty cannot be assured of similarly limiting a Fund's losses and shareholders should not expect such protection. In short, the risk of total loss exists. In the event of a severe underlying index movement within one trading day, which results in such a limit on gains and losses, a Fund's performance may be inconsistent with its stated investment objective.

The intra-day value of each Fund's shares, otherwise known as the "intraday indicative value" or "IIV," which is disseminated by the Exchange every 15 seconds throughout the business day, is based on the current market value of the securities and cash required to be deposited in exchange for a Creation Unit on the prior business day. The IIV does not necessarily reflect the precise composition of the current portfolio of securities held by a Fund at a particular point in time, nor the best possible valuation of the current portfolio. Therefore, the IIV should not be viewed as a "real-time" update of the Fund's NAV, which is computed only once a day.

**The Projected Return of the Bull Fund for a Single Trading Day.** Each Bull Fund seeks to provide a daily return that is 200% of the daily return of an underlying index. Doing so requires the use of leveraged investment techniques, which necessarily incur financing charges. For instance, Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares seeks exposure to its underlying index in an amount equal to 200% of its assets, meaning it uses leveraged investment techniques to seek exposure to the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index in an amount equal to 200% of its net assets. In light of the financing charges and the Bull Funds' operating expenses, the expected return of the Bull Funds over one trading day is equal to the gross expected return, which is the daily underlying index return multiplied by the Bull Funds' investment objective, minus (i) financing charges incurred by the portfolio and (ii) daily operating expenses. For instance, if



the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index returns 2% on a given day, the gross expected return of the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares would be 4%, but the net expected return, which factors in the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, would be lower. Each Fund will reposition its portfolio at the end of every trading day. Therefore, if an investor purchases Fund shares at close of the markets on a given trading day, the investor's exposure to the underlying index of a Bull Fund would reflect 200% of the performance of the underlying index during the following trading day, subject to the charges and expenses noted above, regardless of whether the investor sells the shares during that day.

**The Projected Return of the Bear Fund for a Single Trading Day.** Each Bear Fund seeks to provide a daily return which is 200% of the inverse (or opposite) of the daily return of an underlying index. To create the necessary exposure, a Bear Fund engages in short selling—borrowing and selling securities it does not own. The money that a Bear Fund receives from short sales—the short sale proceeds—is an asset of the Bear Fund that can generate income to help offset the Bear Fund's operating expenses. However, the costs of creating short exposure, which may require the Bear Fund's counterparties to borrow and sell certain securities, may offset or outweigh such income. As the holder of a short position, a Bear Fund also is responsible for paying the dividends and interest accruing on the short position, which is an expense to the Bear Fund that could cause the Bear Fund to lose money on the short sale and may adversely affect its performance. Each Fund will reposition its portfolio at the end of every trading day. Therefore, if an investor purchases Fund shares at close of the markets on a given trading day, the investor's exposure to the underlying index of a Bear Fund would reflect 200% of the inverse performance of the underlying index during the following trading day, subject to the charges and expenses noted above, regardless of whether the investor sells the shares during that day.

**The Projected Returns of Funds for Intra-Day Purchases.** Because the Funds rebalance their portfolios once daily, an investor who purchases shares during a day will likely have more, or less, than 200% leveraged investment exposure to the underlying index. The exposure to the underlying index received by an investor who purchases a Fund intra-day will differ from the Fund's stated daily leveraged investment objective (e.g., 200% or -200%) by an amount determined by the movement of the underlying index from its value at the end of the prior day. If the underlying index moves in a direction favorable to the Fund between the close of the market on one trading day through the time on the next trading day when the investor purchases Fund shares, the investor will receive less exposure to the underlying index than the stated fund daily leveraged investment objective (e.g., 200% or -200%). Conversely, if the underlying index moves in a direction adverse to the Fund, the investor will receive more

exposure to the underlying index than the stated fund daily leveraged investment objective (e.g., 200% or -200%).

Table 3 below indicates the exposure to the underlying index that an intra-day purchase of a Bull Fund would be expected to provide based upon the movement in the value of a Bull Fund's underlying index from the close of the market on the prior trading day. Such exposure holds until a subsequent sale on that same trading day or until the close of the market on that trading day. For instance, if the underlying index has moved 5% in a direction favorable to a Bull Fund, the investor would receive exposure to the performance of the underlying index from that point until the investor sells later that day or the end of the day equal to approximately 191% of the investor's investment.

Conversely, if the underlying index has moved 5% in a direction unfavorable to a Bull Fund, an investor at that point would receive exposure to the performance of the underlying index from that point until the investor sells later that day or the end of the day equal to approximately 211% of the investor's investment.

The table includes a range of underlying index moves from 20% to -15% for a Bull Fund. Index moves beyond the range noted below will result in exposure further from the Bull Fund's daily leveraged investment objective.

**Table 3**

Index Move	Resulting Exposure for Bull Fund
-20%	2.67
-15%	2.43
-10%	2.25
-5%	2.11
0%	2.00
5%	1.91
10%	1.83
15%	1.77
20%	1.71
-20%	2.67
-15%	2.43

Table 4 below indicates the exposure to the underlying index that an intra-day purchase of a Bear Fund would be expected to provide based upon the movement in the value of the underlying index from the close of the market on the prior trading day. Such exposure holds until a subsequent sale on that same trading day or until the close of the market on that trading day. Table 4 indicates that, if the underlying index has moved 5% in a direction favorable to a Bear Fund, the investor would receive exposure to the performance of the underlying index from that point until the investor sells later that day or the end of the day equal to approximately -173% of the investor's investment. Conversely, if the



underlying index has moved 5% in a direction unfavorable to a Bear Fund, an investor would receive exposure to the performance of the underlying index from that point until the investor sells later that day or the end of the day equal to approximately –233% of the investor’s investment.

The table includes a range of underlying index moves from 20% to –15% for a Bear Fund. Underlying index moves beyond the range noted below will result in exposure further from the Bear Fund’s daily inverse leveraged investment objective.

**Table 4**

Index Move	Resulting Exposure for Bear Fund
–20%	1.14
–15%	1.31
–10%	1.50
–5%	1.73
0%	2.00
5%	2.33
10%	2.75
15%	3.29
20%	4.00
–20%	1.14
–15%	1.31

**The Projected Returns of the Funds for Periods Other Than a Single Trading Day.** The Funds seek leveraged investment results on a daily basis — from the close of regular trading on one trading day to the close on the next trading day — which should not be equated with seeking a leveraged investment objective for any other period. For instance, if the NYSE Arca Gold Miners Index gains 10% for a week, the Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares should not be expected to provide a return of 20% for the week even if it meets its daily leveraged investment objective throughout the week. This is true because of the financing charges noted above and also because the pursuit of daily goals may result in daily leveraged compounding, which means that the return of the underlying index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by a Fund’s daily leveraged investment objective or inverse daily leveraged investment objective (e.g., 200% or –200%) will not generally equal a Fund’s performance over that same period. In addition, the effects of compounding become greater the longer Shares are held beyond a single trading day.

The following charts set out a range of hypothetical daily performances during a given 10 trading days of an underlying index and demonstrate how changes in the underlying index impact the Funds’ performance for trading day and cumulatively up to, and including, the entire 10 trading day period. The charts are based on a hypothetical \$100 investment in the Funds over a 10 trading day period and do not reflect expenses of any kind.

**Table 5 — The Index Lacks a Clear Trend**

	Index			Bull Fund			Bear Fund		
	Value	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance
	100			\$100.00			\$100.00		
Day 1	105	5.00%	5.00%	\$110.00	10.00%	10.00%	\$ 90.00	–10.00%	–10.00%
Day 2	110	4.76%	10.00%	\$120.48	9.52%	20.47%	\$ 81.43	–9.52%	–18.57%
Day 3	100	–9.09%	0.00%	\$ 98.57	–18.18%	–1.43%	\$ 96.23	18.18%	–3.76%
Day 4	90	–10.00%	–10.00%	\$ 78.86	–20.00%	–21.14%	\$115.48	20.00%	15.48%
Day 5	85	–5.56%	–15.00%	\$ 70.10	–11.12%	–29.91%	\$128.31	11.12%	28.33%
Day 6	100	17.65%	0.00%	\$ 94.83	35.30%	–5.17%	\$ 83.03	–35.30%	–16.97%
Day 7	95	–5.00%	–5.00%	\$ 85.35	–10.00%	–14.65%	\$ 91.33	10.00%	–8.67%
Day 8	100	5.26%	0.00%	\$ 94.34	10.52%	–5.68%	\$ 81.71	–10.52%	–18.28%
Day 9	105	5.00%	5.00%	\$103.77	10.00%	3.76%	\$ 73.54	–10.00%	–26.45%
Day 10	100	–4.76%	0.00%	\$ 93.89	–9.52%	–6.12%	\$ 80.55	9.52%	–19.45%

The cumulative performance of the underlying index in Table 4 is 0% for 10 trading days. The hypothetical return of the Bull Fund for the 10 trading day period is –6.12%, while the hypothetical return of the Bear Fund is –19.45%. The volatility

of the underlying index performance and lack of clear trend results in performance for each Fund for the period which bears little relationship to the performance of the underlying index for the 10 trading day period.

**Table 6 — The Index Rises in a Clear Trend**

	Index			Bull Fund			Bear Fund		
	Value	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance
	100			\$100.00			\$100.00		
Day 1	102	2.00%	2.00%	\$104.00	4.00%	4.00%	\$ 96.00	-4.00%	-4.00%
Day 2	104	1.96%	4.00%	\$108.08	3.92%	8.08%	\$ 92.24	-3.92%	-7.76%
Day 3	106	1.92%	6.00%	\$112.24	3.84%	12.23%	\$ 88.69	-3.84%	-11.31%
Day 4	108	1.89%	8.00%	\$116.47	3.78%	16.47%	\$ 85.34	-3.78%	-14.66%
Day 5	110	1.85%	10.00%	\$120.78	3.70%	20.78%	\$ 82.18	-3.70%	-17.82%
Day 6	112	1.82%	12.00%	\$125.18	3.64%	25.17%	\$ 79.19	-3.64%	-20.81%
Day 7	114	1.79%	14.00%	\$129.65	3.58%	29.66%	\$ 76.36	-3.58%	-23.64%
Day 8	116	1.75%	16.00%	\$134.20	3.50%	34.19%	\$ 73.68	-3.50%	-26.31%
Day 9	118	1.72%	18.00%	\$138.82	3.44%	38.81%	\$ 71.14	-3.44%	-28.85%
Day 10	120	1.69%	20.00%	\$143.53	3.38%	43.50%	\$ 68.73	-3.38%	-31.25%

The cumulative performance of the underlying index in Table 5 is 20% for 10 trading days. The hypothetical return of the Bull Fund for the 10 trading day period is 43.50%, while the hypothetical return of the Bear Fund is -31.25%. In this case,

because of the positive underlying index trend, the Bull Fund's gain is greater than 200% of the index gain and the Bear Fund's decline is less than -200% of the underlying index gain for the 10 trading day period.

**Table 7 — The Index Declines in a Clear Trend**

	Index			Bull Fund			Bear Fund		
	Value	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance	NAV	Daily Performance	Cumulative Performance
	100			\$100.00			\$100.00		
Day 1	98	-2.00%	-2.00%	\$ 96.00	-4.00%	-4.00%	\$104.00	4.00%	4.00%
Day 2	96	-2.04%	-4.00%	\$ 92.08	-4.08%	-7.92%	\$108.24	4.08%	8.24%
Day 3	94	-2.08%	-6.00%	\$ 88.24	-4.16%	-11.75%	\$112.76	4.16%	12.75%
Day 4	92	-2.13%	-8.00%	\$ 84.49	-4.26%	-15.51%	\$117.55	4.26%	17.55%
Day 5	90	-2.17%	-10.00%	\$ 80.82	-4.34%	-19.17%	\$122.66	4.34%	22.65%
Day 6	88	-2.22%	-12.00%	\$ 77.22	-4.44%	-22.76%	\$128.12	4.44%	28.10%
Day 7	86	-2.27%	-14.00%	\$ 73.71	-4.54%	-26.27%	\$133.94	4.54%	33.91%
Day 8	84	-2.33%	-16.00%	\$ 70.29	-4.66%	-29.71%	\$140.17	4.66%	40.15%
Day 9	82	-2.38%	-18.00%	\$ 66.94	-4.76%	-33.05%	\$146.84	4.76%	46.82%
Day 10	80	-2.44%	-20.00%	\$ 63.67	-4.88%	-36.32%	\$154.01	4.88%	53.99%

The cumulative performance of the underlying index in Table 6 is -20% for 10 trading days. The hypothetical return of the Bull Fund for the 10 trading day period is -36.32%, while the hypothetical return of the Bear Fund's is 53.99%. In this case,

because of the negative underlying index trend, the Bull Fund's decline is less than 200% of the underlying index decline and the Bear Fund gain is greater than 200% of the underlying index decline for the 10 trading day period.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING PRINCIPAL RISKS

An investment in any of the Funds entails risks. The Funds could lose money, or their performance could trail that of other investment alternatives. Rafferty cannot guarantee that any of the Funds will achieve their investment objectives. In addition, the Funds present some risks not traditionally associated with most mutual funds and ETFs. It is important that investors closely review and understand these risks before making an investment in any of the Funds. Turbulence in financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed income markets could negatively affect issuers worldwide, including the Funds. The table below provides the risks of investing in the Funds. Following the table, each risk is explained.

	Adverse Market Conditions Risk	Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk	Aggressive Investment Techniques	Cash Transaction Risk	China Investing Risk	Concentration Risk	Counterparty Risk	Currency Exchange Rate Risk	Daily Index Correlation/Tracking Risk	Daily Inverse Index Correlation/Tracking Risk	Depository Receipt Risk	Derivatives Risk	Early Close/Trading Halt Risk	Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk	Emerging Markets Risk	Equity Securities Risk	Financial Services Company Risk	Foreign Securities Risk	Gain Limitation Risk
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	X	X	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			X	X
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X			X	X
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	X	X	X			X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X		X	X	X	X			X	X
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares	X	X	X		X		X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X



	Geographic Concentration Risk	Gold and Silver Related Companies Risk	High Portfolio Turnover Risk	Intra-Day Investment Risk	Leverage Risk	Liquidity Risk	Market Risk	Micro-Capitalization Risk	Mining and Metal Industry Risk	Money Market Instrument Risk	Non-Diversification Risk	Other Investment Company (including ETFs) Risk	Regulatory Risk	Shoring Risk	Small- and/or Mid-Capitalization Company Risk	Valuation Time Risk	Special Risk Considerations Relating to ROFI and QFI Investments Risk	Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X	X			X		X
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X		X	X		X		X
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X		X
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		X	X	X	X		X
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares	X		X	X	X	X	X			X	X	X	X			X	X	X

**Special Risk Considerations Relating to QFII and QFII Investments Risk**

The Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Shares Bull 2X Shares' (the "China Fund") ability to achieve its investment objective is dependent on the ability of other ETFs and counterparties to obtain their QFII or RQFII quota. The China Fund also cannot predict what would occur if general QFII or RQFII quotas were reduced or eliminated. Either circumstance would likely have a material adverse impact on the China Fund through its indirect investments and would likely adversely affect the willingness and ability of potential swap counterparties to engage in swaps with the China Fund that are linked to the performance of A-shares. Additionally, other ETFs may limit or suspend creation unit activity and shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to its net asset value ("NAV") and therefore impact the China Fund's ability to obtain exposure to its underlying index and the China Fund's ability to achieve its investment objective or obtain a high correlation to its underlying index.

Presently, there are a limited number of firms and potential counterparties that have RQFII or QFII status or are willing and able to enter into swap transactions linked to the performance of A-shares. If the China Fund is unable to obtain sufficient leveraged exposure to its underlying index due to the limited availability of necessary investments or financial instruments, the China Fund could, among other things, as a defensive measure, limit or suspend creation units until the Adviser determines that the requisite exposure to the Index is obtainable. During the period that creation units are suspended, the China Fund could trade at a significant premium or discount to its NAV and could experience substantial redemptions. Alternatively, the China Fund could change its investment objective, by example, seeking leveraged exposure to track an alternative index focused on Chinese-related stocks other than A-shares or other appropriate investments, or decide to liquidate the China Fund.

**Adverse Market Conditions Risk**

The performance of each Fund is designed to correlate to the performance of an underlying index. As a consequence, a Fund's performance will suffer during conditions which are adverse to its investment objective. For example, if a Bear Fund's underlying index has risen on a given day, a Bear Fund's performance should fall. Conversely, if a Bear Fund's underlying index has fallen on a given day, a Bear Fund's performance should rise. If a Bull Fund's underlying index has risen on a given day, a Bull Fund's performance should rise. Conversely, if the underlying index has fallen on a given day, a Bull Fund's performance also should fall.

**Adviser's Investment Strategy Risk**

The Adviser utilizes a quantitative methodology to select investments for each Fund. Although this methodology is designed to correlate each Bull Fund's daily performance with 200% of the daily performance of its underlying index and each Bear Fund's daily performance with -200% of the daily performance of its underlying index, there is no assurance that such methodology will be successful and will enable each Fund to achieve its investment objective.

**Aggressive Investment Techniques Risk**

The Funds use investment techniques that may be considered aggressive and may entail significantly higher than normal risk. Risks associated with the use of futures contracts, options and swap agreements include potentially dramatic price changes (losses) in the value of the instruments and imperfect correlations between the price of the contract and the underlying security or index. These instruments may increase the volatility of the Funds and may involve a small investment of cash relative to the magnitude of the risk assumed.

**Cash Transaction Risk**

Unlike most ETFs, the Bear Funds currently intend to effect creation and redemptions principally for cash, rather than principally for in-kind securities, because of the nature of the financial instruments held by each Bear Fund. As such, investments in Bear Funds may be less tax efficient than investments in conventional ETFs. ETFs generally are able to make in-kind redemptions and avoid being taxed on gain on the distributed portfolio securities at the fund level. Because the Bear Funds currently intend to effect redemptions principally for cash, a Bear Fund may be required to sell portfolio securities in order to obtain the cash needed to distribute redemption proceeds. A Bear Fund may recognize a capital gain on these sales that might not have been incurred if such Bear Fund had made a redemption in-kind and this may decrease the tax efficiency of the Bear Funds compared to ETFs that utilize an in-kind redemption process.

**China Investing Risk**

For the China Fund exposure to investments in China and A-shares involve certain risks and other special considerations, including the following:

- *Political and Economic Risk.* The economy of China, which has been in a state of transition from a planned economy to a more market oriented economy, differs from economies of most developed countries in many respects, including the level of government involvement, its state of development, its growth rate, control of foreign exchange, and allocation of resources. Although the majority of



productive assets in China are still owned by the People's Republic of China ("China" or the "PRC") government at various levels, in recent years, the PRC government has implemented economic reform measures emphasizing utilization of market forces in the development of the economy of China and a high level of management autonomy. The economy of China has experienced significant growth in the past 30 years, but growth has been uneven both geographically and among various sectors of the economy. Economic growth has also been accompanied by periods of high inflation. The PRC government has implemented various measures from time to time to control inflation and restrain the rate of economic growth.

The PRC government has carried out economic reforms to achieve decentralization and utilization of market forces to develop the economy of the PRC over the last 30 years. There can be no assurance that the PRC government will continue to pursue such economic policies or, if it does, that those policies will continue to be successful. Any adjustment or modification of those economic policies may have an adverse impact on the China securities market. Further, the PRC government may from time to time adopt corrective measures to control the growth of the PRC economy which may also have an adverse impact on the capital growth and performance of the Chinese securities and thus the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares.

Political changes, social instability and adverse diplomatic developments in the PRC could result in the imposition of additional government restrictions including expropriation of assets, confiscatory taxes or nationalization of some of all of the property held by the issuers of A-shares securities.

The laws, regulations, including the investment regulations allowing Renminbi Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("RQFII") (and Qualified Foreign Institutional Investors ("QFII")) to invest in A-shares, government policies and political and economic climate in China may change with little or no advance notice. Any such change could adversely affect market conditions and the performance of the Chinese economy and, thus, the value of the exposure to A-shares in the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares' portfolio.

Since 1949, the PRC has been a socialist state controlled by the Communist party. China has only recently opened up to foreign investment and has only begun to permit private economic activity. There is no guarantee that the Chinese government will not revert from its current open-market economy to the economic policy of central planning that it implemented prior to 1978.

The PRC government continues to be an active participant in many economic sectors through ownership positions and

regulation. The allocation of resources in China is subject to a high level of government control. The PRC government strictly regulates the payment of foreign currency denominated obligations and sets monetary policy. Through its policies, the PRC government may provide preferential treatment to particular industries or companies. The policies set by the government could have a substantial effect on the Chinese economy and the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares' investments.

The Chinese economy is export-driven and highly reliant on trade, and much of China's growth in recent years has been the result of focused investments in economic sectors intended to produce goods and services for export purposes. The performance of the Chinese economy may differ favorably or unfavorably from the U.S. economy in such respects as growth of gross domestic product, rate of inflation, currency depreciation, capital reinvestment, resource self-sufficiency and balance of payments position. Adverse changes to the economic conditions of its primary trading partners, such as the United States, Japan and South Korea, would adversely impact the Chinese economy and the Fund's investments. International trade tensions involving China and its trading counterparties may arise from time to time which can result in trade tariffs, embargoes, trade limitations, trade wars and other negative consequences. Such actions and consequences may ultimately result in a significant reduction in international trade, an oversupply of certain manufactured goods, devaluations of existing inventories and potentially the failure of individual companies and/or large segments of China's export industry with a potentially severe negative impact to the Fund.

China has been transitioning to a market economy since the late seventies, reaffirming its economic policy reforms through five-year programs, the latest of which (for 2011 through 2015) was approved in March 2011. Under the economic reforms implemented by the PRC government, the Chinese economy has experienced tremendous growth, developing into one of the largest economies in the world. There is no assurance, however, that such growth will be sustained in the future.

Moreover, the current slowdown or any future recessions in other significant economies of the world, such as the United States, the European Union and certain Asian countries, may adversely affect economic growth in China. An economic downturn in China would likely adversely impact the value of A-shares.

- *Inflation.* Economic growth in China has also historically been accompanied by periods of high inflation. Beginning in 2004, the PRC government commenced the implementation of various measures to control inflation, which included the tightening of the money supply, the raising of interest rates

and more stringent control over certain industries. If these measures are not successful, and if inflation were to steadily increase, the performance of the Chinese economy and A-share securities could be negatively impacted.

- *Tax Changes.* The Chinese taxation system is not as well settled as that of the United States. Changes in the Chinese tax system could have retroactive effects that may impact the Chinese securities market or the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares.
- *Nationalization and Expropriation.* After the formation of the Chinese socialist state in 1949, the PRC government renounced various debt obligations and nationalized private assets without providing any form of compensation. There can be no assurance that the PRC government will not take similar actions in the future. Accordingly, investments in A-share securities or other Chinese investments involve a risk of total loss.
- *Chinese Securities Markets.* The securities markets in China have a limited operating history and are not as developed as those in the United States. These markets tend to be smaller in size, have less liquidity and historically have had greater volatility than markets in the United States and some other countries. In addition, there is less regulation and monitoring of Chinese securities markets and the activities of investors, brokers and other participants than in the United States. Accordingly, issuers of securities in China are not subject to the same degree of regulation as are the United States issuers with respects to such matters as insider trading rules, tender offer regulation, stockholder proxy requirements and the requirements mandating timely disclosure of information. Stock markets in China are in the process of change and further development. This may lead to trading volatility, unpredictable trading suspensions, difficulty in the settlement and recording of transactions and difficulty in interpreting and applying the relevant regulations.
- *Available Disclosure about Chinese Companies.* Disclosure and regulatory standards in emerging countries, such as China, are in many respects less stringent than U.S. standards. There is substantially less publicly available information about Chinese issuers than there is about U.S. issuers. Therefore, disclosure of certain material information may not be made, and less information may be available to investors than would be the case if the investments were made in the U.S. issuers. Chinese issuers are subject to accounting, auditing and financial standards and requirements that differ, in some cases significantly, from those applicable to U.S. issuers. In particular, the assets and profits appearing on the financial statements of a Chinese issuer may not reflect its financial position or results of operations in the way they would be reflected had such financial statements

been prepared in accordance with U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (“GAAP”).

- *Chinese Corporate and Securities Law.* The regulations on investments and repatriation of capital by QFIs and RQFIs are relatively new. As a result, the application and interpretation of such investment regulations are therefore relatively untested. In addition, PRC authorities have broad discretion in this regard. China operates under a civil law system, in which court precedent is not binding. Because there is no binding precedent to interpret existing statutes, there is uncertainty regarding the implementation of existing law.

Legal principles relating to corporate affairs and the validity of corporate procedures, directors’ fiduciary duties and liabilities and stockholders’ rights often differ from those that may apply in the United States and other countries. Chinese laws providing protection to investors, such as laws regarding the fiduciary duties of officers and directors, are undeveloped and will not provide investors with protection would be provided by comparable law in the United States. China lacks a national set of laws that address all issues that may arise with regard to a foreign investor. It may therefore be more difficult for an investor to enforce their rights under Chinese corporate and securities laws, and it may be difficult or impossible to obtain a judgment in court. Moreover, as Chinese corporate and securities laws continue to develop, these developments may adversely affect foreign investors.

- *Investment and Repatriation Restrictions.* Investments in A-shares and other Chinese financial instruments are regulated by the CSRC, including warrants and open- and closed-end investment companies, are subject to governmental pre-approval limitations on the quantity that a foreign investor may purchase and limits the classes of securities in which a foreign investor may invest. The PRC government limits foreign investment in securities of certain Chinese issuers entirely if foreign investment is banned in respect of the industry in which the relevant Chinese issuers are conducting their business. Currently licensed RQFI entities are allowed to repatriate RMB daily and are not subject to RMB repatriation restrictions or prior approval. However, there is no assurance that PRC rules and regulations will not change or that repatriation restrictions will not be imposed in the future.

#### **Concentration Risk**

For each Fund other than the China Fund, the performance of a Fund that concentrates its investments in a specific industry or group of industries may be more volatile than a fund that does not. A Fund also may be more susceptible to any single economic market, political or regulatory occurrence affecting that industry or group of industries.

However, a Fund only may concentrate its investments (*i.e.*, hold 25% or more of its total assets in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries) to approximately the same extent that its underlying index concentrates in the stocks of a particular industry or group of industries. For purposes of this limitation, securities of the U.S. government (including its agencies and instrumentalities), repurchase agreements collateralized by U.S. government securities, and securities of state or municipal governments and their political subdivisions are not considered to be issued by members of any industry.

#### **Counterparty Risk**

The Funds may invest in financial instruments involving counterparties for the purpose of attempting to gain exposure to a particular group of securities or an asset class without actually purchasing those securities or investments. These financial instruments include, but are not limited to, total return, index and interest rate swap agreements. The Funds will use short-term counterparty agreements to exchange the returns (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized in particular predetermined investments or instruments. The Funds will not enter into any agreement involving a counterparty unless the Adviser believes that the other party to the transaction is creditworthy. The use of swap agreements involves risks that are different from those associated with ordinary portfolio securities transactions. For example, the Funds bear the risk of loss of the amount expected to be received under a swap agreement in the event of the default or bankruptcy of a swap agreement counterparty. In addition, the Funds may enter into swap agreements with a limited number of counterparties, which may increase the Fund's exposure to counterparty credit risk. Swap agreements and other counterparty instruments also may be considered to be illiquid. Further, there is a risk that no suitable counterparties will be willing to enter into, or continue to enter into, transactions with the Funds and, as a result, the Funds may not be able to achieve their investment objectives.

#### **Currency Exchange Rate Risk**

Changes in foreign currency exchange rates will affect the value of what the Fund owns and the Fund's share price. Generally, when the U.S. Dollar rises in value against a foreign currency, an investment in that country loses value because that currency is worth fewer U.S. Dollars. Devaluation of a currency by a country's government or banking authority also will have a significant impact on the value of any investments denominated in that currency. Currency markets generally are not as regulated as securities markets.

#### **Daily Index Correlation/Tracking Risk**

For each Bull Fund, there can be no guarantee that the Bull Funds will achieve a high degree of correlation to its underlying index and therefore achieve its daily leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of correlation with the underlying index, each Bull Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily leveraged investment objective. Each Bull Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily leveraged investment objective due to fees and expenses, high portfolio turnover, transaction costs and costs associated with the use of leveraged investment techniques and/or a temporary lack of liquidity in the markets for the securities held by a Bull Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions or extreme volatility will also adversely affect each Bull Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. A Bull Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in its underlying index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the underlying index. In addition, a Bull Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the underlying index. Each Bull Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Bull Fund, potentially resulting in the Bull Fund being over- or under-exposed to its underlying index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the underlying index is impacted dynamically by the underlying index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that a Bull Fund will be perfectly exposed to its underlying index at the end of each day. The possibility of a Bull Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its underlying index increases on days when the underlying index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic Index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder a Bull Fund's ability to meet its daily leveraged investment objective.

#### **Daily Inverse Index Correlation/Tracking Risk**

For each Bear Fund, Shareholders should lose money when the underlying index rises, which is a result that is the opposite from traditional index tracking funds. There is no guarantee that a Bear Fund will achieve a high degree of inverse correlation to the underlying index and therefore achieve its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. To achieve a high degree of correlation with the underlying index, a Bear Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with its daily inverse leveraged investment objective. A Bear Fund may have difficulty achieving its daily inverse leveraged investment objective due to fees, expenses, transactions costs, financing costs related to the use of derivatives, income items, valuation methodology, accounting standards and disruptions or illiquidity in the markets for the securities or derivatives held by a Bear Fund. Market disruptions, regulatory restrictions

or extreme volatility will also adversely affect each Bear Fund's ability to adjust exposure to the required levels. A Bear Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in its underlying index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the underlying index. In addition, a Bear Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in the underlying index. A Bear Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Bear Fund, potentially resulting in the Bear Fund being over- or under-exposed to its underlying index. In addition, the target amount of portfolio exposure to the underlying index is impacted dynamically by the underlying index's movement. Because of this, it is unlikely that a Bear Fund will be perfectly exposed to the underlying index at the end of each day. The possibility of a Bear Fund being materially over- or under-exposed to its underlying index increases on days when the underlying index is volatile near the close of the trading day. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder a Bear Fund's ability to meet its daily inverse leveraged investment objective.

#### ***Depository Receipt Risk***

For each Bull Fund, in seeking exposure to foreign companies, a Fund's investments may be in the form of depository receipts or other securities convertible into securities of foreign issuers. American Depositary Receipts ("ADRs") are receipts typically issued by an American bank or trust company that evidence ownership of underlying securities issued by a foreign corporation. European Depositary Receipts ("EDRs") are receipts issued in Europe that evidence a similar ownership arrangement. Global Depositary Receipts ("GDRs") are receipts issued throughout the world that evidence a similar arrangement. Generally, ADRs, in registered form, are designed for use in the U.S. securities markets, and EDRs, in bearer form, are designed for use in European securities markets. GDRs are tradable both in the United States and in Europe and are designed for use throughout the world. Depository receipts will not necessarily be denominated in the same currency as their underlying securities.

Depository receipts may be purchased through "sponsored" or "unsponsored" facilities. A sponsored facility is established jointly by the issuer of the underlying security and a depository, whereas a depository may establish an unsponsored facility without participation by the issuer of the depository security. Holders of unsponsored depository receipts generally bear all the costs of such facilities and the depository of an unsponsored facility frequently is under no obligation to distribute shareholder communications received from the issuer of the deposited security or to pass through voting rights to the holders of such receipts of the deposited securities.

Fund investments in depository receipts, which include ADRs, GDRs and EDRs, are deemed to be investments in foreign securities for purposes of a Fund's investment strategy.

#### ***Derivatives Risk***

The Funds use investment techniques, including investments in derivatives, such as swaps, futures and forward contracts, and options that may be considered aggressive. The use of derivatives may result in larger losses or smaller gains than investing in the underlying securities directly or in the case of the Bear Funds directly shorting the underlying securities. Investments in these derivatives may generally be subject to market risks that cause their prices to fluctuate more than an investment directly in a security and may increase the volatility of the Funds. The use of derivatives may expose the Funds to additional risks such as counterparty risk, liquidity risk and increased daily correlation risk. When the Funds use derivatives, there may be imperfect correlation between the value of the underlying reference assets and the derivative, which may prevent the Funds from achieving their investment objectives. Each Fund may use a combination of swaps on the underlying index and swaps on an ETF whose investment objective is to track the performance of the underlying index. The performance of this underlying ETF may not track the performance of the underlying index due to fees and other costs borne by the ETF and other factors. Thus, to the extent that the Funds invest in swaps that use an ETF as an underlying reference asset, the Funds may be subject to greater correlation risk and may not achieve as high a degree of correlation with the underlying index as it would if the Funds used swaps that utilized the underlying index securities as a reference or as an underlying asset. Additionally, with respect to the use of swap agreements, if the underlying index has a dramatic intraday move in value that causes a material decline in a Fund's NAV, the terms of the swap agreement between the Funds and their counterparty may allow the counterparty to immediately close out of the transaction with the Funds. In such circumstances, the Funds may be unable to enter into another swap agreement or invest in other derivatives to achieve the desired exposure consistent with the Funds' daily leveraged investment objective. This may prevent the Funds from achieving their daily leveraged investment objective particularly if the underlying index reverses all or a portion of its intraday move by the end of the day. Any financing, borrowing or other costs associated with using derivatives may also have the effect of lowering the Funds' return. In addition, the Funds' investments in derivatives, as of the date of this Prospectus, are subject to the following risks:

- *Swap Agreements.* Swap agreements are entered into primarily with major global financial institutions for a specified period which may range from one day to more



than one year. In a standard swap transaction, two parties agree to exchange the return (or differentials in rates of return) earned or realized on particular predetermined reference or underlying securities or instruments. The gross return to be exchanged or swapped between the parties is calculated based on a notional amount or the return on or change in value of a particular dollar amount invested in a basket of securities representing a particular index. Total return swaps are subject to counterparty risk, which relates to credit risk of the counterparty and liquidity risk of the swaps themselves.

- **Futures Contracts.** A futures contract is a contract to purchase or sell a particular security, or the cash value of an index, at a specified future date at a price agreed upon when the contract is made. Under such contracts, no delivery of the actual securities is required. Rather, upon the expiration of the contract, settlement is made by exchanging cash in an amount equal to the difference between the contract price and the closing price of a security or index at expiration, net of the variation margin that was previously paid.
- **Forward Contracts.** Forward contracts are two-party contracts pursuant to which one party agrees to pay the counterparty a fixed price for an agreed upon amount of commodities, securities, or the cash value of the commodities, securities or the securities index, at an agreed upon date. A forward currency contract is an obligation to buy or sell a specific currency at a future date, which may be any fixed number of days from the date of the contract agreed upon by the parties, at a price set at the time of the contract.
- **Options.** An option is a contract that gives the purchaser (holder) of the option, in return for a premium, the right to buy from (call) or sell to (put) the seller (writer) of the option the security or currency underlying the option at a specified exercise price at any time during the term of the option (normally not exceeding nine months). The writer of an option has the obligation upon exercise of the option to deliver the underlying security or currency upon payment of the exercise price or to pay the exercise price upon delivery of the underlying security or currency.
- **Options on Futures Contracts.** An option on a futures contract provides the holder with the right to enter into a "long" position in the underlying futures contract, in the case of a call option, or a "short" position in the underlying futures contract in the case of a put option, at a fixed exercise price to a stated expiration date. Upon exercise of the option by the holder, the contract market clearing house establishes a corresponding short position for the writer of the option, in the case of a call option, or a corresponding long position, in the case of a put option.

#### **Early Close/Trading Halt Risk**

An exchange or market may close or issue trading halts on specific securities, or the ability to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments may be restricted, which may result in a Fund being unable to buy or sell certain securities or financial instruments. In such circumstances, a Fund may be unable to rebalance its portfolio, may be unable to accurately price its investments and/or may incur substantial trading losses.

#### **Effects of Compounding and Market Volatility Risk**

There can be no guarantee that a Fund will achieve a high degree of correlation with its daily leveraged investment objective relative to its underlying index. A failure to achieve a high degree of correlation may prevent a Fund from achieving its daily leveraged investment objective. A number of factors may adversely affect a Fund's correlation with its underlying index, including fees, expenses, transaction costs, costs associated with the Funds' use of leveraged investment techniques, income items and accounting standards. A Fund may not have investment exposure to all securities in its underlying index, or its weighting of investment exposure to such stocks or industries may be different from that of the underlying index. In addition, a Fund may invest in securities or financial instruments not included in its underlying index. A Fund may be subject to large movements of assets into and out of the Fund, potentially resulting in the Fund being over- or under-exposed to its underlying index. Activities surrounding periodic index reconstitutions and other index rebalancing or reconstitution events may hinder the Funds' ability to meet their daily leveraged investment objective on that day. Each Fund seeks to rebalance its portfolio daily to keep leverage consistent with each Fund's daily leveraged investment objective.

Each Fund does not attempt to, and should not be expected to, provide returns which are 200% or -200% of the return of its underlying index for periods other than a single day. Each Bull Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure to an underlying index's daily gains and reducing exposure in response to an underlying index's daily losses. Each Bear Fund rebalances its portfolio on a daily basis, increasing exposure to an underlying index's daily losses and reducing exposure in response to an underlying index's daily gains. This means that for a period longer than one day, the pursuit of a daily leveraged investment objective may result in daily leveraged compounding. It also means that the return of an underlying index over a period of time greater than one day multiplied by the Funds' daily leveraged investment objective (e.g., 200% or -200%) generally will not equal a Fund's performance over that same period.

As a result, over time, the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in the value of a Fund's portfolio may diverge



significantly from the cumulative percentage increase or decrease in 200% or –200% of the return of the Fund’s underlying index due to the compounding effect of losses and gains on the returns of a Fund. It also is expected that a Fund’s use of leverage will cause the Fund to underperform the return of two times its underlying index in a trendless or flat market.

The effect of compounding becomes more pronounced on a Fund’s performance as the underlying index experiences volatility. An index’s volatility rate is a statistical measure of the magnitude of fluctuations in the returns of the index. The tables below provide examples of how underlying index volatility could affect a Fund’s performance. The charts show estimated Fund returns for a number of combinations of performance and volatility over a one-year period and is shown to illustrate how holding a Fund for a period longer than one day may negatively impact investment return. Performance shown in the chart assumes that: (i) no dividends were paid with respect to the securities included in the Index; (ii) there were no Fund expenses; and (iii) borrowing/lending rates (to obtain inverse leveraged exposure) of 0%. If Fund expenses and/or actual borrowing/lending rates were reflected, the estimated returns would be different than those shown.

As shown in the tables below, a Bull Fund would be expected to lose 6.1% and a Bear Fund would be expected to lose 17.1% if its underlying index provided no return over a one year period during which the underlying index experienced annualized volatility of 25%. If the underlying index’s annualized volatility were to rise to 75%, the hypothetical loss for a one year period widens to approximately 43% for a Bull Fund and 81.5% for a Bear Fund.

At higher ranges of volatility, there is a chance of a near complete loss of value in the Fund even if the underlying index is flat. For instance, if the underlying index’s annualized volatility is 100%, it is likely that a Bull Fund would lose over 60% of its value, if the cumulative Index return for the year was only 0%. Additionally, if the underlying index’s annualized volatility is 100%, it is likely a Bear Fund would lose approximately 95% of its value, even if the cumulative underlying index return for the year was only 0%. The volatility of ETFs or instruments that reflect the value of the underlying index such as swaps, may differ from the volatility of a Fund’s underlying index.

### Bull Fund

One Year Index Return	200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
–60%	–120%	–84.2%	–85.0%	–87.5%	–90.9%	–94.1%
–50%	–100%	–75.2%	–76.5%	–80.5%	–85.8%	–90.8%
–40%	–80%	–64.4%	–66.2%	–72.0%	–79.5%	–86.8%
–30%	–60%	–51.5%	–54.0%	–61.8%	–72.1%	–82.0%
–20%	–40%	–36.6%	–39.9%	–50.2%	–63.5%	–76.5%
–10%	–20%	–19.8%	–23.9%	–36.9%	–53.8%	–70.2%
0%	0%	–1.0%	–6.1%	–22.1%	–43.0%	–63.2%
10%	20%	19.8%	13.7%	–5.8%	–31.1%	–55.5%
20%	40%	42.6%	35.3%	12.1%	–18.0%	–47.0%
30%	60%	67.3%	58.8%	31.6%	–3.7%	–37.8%
40%	80%	94.0%	84.1%	52.6%	11.7%	–27.9%
50%	100%	122.8%	111.4%	75.2%	28.2%	–17.2%
60%	120%	153.5%	140.5%	99.4%	45.9%	–5.8%

### Bear Fund

One Year Index Return	–200% One Year Index Return	Volatility Rate				
		10%	25%	50%	75%	100%
–60%	120%	506.5%	418.1%	195.2%	15.6%	–68.9%
–50%	100%	288.2%	231.6%	88.9%	–26.0%	–80.1%
–40%	80%	169.6%	130.3%	31.2%	–48.6%	–86.2%
–30%	60%	98.1%	69.2%	–3.6%	–62.2%	–89.8%
–20%	40%	51.6%	29.5%	–26.2%	–71.1%	–92.2%
–10%	20%	19.8%	2.3%	–41.7%	–77.2%	–93.9%
0%	0%	–3.0%	–17.1%	–52.8%	–81.5%	–95.0%
10%	–20%	–19.8%	–31.5%	–61.0%	–84.7%	–95.9%
20%	–40%	–32.6%	–42.4%	–67.2%	–87.2%	–96.5%
30%	–60%	–42.6%	–50.9%	–72.0%	–89.1%	–97.1%
40%	–80%	–50.5%	–57.7%	–75.9%	–90.6%	–97.5%
50%	–100%	–56.9%	–63.2%	–79.0%	–91.8%	–97.8%
60%	–120%	–62.1%	–67.6%	–81.5%	–92.8%	–98.1%

Holding an unmanaged position opens the investor to the risk of market volatility adversely affecting the performance of the investment. The Funds are not appropriate for investors who do not intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios. These tables are intended to underscore the fact that the Funds are designed as short-term trading vehicles for investors who intend to actively monitor and manage their portfolios.

**For additional information and examples demonstrating the effects of volatility and index performance on the long-term performance of the Funds, see the “Additional Information Regarding Investment Techniques and Policies” section, and “Special Note Regarding the Correlation Risks of the Funds” in the Funds’ Statement of Additional Information.**

### ***Emerging Markets Risk***

Indirectly investing in emerging markets instruments involve greater risks than indirectly investing in foreign instruments in general. Risks of investing in emerging market countries include political or social upheaval, nationalization of businesses, restrictions on foreign ownership and prohibitions on the repatriation of assets. There may also be risks from an economy's dependence on revenues from particular commodities or industries. In addition, currency transfer restrictions, limited potential buyers for such instruments, delays and disruption in settlement procedures and illiquidity or low volumes of transactions may make exits difficult or impossible at times. Additionally, emerging market countries may include economies that concentrate in only a few industries, securities issues that are held by only a few investors, limited trading capacity in local exchanges and the possibility that markets or issues may be manipulated by foreign nationals who have inside information.

As the result of recent events involving the Ukraine and the Russian Federation, the United States and the European Union have imposed sanctions on certain Russian individuals and a Russian bank. The United States and other nations or international organizations may impose additional economic sanctions or take other actions that may adversely affect Russian-related issuers including economic sanctions against companies in various sectors of the Russian economy, including, but not limited to, the financial services, energy, metals and mining, engineering, and defense and defense-related materials sectors. These sanctions, if imposed, could impair the Fund's ability to meet its investment objective. For example, the Fund may be prohibited from investing in securities issued by companies subject to such sanctions. In addition, the sanctions may require the Fund to freeze its existing investments in Russian companies, prohibiting the Fund from buying, selling or otherwise transacting in these investments.

For these or other reasons, in the event that an emergency exists in which it is not reasonably practicable for the Fund to dispose of its securities or to determine its NAV, the Fund could seek to suspend redemptions of Creation Units. The Fund could also, among other things, limit or suspend creations of Creation Units. During the period that creations or redemptions are affected, the Fund's shares could trade at a significant premium or discount to their NAV. In the case of a period during which creations are suspended, the Fund could experience substantial redemptions, which may cause the Fund to experience increased transaction costs and make greater taxable distributions to shareholders of the Fund. The Fund may also change its investment objective by, for example, seeking to track an alternative index. Alternatively, the Fund could liquidate, through a liquidating trust or otherwise, all or a portion of its assets, which may be at unfavorable prices.

### ***Equity Securities Risk***

For the Bull Funds, investments in publicly issued equity securities and securities that provide exposure to equity securities, including common stocks, in general are subject to market risks that may cause their prices to fluctuate over time. Fluctuations in the value of equity securities in which the Funds invest will cause the NAV of the Funds to fluctuate. Typically, equity securities are subordinated to preferred securities and debt in a company's capital structure with respect to priority in right to a share of corporate income, and therefore will be subject to greater dividend risk than preferred securities or debt instruments. In addition, while broad market measures of equity securities have historically generated higher average returns than fixed securities, equity securities have generally also experienced significantly more volatility in those returns, although under certain market conditions fixed income securities may have comparable or greater price volatility.

### ***Financial Services Companies Risk***

The China Fund may invest in securities issued by, and/or have exposure to, financial services companies. As a result, the China Fund may be subject to risks of legislative or regulatory changes, adverse market conditions and/or increased competition affecting the financial services companies. Financial services companies are subject to extensive governmental regulation, which may limit both the amounts and types of loans and other financial commitments they can make, and the rates and fees that they can charge. Profitability is largely dependent on the availability and cost of capital, and can fluctuate significantly when interest rates change. Credit losses resulting from financial difficulties of borrowers also can negatively impact the sector.

### ***Foreign Securities Risk***

Indirectly investing in foreign instruments may involve greater risks than investing in domestic instruments. As a result, the Fund's returns and NAVs may be affected to a large degree by fluctuations in currency exchange rates, interest rates, political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements in other countries. The laws and accounting, auditing, and financial reporting standards in foreign countries typically are not as strict as they are in the U.S., and there may be less public information available about foreign companies. Foreign securities may involve additional risk, including, greater market volatility, the availability of less reliable financial information, higher transactional and custody costs, taxation by foreign governments, decreased market liquidity and political instability. Certain foreign markets may rely heavily on particular industries or foreign capital and are more vulnerable to diplomatic developments, the imposition of

economic sanctions against a particular country or countries, organizations, entities and/or individuals, changes in international trade patterns, trade barriers, and other protectionist or retaliatory measures.

#### ***Gain Limitation Risk***

Rafferty will attempt to position each Fund's portfolio to ensure that a Fund does not lose more than 90% of its NAV on a given day. The cost of such downside protection will be limitations on a Fund's gains. As a consequence, a Fund's portfolio may not be responsive to index movements beyond 45% in a given day whether that movement is favorable or adverse. For example, if a Bull Fund's underlying index were to gain 50%, a Bull Fund might be limited to a daily gain of 90% rather than 100%, which is 200% of the underlying index gain of 50%.

#### ***Geographic Concentration Risk***

Investments in a particular country or geographic region may be particularly susceptible to political, diplomatic or economic conditions and regulatory requirements. As a result, Funds that focus their investments in a particular country or geographic region may be more volatile than a more geographically diversified fund.

#### ***Gold and Silver Mining Company Risk***

For each Fund other than the China Fund, because certain underlying indices are concentrated in the gold mining industry and may have significant exposure to assets in the silver mining industry, certain Funds will be sensitive to changes in the overall condition of gold and silver related companies. Competitive pressures may have a significant effect on the financial condition of gold and silver related companies. Also gold and silver related companies are highly dependent on the price of gold and silver bullion, respectively, and may be adversely affected by a variety of worldwide economic, financial and political factors.

A drop in the price of gold and/or silver bullion would particularly adversely impact the profitability of small- and mid-capitalization gold and silver related companies and their ability to secure financing. Furthermore, mining companies that are only in the exploration stage are typically unable to adopt specific strategies for controlling the impact of the price of gold or silver on their profits. In times of significant inflation or great economic uncertainty, gold, silver and other precious metals may outperform traditional investments such as bonds and stocks. However, in times of stable economic growth, traditional equity and debt investments could offer greater appreciation potential and the value of gold, silver and other precious metals may be adversely affected, which could in turn affect certain Funds.

A significant portion of the world's gold reserves are held by governments, central banks and related institutions. The production, purchase and sale of precious metals by governments or central banks or other larger holders can be negatively affected by various economic, financial, social and political factors, which may be unpredictable and may have a significant adverse impact on the supply and prices of precious metals. Economic, social and political conditions in those countries that are the largest producers of gold may have a direct negative impact on the production and marketing of gold and on sales of central bank holdings.

Some gold, silver and precious metals mining operation companies may hedge their exposure to declines in gold, silver and precious metals by selling forward future production, which may result in lower returns during periods when the prices of gold, silver and precious metals increase. The gold, silver and precious metals industrials can be significantly adversely affected by events relating to international political developments, the success of exploration projects, commodity prices, tax and government regulations, changes in inflation or expectations regarding inflation in various countries and investment speculation. If a natural disaster or other event with a significant economic impact occurs in a region which the companies included in the underlying indices operate, such disaster or event could negatively impact the profitability of such companies and, in turn, impact certain Funds' returns. Gold and silver related companies may also be significantly adversely impacted by import controls, worldwide competition, liability for environmental damage, depletion of resources, and mandated expenditures for safety and pollution control devices.

#### ***High Portfolio Turnover Risk***

Daily rebalancing of Fund holdings pursuant to each Fund's daily investment objective causes a much greater number of portfolio transactions when compared to most ETFs. Additionally, active market trading of a Fund's shares on such exchanges as the NYSE Arca, Inc., could cause more frequent creation and redemption activities which could increase the number of portfolio transactions. Frequent and active trading may lead to higher transaction costs because of increased broker commissions resulting from such transactions. In addition, there is the possibility of significantly increased short-term capital gains (which will be taxable to shareholders as ordinary income when distributed to them). Each Fund calculates portfolio turnover without including the short term cash instruments or derivative transactions that comprise the majority of a Fund's trading. As such, if the Funds' extensive use of derivative instruments were reflected, the calculated portfolio turnover rate would be significantly higher.

### ***Intra-Day Investment Risk***

The Funds seek daily leveraged investment results, which should not be equated with seeking an investment objective for shorter than a day. Thus, an investor who purchases Fund shares after the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day will likely have more, or less, than 200% or –200% leveraged investment exposure to the underlying index, depending upon the movement of the underlying index from the end of one trading day until the time of purchase. If the underlying index moves in a direction favorable to a Fund, the investor will receive exposure to the underlying index less than 200% or –200% exposure to the underlying index. Conversely, if the underlying index moves in a direction adverse to a Fund, the investor will receive exposure to the underlying index greater than 200% or –200% exposure to the underlying index. Investors may consult the Funds' website at any point during the day to determine how the current value of a Fund's underlying index relates to the value of the underlying index at the end of the previous day.

### ***Leverage Risk***

To achieve its daily investment objective, each Fund obtains investment exposure in excess of its assets by utilizing leverage and may lose more money in market conditions that are adverse to its daily objective than a similar fund that does not utilize leverage. If you invest in the Funds, you are exposed to the risk that any adverse daily performance of a Fund's underlying index will be leveraged. This means that, if a Fund's underlying index experiences adverse daily performance, your investment in the Fund will be reduced by an amount equal to 2% for every 1% of adverse performance, not including the cost of financing the portfolio and the impact of operating expenses, which would further lower your investment.

A Fund could theoretically lose an amount greater than its net assets in the event of a movement of its underlying index in excess of 50% in a direction adverse to the Fund. Further, purchasing shares of a Fund during a day may result in greater than 200% or –200% exposure to the performance of the underlying index if the underlying index moves in a direction adverse to the Fund between the close of the markets on one trading day and before the close of the markets on the next trading day. In addition, the Funds' website will provide information on a daily basis regarding the current relevant exposure if an investor purchases new shares of a Fund.

### ***Liquidity Risk***

Some securities held by the Funds, including derivatives, may be difficult to sell or illiquid, particularly during times of market turmoil. Illiquid securities also may be difficult to

value. If a Fund is forced to sell an illiquid security at an unfavorable time or at a price that is lower than Rafferty's judgment of the security's true market value, the Fund may be forced to sell the security at a loss. Such a situation may prevent a Fund from limiting losses, realizing gains or achieving a high correlation, or for a Bear Fund a high inverse correlation, with its underlying index, thus adversely affecting Fund performance.

### ***Market Risk***

Each Fund is subject to market risks that can affect the value of its shares. These risks include political, regulatory, market and economic developments, including developments that impact specific economic sectors, industries or segments of the market. A Bull Fund typically would lose value on a day when its underlying index declines. A Bear Fund typically would lose value on a day when its underlying index increases.

Turbulence in the financial markets and reduced liquidity in equity, credit and fixed-income markets may negatively affect issuers worldwide, which could have an adverse effect on each Fund. Following the financial crisis that began in 2007, the Federal Reserve has attempted to stabilize the U.S. economy and support the U.S. economic recovery by keeping the federal funds rate at or near zero percent. When the Federal Reserve raises the federal funds rate, there is a risk that interest rates across the U.S. financial system will rise. These policy changes may expose markets to heightened volatility and may reduce liquidity for certain Fund investments, causing the value of the Fund's investments and share price to decline.

### ***Micro-Capitalization Companies Risk***

The Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares and the Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares may invest in micro-capitalization companies. Stock prices of micro-cap companies are significantly more volatile, and more vulnerable to adverse business and economic developments than those of larger companies. In addition, micro-cap companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies, including companies which are considered small- or mid-capitalization. Furthermore, micro-cap companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. In addition, because these stocks are not well-known to the investing public, do not have significant institutional ownership and are followed by relatively few security analysts, there will normally be less publicly available information concerning these securities compared to what is available for the securities of larger companies. Adverse publicity and investor perceptions,



whether based on fundamental analysis, can decrease the value and liquidity of securities held by a Fund. As a result, their performance can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of a Fund's portfolio.

### ***Mining and Metal Industry Risk***

For each Fund other than the China Fund, prices of gold, silver or other precious metals, and of gold, silver and other precious metal related securities, historically have been very volatile. The high volatility of gold, silver and other precious metal prices may adversely affect the financial condition of companies involved with gold, silver and other precious metals. The production and sale of precious metals by governments or central banks or other larger holders can be affected by various economic, financial, social and political factors, which may be unpredictable and may have a significant impact on the supply and prices of precious metals. Additionally, producers of gold, silver or other precious metals are often concentrated in a small number of countries or regions. Economic and political conditions in those countries may have a direct effect on the production and marketing of gold, silver and other precious metals and on sales of central bank gold, silver and other precious metals holdings.

Some gold, silver and precious metals mining operation companies may hedge, to varying degrees, their exposure to falls in gold, silver and precious metals prices by selling forward future production. This may limit the company's ability to benefit from future increases in the price of gold, silver or precious metals, thereby lowering returns to a Fund. Hedging techniques also have their own risk, including the possibility that a mining company or other party will be unable to meet its contractual obligations and potential margin requirements.

Other factors that may affect the prices of precious metals and securities related to them include changes in inflation, the outlook for inflation and changes in industrial and commercial demand for precious metals. Additionally, increased environmental or labor costs may depress the value of mining and metal investments.

In addition, in many countries, the activities of companies engaged in mining are subject to the policies adopted by government officials and agencies and are subject to national and international political and economic developments. Moreover, political, social and economic conditions in many mining and metals producing countries are somewhat unsettled, which may pose certain risks to a Fund in addition to the risks described above in "Emerging Markets Risk" and "Foreign Securities Risk" because the Fund may hold a portion of its assets in securities of issuers in such countries.

### ***Money Market Instrument Risk***

Each Fund may use a variety of money market instruments for cash management purposes, including money market funds, depository accounts and repurchase agreements. Money market funds may be subject to credit risk with respect to the short-term debt instruments in which they invest. Depository accounts may be subject to credit risk with respect to the financial institution in which the depository account is held. Repurchase agreements are contracts in which a seller of securities agrees to buy the securities back at a specified time and price. Repurchase agreements may be subject to market and credit risk related to the collateral securing the repurchase agreement. There is no guarantee that money market instruments will maintain a stable value, and they may lose money.

### ***Non-Diversification Risk***

Each Fund is non-diversified. A non-diversified fund invests a high percentage of its assets in a limited number of securities. A non-diversified fund's NAV and total return may fluctuate more or fall greater in times of weaker markets than a diversified mutual fund because each Fund may invest its assets in a smaller number of issuers or may invest a larger proportion of its assets in a single issuer. As a result, the gains or losses on a single investment may have a greater impact on a Fund's NAV and may make the Fund more volatile than more diversified funds.

### ***Other Investment Companies (including ETFs) Risk***

Each Bull Fund may invest in the securities of other investment companies, including ETFs, (which may, in turn invest in equities, bonds, and other financial vehicles) may involve duplication of advisory fees and certain other expenses. By investing in another investment company or ETF, a Fund becomes a shareholder of that investment company or ETF. As a result, Fund shareholders indirectly bear the Fund's proportionate share of the fees and expenses paid by shareholders of the other investment company or ETF, in addition to the fees and expenses Fund shareholders bear in connection with a Fund's own operations. As a shareholder, a Fund must rely on the investment company or ETF to achieve its investment objective. A Fund's performance may be magnified positively or negatively by virtue of its investment in other investment companies or ETFs. If the investment company or ETF fails to achieve its investment objective, the value of a Fund's investment will decline, adversely affecting the Fund's performance. In addition, because closed-end investment companies and ETFs are listed on national stock exchanges and are traded like stocks listed on an exchange, their shares potentially may trade at a discount or a premium. Investments in such shares are also subject to brokerage and other trading costs, which could result in greater



expenses to a Fund. Finally, because the value of other investment company and ETF shares depends on the demand in the market, the Adviser may not be able to liquidate a Fund's holdings at the most optimal time, adversely affecting the Fund's performance.

#### **Regulatory Risk**

Each Fund is subject to the risk that a change in U.S. law and related regulations will impact the way the Funds operate, increase the particular costs of the Fund's operations and/or change the competitive landscape. In particular, there is no guarantee that the Bear Fund will be permitted to continue to engage in short sales, which are designed to earn the Fund a profit from the decline of the price of a particular security, basket of securities or index.

Additional legislative or regulatory changes could occur that may materially and adversely affect each Fund. For example, the regulatory environment for derivative instruments in which the Funds may invest is evolving, and changes in the regulation or taxation of derivative instruments may materially and adversely affect the ability of a Fund to pursue its trading strategies. Similarly, the regulatory environment for leveraged funds generally also may evolve, and changes in the direct or indirect regulation of leveraged funds could have a material adverse effect on the ability of the Funds to pursue their investment objectives or strategies. Such legislative or regulatory changes could pose additional risks and result in material adverse consequences to the Funds.

#### **Shorting Risk**

Each Bear Fund may engage in short sales designed to earn a Bear Fund a profit from the decline in the price of particular securities, baskets of securities or indices. Short sales are transactions in which a Bear Fund borrows securities from a broker and sells the borrowed securities. A Bear Fund is obligated to replace the security borrowed by purchasing the security at the market price at the time of replacement. If the market price of the underlying security goes down between the time a Bear Fund sells the security and buys it back, a Bear Fund will realize a gain on the transaction. Conversely, if the underlying security goes up in price during the period, a Bear Fund will realize a loss on the transaction. Any such loss is increased by the amount of premium or interest the Bear Fund must pay to the lender of the security. Likewise, any gain will be decreased by the amount of premium or interest a Bear Fund must pay to the lender of the security. A Bear Fund's investment performance may also suffer if a Bear Fund is required to close out a short position earlier than it had intended. This would occur if the securities lender required a Bear Fund to deliver the securities the Bear Fund borrowed at the commencement of the short sale and the Bear Fund was unable to borrow the securities from another securities

lender or otherwise obtain the security by other means. In addition, a Bear Fund may be subject to expenses related to short sales that are not typically associated with investing in securities directly, such as costs of borrowing and margin account maintenance costs associated with a Bear Fund's open short positions. As the holder of a short position, a Bear Fund also is responsible for paying the dividends and interest accruing on the short position, which is an expense to the Bear Fund that could cause a Bear Fund to lose money on the short sale and may adversely affect its performance.

#### **Small- and/or Mid-Capitalization Company Risk**

*The Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares and the Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares* may invest in the securities of small- and/or mid-capitalization companies and securities which provide exposure to small- and/or mid-capitalization companies. Such investment involves greater risks and the possibility of greater price volatility than investing in more established, larger capitalization companies. Small- and mid-capitalization companies often have narrower markets for their goods and/or services and more limited managerial and financial resources than larger, more established companies. Furthermore, those companies often have limited product lines, services, markets, financial resources or are dependent on a small management group. In addition, because these stocks are not well-known to the investing public, do not have significant institutional ownership and are followed by relatively few security analysts, there will normally be less publicly available information concerning these securities compared to what is available for the securities of larger companies. Adverse publicity and investor perceptions, whether based on fundamental analysis, can decrease the value and liquidity of securities held by a Fund. As a result, the performance of small and/or mid-capitalization companies can be more volatile and they face greater risk of business failure, which could increase the volatility of a Fund's portfolio.

#### **Valuation Time Risk**

The Fund values its portfolio as of the close of regular trading on the NYSE (generally 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time). In some cases, foreign markets may close before the NYSE opens or may not be open for business on the same calendar days as the Fund. As a result, the daily performance of a fund that tracks a foreign market index or an index that includes foreign securities can vary from the performance of that index.

#### **Special Risks of Exchange-Traded Funds**

**Trading Issues.** Trading in Shares on the Exchange may be halted due to market conditions or for reasons that, in the view of the Exchange, make trading in Shares inadvisable,

such as extraordinary market volatility or other reasons. There can be no assurance that Shares will continue to meet the listing requirements of the Exchange, and the listing requirements may be amended from time to time.

**Market Price Variance Risk.** Individual Shares of a Fund that are listed for trading on the Exchange can be bought and sold in the secondary market at market prices. The market prices of Shares will fluctuate in response to changes in NAV and supply and demand for Shares. The Adviser cannot predict whether Shares will trade above, below or at their NAV. Given the fact that Shares can be created and redeemed in Creation Units, the Adviser believes that large discounts or premiums to the NAV of Shares should not be sustained. There may, however, be times when the market price and the NAV vary significantly and you may pay more than NAV when buying Shares on the secondary market, and you may receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares. A Fund's investment results are measured based upon the daily NAV of the Fund over a period of time. Investors purchasing and selling Shares in the secondary market may not experience investment results consistent with those experienced by those creating and redeeming directly with a Fund. There is no guarantee that an active secondary market will develop for Shares of the Funds.

**A Precautionary Note to Retail Investors.** The Depository Trust Company ("DTC"), a limited trust company and securities depository that serves as a national clearinghouse for the settlement of trades for its participating banks and broker-dealers, or its nominee will be the registered owner of all outstanding Shares of each Fund of the Trust. Your ownership of Shares will be shown on the records of DTC and the DTC Participant broker through whom you hold the Shares. THE TRUST WILL NOT HAVE ANY RECORD OF YOUR OWNERSHIP. Your account information will be maintained by your broker, who will provide you with account statements, confirmations of your purchases and sales of Shares, and tax information. Your broker also will be responsible for ensuring that you receive shareholder reports and other communications from the Fund whose Shares you own. Typically, you will receive other services (e.g., average basis information) only if your broker offers these services.

**A Precautionary Note to Purchasers of Creation Units.** You should be aware of certain legal risks unique to investors purchasing Creation Units directly from the issuing Fund. Because new Shares may be issued on an ongoing basis, a "distribution" of Shares could be occurring at any time. As a

dealer, certain activities on your part could, depending on the circumstances, result in your being deemed a participant in the distribution, in a manner that could render you a statutory underwriter and subject you to the prospectus delivery and liability provisions of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended ("Securities Act"). For example, you could be deemed a statutory underwriter if you purchase Creation Units from an issuing Fund, break them down into the constituent Shares and sell those Shares directly to customers, or if you choose to couple the creation of a supply of new Shares with an active selling effort involving solicitation of secondary market demand for Shares. Whether a person is an underwriter depends upon all of the facts and circumstances pertaining to that person's activities, and the examples mentioned here should not be considered a complete description of all the activities that could cause you to be deemed an underwriter. Dealers who are not "underwriters," but are participating in a distribution (as opposed to engaging in ordinary secondary market transactions), and thus dealing with Shares as part of an "unsold allotment" within the meaning of Section 4(3)(C) of the Securities Act, will be unable to take advantage of the prospectus delivery exemption provided by Section 4(3) of the Securities Act.

**A Precautionary Note to Investment Companies.** For purposes of the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended ("1940 Act") each Fund is a registered investment company, and the acquisition of Shares by other investment companies is subject to the restrictions of Section 12(d)(1) thereof.

The Trust and the Funds have obtained an exemptive order from the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") allowing a registered investment company to invest in a Fund beyond the limits of Section 12(d)(1) subject to certain conditions, including that a registered investment company enters into a Participation Agreement with the Trust regarding the terms of the investment. Any investment company considering purchasing Shares of a Fund in amounts that would cause it to exceed the restrictions under Section 12(d)(1) should contact the Trust.

**A Precautionary Note Regarding Unusual Circumstances.** The Trust can postpone payment of redemption proceeds for any period during which (1) the Exchange is closed other than customary weekend and holiday closings, (2) trading on the Exchange is restricted, as determined by the SEC, (3) any emergency circumstances exist, as determined by the SEC, or (4) the SEC by order permits for the protection of shareholders of a Fund.

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## HOW TO BUY AND SELL SHARES

Each Fund issues and redeems Shares only in large blocks of Shares called “Creation Units.”

Most investors will buy and sell Shares of each Fund in secondary market transactions through brokers. Shares of each Fund that are listed for trading on the secondary market on the Exchange can be bought and sold throughout the trading day like other publicly traded shares. There is no minimum investment. Although Shares are generally purchased and sold in “round lots” of 50,000 Shares, brokerage firms typically permit investors to purchase or sell Shares in smaller “oddlots” at no per-share price differential.

When buying or selling Shares through a broker, you will incur customary brokerage commissions and charges, and you may pay some or all of the spread between the bid and the offer price in the secondary market on each leg of a round trip (purchase and sale) transaction. In addition, because secondary market transactions occur at market prices, you may pay more than NAV when you buy Shares, and receive less than NAV when you sell those Shares.

If you purchase shares of the Fund through a broker-dealer or other financial intermediary (such as a bank), the Adviser may pay the intermediary for educational training programs, the development of technology platforms and reporting systems or other administrative services related to the Fund. Ask your salesperson or visit your financial intermediary’s website for more information.

The Funds’ Exchange trading symbols are as follows:

Fund	Symbol
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares	CHAU

Share prices are reported in dollars and cents per Share.

Investors may acquire Shares directly from each Fund, and shareholders may tender their Shares for redemption directly to each Fund, only in Creation Units, as discussed in the “Creations, Redemptions and Transaction Fees” section below. A Creation Unit consists of 50,000 Shares.

For information about acquiring Shares through a secondary market purchase, please contact your broker. If you wish to sell Shares of a Fund on the secondary market, you must do so through your broker.

**Book Entry.** Shares are held in book-entry form, which means that no stock certificates are issued. The DTC or its nominee is the record owner of all outstanding Shares of the Funds and is recognized as the owner of all Shares for all purposes.

Investors owning Shares are beneficial owners as shown on the records of the DTC or its participants. DTC serves as the securities depository for all Shares. Participants in the DTC include securities brokers and dealers, banks, trust companies, clearing corporations and other institutions that directly or indirectly maintain a custodial relationship with DTC. As a beneficial owner of Shares, you are not entitled to receive physical delivery of stock certificates or to have Shares registered in your name, and you are not considered a registered owner of Shares. Therefore, to exercise any right as an owner of Shares, you must rely upon the procedures of DTC and its participants. These procedures are the same as those that apply to any other stocks that you hold in book entry or “street name” through your brokerage account.

## ABOUT YOUR INVESTMENT

### **Share Price of the Funds**

A fund’s share price is known as its NAV. Each Fund’s share price is calculated as of the close of regular trading on the NYSE, usually 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time (“Valuation Time”), each day the NYSE is open for business (“Business Day.”) The NYSE is open for business Monday through Friday, except in observation of the following holidays: New Year’s Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, President’s Day, Good

Friday, Memorial Day, July 4<sup>th</sup>, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day. NYSE holiday schedules are subject to change without notice.

If the exchange or market on which a Fund’s investments are primarily traded closes early, the NAV may be calculated prior to its normal calculation time. Creation/redemption transaction order time cutoffs would also be accelerated.

The value of a Fund's assets that trade in markets outside the United States or in currencies other than the U.S. dollar may fluctuate when foreign markets are open but the Funds are not open for business.

Share price is calculated by dividing a Fund's net assets by its shares outstanding. In calculating its NAV, each Fund generally values its assets on the basis of market quotations, last sale prices, or estimates of value furnished by a pricing service or brokers who make markets in such instruments. If such information is not available for a security held by a Fund, is determined to be unreliable, or (to the Adviser's knowledge) does not reflect a significant event occurring after the close of the market on which the security principally trades (but before the close of trading on the NYSE), the security will be valued at fair value estimates by the Adviser under guidelines established by the Board of Trustees. Foreign securities, currencies and other assets denominated in foreign currencies are translated into U.S. Dollars at the exchange rate of such currencies against the U.S. Dollar, as provided by an independent pricing service or reporting agency. Each Fund also relies on a pricing service in circumstances where the U.S. securities markets exceed a pre-determined threshold to value foreign securities held in the Fund's portfolio. The pricing service, its methodology or the threshold may change from time to time. Debt obligations with maturities of 60 days or less are valued at amortized cost.

**Fair Value Pricing.** Securities are priced at a fair value as determined by the Adviser, under the oversight of the Board of Trustees, when reliable market quotations are not readily available, the Funds' pricing service does not provide a valuation for such securities, the Funds' pricing service provides a valuation that in the judgment of the Adviser does not represent fair value, the Adviser believes that the market price is stale, or an event that affects the value of an instrument (a "Significant Event") has occurred since closing prices were established, but before the time as of which the Funds calculate their NAVs. Examples of Significant Events may include: (1) events that relate to a single issuer or to an entire market sector; (2) significant

fluctuations in domestic or foreign markets; or (3) occurrences not tied directly to the securities markets, such as natural disasters, armed conflicts, or significant government actions. If such Significant Events occur, the Funds may value the instruments at fair value, taking into account such events when it calculates each Fund's NAV. Fair value determinations are made in good faith in accordance with procedures adopted by the Board of Trustees. In addition, the Funds may also fair value an instrument if trading in a particular instrument is halted and does not resume prior to the closing of the exchange or other market.

Attempts to determine the fair value of securities introduce an element of subjectivity to the pricing of securities. As a result, the price of a security determined through fair valuation techniques may differ from the price quoted or published by other sources and may not accurately reflect the market value of the security when trading resumes. If a reliable market quotation becomes available for a security formerly valued through fair valuation techniques, Rafferty compares the market quotation to the fair value price to evaluate the effectiveness of the Funds' fair valuation procedures and will use that market value in the next calculation of NAV.

#### ***Rule 12b-1 Fees***

The Board of Trustees of the Trust has adopted a Distribution and Service Plan (the "Plan") pursuant to Rule 12b-1 under the 1940 Act. In accordance with the Plan, each Fund is authorized to pay an amount up to 0.25% of its average daily net assets each year for certain distribution-related activities and shareholder services.

No 12b-1 fees are currently paid by any Fund, and there are no plans to impose these fees. However, in the event 12b-1 fees are charged in the future, because the fees are paid out of each Fund's assets, over time these fees will increase the cost of your investment and may cost you more than certain other types of sales charges.

## **SHORT-TERM TRADING**

Rafferty expects a significant portion of the Funds' assets to come from professional money managers and investors who use the Funds as part of "asset allocation" and "market timing" investment strategies. These strategies often call for frequent trading to take advantage of anticipated changes in market conditions. Frequent trading of Shares could increase the rate of creations and redemptions of Shares

and the Funds' portfolio turnover, which could involve correspondingly adverse tax consequences to a Fund's shareholders. Although the Funds reserve the right to reject any purchase orders or suspend the offering of Shares, the Funds do not currently impose any trading restrictions on frequent trading nor actively monitor for trading abuses.



## CREATIONS, REDEMPTIONS AND TRANSACTION FEES

**Creation Units.** Investors such as market makers, large investors and institutions who wish to deal in Creation Units directly with a Fund must have entered into an authorized participant agreement with the principal underwriter and the transfer agent, or purchase through a dealer that has entered into such an agreement. These investors are known as “Authorized Participants.” Set forth below is a brief description of the procedures applicable to the purchase and redemption of Creation Units.

**Purchase of Bull Funds.** To purchase Creation Units directly from a Bull Fund, you must deposit with the Fund a basket of securities and/or cash. Each Business Day, prior to the opening of trading on the Exchange, an agent of the Fund (“Index Receipt Agent”) will make available through the NSCC a list of the names and number of shares of each security, if any, to be included in that day’s creation basket (“Deposit Securities”). The identity and number of shares of the Deposit Securities required for a Creation Unit will change from time to time. Each Bull Fund reserves the right to permit or require the substitution of an amount of cash — *i.e.*, a “cash in lieu” amount — to be added to the Balancing Amount (defined below) to replace any Deposit Security that may not be available in sufficient quantity for delivery, eligible for transfer through the clearing process (discussed below) or the Federal Reserve System or eligible for trading by an Authorized Participant or the investor for which it is acting. For such custom orders, “cash in lieu” may be added to the Balancing Amount (defined below). The Balancing Amount and any “cash in lieu” must be paid to the Trust on or before the third Business Day following the Transmittal Date. You must also pay a Transaction Fee, described below, in cash.

In addition to the in-kind deposit of securities, Authorized Participants will either pay to, or receive from, a Bull Fund an amount of cash referred to as the “Balancing Amount.” The Balancing Amount is the amount equal to the differential, if any, between the market value of the Deposit Securities and the NAV of a Creation Unit. Each Bull Fund will publish, on a daily basis, information about the previous day’s Balancing Amount. The Balancing Amount may, at times, represent a significant portion of the aggregate purchase price (or, in the case of redemptions, the redemption proceeds). This is because the mark-to-market value of the financial instruments held by the Funds will be included in the Balancing Amount (not in the Deposit Basket or Redemption Basket). The Balancing Amount for the Bull Fund may fluctuate significantly due to the leveraged nature of the Bull Funds.

All purchase orders for Creation Units must be placed by or through an Authorized Participant. Purchase orders will be processed either through a manual clearing process run at

the DTC (“Manual Clearing Process”) or through an enhanced clearing process (“Enhanced Clearing Process”) that is available only to those DTC participants that also are participants in the Continuous Net Settlement System of the National Securities Clearing Corporation (“NSCC”). Authorized Participants that do not use the Enhanced Clearing Process will be charged a higher Transaction Fee (discussed below). A purchase order must be received in good order by the transfer agent by 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time, whether transmitted by mail, through the transfer agent’s automated system, telephone, facsimile or other means permitted under the Participant Agreement, in order to receive that day’s NAV per Share. All other procedures set forth in the Participant Agreement must be followed in order for you to receive the NAV determined on that day.

Shares may be issued in advance of receipt of Deposit Securities subject to various conditions including a requirement to maintain on deposit with the Trust cash in an amount up to 115% of the market value of the missing Deposit Securities. Any such transaction effected with the Trust must be effected using the Manual Clearing Process consistent with the terms of the Authorized Participant Agreement.

**Purchase of Bear Funds.** The Bear Funds only accept cash to purchase Creation Units. The purchaser must transfer cash in an amount equal to the value of the Creation Unit(s) purchased and the applicable Transaction Fee. All purchase orders will be processed through the Manual Clearing Process. The Trust will deliver Shares of a Bear Fund upon payment of cash to the Trust on or before the third Business Day following the Transmittal Date consistent with the terms of the Authorized Participant Agreement.

**Redemption from a Bull Fund.** Redemption proceeds will be paid either in cash or in-kind with a basket of securities (“Redemption Securities”). In most cases, Redemption Securities will be the same as Deposit Securities on a given day. There will be times, however, when the Deposit and Redemption Securities differ. The composition of the Redemption Securities will be available through the NSCC. Each Fund reserves the right to honor a redemption request with a non-conforming redemption basket.

If the value of a Creation Unit is higher than the value of the Redemption Securities, you will receive from a Fund a Balancing Amount in cash. If the value of a Creation Unit is lower than the value of the Redemption Securities, you will be required to pay to the Fund a Balancing Amount in cash. If you are receiving a Balancing Amount, the amount due will be reduced by the amount of the applicable Transaction Fee.

As with purchases, redemptions may be processed either through the Manual Clearing Process or the Enhanced

Clearing Process. A redemption order must be received in good order by the transfer agent by 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time, whether transmitted by mail, through the transfer agent's automated system, telephone, facsimile or other means permitted under the Participant Agreement, in order to receive that day's NAV per Share. All other procedures set forth in the Participant Agreement must be followed in order for you to receive the NAV determined on that day.

An investor may request a redemption in cash, which a Bull Fund may in its sole discretion permit. Investors that elect to receive cash in lieu of one or more of the Redemption Securities are subject to an additional charge. Redemptions of Creation Units for cash (when available) and/or outside of the Enhanced Clearing Process also require the payment of an additional charge.

**Redemption from a Bear Fund.** Redemption proceeds will be paid in cash. As with purchases, redemptions may be processed either through the Manual Clearing Process or the Enhanced Clearing Process. A redemption order must be received in good order by the transfer agent by 4:00 p.m. Eastern Time, whether transmitted by mail, through the transfer agent's automated system, telephone, facsimile or other means permitted under the Participant Agreement in order to receive that day's NAV per Share. All other procedures set forth in the Participant Agreement must be followed in order for you to receive the NAV determined on that day.

**Transaction Fees on Creation and Redemption Transactions.** Each Fund will impose Transaction Fees to offset transfer and other transaction costs associated with the issuance and redemption of Creation Units. There is a fixed and a variable component to the total Transaction Fee on transactions in Creation Units. A fixed Transaction Fee is applicable to each creation and redemption transaction, regardless of the number of Creation Units transacted. A variable Transaction Fee based upon the value of each Creation Unit also is applicable to each redemption transaction. Purchasers and redeemers of Creation Units of a Fund effected through the Manual Clearing Process are required to pay an additional charge to compensate for brokerage and other expenses. In addition, purchasers of Creation Units are responsible for payment of the costs of transferring the Deposit Securities to the Trust. However, in no instance will the fees charged exceed 2% of the value of the Creation Units subject to the transaction. Redeemers of Creation Units are responsible for the costs of transferring securities from the Trust. Investors who use the services of a broker or other such intermediary may pay additional fees for such services. In addition, Rafferty may, from time to time, at its own expense, compensate purchasers of Creation Units who have purchased substantial amounts of Creation Units and other financial institutions for administrative or marketing services.

The table below summarizes the components of the Transaction Fees.

	Fixed Transaction Fee			Maximum Additional Charge for Purchases and Redemptions*
	NSCC	In-Kind	Cash	
		Outside NSCC	Outside NSCC	
Direxion Shares ETF Trust				
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	\$1,250	Up to 300% of NSCC Amount	\$1,250	Up to 0.15%
Direxion Daily Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	N/A	N/A	\$250	Up to 0.15%
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bull 2X Shares	\$250	Up to 300% of NSCC Amount	\$250	Up to 0.15%
Direxion Daily Junior Gold Miners Index Bear 2X Shares	N/A	N/A	\$250	Up to 0.15%
Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares	\$250	Up to 300% of NSCC Amount	\$250	Up to 0.15%

\* As a percentage of the amount invested.

## MANAGEMENT OF THE FUNDS

Rafferty provides investment management services to the Funds. Rafferty has been managing investment companies since 1997. Rafferty is located at 1301 Avenue of the Americas (6<sup>th</sup> Avenue), 35<sup>th</sup> Floor, New York, New York 10019. As of March 31, 2015, the Adviser had approximately \$9.42 billion in assets under management.

Under an investment advisory agreement between the Trust and Rafferty, the Funds pay Rafferty fees at an annualized

rate of 0.50% based on a percentage of each Fund's average daily net assets, except the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Share Bull 2X Shares which will pay Rafferty at an annualized rate of 0.75% of its average daily net assets.

A discussion regarding the basis on which the Board of Trustees approved the investment advisory agreements for the Funds will be available in the Trust's Annual Report to shareholders for the fiscal period ended October 31, 2015.

Rafferty has entered into an Operating Expense Limitation Agreement with each Fund. Under this Operating Expense Limitation Agreement, Rafferty has contractually agreed to cap all or a portion of its management fee and/or reimburse each Fund for Other Expenses through September 1, 2016, to the extent that each Fund's Total Annual Operating Expenses exceed 0.60%, and for the Direxion Daily CSI 300 China A Shares Bull 2X Shares 0.95%, of a Fund's daily net assets (excluding, as applicable, among other expenses, taxes, leverage interest, Acquired Fund Fees and Expenses, dividends or interest on short positions, other interest expenses, brokerage commissions, expenses incurred in connection with any merger or reorganization and extraordinary expenses such as litigation).

Any expense cap is subject to reimbursement by a Fund within the following three years only if overall expenses fall below these percentage limitations. Solely at Rafferty's option and discretion, Rafferty may pay, reimburse or otherwise assume one or more of the excluded expenses, in which case such expense will be subject to reimbursement by Rafferty in accordance with the Operating Expense Limitation Agreement. This agreement may be terminated or revised at any time with the consent of the Board of Trustees.

Paul Brigandi, each Fund's Portfolio Manager, is primarily responsible for the day-to-day management of the Funds. An investment trading team of Rafferty employees assists Mr. Brigandi in the day-to-day management of the Funds subject to his primary responsibility and oversight. The Portfolio Manager works with the investment trading team to decide the target allocation of each Fund's investments and on a day-to-day basis, an individual portfolio trader executes transactions for the Funds consistent with their target allocation. The members of the investment trading team rotate among the various series of the Trust, including the Funds periodically so that no single individual is assigned to a specific Fund for extended periods of time.

Mr. Brigandi has been a Portfolio Manager at Rafferty since June 2004. Mr. Brigandi was previously involved in the equity trading training program for Fleet Boston Financial Corporation from August 2002 to April 2004. Mr. Brigandi is a 2002 graduate of Fordham University.

The Funds' Statement of Additional Information ("SAI") provides additional information about the investment team members' compensation, other accounts they manage and their ownership of securities in the Funds.

## PORTFOLIO HOLDINGS

A description of the Funds' policies and procedures with respect to the disclosure of the Funds' portfolio securities is available in the Funds' SAI.

## OTHER SERVICE PROVIDERS

Forside Fund Services, LLC ("Distributor") serves as the Funds' distributor. U.S. Bancorp Fund Services, LLC serves as the Funds' administrator. Bank of New York Mellon ("BNYM") serves as the Funds' transfer agent, fund accountant, custodian and index receipt agent. The Distributor is not affiliated with Rafferty or BNYM.

## DISTRIBUTIONS

**Fund Distributions.** Each Fund pays out dividends from its net investment income, and distributes any net capital gains, if any, to its shareholders at least annually. Each Fund is authorized to declare and pay capital gain distributions in additional Shares or in cash. The Funds may have extremely high portfolio turnover, which may cause them to generate significant amounts of taxable income. The Funds will generally need to distribute net short-term capital gain to satisfy certain tax requirements. As a result of the Funds' high portfolio turnover, they could need to make larger and/or more frequent distributions than traditional unleveraged ETFs.

**Dividend Reinvestment Service.** Brokers may make the DTC book-entry dividend reinvestment service ("Reinvestment

Service") available to their customers who are shareholders of a Fund. If the Reinvestment Service is used with respect to a Fund, its distributions of both net income and capital gains will automatically be reinvested in additional and fractional Shares thereof purchased in the secondary market. Without the Reinvestment Service, investors will receive Fund distributions in cash, except as noted above under "Fund Distributions." To determine whether the Reinvestment Service is available and whether there is a commission or other charge for using the service, consult your broker. Fund shareholders should be aware that brokers may require them to adhere to specific procedures and timetables to use the Reinvestment Service.

As with any investment, you should consider the tax consequences of buying, holding, and disposing of Shares. The tax information in this Prospectus is only a general summary of some important federal tax considerations generally affecting the Funds and their shareholders. No attempt is made to present a complete explanation of the federal tax treatment of the Funds' activities, and this discussion is not intended as a substitute for careful tax planning. Accordingly, potential investors are urged to consult their own tax advisers for more detailed information and for information regarding any state, local, or foreign taxes applicable to the Funds and to an investment in Shares.

Fund distributions to you and your sale of your Shares will have tax consequences to you unless you hold your Shares through a tax-exempt entity or tax-deferred retirement arrangement, such as an individual retirement account ("IRA") or 401(k) plan.

Each Fund intends to qualify each taxable year for taxation as a "regulated investment company." If a Fund so qualifies and satisfies certain distribution requirements, the Fund will not be subject to federal income tax on income that is distributed in a timely manner to its shareholders in the form of income dividends or capital gain distributions.

**Taxes on Distributions.** Dividends from a Fund's investment company taxable income — generally, the sum of net investment income, the excess of net short-term capital gain over net long-term capital loss, and net gains and losses from certain foreign currency transactions, if any, all determined without regard to any deduction for dividends paid — will be taxable to you as ordinary income to the extent of its earnings and profits, whether they are paid in cash or reinvested in additional Shares. However, dividends a Fund pays to you that are attributable to its "qualified dividend income" (*i.e.*, dividends it receives on stock of most domestic and certain foreign corporations with respect to which it satisfies certain holding period and other restrictions) generally will be taxed to you, if you are an individual, trust, or estate and satisfy those restrictions with respect to your Shares, for federal income tax purposes, at the rates of 15% or 20% for such shareholders with taxable income exceeding certain thresholds (which will be indexed for inflation annually). A portion of a Fund's dividends also may be eligible for the dividends-received deduction allowed to corporations — the eligible portion may not exceed the aggregate dividends the Fund receives from domestic corporations subject to federal income tax (excluding real estate investment trusts) and excludes dividends from foreign corporations — subject to similar restrictions; however, dividends a corporate shareholder deducts pursuant to that deduction are subject indirectly to the

federal alternative minimum tax. None of the Funds expect to earn a significant amount of income that would qualify for those maximum rates or that deduction.

Distributions of a Fund's net capital gain (which is the excess of net long-term capital gain over net short-term capital loss) that it recognizes on sales or exchanges of capital assets ("capital gain distributions"), if any, will be taxable to you as long-term capital gains, at the maximum rates mentioned above if you are an individual, trust, or estate, regardless of your holding period for the Shares on which the distributions are paid and regardless of whether they are paid in cash or reinvested in additional Shares. A Fund's capital gain distributions may vary considerably from one year to the next as a result of its investment activities and cash flows and the performance of the markets in which it invests. None of the Funds expects to earn a significant amount of net capital gain.

Distributions in excess of a Fund's current and accumulated earnings and profits, if any, first will reduce your adjusted tax basis in your Shares in that Fund and, after that basis is reduced to zero, will constitute capital gain. That capital gain will be long-term capital gain, and thus will be taxed at the maximum rates mentioned above if you are an individual, trust, or estate if the distributions are attributable to Shares you held for more than one year.

Investors should be aware that the price of Shares at any time may reflect the amount of a forthcoming dividend or capital gain distribution, so if they purchase Shares shortly before the record date therefor, they will pay full price for the Shares and receive some part of the purchase price back as a taxable distribution even though it represents a partial return of invested capital.

In general, distributions are subject to federal income tax for the year when they are paid. However, certain distributions paid in January may be treated as paid on December 31 of the prior year.

Because of the possibility of high portfolio turnover, the Funds may generate significant amounts of taxable income. Accordingly, the Funds may need to make larger and/or more frequent distributions than traditional unleveraged ETFs. A substantial portion of that income typically will be short-term capital gain, which will generally be treated as ordinary income when distributed to shareholders.

Fund distributions to tax-deferred or qualified plans, such as an IRA, retirement plan or pension plan, generally will not be taxable. However, distributions from such plans will be taxable to the individual participant notwithstanding the character of the income earned by the qualified plan. Please

consult a tax adviser for a more complete explanation of the federal, state, local and foreign tax consequences of investing in a Fund through such a plan.

**Taxes When Shares are Sold.** Generally, you will recognize taxable gain or loss if you sell or otherwise dispose of your Shares. Any gain arising from such a disposition generally will be treated as long-term capital gain if you held the Shares for more than one year, taxable at the maximum rates (15%/20%) mentioned above if you are an individual, trust, or estate; otherwise, the gain will be treated as short-term capital gain. However, any capital loss arising from the disposition of Shares held for six months or less will be treated as long-term capital loss to the extent of capital gain distributions, if any, received with respect to those Shares. In addition, all or a portion of any loss recognized on a sale or exchange of Shares of a Fund will be disallowed to the extent other Shares of the same Fund are purchased (whether through reinvestment of distributions or otherwise) within a period of 61 days beginning 30 days before and ending 30 days after the date of the sale or exchange; in that event, the basis in the newly purchased Shares will be adjusted to reflect the disallowed loss.

**Holders of Creation Units.** A shareholder who redeems a Creation Unit generally will recognize gain or loss to the same extent and in the same manner as described in the immediately preceding paragraph.

**Miscellaneous. Backup Withholding.** A Fund must withhold and remit to the U.S. Treasury 28% of dividends and capital gain distributions otherwise payable to any individual or certain other non-corporate shareholder who fails to certify that the social security or other taxpayer identification number furnished to the Fund is correct or who furnishes an incorrect number (together with the withholding described in the next sentence, "backup withholding"). Withholding at that rate also is required from a Fund's dividends and capital gain distributions otherwise payable to such a shareholder who is subject to backup withholding for any other reason. Backup withholding is not an additional tax, and any amounts so withheld may be credited against a shareholder's federal income tax liability or refunded.

**Additional Tax.** An individual must pay a 3.8% federal tax on the lesser of (1) the individual's "net investment income," which generally includes dividends, interest, and net gains from the disposition of investment property (including dividends and capital gain distributions a Fund pays and net gains realized on the sale or redemption of Shares), or (2) the excess of the individual's "modified adjusted gross income" over a threshold amount (\$250,000 for married persons filing jointly and \$200,000 for single taxpayers). This tax is in addition to any other taxes due on that income. A similar tax will apply for those years to estates and trusts. Shareholders should consult their own tax advisers regarding the effect, if any, this provision may have on their investment in Fund shares.

**Basis Determination.** A shareholder who wants to use the average basis method for determining basis in Shares he or she acquires after December 31, 2011 ("Covered Shares"), must elect to do so in writing (which may be electronic) with the broker through which he or she purchased the Shares. A shareholder who wishes to use a different IRS-acceptable method for basis determination (e.g., a specific identification method) may elect to do so. Fund shareholders are urged to consult with their brokers regarding the application of the basis determination rules to them.

You may also be subject to state and local taxes on Fund distributions and dispositions of Shares.

**Non-U.S. Shareholders.** "A "non-U.S. shareholder" is an investor that, for federal tax purposes, is a nonresident alien individual, a foreign corporation or a foreign estate or trust. Except where discussed otherwise, the following disclosure assumes that a non-U.S. shareholder's ownership of Shares is not effectively connected with a trade or business conducted by such non-U.S. shareholder in the United States and does not address non-U.S. shareholders who are present in the United States for 183 days or more during the taxable year. The tax consequences to a non-U.S. shareholder entitled to claim the benefits of an applicable tax treaty may be different from those described herein. Non-U.S. shareholders should consult their tax advisers with respect to the particular tax consequences to them of an investment in a Fund.

**Withholding.** Dividends paid by a Fund to non-U.S. shareholders will be subject to withholding tax at a 30% rate or a reduced rate specified by an applicable income tax treaty to the extent derived from investment income (other than "qualified interest income" or "qualified short-term capital gains," as described below). In order to obtain a reduced rate of withholding, a non-U.S. shareholder will be required to provide an IRS Form W-8BEN (or substitute form) certifying its entitlement to benefits under a treaty. The withholding tax does not apply to regular dividends paid to a non-U.S. shareholder who provides an IRS Form W-8ECI, certifying that the dividends are effectively connected with the non-U.S. shareholder's conduct of a trade or business within the United States. Instead, the effectively connected dividends will be subject to regular U.S. income tax as if the non-U.S. shareholder were a U.S. shareholder. A non-U.S. corporation's earnings and profits attributable to such dividends may also be subject to additional "branch profits tax" imposed at a rate of 30% (or lower treaty rate).

A non-U.S. shareholder who fails to provide an IRS Form W-8BEN or other applicable form may be subject to backup withholding at the appropriate rate. See the discussion of backup withholding under "Miscellaneous" above.



*Exemptions from Withholding.* In general, federal income tax will not apply to gain realized on the sale or other disposition of Shares or to any Fund distributions reported as capital gain dividends, short-term capital gain dividends, or interest-related dividends.

The exemption for short-term capital gain dividends and interest-related dividends applies only with respect to dividends with respect to a Fund's current taxable year ending on or before October 31, 2015. "Short-term capital gain dividends" are dividends that are attributable to "qualified short-term gain" a Fund realizes (generally, the excess of a Fund's net short-term capital gain over long-term capital loss for a taxable year, computed with certain adjustments). "Interest-related dividends" are dividends that are attributable to "qualified net interest income" from U.S. sources. Depending on its circumstances, a Fund may report all, some or none of its potentially eligible dividends as short-term capital gain dividends and interest-related dividends and/or treat such dividends, in whole or in part, as ineligible for this exemption from withholding. To qualify for the exemption, a non-U.S. shareholder will need to comply with applicable certification requirements relating to its non-U.S. status (including, in general, furnishing an IRS Form W-8BEN or substitute form). In the case of shares held through an intermediary, the intermediary may withhold even if a Fund designates the payment as a short-term capital gain dividend or an interest-related dividend. Non-U.S. shareholders should contact their intermediaries with respect to the application of these rules to their accounts.

*Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act ("FATCA").* Under FATCA, "foreign financial institutions" ("FFIs") or "non-financial foreign entities" ("NFFEs") that are Fund shareholders may be subject to a generally nonrefundable 30% withholding tax on (1) income dividends, and (2) certain capital gain distributions and the proceeds of a redemption of Shares a Fund pays after December 31, 2016. As discussed more fully in the Funds' Statement of Additional Information under "Taxes," the FATCA withholding tax generally can be avoided (a) by an FFI, if it reports certain information regarding direct and indirect ownership of financial accounts U.S. persons hold with the FFI and (b) by an NFFE, if it certifies its status as such and, in certain circumstances, that (i) it has no substantial U.S. persons as owners or (ii) it does have such owners and reports information relating to them to the withholding agent. The U.S. Treasury has negotiated intergovernmental agreements ("IGAs") with certain countries and is in various stages of negotiations with other foreign countries with respect to one or more alternative approaches to implement FATCA; entities in those countries may be required to comply with the terms of the IGA instead of Treasury regulations. Non-U.S. shareholders should consult their own tax advisers

regarding the application of these requirements to their own situation and the impact thereof on their investment in a Fund.

More information about taxes is in the Funds' SAI.

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

No financial information is available for the Funds because they had not commenced operations prior to the date of this Prospectus.

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#### ***Statement of Additional Information ("SAI"):***

The Funds' SAI contains more information on the Funds and their investment policies. The SAI is incorporated in this Prospectus by reference (meaning it is legally part of this Prospectus). A current SAI is on file with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

#### ***Annual and Semi-Annual Reports to Shareholders:***

The Funds' reports will provide additional information on the Funds' investment holdings, performance data and a letter discussing the market conditions and investment strategies that significantly affected the Funds' performance during that period.

#### ***To Obtain the SAI or Fund Reports Free of Charge:***

Write to:      Direxion Shares ETF Trust  
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                    New York, New York 10019  
Call:            866-476-7523  
By Internet:   [www.direxioninvestments.com](http://www.direxioninvestments.com)

These documents and other information about the Funds can be reviewed and copied at the SEC Public Reference Room in Washington, D.C. Information on the operation of the Public Reference Room may be obtained by calling the SEC at (202) 551-8090. Reports and other information about the Funds may be viewed on screen or downloaded from the EDGAR Database on the SEC's website at <http://www.sec.gov>. Copies of these documents may be obtained, after paying a duplicating fee, by electronic request at the following e-mail address: [publicinfo@sec.gov](mailto:publicinfo@sec.gov), or by writing the SEC's Public Reference Section, Washington, D.C. 20549-0102.