

# **HSBC Global Funds ICAV**

# Global Corporate Bond UCITS ETF

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# Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide regular income and capital growth by tracking as closely as possible the performance of the Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporate Bond Index (total return hedged to US dollars) (the Index).



# Investment strategy

The Index is comprised of investment grade corporate bonds. The Fund will be passively managed and will invest in corporate investment grade bonds, corporate emerging market bonds and other bonds all of which are Index constituents. It uses an investment technique called optimisation, which seeks to minimise the difference in return between the Fund and the Index by considering tracking error (the risk that the Fund return varies from the Index return) and trading costs when constructing a portfolio. The Fund will not necessarily invest in every Index constituent or invest proportionally to each constituents' Index weight and may invest in assets outside of the Index, such as: bonds with a credit rating of Ba1, BB+ and below; bonds issued by governments, government-related and supranational entities; as well as cash, money market instruments and funds. The Fund can invest in bonds issued in developed and emerging markets.

The Fund's primary currency exposure is to USD.

See the Prospectus for a full description of the investment objectives and derivative usage.



# Main risks

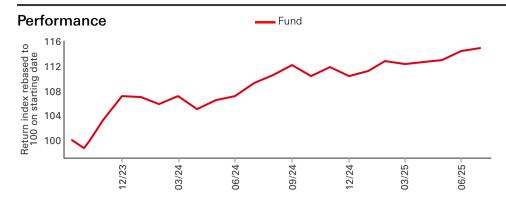
- The value of investments and any income from them can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amount originally invested
- Investing in assets denominated in a currency other than that of the investor's own currency exposes the value of the investment to exchange rate fluctuations
- Where overseas investments are held the rate of currency exchange may cause the value of such investments to go down as well as up.

## Share class details

Key metrics	
NAV per share	GBP 10.93
Performance 1 month	0.33%
Yield to maturity	4.49%
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
UK reporting fund status (UKRS)	Yes
ISA eligible	Yes
Dividend treatment	Distributing
Distribution frequency	Semi-Annually
Dividend ex-date	13 February 2025
Dividend yield <sup>1</sup>	4.00%
Last paid dividend	0.228348
Dealing frequency	Daily
Fund base currency	USD
Currency Hedged	Fully Hedged
Valuation time	23:00 Ireland
Share class base currency	GBP
Domicile	Ireland
Inception date	11 October 2023
Fund size	USD 2,262,329,447
Managers HSBC P	assive Fixed Income Team

Fees and expenses	
Ongoing charge figure <sup>2</sup>	0.130%
Codes	
ISIN	IE0005FQHJC4
Bloomberg ticker	HCBG LN
SEDOL	BMZQ4D7
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<sup>1</sup>Dividend Yield: represents the ratio of distributed income over the last 12 months to the fund's current Net Asset Value. <sup>2</sup>Ongoing 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	Since inception ann
Fund	4.02	0.33	1.90	3.36	5.06			7.98
			31/07	7/24-	31/07/23-	31/07/22-	31/07/21-	31/07/20-
Rolling performance (%)			31/0	7/25	31/07/24	31/07/23	31/07/22	31/07/21
Fund				5.06				

3-Year Risk Measures	Fund	Reference Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	Fund	Reference Benchmark
Volatility			Volatility		
Sharpe ratio			Sharpe ratio		

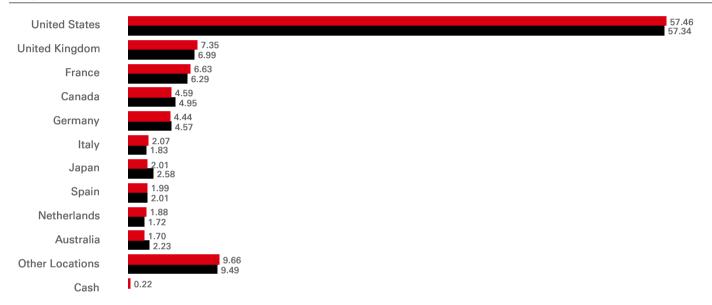
Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
No. of holdings ex cash	3,497	17,282	
Average coupon rate	4.25	4.06	0.19
Yield to worst	4.42%	4.48%	-0.06%
Option adjusted duration	5.88	5.87	0.01
Modified duration to worst	5.79	5.80	0.00
Option adjusted spread duration	5.83	5.82	0.01
Average maturity	8.41	8.32	0.09
Average Credit Quality	A-/BBB+	A-/BBB+	

		Reference	
Credit rating (%)	Fund	Benchmark	Relative
AAA	0.72	0.71	0.01
AA	7.94	8.09	-0.15
A	44.66	44.02	0.64
BBB	46.33	47.18	-0.85
ВВ	0.05		0.05
NR	0.08		0.08
Cash	0.22		0.22

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.20	0.19	0.00
2-5 years	1.04	1.12	-0.08
5-10 years	1.84	1.79	0.05
10+ years	2.79	2.76	0.04
Total	5.88	5.87	0.01

Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
USD	99.91	100.00	-0.09
AUD	0.03	0.00	0.03
GBP	0.03	0.00	0.03
CAD	0.01	0.00	0.01
EUR	0.01	0.00	0.01
CHF	0.01	0.00	0.01
HKD	0.00	0.00	0.00
KRW		0.00	0.00
NOK		0.00	0.00
JPY	0.00	0.00	0.00
Other Currencies		0.00	0.00

## Geographical allocation (%)



Fund =	Reference	Benchmark
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	Reference	
Fund	Benchmark	Relative
39.08	39.25	-0.17
13.56	13.23	0.33
9.12	9.18	-0.07
8.08	7.93	0.15
6.60	6.55	0.05
6.54	6.72	-0.19
5.89	6.01	-0.12
4.82	4.99	-0.16
3.01	2.75	0.26
2.45	2.69	-0.24
0.63	0.70	-0.07
0.22		0.22
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Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
AERCAP IRELAND 6.450 15/04/27	0.18
DIGITAL REALTY 5.550 15/01/28	0.18
PRYSMIAN SPA 3.625 28/11/28	0.16
VERIZON COMM INC 4.780 15/02/35	0.15
ROCHE HLDGS INC 5.593 13/11/33	0.15
ELIS SA 3.750 21/03/30	0.15
DSV FINANCE BV 3.125 06/11/28	0.15
JPMORGAN CHASE 5.534 29/11/45	0.14
ORACLE CORP 6.900 09/11/52	0.14
WELLS FARGO CO 5.574 25/07/29	0.14

		Trading		Bloomberg		iNAV	
Exchange name	Listing date	currency	Trading hours	ticker	Reuters RIC	Bloomberg	iNAV Reuters
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	17 Oct 2023	GBP		HCBG LN	HCBG.L	HCBGGBIV	HCBGGBPINAV =SOLA

### Risk disclosures

- The Fund invests in bonds whose value generally falls when interest rates rise. This risk is typically greater the longer the maturity of a bond investment and the higher its credit quality. The issuers of certain bonds, could become unwilling or unable to make payments on their bonds and default. Bonds that are in default may become hard to sell or worthless.
- The Fund may invest in Emerging Markets, these markets are less established, and often more volatile, than developed markets and involve higher risks, particularly market, liquidity and currency risks.
- To the extent that the Fund seeks to replicate index performance by holding individual securities, there is no guarantee that its composition or performance will exactly match that of the target index at any given time ("tracking error").
- 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.
- 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.
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