

## HSBC Global Investment Funds

# GLOBAL EQUITY CLIMATE CHANGE

Monthly report 31 May 2022 | Share class ACHSGD

### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of shares. In particular, the Fund invests in companies that may benefit from the transition to a low carbon economy by having a higher environmental, social and governance rating compared to the MSCI AC World Net Index.

### Investment strategy

In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 70% of its assets in shares (or securities similar to shares) of companies of any size with revenue exposure to climate transition themes. The Fund invests in companies, that are based in, or carry out the larger part of their business activities in, both developed markets and emerging markets. The Fund can invest up to 20% in China A and China B-shares. For China A-shares, up to 10% through the Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and/or the Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect, and up to 10% in CAAPs. The Fund may invest up to 10% in Real Estate Investment Trusts, and may also invest up to 10% in other funds, including HSBC funds. See the Prospectus for a full description of the investment objectives and derivative usage.

### Main risks

- The Fund's unit value can go up as well as down, and any capital invested in the Fund may be at risk.
- The value of investible securities can change over time due to a wide variety of factors, including but not limited to: political and economic news, government policy, changes in demographics, cultures and populations, natural or human-caused disasters etc.
- 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

#### Key metrics

NAV per Share	<b>SGD 8.20</b>
Performance 1 month	<b>-3.07%</b>

#### Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	<b>Yes</b>
Subscription mode	<b>Cash / SRS (Supplementary Retirement Scheme)</b>

Dividend treatment	<b>Accumulating</b>
Dealing frequency	<b>Daily</b>
Valuation Time	<b>17:00 Luxembourg</b>
Share Class Base Currency	<b>SGD</b>
Domicile	<b>Luxembourg</b>
Inception date	<b>21 June 2021</b>
Fund Size	<b>USD 305,111,984</b>
Managers	<b>Angus Parker</b>

#### Fees and expenses

Minimum initial investment (SG) <sup>1</sup>	<b>SGD 1,000</b>
Maximum initial charge (SG)	<b>5.000%</b>
Management fee	<b>1.500%</b>

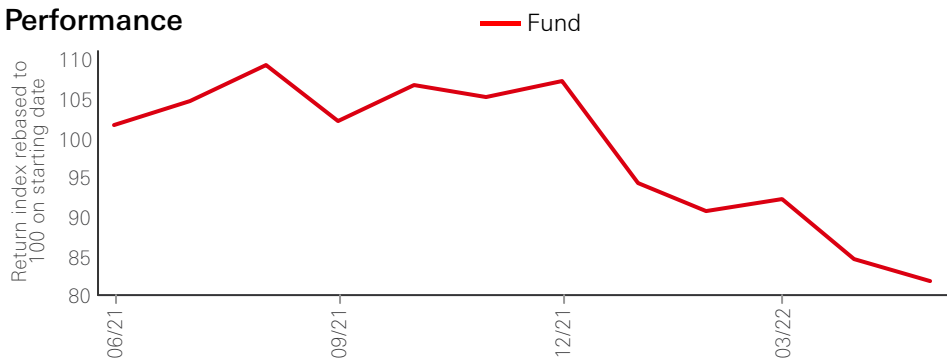
#### Codes

ISIN	<b>LU2343852328</b>
Bloomberg ticker	<b>HSECACS LX</b>

<sup>1</sup>Please note that initial minimum subscription may vary across different distributors

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## Performance



Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	Since Inception
<b>ACHSGD</b>	<b>-23.61</b>	<b>-3.07</b>	<b>-9.78</b>	<b>-22.14</b>	--	--	--	<b>-17.98</b>
ACHSGD (Net)*	-27.25	-7.69	-14.08	-25.85	--	--	--	-21.89

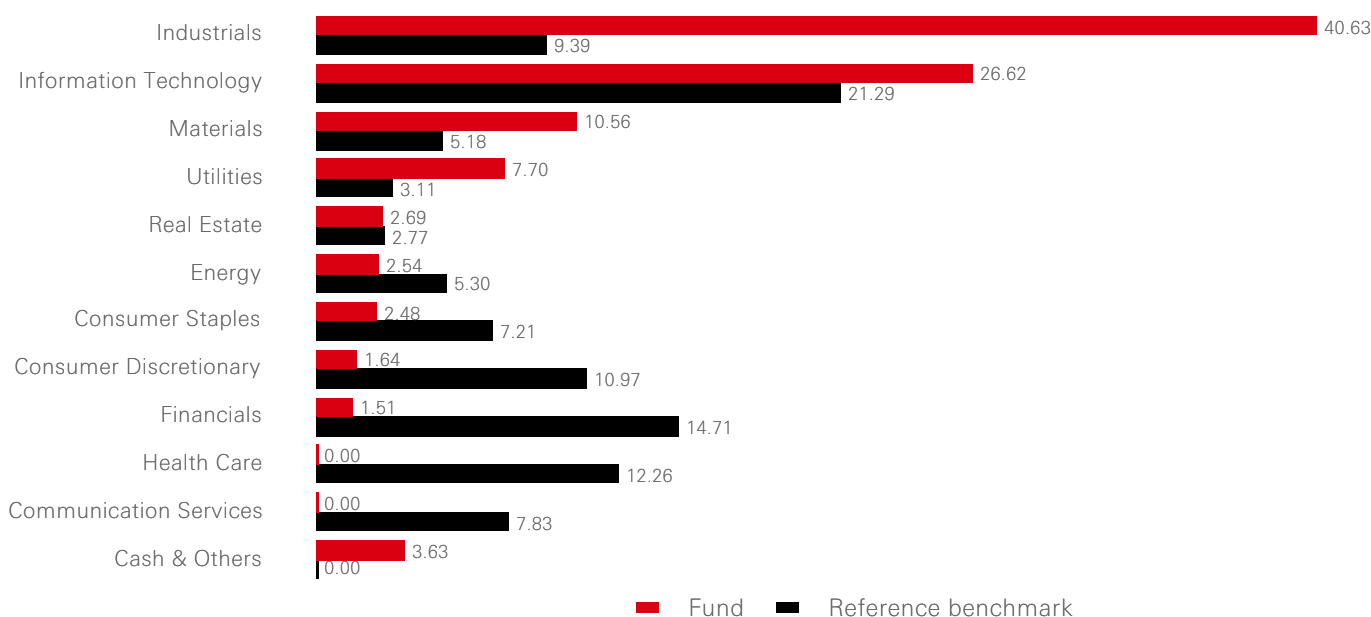
Calendar year performance (%)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
<b>ACHSGD</b>	--	--	--	--	--
ACHSGD (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--

Carbon footprint	Fund	Reference benchmark	MSCI ESG Score	ESG score	E	S	G
Carbon intensity emissions	69.23	187.47	Fund	7.9	6.9	5.4	5.9
			Reference benchmark	6.5	6.5	5.2	5.0

Carbon Intensity measures the quantity of carbon emission of a company (tonnes CO<sub>2</sub>e/USD million)  
 Source of analytics: Trucost

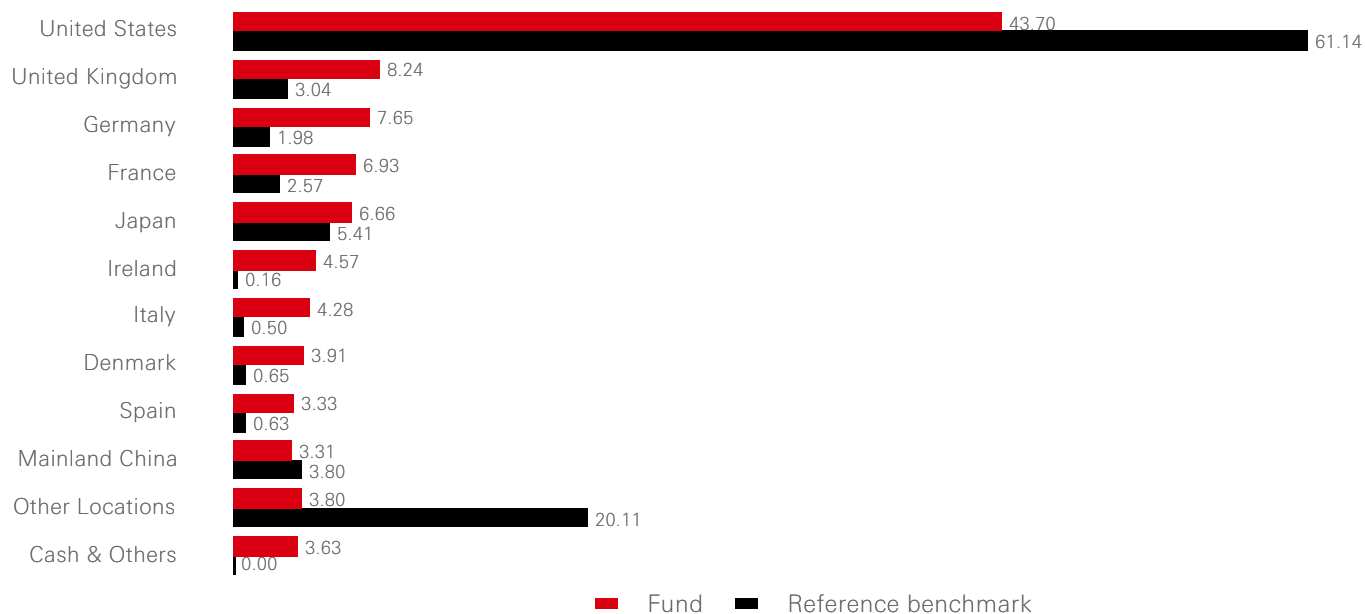
Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	3-Year Risk Measures	ACHSGD	Reference benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	45	3,021	Volatility	--	--
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	115,659	311,942	Beta	--	--

## Sector Allocation (%)



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 The benchmark data is that of the reference benchmark of the fund, as this data is calculated at fund level rather than share class level. The reference benchmark of the fund is 100% MSCI AC World  
 Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 May 2022

### Geographical Allocation (%)



Top 10 Holdings	Location	Sector	Weight (%)
Deere & Co	United States	Industrials	4.32
Prysmian Spa	Italy	Industrials	4.28
Schneider Electric Se	United States	Industrials	3.92
Microsoft Corp	United States	Information Technology	3.86
Accenture PLC	United States	Information Technology	3.76
Infineon Technologies AG	Germany	Information Technology	3.33
EDP Renovaveis SA	Spain	Utilities	3.33
Kingspan Group PLC	Ireland	Industrials	3.22
Legrand Sa	France	Industrials	3.17
Trane Technologies Plc	United States	Industrials	3.14

Top 10 holdings exclude holdings in cash and cash equivalents and money market funds.

## Monthly performance commentary

Contributors to relative performance included Japanese holding, SHIMADZU (Information Technology) with a total effect of 0.29%. Additionally, USA security, APPLE (Information Technology) was in the top two contributors with a total effect of 0.23%.

Detractors included USA security, PROLOGIS (Real Estate) with a total effect of -0.64%, and USA holding VERISK ANALYTICS (Industrials) with a total effect of -0.46%.

During the period, no positions were initiated or closed.

Sector and country allocation effects are residual to stock selection. At the country level, effects were positive, given an overweight exposure to Germany. At the sector level, effects were negative, given an underweight exposure to Energy.

### Ten lowest carbon intensity issuers

Fund	Carbon intensity emissions (tonnes CO <sup>2</sup> e/ USD million)	Reference benchmark	Carbon intensity emissions (tonnes CO <sup>2</sup> e/ USD million)
PROLOGIS INC	1.41	TAIWAN COOPERATIVE FINANCIAL	0.01
AZURE POWER GLOBAL LTD	3.46	WHEATON PRECIOUS METALS CORP	0.02
VERISK ANALYTICS INC	4.35	INDUSTRIVARDEN AB-A SHS	0.05
AUTODESK INC	4.43	PEOPLE'S INSURANCE CO GROU-H	0.10
HELLOFRESH SE	6.12	ST JAMES'S PLACE PLC	0.21
ACCENTURE PLC-CL A	6.54	M&G PLC	0.25
CAPGEMINI SE	6.84	SWISS LIFE HOLDING AG-REG	0.29
SOLAREEDGE TECHNOLOGIES INC	8.67	NN GROUP NV	0.30
TRIMBLE INC	9.41	SWISS RE AG	0.33
AZBIL CORP	10.36	GJENSIDIGE FORSIKRING ASA	0.33

### Ten highest carbon intensity issuers

Fund	Carbon intensity emissions (tonnes CO <sup>2</sup> e/ USD million)	Reference benchmark	Carbon intensity emissions (tonnes CO <sup>2</sup> e/ USD million)
SSE PLC	1,030.45	GD POWER DEVELOPMENT CO -A	18,220.16
SMURFIT KAPPA GROUP PLC	348.98	NTPC LTD	16,616.60
ORSTED A/S	256.05	CHINA RESOURCES POWER HOLDIN	16,048.59
NESTE OYJ	236.94	ADANI POWER LTD	15,796.85
FIRST SOLAR INC	173.70	CHINA POWER INTERNATIONAL	14,021.81
CRODA INTERNATIONAL PLC	125.40	HUANENG POWER INTL INC-A	13,579.89
BALL CORP	103.84	HUADIAN POWER INTL CORP-A	11,614.39
OATLY GROUP AB	101.89	CHINA RESOURCES CEMENT	11,532.80
INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG	90.24	SEMEN INDONESIA PERSERO TBK	11,445.36
PRYSMIAN SPA	72.66	SAUDI ELECTRICITY CO	9,936.55

Company carbon data, can often be “partially disclosed”, i.e. partial geographic coverage, or incomplete operational data. Trucost\* undertakes analysis and research to assess company reported results. The proprietary Trucost model enables an estimate of total emissions which relies on more than just reported financial data. Where securities are not covered by Trucost, HSBC assigns a proxy value based on the average intensity score of comparable companies.\*Trucost are a division of S&P Global; they assess risks relating to climate change, natural resource constraints, and broader environmental, social, and governance factors.

Source of analytics: Trucost / HSBC

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## ESG score for ten highest holdings by weight

Fund	Weight	ESG score	E	S	G	Carbon intensity emissions
DEERE & CO	4.317%	6.4	5.6	4.9	5.3	31.4
PRYSMIAN SPA	4.279%	7.8	5.1	4.6	6.9	72.7
SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC SE	3.919%	9.3	8.7	5.4	5.9	18.4
MICROSOFT CORP	3.856%	9.8	8.1	6.9	5.5	29.5
ACCENTURE PLC-CL A	3.764%	7.6	7.5	4.1	5.3	6.5
INFINEON TECHNOLOGIES AG	3.335%	8.4	5.1	6.3	7.5	90.2
EDP RENOVAVEIS SA	3.333%	7.0	9.3	4.5	4.9	17.8
KINGSPAN GROUP PLC	3.216%	8.4	7.4	3.9	5.8	68.9
LEGRAND SA	3.171%	7.4	7.4	3.6	7.1	21.3
TRANE TECHNOLOGIES PLC	3.145%	10.0	7.7	7.6	5.2	33.2

Reference benchmark	Weight	ESG score	E	S	G	Carbon intensity emissions
APPLE INC	3.990%	6.1	4.1	5.6	3.1	3.4
MICROSOFT CORP	3.181%	9.8	8.1	6.9	5.5	29.5
AMAZON.COM INC	1.809%	5.6	5.5	4.8	4.9	43.8
ALPHABET INC-CL A	1.124%	5.1	7.1	5.4	1.3	32.4
TESLA INC	1.094%	6.9	9.0	1.9	4.5	24.2
ALPHABET INC-CL C	1.064%	5.1	7.1	5.4	1.3	32.4
TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFAC	0.781%	10.0	5.5	8.7	6.1	226.5
JOHNSON & JOHNSON	0.775%	5.1	6.3	5.4	2.9	12.2
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC	0.768%	4.2	10.0	4.9	4.6	0.7
NVIDIA CORP	0.767%	9.1	5.4	7.0	5.6	7.1

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## ESG score for ten lowest holdings by weight

Fund	Weight	ESG score	E	S	G	Carbon intensity emissions
SUNGROW POWER SUPPLY CO LT-A	0.393%	8.1	7.4	5.8	5.0	52.9
ATRENEW INC^	0.450%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	44.2
NARI TECHNOLOGY CO LTD-A	0.509%	1.9	5.7	5.9	2.3	53.4
AZURE POWER GLOBAL LTD	0.535%	7.5	8.9	5.5	6.3	3.5
SOLAREEDGE TECHNOLOGIES INC	0.719%	4.7	8.5	1.9	5.8	8.7
AKZO NOBEL N.V.	0.727%	10.0	8.8	5.1	6.1	23.2
OATLY GROUP AB^	0.735%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	101.9
ENPHASE ENERGY INC	0.860%	5.5	8.3	2.6	5.2	50.9
WEICHAI POWER CO LTD-H	0.941%	0.0	3.9	4.4	1.1	32.1
CIMC ENRIC HOLDINGS LTD	1.016%	4.0	5.4	6.1	3.0	60.6

Reference benchmark	Weight	ESG score	E	S	G	Carbon intensity emissions
AYALA CORP (DETACHED)*^	0.000%	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NORTHEAST SECURITIES CO LT-A	0.000%	2.6	2.5	1.8	4.4	7.6
INTCO MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY C-A	0.000%	3.4	6.2	5.6	3.3	34.3
XIAMEN INTRETECH INC-A	0.000%	4.1	2.3	5.9	3.8	18.7
ZHEJIANG SEMIR GARMENT CO-A	0.000%	1.5	2.2	3.3	2.9	52.7
NINGBO JOYSON ELECTRONIC -A	0.000%	0.0	4.2	3.2	2.2	34.2
JINKE PROPERTIES GROUP CO -A	0.000%	4.2	5.6	1.8	4.9	63.5
FIBERHOME TELECOM TECH CO-A	0.000%	0.9	3.8	3.6	2.0	55.8
BEIJING SHUNXIN AGRICULT-A	0.000%	3.0	3.4	4.4	3.8	73.8
SINOTRANS LIMITED-A	0.000%	3.0	10.0	3.6	2.5	11.8

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## Risk Disclosure

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- 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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**Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 May 2022**

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## Supplemental information sheet

Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	Since Inception
ACEUR EUR	-18.95	-4.50	-5.21	-17.91	--	--	--	-16.83
ACEUR EUR (Net)*	-22.81	-9.05	-9.72	-21.81	--	--	--	-20.79
ACGBP GBP	-17.96	-3.41	-3.76	-17.99	--	--	--	-11.86
ACGBP GBP (Net)*	-21.86	-8.01	-8.34	-21.90	--	--	--	-16.06
ACHAUD AUD	-24.19	-3.25	-10.15	-22.84	--	--	--	-18.81
ACHAUD AUD (Net)*	-27.80	-7.86	-14.43	-26.51	--	--	--	-22.68
ACHEUR EUR	-24.24	-3.24	-10.31	-22.89	--	--	--	-19.00
ACHEUR EUR (Net)*	-27.84	-7.85	-14.58	-26.56	--	--	--	-22.86
ACHGBP GBP	-23.79	-3.10	-9.91	-22.41	--	--	--	-18.31
ACHGBP GBP (Net)*	-27.42	-7.71	-14.20	-26.11	--	--	--	-22.20
ACHHKD HKD	-23.49	-3.10	-9.71	-21.99	--	--	--	-17.71
ACHHKD HKD (Net)*	-27.14	-7.71	-14.01	-25.70	--	--	--	-21.63
ACHSGD SGD	-23.61	-3.07	-9.78	-22.14	--	--	--	-17.98
ACHSGD SGD (Net)*	-27.25	-7.69	-14.08	-25.85	--	--	--	-21.89
AD SGD	-22.33	-3.73	-8.70	-21.89	-15.77	10.99	7.15	15.54
AD SGD (Net)*	-26.03	-8.32	-13.05	-25.61	-19.79	9.20	6.11	10.04
AD USD	-23.39	-3.03	-9.60	-21.88	-18.71	11.14	7.35	21.46
AD USD (Net)*	-27.04	-7.65	-13.90	-25.60	-22.58	9.35	6.30	15.68
ICHEUR EUR	-23.96	-3.16	-10.11	-22.55	-19.50	--	--	-22.74
ICHEUR EUR (Net)*	-27.58	-7.77	-14.39	-26.23	-23.34	--	--	-26.42

Calendar year performance (%)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
ACEUR EUR	--	--	--	--	--
ACEUR EUR (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACGBP GBP	--	--	--	--	--
ACGBP GBP (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACHAUD AUD	--	--	--	--	--
ACHAUD AUD (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACHEUR EUR	--	--	--	--	--
ACHEUR EUR (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACHGBP GBP	--	--	--	--	--
ACHGBP GBP (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACHHKD HKD	--	--	--	--	--
ACHHKD HKD (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
ACHSGD SGD	--	--	--	--	--
ACHSGD SGD (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--
AD SGD	13.49	-11.32	28.10	38.54	9.40
AD SGD (Net)*	8.08	-15.54	22.00	31.94	4.19
AD USD	22.68	-13.24	29.77	41.23	7.01
AD USD (Net)*	16.84	-17.37	23.59	34.50	1.92
ICHEUR EUR	--	--	--	--	--
ICHEUR EUR (Net)*	--	--	--	--	--

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Share class	Share Class Base Currency	Distribution Frequency	Dividend ex-date	Last Paid Dividend	Annualised Yield based on ex-dividend date
ACEUR	EUR	--	--	--	--
ACGBP	GBP	--	--	--	--
ACHAUD	AUD	--	--	--	--
ACHEUR	EUR	--	--	--	--
ACHGBP	GBP	--	--	--	--
ACHHKD	HKD	--	--	--	--
ACHSGD	SGD	--	--	--	--
AD	USD	Annually	11 July 2019	0.015411	0.17%
ICHEUR	EUR	--	--	--	--

Share class	Inception date	ISIN	Share Class Base Currency	Minimum Initial Investment	NAV per Share	Management fee	Distribution type
ACEUR	23 August 2021	LU2279705458	EUR	USD 5,000	8.32	1.500%	Accumulating
ACGBP	5 October 2021	LU2279705532	GBP	USD 5,000	8.81	1.500%	Accumulating
ACHAUD	21 June 2021	LU2343853565	AUD	USD 5,000	8.12	1.500%	Accumulating
ACHEUR	21 June 2021	LU2279764547	EUR	USD 5,000	8.10	1.500%	Accumulating
ACHGBP	21 June 2021	LU2279764620	GBP	USD 5,000	8.17	1.500%	Accumulating
ACHHKD	21 June 2021	LU2279705888	HKD	USD 5,000	8.23	1.500%	Accumulating
ACHSGD	21 June 2021	LU2343852328	SGD	USD 5,000	8.20	1.500%	Accumulating
AD	9 November 2007	LU0323240290	USD	USD 5,000	11.68	1.500%	Distributing
ICHEUR	13 January 2021	LU2261311919	EUR	USD 1,000,000	7.73	0.750%	Accumulating

**Different classes may have different performances, dividend yields and expense ratios. For hedged classes, the effects of hedging will be reflected in the net asset values of such classes. Expenses arising from hedging transactions may be significant and will be borne by the relevant hedged classes. Hedged class performs the required hedging on a best efforts basis.**

The above table cites the last dividend paid within the last 12 months only.

Dividend is not guaranteed and may be paid out of capital, which will result in capital erosion and reduction in net asset value. A positive distribution yield does not imply a positive return. Past distribution yields and payments do not represent future distribution yields and payments. Historical payments may comprise of distributed income, capital, or both.

The calculation method of annualised yield prior to August 2019 is the simple yield calculation: (dividend amount / NAV per share or units as of ex-dividend date) x n; The calculation method of annualised yield from August 2019 is the compound yield calculation:  $((1 + (\text{dividend amount} / \text{ex-dividend NAV}))^n) - 1$ , n depends on the distributing frequency. Annually distribution is 1; semi-annually distribution is 2; quarterly distribution is 4; monthly distribution is 12.

The annualised dividend yield is calculated based on the dividend distribution on the relevant date with dividend reinvested, and may be higher or lower than the actual annual dividend yield.

Investors and potential investors should refer to the details on dividend distributions of the Fund, which are available on HSBC Asset Management (Singapore) Limited website.

Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 May 2022