

HSBC Universal Investment Funds

US Multi-Factor Equity Fund

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Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide growth in the long term, which is a period of five years or more.



Investment strategy

To achieve its objective the Fund will invest at least 80% of its value in shares (equities) of US companies. US companies are those that are based in the US, or earn at least 80% of their revenue from the US. The investment manager identifies potential shares of companies from the S&P 500 Index (the Index) and ranks them from the least attractive to most attractive based upon certain factors, such as value, quality and size. The manager's investment approach then aims to maximise exposure to the highest ranked shares whilst maintaining a portfolio diversified by companies and sectors to manage risk. The sector and stock constraints relative to the S&P 500 Index within the investment strategy means the Fund returns are more likely to be closer to the returns of the S&P 500 Index than if there were no limits on the level of risk the Fund may take. Separately, the S&P 500 Index is also considered as part of our investment risk monitoring process, to check that the overall level of risk taken by the fund manager is not inconsistent with the US equities market. The performance of the Fund is therefore shown against the performance of the S&P 500 Index.



Main risks

- The value of investments and any income from them can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amount originally invested
- Where overseas investments are held the rate of currency exchange may cause the value of such investments to go down as well as up.
- Derivatives may be used by the Fund, and these can behave unexpectedly. The pricing and volatility of many derivatives may diverge from strictly reflecting the pricing or volatility of their underlying reference(s), instrument or asset.

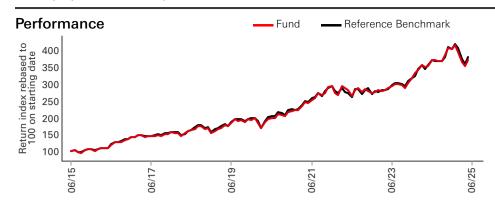
Share class details

| Key metrics | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| NAV per share | GBP 8.58 |
| Performance 1 month | 2.54% |
| Volatility 3 years | 11.57% |
| Fund facts | |
| UCITS V compliant | Yes |
| UK reporting fund status (UKRS) | Yes |
| ISA eligible | Yes |
| Dividend treatment | Accumulating |
| Dealing frequency | Daily |
| Valuation time | 12:00 United Kingdom |
| Share class base currency | GBP |
| Domicile | United Kingdom |
| Inception date | 24 July 2006 |
| Fund size | GBP 396,666,252 |
| Reference benchmark | 100% S&P 500 Net |
| Managers System | HSBC Index and attic Equity Portfolio |

| Fees and expenses | |
|---|---------------|
| Minimum initial investment ¹ | GBP 1,000,000 |
| Ongoing charge figure ² | 0.300% |
| Codes | |
| ISIN | GB00B19DCX31 |
| Bloomberg ticker | HSBCMUS LN |
| SEDOL | B19DCX3 |

Management Team

¹Please note that initial minimum subscription may vary across different distributors ²Ongoing Charges Figure is an estimate due to a change of fee structure.



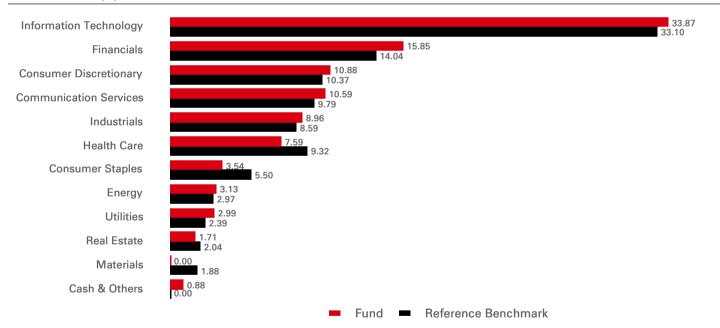
| Performance (%) | YTD | 1 month | 3 months | 6 months | 1 year | 3 years ann | 5 years ann | 10 years ann |
|---------------------|-------|---------|----------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| Inst A Acc | -5.40 | 2.54 | 4.30 | -5.40 | 2.25 | 13.10 | 13.80 | 14.29 |
| Reference Benchmark | -3.13 | 3.38 | 4.39 | -3.13 | 5.81 | 14.46 | 13.73 | 14.61 |

| Rolling performance (%) | 30/06/24- 30/06/25 | 30/06/23- 30/06/24 | 30/06/22- 30/06/23 | 30/06/21- 30/06/22 | 30/06/20- 30/06/21 | 30/06/19- 30/06/20 | 30/06/18- 30/06/19 | 30/06/17- 30/06/18 | 30/06/16- 30/06/17 | 30/06/15- 30/06/16 |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Inst A Acc | 2.25 | 26.07 | 12.23 | 3.90 | 27.00 | 8.91 | 12.61 | 12.39 | 22.75 | 17.70 |
| Reference Benchmark | 5.81 | 24.71 | 13.66 | 1.23 | 25.34 | 10.07 | 13.85 | 11.87 | 20.58 | 21.54 |

| Equity characteristics | Fund | Reference Benchmark |
|------------------------------|---------|------------------------|
| No. of holdings ex cash | 126 | 501 |
| Average market cap (GBP Mil) | 820,379 | 801,187 |

| 3-Year Risk Measures | Inst A Acc | Reference Benchmark |
|----------------------|------------|------------------------|
| Volatility | 11.57% | 12.89% |
| Information ratio | -0.23 | |
| Beta | 0.79 | |

Sector allocation (%)



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| Top 10 holdings | Sector | Weight (%) |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------|
| NVIDIA Corp | Information Technology | 7.52 |
| Microsoft Corp | Information Technology | 7.16 |
| Apple Inc | Information Technology | 5.96 |
| Amazon.com Inc | Consumer Discretionary | 4.70 |
| Alphabet Inc | Communication Services | 3.85 |
| Meta Platforms Inc | Communication Services | 3.61 |
| Broadcom Inc | Information Technology | 2.37 |
| Berkshire Hathaway Inc | Financials | 1.75 |
| JPMorgan Chase & Co | Financials | 1.71 |
| Visa Inc | Financials | 1.62 |

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Risk disclosures

- Investment Leverage occurs when the economic exposure is greater than the amount invested, such as when derivatives are used. A Fund that employs leverage may experience greater gains and/or losses due to the amplification effect from a movement in the price of the reference source.
- Liquidity is a measure of how easily the Fund's holdings can be quickly converted to cash. The value of the Fund's holdings may be significantly impacted by liquidity risk during adverse market conditions.
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