

## **HSBC Global Investment Funds**

# GLOBAL LOWER CARBON BOND

Marketing communication | Monthly report 30 April 2025 | Share class ACHEUR

# Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of bonds that has a lower carbon footprint than its reference benchmark (Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporates Diversified Hedged USD).

## Investment strategy

In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 70% of its assets in investment grade and non-investment grade bonds issued by companies that are based in developed markets and emerging markets. The Fund will invest in bonds issued by companies with consideration of their Lower Carbon Criteria.The Fund will also invest in Green Bonds meeting the Green Bond Principles of the International Capital Market Association.The Fund will not invest in companies involved in the production of tobacco or related activities.The Fund may invest up to 10% in onshore Chinese bonds which are issued within the People's Republic of China and traded on the China Interbank Bond Market.The Fund may invest up to 10% in non-investment grade bonds and up to 10% in ABS and MBS.The Fund may invest up to 10% in contingent convertible securities and up to 10% in other funds, including HSBC 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 you 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

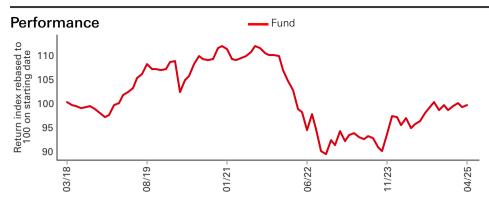
Key metrics	
NAV per share	EUR 9.95
Performance 1m	0.36%
Yield to maturity	4.62%
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation time	17:00 LU
Share class base currency	EUR
Domicile	LU
Inception date	20 March 2018
Fund size	USD 196,835,939
Managers	Jerry Samet
	Jean Olivier Neyrat
Mohar	ned Imtiaz Siddeeq
Fees and expenses	
Minimum initial	USD 5,000
investment	
Ongoing charge figure <sup>1</sup>	1.060%
Maximum initial	3.100%
charge	
Codes	
ISIN	LU1689526272
Bloomberg ticker	HSGACHE LX
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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 (%)	үт	D 1،	n 3ı	m 6	m <sup>,</sup>	1y 3y	ann	5y ann 10 y	ears ann	Since inception ann
ACHEUR	1.0	0.3	6 0.2	3 1.0	3 5.0	)3	0.24	-1.02		-0.07
Rolling performance (%)	30/04/24- 30/04/25	30/04/23- 30/04/24	30/04/22- 30/04/23	30/04/21- 30/04/22	30/04/20- 30/04/21	30/04/19- 30/04/20			30/04/16 30/04/17	
ACHEUR	5.03	0.98	-5.03	-9.71	4.45	2.42	2.65			
3-Year Risk Measures		ACHEUR		Reference	5-Year Ris	k Measure:	3	ACHE	UR	Reference Benchmark

3-Year Risk Measures	ACHEUR	Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	ACHEUR	Benchmark
Volatility	7.17%		Volatility	6.38%	
Sharpe ratio	-0.34		Sharpe ratio	-0.38	

		Reference	eference	
Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Benchmark	Relative	
No. of holdings ex cash	406	15,401		
Average coupon rate	4.20	3.66	0.54	
Yield to worst	4.49%	4.25%	0.23%	
Option adjusted duration	5.92	5.48	0.43	
Modified duration to worst	5.82	5.40	0.42	
Option adjusted spread duration	6.01	5.52	0.49	
Average maturity	8.47	7.47	1.00	
Average Credit Quality	A-/BBB+	A-/BBB+		

Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
	0.86	-0.86
7.56	7.10	0.47
29.74	42.81	-13.07
59.74	49.23	10.50
0.83		0.83
0.03		0.03
0.06		0.06
2.04		2.04
	 7.56 29.74 59.74 0.83 0.03 0.06	Fund   Benchmark      0.86     7.56   7.10     29.74   42.81     59.74   49.23     0.83      0.03      0.06

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.19	0.20	-0.01
2-5 years	1.07	1.14	-0.07
5-10 years	2.42	1.87	0.55
10+ years	2.24	2.28	-0.04
Total	5.92	5.48	0.43

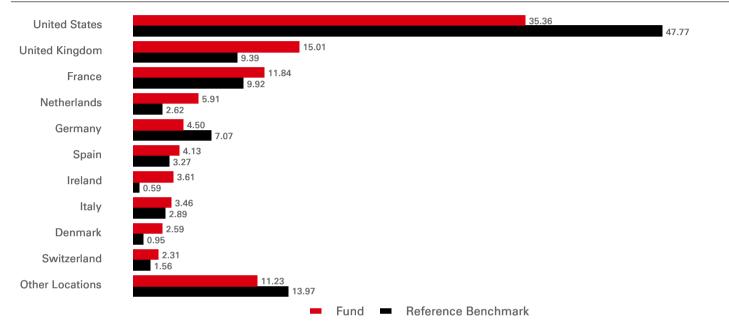
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Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
99.69	100.00	-0.31
0.26		0.26
0.05		0.05
0.00		0.00
0.00		0.00
0.00		0.00
0.00		0.00
	99.69 0.26 0.05 0.00 0.00 0.00	Fund   Benchmark     99.69   100.00     0.26      0.05      0.00      0.00      0.00      0.00      0.00      0.00      0.00

#### Geographical allocation (%)



Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
49.09	40.60	8.48
9.00	9.20	-0.19
8.53	13.40	-4.87
6.21	6.75	-0.54
5.16	5.09	0.07
4.85	5.49	-0.65
3.94	8.21	-4.27
2.91	3.02	-0.10
2.84		2.84
2.69		2.69
2.74	8.24	-5.50
2.04		2.04
	49.09 9.00 8.53 6.21 5.16 4.85 3.94 2.91 2.84 2.69 2.74	49.09 40.60   9.00 9.20   8.53 13.40   6.21 6.75   5.16 5.09   4.85 5.49   3.94 8.21   2.91 3.02   2.84    2.69    2.74 8.24

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Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
US TREASURY N/B 4.500 15/11/54	2.08
JYSKE BANK A/S 5.125 01/05/35	1.21
ALLIANDER 4.500	1.21
NATL GRID NA INC 3.631 03/09/31	1.20
ASTRAZENECA FIN 3.121 05/08/30	1.20
BARCLAYS PLC 4.973 31/05/36	1.19
ABB FINANCE BV 3.375 15/01/34	1.18
FERROVIAL SE 4.375 13/09/30	1.13
ENEL SPA 1.375	1.11
COREBRIDGE GF 5.900 19/09/28	1.07

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MSCI ESG Score	ESG score	Е	S	G
Fund	7.4	7.6	5.1	6.3
Reference benchmark	6.9	7.1	5.0	5.9

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.

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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.
- Where overseas investments are held the rate of currency exchange may cause the value of such investments to go down as well as up.
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#### Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 30 April 2025

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