

## **HSBC Global Investment Funds**

# GLOBAL BOND TOTAL RETURN

Marketing communication | Monthly report 31 May 2025 | Share class AC

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## 🕉 Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of global bonds, while promoting environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of SFDR. The Fund aims to have a higher ESG score than its reference benchmark.

## Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed and is not constrained by a benchmark.

The Fund employs a Total Return strategy which has a flexible allocation across the global bond universe and currency markets, over an investment cycle, to achieve risk-adjusted returns above those of the investment universe.

The Fund will primarily invest in investment grade bonds and non-investment grade bonds issued by governments, government-related entities, supranational entities and companies that are based in in developed or emerging markets.

The Fund includes the identification and analysis of a company's ESG credentials as an integral part of the investment decision making process.

The Fund may invest up to 10% in onshore Chinese bonds, up to 10% in non-investment grade securities; up to 30% in asset-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities; up to 10% in contingent convertible securities; up to 49% in cash and money market instruments; and up to 10% in other funds.

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
- 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.

#### Share class details

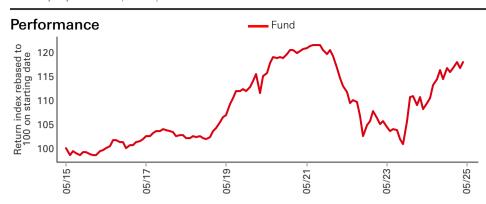
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Key metrics	
NAV per share	USD 11.71
Performance 1 month	0.46%
Yield to maturity	6.16%
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
UK reporting fund status (UKRS)	Yes
ISA eligible	Yes
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation time	17:00 Luxembourg
Share class base currency	USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	27 February 2015
Fund size	USD 241,041,588
Managers	Oliver Boulind Ernst Josef Osiander
Fees and expenses	
Minimum initial	USD 5,000
investment <sup>1</sup>	
Ongoing charge figure <sup>2</sup>	1.147%
Codes	
ISIN	LU1163225284
Bloomberg ticker	HSBAICU LX
SEDOL	BF2CBJ4
<sup>1</sup> Please note that initial mi may vary across different <sup>2</sup> Ongoing Charges Figure	distributors

may vary across different distributors <sup>2</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure is based on expenses over a year. The figure includes annual management charge but not the transaction costs. Such figures may vary from time to time.

Past performance does not predict future returns. The figures are calculated in the share class base currency, dividend reinvested, net of fees.

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Performance (%)	YT	D 1 mont	h 3 month	ns 6 montl	ns 1 ye	ar 3y	ears ann	5 years	ann 10	) years ann
AC	2.3	5 0.4	6 0.5	2 1.6	63 8.3	8	1.97	(	).49	1.71
Rolling performance	31/05/24-	31/05/23- 31/05/24	31/05/22- 31/05/23	31/05/21- 31/05/22		31/05/19- 31/05/20				31/05/15-
(%)	31/05/25	31/05/24	31/05/23	31/05/22	31/05/21	31/05/20	31/05/19	31/05/18	31/05/17	31/05/16
AC	8.38	4.80	-6.65	-7.47	4.45	8.14	4.62	-0.36	2.64	-0.08

3-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference Benchmark
Volatility	6.41%		Volatility	5.37%	
Sharpe ratio	-0.40		Sharpe ratio	-0.42	

	Reference			
Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark	Relative	
No. of holdings ex cash	238			
Average coupon rate	4.95			
Yield to worst	6.03%			
Option adjusted duration	5.93			
Option adjusted spread duration	4.96			
Average maturity	7.66			
Average Credit Quality	BBB+/BBB			

Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
AA	4.10		
A	20.80		
BBB	60.63		
BB	11.08		
В	1.19		
NR	0.80		
Cash	1.40		
MSCI ESG Score	ESG so	ore F	S G

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Fund	7.0	7.2	5.3	6.0

The MSCI ESG Key Issue Score is the numerical, weighted average of MSCI's E, S, and G pillar scores. A higher number indicates a more favourable ESG profile in the view of MSCI.

The weighted averages of the Key Issue Scores are aggregated and companies' scores are normalized by their industries. After any overrides are factored in, each company's Final Industry-Adjusted Score corresponds to a rating.

For more information, see MSCI ESG Ratings Methodology @ https:// www.msci.com/esg-and-climate-methodologies

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.34		
2-5 years	2.80		
5-10 years	1.75		
10-20 years	1.05		
Total	5.93		

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Duration by currency bloc (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
Europe ex UK	3.18		
Dollar	1.89		
UK	0.82		
EM Local Currency	0.04		
Japan	0.00		
Total	5.93		

Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
USD	99.10		
JPY	1.06		
EUR	0.71		
GBP	0.11		
AUD	0.04		
BRL	0.02		
CNY	0.00		
PLN	0.00		
NZD	0.00		
MXN	0.00		
Other Currencies	-1.04		

		Reference	
Sector allocation (%)	Fund	Benchmark	Relative
Corp Non-fin	40.26		
Corp Fin	32.33		
Collateralised	16.46		
Supra/agencies	8.82		
Treasuries	0.73		
Cash	1.40		

Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
BP CAPITAL PLC 6.000	1.39
NATL GRID NA INC 3.724 25/11/34	1.30
UBS GROUP 2.875 12/02/30	1.20
AKZO NOBEL NV 4.000 31/03/35	1.11
INDONESIA (REP) 3.875 15/01/33	1.09
ENERGY TRANS 5.700 01/04/35	1.06
D.R. HORTON 5.500 15/10/35	0.98
DOMINION ENERGY 6.625 15/05/55	0.96
MACQUARIE AIR 5.200 27/03/28	0.94
BRAZIL REP OF 6.125 22/01/32	0.94

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