

## **HSBC Global Investment Funds**

# US HIGH YIELD BOND

Marketing communication | Monthly report 30 June 2025 | Share class XQ1

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## 🕉 Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of US Dollar denominated high yield bonds, including non-investment grade rated bonds and other higher yielding securities.

## Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed. In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 90% of its assets in US dollar denominated non-investment grade rated and other high yield bonds. The bonds are issued by companies that are based in developed markets, or issued or guaranteed by governments, government agencies, local and regional governments, or supranational bodies in any country including emerging markets. At least 70% of the Fund's assets will be invested in securities issued by companies that are based in the US, Issuers considered for inclusion within the Fund's portfolio will be subject to excluded activities in accordance with HSBC Asset Management's Responsible Investment Policies. The Fund may gain exposure to asset-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities. The Fund may invest up to 10% in other funds, up to 20% in bonds issued in emerging markets, up to 15% in contingent convertible securities, and up to 10% in securities issued by or guaranteed by any single government issuer with a credit rating below investment grade. 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
- 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.

#### Share class details

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Key metrics	
NAV per share	USD 8.76
Performance 1 month	1.86%
Yield to maturity	6.80%
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
UK reporting fund status (UKRS)	Yes
ISA eligible	Yes
Dividend treatment	Distributing
Distribution frequency	Quarterly
Dividend ex-date	26 June 2025
Dividend yield <sup>1</sup>	6.76%
Last paid dividend	0.152047
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation time	17:00 Luxembourg
Share class base currency	USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	29 October 2018
Fund size	USD 41,874,710
	% ICE BofA US High I Constrained (net of transaction costs)
Managers	Ricky Liu
Fees and expenses	
Minimum initial investment <sup>2</sup>	USD 10,000,000
Ongoing charge figure <sup>3</sup>	0.650%
Codes	
ISIN	LU1890106724
Bloomberg ticker	HSUHXQ1 LX
SEDOL	BGV7DV3
<sup>1</sup> Dividend Yield: represent: distributed income over th the fund's current Net Ass <sup>2</sup> Please note that initial mi may vary across different <sup>3</sup> Ongoing Charges Figure share class has not been	le last 12 months to set Value. nimum subscription distributors is an estimate as the

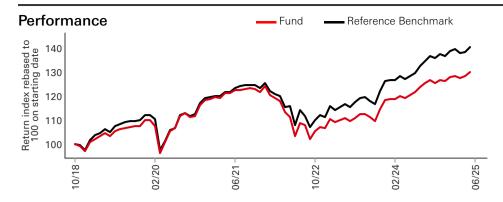
share class has not been priced for a full financial year.

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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Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 30 June 2025



Since

Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	10 years ann	inception ann
XQ1	5.00	1.86	4.09	5.00	9.12	8.66	4.46		4.29
Reference Benchmark	4.55	1.86	3.57	4.55	10.28	9.86	6.00		5.52

Rolling performance (%)	30/06/24- 30/06/25	30/06/23- 30/06/24		30/06/21- 30/06/22		30/06/19- 30/06/20		30/06/16- 30/06/17	30/06/15- 30/06/16
XQ1	9.12	9.48	7.40	-15.77	15.09	1.09	 		
Reference Benchmark	10.28	10.42	8.87	-12.67	15.60	-0.73	 		

3-Year Risk Measures	XQ1	Reference Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	XQ1	Reference Benchmark
Volatility	6.55%	6.68%	Volatility	7.46%	7.26%
Sharpe ratio	0.62	0.78	Sharpe ratio	0.22	0.44
Tracking error	1.47%		Tracking error	1.51%	
Information ratio	-0.81		Information ratio	-1.02	

		Reference	
Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark	Relative
No. of holdings ex cash	258	1,884	
Average coupon rate	7.42	6.55	0.87
Yield to worst	6.25%	6.97%	-0.72%
Yield to maturity	6.80%	7.28%	-0.49%
Option adjusted duration	2.81	2.82	-0.01
Modified duration to worst	2.97	3.02	-0.05
Average maturity	3.64	3.62	0.02
Average Credit Quality	BB-/B+	BB-/B+	
Number of issuers	195	867	

Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
AA	0.20		0.20
BBB	2.25	0.60	1.65
BB	44.44	49.97	-5.53
В	42.44	35.81	6.63
ССС	4.88	11.77	-6.89
СС		0.70	-0.70
С		0.11	-0.11
D		0.60	-0.60
NR	3.73	0.09	3.65
Cash	2.05	0.35	1.70

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.19	0.21	-0.03
2-5 years	2.00	1.83	0.17
5-10 years	0.54	0.66	-0.12
10+ years	0.09	0.12	-0.03
Total	2.81	2.82	-0.01

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Sector allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
Consumer Cyclical	14.81	18.42	-3.62
Capital Goods	13.96	11.16	2.81
Financial Institutions	13.55	11.67	1.87
Energy	11.97	10.66	1.31
Communications	10.25	15.20	-4.95
Basic Industry	9.37	6.32	3.05
Consumer Non cyclical	8.38	11.77	-3.39
Technology	5.69	7.57	-1.88
ETF	3.63		3.63
Utility	3.17	3.11	0.06
Other Sectors	3.18	3.77	-0.58
Cash	2.05	0.35	1.70

Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
CCO HOLDINGS LLC 4.750 01/03/30	1.32
VENTURE GLOBAL L 9.875 01/02/32	1.22
PERMIAN RESR OPR 7.000 15/01/32	1.15
CALPINE CORP 5.000 01/02/31	1.06
TRIVIUM PACK FIN 12.250 15/01/31	1.04
TRIVIUM PACK FIN 8.250 15/07/30	1.02
INTESA SANPAOLO 7.700	0.98
ALCOA NEDERLAND 7.125 15/03/31	0.91
CCO HOLDINGS LLC 4.500 15/08/30	0.91
OLYMPUS WTR HLDG 9.750 15/11/28	0.90

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- 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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