

GAMCO INVESTORS, INC. ET AL

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UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549

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Report for the Calendar Year or Quarter Ended: December 31, 2011

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entries.

Institutional Investment Manager Filing this Report:

Name: GAMCO Asset Management Inc.

Address: One Corporate Center  
Rye, New York 10580

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The institutional investment manager filing this report and the person by whom it is signed hereby represent that the person signing the report is authorized to submit it, that all information contained herein is true, correct and complete, and that it is understood that all required items, statements, schedules, lists, and tables, are considered integral parts of this form.

Person Signing this Report on Behalf of Reporting Manager:

Name: Douglas R. Jamieson /s/

Title: President

Phone: 914-921-5020

Signature, Place and Date of Signing:

Douglas R. Jamieson /s/ Rye, NY February 10, 2012

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REPORT SUMMARY:

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| NUMBER OF OTHER INCLUDED MANAGERS:      | 0                           |
| FORM 13F INFORMATION TABLE ENTRY TOTAL: | 790                         |
| FORM 13F INFORMATION TABLE VALUE TOTAL: | \$12,574,201<br>(thousands) |
| LIST OF OTHER INCLUDED MANAGERS:        | NONE                        |