

# **HSBC Global Investment Funds**

# GLOBAL EQUITY CLIMATE CHANGE

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# Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in companies that may benefit from the transition to a low carbon economy, thereby promoting environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics. The Fund aims to do this with a lower carbon intensity and a higher ESG score, calculated respectively as a weighted average of the carbon intensities and ESG scores given to the issuers of the Fund's investments, than the weighted average of the constituents of its reference benchmark. The Fund qualifies under Article 8 of SFDR.



# Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed. The Fund will invest at least 70% of its assets in shares (or securities similar to shares) of companies of any size that are based in both developed markets and emerging markets, with revenue exposure to climate transition themes. Companies and/or issuers considered for investment will be subject to excluded activities in accordance with HSBC Asset Management's Responsible Investment Policies. The Fund can invest up to 20% in China A and China B-shares, up to 10% in Real Estate Investment Trusts and may also invest up to 10% in other funds. See the Prospectus for a full description of the investment objectives, climate transition themes, excluded activities 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 humancaused 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 De	tails
Key metrics	
NAV per Share	USD 12.71
Performance 1 mon	th -4.23%
Volatility 3 years	19.21%
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
Subscription mode	Cash
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation Time	17:00 Luxembourg
Share Class Base C	urrency <b>USD</b>
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	9 November 2007
Fund Size	USD 230,481,860
Reference 1	00% MSCI AC World
benchmark	Net
Managers	Henry Wong
	Benedicte Mougeot
Fees and expense	<u>s</u>
Minimum initial	USD 5,000
investment (SG) <sup>1</sup>	
Maximum initial	5.000%
charge (SG)	
Management fee	1.500%
Codes	
ISIN	LU0323239441

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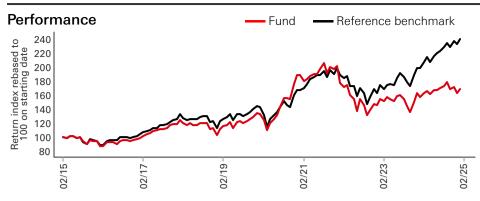
Performance is annualised when calculation period is over one year. Past performance does not predict future returns. Fund return: NAV-to-NAV basis. For comparison with Reference Benchmark.

Performance numbers shown are before netting off sales / realisation charges.

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Until 1 December 2013 the name of the sub-fund is HSBC Global Investment Funds – Climate Change. Please refer to the prospectus for the fund's prior investment objective.

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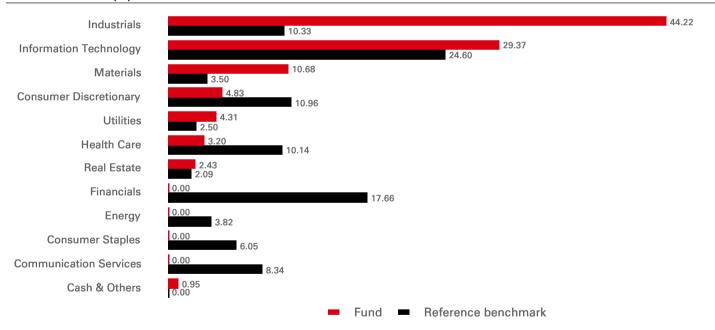
Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann
AC	-0.51	-4.23	-5.47	-6.60	-0.42	-1.83	5.59
Reference benchmark	2.44	-0.60	0.30	4.08	15.06	9.14	12.79

Calendar year performance (%)	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
AC	41.23	7.01	-28.06	11.95	0.07
Reference benchmark	16.26	18.79	-18.15	22.10	17.55

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	46	2,667
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	238,220	653,277

3-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference benchmark
Volatility	19.21%	15.76%
Information ratio	-1.53	
Beta	1.14	

#### **Sector Allocation (%)**



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## Geographical Allocation (%)



	Fund		Reference	benchmark
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Top 10 Holdings	Location	Sector	Weight (%)
Trane Technologies PLC	United States	Industrials	5.35
Microsoft Corp	United States	Information Technology	5.27
Ecolab Inc	United States	Materials	5.14
Verisk Analytics Inc	United States	Industrials	4.72
Schneider Electric SE	United States	Industrials	4.63
Cadence Design Systems Inc	United States	Information Technology	3.89
Prysmian SpA	Italy	Industrials	3.49
SAP SE	Germany	Information Technology	3.00
Autodesk Inc	United States	Information Technology	2.68
Accenture PLC	Ireland	Information Technology	2.63

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

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MSCI ESG Score	ESG score	E	S	G
Fund	8.2	6.9	5.9	6.4
Reference benchmark	6.7	6.7	5.1	5.6

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

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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.
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