NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC Form SC 13G February 09, 2012

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

SCHEDULE 13G (Rule 13d-102)

INFORMATION TO BE INCLUDED IN STATEMENTS FILED PURSUANT TO RULES 13d-1(b), (c), AND (d) AND AMENDMENTS THERETO FILED PURSUANT TO RULE 13d-2(b) (Amendment No. 0)*

Novagold Resources Inc
(Name of Issuer)
Common Stock
(Title of Class of Securities)
66987E206
(CUSIP Number)
31 December 2011
(Date of Event Which Requires Filing of this Statement)
Check the appropriate box to designate the rule pursuant to which this Schedule is filed:
[X] Rule 13d-1(b) [_] Rule 13d-1(c) [] Rule 13d-1(d)
1 The remainder of this cover page shall be filled out for a reporting person's initial filing on this form with respect to the subject class of securities, and for any subsequent amendment containing information which would alter the disclosures provided in a prior cover page. The information required in the remainder of this cover page shall not be deemed to be "filed" for the purpose of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 the "Act") or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that section of the Act, but shall be subject to all other provisions of the Act (however, see the Notes.)

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1.	NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)					
	M&G Investment Management Limited No I.R.S Identification Number					
2.	CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF THE MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [] (b) []					= =
3.	SEC USE ONLY					
4.	CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION United Kingdom, England					
NUMBER O			SOLE VOTING POWER			
SHARES BENEFICIA OWNED BY			SHARED VOTING POWER 15,148,400			
EACH REPORTING PERSON	G	7.	SOLE DISPOTIVE POWER 0			
WITH		8.	SHARED DISPOTIVE POWER 36,448,400			
9.	AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 36,448,400					
10.	CHECK BOX IF AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* [_]					
11.	PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9					
12.	TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON IA					

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1. NAMES OF REPORTING PERSONS

I.R.S. IDENTIFICATION NO. OF ABOVE PERSONS (ENTITIES ONLY)

M&G Investment Funds 1
No I.R.S Identification Number

CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX IF THE MEMBER OF A GROUP* (a) [_] (b) [_] SEC USE ONLY CITIZENSHIP OR PLACE OF ORGANIZATION United Kingdom, England ______ 5. SOLE VOTING POWER NUMBER OF 0 SHARES _____ BENEFICIALLY 6. SHARED VOTING POWER 14,650,000 OWNED BY EACH REPORTING 7. SOLE DISPOTIVE POWER PERSON WITH 8. SHARED DISPOTIVE POWER 14,650,000 AGGREGATE AMOUNT BENEFICIALLY OWNED BY EACH REPORTING PERSON 14,650,000 ______ CHECK BOX IF AGGREGATE AMOUNT IN ROW (9) EXCLUDES CERTAIN SHARES* PERCENT OF CLASS REPRESENTED BY AMOUNT IN ROW 9 6.10% TYPE OF REPORTING PERSON 00 Schedule 13G CUSIP No. 66987E206 Page 4 of 6 Pages Item 1(a). Name of Issuer: Novagold Resources Inc. Item 1(b). Address of Issuer's Principal Executive Offices: PO Box 24, Suite 2300-200 Granville Street, Vancouver, British Columia, Canada, V6C 1S4 Item 2(a). Name of Person Filing: 1. M&G Investment Management Limited (MAGIM) 2. M&G Investment Funds 1 Item 2(b). Address of Principal Business Office or, if None, Residence:

Governor's House, Laurence Pountney Hill, London, EC4R OHH

Item 2(c). Citizenship:

United Kingdom, England

Item 2(d). Title of Class of Securities:

Common Stock

Item 2(e). CUSIP Number:

66987E206

Item 3. Type of Person:

(e) MAGIM is an investment advisor in accordance with s.240.13d-1(b)(1)(ii)(E)

Some of the securities covered by this report are owned legally by Vanguard precious Metals and Mining Fund, MAGIMs investment advisory client. MAGIM has sole investment power and no voting power in these securities.

All the securities covered by this report are legally owned by MAGIMs Investment advisory clients, and none are owned directly by MAGIM.

Item 4. Ownership.

Provide the following information regarding the aggregate number and percentage of the class of securities of the issuer identified in Item 1.

- (a) Amount Beneficially Owned: 36,448,400
- (b) Percent of Class: 15.18%
- (c) Number of shares as to which such person has:

 M&G Investment Management Limited
- (i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote 0

(ii)	shared power to vote or to direct the vote	15,148,400
(iii)	sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of	0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 36,448,400

M&G Investment Funds (1)

(i) sole power to vote or to direct the vote 0

(ii) shared power to vote or to direct the

vote 14,650,000 -----

(iii) sole power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 0

(iv) shared power to dispose or to direct the disposition of 14,650,000

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Ownership of Five Percent or Less of Class.

If this statement is being filed to report the fact that as of the date hereof the reporting person has ceased to be the beneficial owner of more than five percent of the class of securities, check the following

Not Applicable.

Item 6. Ownership of More than Five Percent on Behalf of Another Person.

Not applicable.

Item 7. Identification and Classification of the Subsidiary Which Acquired the Security Being Reported on by the Parent Holding Company.

Not applicable.

Item 8. Identification and Classification of Members of the Group.

Not applicable.

Item 9. Notice of Dissolution of Group.

Not Applicable

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Item 10. Certification.

(a) The following certification shall be included if the statement is filed pursuant to Rule 13d-1(b):

"By signing below I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the securities referred to above were acquired and are held in the ordinary course of business and were not acquired and are not held for the purpose of or with the effect of changing or influencing the control of the issuer of the securities and were not acquired and are not held in connection with or as a participant in any transaction having that purpose or effect. "

SIGNATURE

After reasonable inquiry and to the best of my knowledge and belief, I certify that the information set forth in this statement is true, complete and correct.

By: --//Mark Thomas//--

Name: Mark Thomas

Title: Head of Group Funds Date: February 09, 2012

Exhibit A

AGREEMENT OF JOINT FILING

In accordance with Rule 13d-1(k) under the Securities Exchanges Act of 1934, as amended, the undersigned hereby agrees that the foregoing statement on Schedule 13G/A, is filed on behalf of each of the undersigned without the necessity of filing additional joint acquisition statements. The undersigned acknowledge that each shall be responsible for the timely filing of such amendments, and for the completeness and accuracy of information concerning the others, except to the extent that he or it knows or has reason to believe that such information is inaccurate.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned hereby execute this Agreementon the 09th day of February, 2012.

M&G INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT LIMITED

Bv /s/ Mark Thomas

Date: February 09, 2012 Head of M&G Notifiable Reporting

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By /s/ Mark Thomas

Date: February 09, 2012 Head of M&G Notifiable Reporting