



Press release

VanEck Renames Think ETFs to VanEck Vectors™

- The rebranding finalises the integration of the 14 Think ETFs into the VanEck product portfolio.
- Martijn Rozemuller, European Head of VanEck, comments: “Our long-term objective is to be one of the top ten providers of ETFs in Europe, mirroring the position we already command in the US.”

London, 4 November 2019 – Global asset manager VanEck today announced it is rebranding 14 Think ETFs, which it had incorporated in its product portfolio following the acquisition of the Dutch ETF issuer Think ETFs in January 2018. As a result of the integration, 24 ETFs have been licensed for distribution and are now marketed in the United Kingdom under the name VanEck Vectors™, of which 19 are listed and traded on the London Stock Exchange.

“We are delighted to reinforce the VanEck brand in the UK and Europe and to further expand our growth through this rebranding operation. Our long-term objective is to be one of the top ten providers of ETFs in Europe, mirroring the position we already command in the US,” said Martijn Rozemuller, European Head of VanEck.

The VanEck ETFs are focused on intelligent strategies and offer investors access to a broad range of different asset classes. These comprise gold mine shares and high yield bonds, as well as global, European and North American equity, global real estate equity and corporate and government bonds in the eurozone and on a global level. VanEck has USD 51 billion of assets under management worldwide in both passive and actively managed funds (as of: 31 October 2019).

“By renaming the Think ETFs as VanEck Vectors™ ETFs, we are finalising the integration, broadening our product portfolio and reinforcing the brand, while continuing to focus on innovative, forward looking, and intelligently designed investment strategies. VanEck Vectors™ ETFs position themselves as specialised strategies such as gold mine equities, US smart-beta equities and other specialties in the area of fixed income, such as fallen angel high yield bonds and emerging market bonds. By enlarging the product range and including equal weight equity benchmarks, dividends and real estate, we offer attractive portfolio components for all types of investor,” said Philipp Schlegel, Head of Sales for the United Kingdom at VanEck.



VanEck first announced the listing of the VanEck Vectors™ Video Gaming and eSports UCITS ETF on the London Stock Exchange in June 2019. In doing so, the asset manager is offering the first ETF in this rapidly growing business segment via the London Stock Exchange. The innovative ETF will allow investors to put their money into the “future of sport”.

All VanEck ETFs embody the philosophy of offering investment solutions with unique selling points. The ETFs are physically replicated and do not engage in securities lending.

VanEck Vectors™ ETFs registered in the UK:

ETF	ISIN
Hard asset shares	
VanEck Vectors™ Gold Miners UCITS ETF	IE00BQQP9F84
VanEck Vectors™ Junior Gold Miners UCITS ETF	IE00BQQP9G91
VanEck Vectors™ Natural Resources UCITS ETF	IE00BDFBTK17
VanEck Vectors™ Global Mining UCITS ETF	IE00BDFBTQ78
Regional shares	
VanEck Vectors™ Global Equal Weight UCITS ETF	NL0009690221
VanEck Vectors™ European Equal Weight UCITS ETF	NL0010731816
VanEck Vectors™ Morningstar North America Equal Weight UCITS ETF	NL0011376074
VanEck Vectors™ Morningstar Developed Markets Dividend Leaders UCITS ETF	NL0011683594
VanEck Vectors™ AEX UCITS ETF	NL0009272749
VanEck Vectors™ AMX UCITS ETF	NL0009272756
Sustainability shares	
VanEck Vectors™ Sustainable World Equal Weight UCITS ETF	NL0010408704
Strategic shares	
VanEck Vectors™ Global Real Estate UCITS ETF	NL0009690239
VanEck Vectors Morningstar US Wide Moat UCITS ETF	IE00BQQP9H09
Equity income	
VanEck Vectors™ Preferred US Equity UCITS ETF	IE00BDFBTR85
Thematic shares	
VanEck Vectors™ Video Gaming and eSports UCITS ETF	IE00BYWQWR46
Government bonds	
VanEck Vectors™ J.P. Morgan EM Local Currency Bond UCITS ETF	IE00BDS67326
VanEck Vectors™ iBoxx EUR Sovereign Diversified 1-10 UCITS ETF	NL0009690254
VanEck Vectors™ iBoxx EUR Sovereign Capped AAA-AA 1-5 UCITS ETF	NL0010273801
Corporate bonds	
VanEck Vectors™ Global Fallen Angel High Yield Bond UCITS ETF	IE00BF540Z61
VanEck Vectors™ Emerging Markets High Yield Bond UCITS ETF	IE00BF541080
VanEck Vectors™ iBoxx EUR Corporates UCITS ETF	NL0009690247
Multi-asset ETFs	
VanEck Vectors™ Multi-Asset Conservative Allocation UCITS ETF	NL0009272764
VanEck Vectors™ Multi-Asset Balanced Allocation UCITS ETF	NL0009272772
VanEck Vectors™ Multi-Asset Growth Allocation UCITS ETF	NL0009272780



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About VanEck:

Since its foundation in 1955, VanEck has been driven by innovation and stands for intelligent, forward-looking investment strategies. The asset manager currently manages around USD 51 billion* worldwide, which includes ETFs, active funds and institutional accounts.

With more than 90 ETFs around the world, the investment company offers a comprehensive portfolio that covers numerous sectors, asset classes and smart-beta strategies. VanEck was one of the first asset managers to offer investors access to global markets. Its objective has always been to identify new trends and asset classes – such as gold investments (1968), emerging markets (1993) and ETFs (2006), which have shaped the entire investment industry to this day.

VanEck is headquartered in New York. It also has offices in locations worldwide, including branches in Frankfurt (Germany), Madrid (Spain), Pfäffikon (Switzerland), Amsterdam (Netherlands), Sydney (Australia) and Shanghai (China).

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You will find more information about VanEck and the funds on www.vaneck.com or in the blog <https://www.vaneck.com/ucits/blog>.