

HSBC Global Investment Funds

GLOBAL LOWER CARBON BOND

Monthly report 31 March 2025 | Share class AC

Fund center



Risk Disclosure

- The Fund invests mainly in fixed income securities while promoting ESG characteristics.
- The Fund may pay dividends out of capital or gross of expenses. Dividend is not guaranteed and may result in capital erosion and reduction in net asset value.
- The Fund may invest in financial derivative instruments for investment purpose which may lead to higher volatility to its net asset value.
- The Fund's investments may involve substantial credit, credit rating, currency, volatility, liquidity, ESG investment policy, general debt securities, interest rate, valuation, non-investment grade and unrated debt securities, sovereign debt, emerging markets, tax and political risks. Investors may suffer substantial loss of their investments in the Fund.
- Portfolio Currency Hedged Share Classes are subject to higher currency and exchange rate risks.
- Investors should not invest solely based on factsheet and should read the offering documents for details.



Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of corporate bonds while promoting ESG characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of SFDR. The Fund aims to have a lower carbon intensity than its reference benchmark.



Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed.

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 meeting certain lower carbon criteria (which include carbon intensity, carbon intensity data availability and investment in green bonds). Companies and/or 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 invest up to 10% in onshore Chinese bonds through the China Interbank Bond Market (CIBM); up to 10% in non-investment grade bonds; and up to 10% in asset backed securities and mortgage-backed securities.

The Fund may invest up to 10% in contingent convertible securities, may invest in bank deposits 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.

Share Class Details

Key metrics

NAV per Share	USD 11.38
Yield to maturity	4.73%

Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	Yes
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Share Class Base Currency	USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	27 September 2017
Fund Size	USD 220,276,122
Reference benchmark	100% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Corporates Diversified Index Hedged USD

Managers	Jerry Samet Jean Olivier Neyrat Mohamed Imtiaz Siddeeq
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Fees and expenses

Minimum initial investment (HK) ¹	USD 1,000
Maximum initial charge (HK)	3.000%
Management fee	0.800%

Codes

ISIN	LU1674672883
Bloomberg ticker	HSGLACU LX

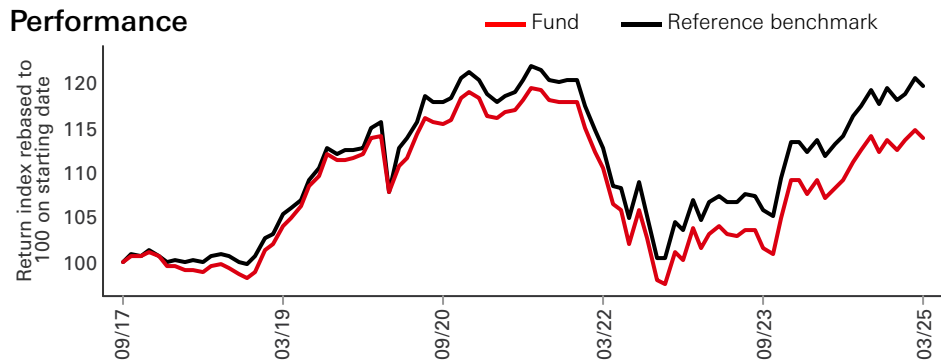
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Performance



Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years	5 years
AC	1.11	-0.77	1.11	-0.18	4.22	2.94	5.52
Reference benchmark	1.34	-0.62	1.34	0.44	5.28	6.26	11.17

Calendar year performance (%)	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
AC	6.23	-1.00	-14.91	9.00	3.05
Reference benchmark	7.42	-0.75	-13.94	9.56	4.17

The calendar year return of the first year is calculated between share class inception date and calendar year end of first year if the share class has less than 5-year history. Results are cumulative

3-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference benchmark
Volatility	7.51%	7.36%	Volatility	6.49%	6.61%
Sharpe ratio	-0.44	-0.30	Sharpe ratio	-0.24	-0.08
Tracking error	0.89%	--	Tracking error	1.26%	--
Information ratio	-1.21	--	Information ratio	-0.84	--

Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
No. of holdings ex cash	425	15,306	--
Average coupon rate	4.24	3.64	0.60
Portfolio yield	4.58%	4.35%	0.23%
Effective duration	5.71	5.50	0.21
Average maturity	8.16	7.52	0.64
Average Credit Quality	A-/BBB+	A-/BBB+	--

Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative	Maturity Breakdown (Effective duration)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
AAA	--	0.87	-0.87	0-2 years	0.21	0.19	0.01
AA	7.77	7.18	0.59	2-5 years	1.03	1.12	-0.10
A	31.59	43.18	-11.59	5-10 years	2.27	1.85	0.42
BBB	57.63	48.77	8.85	10+ years	2.20	2.33	-0.13
BB	0.91	--	0.91	Total	5.71	5.50	0.21
B	0.03	--	0.03				
NR	0.06	--	0.06				
Cash	2.03	--	2.03				

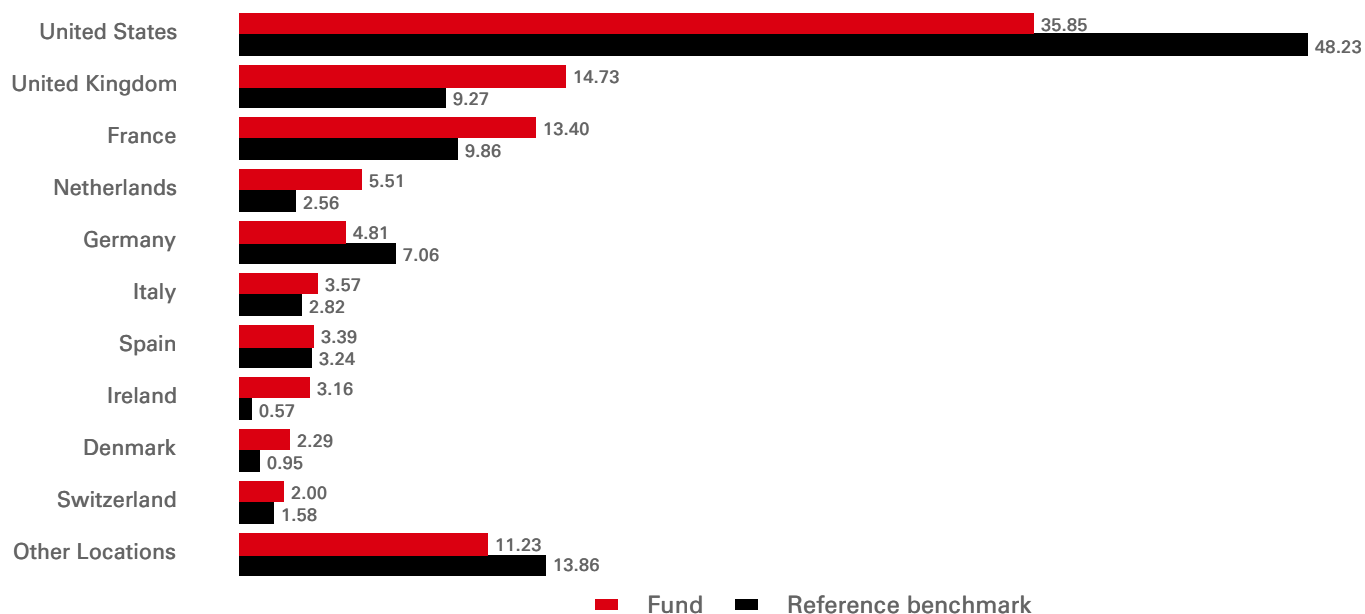
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Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
USD	100.03	100.00	0.03
GBP	0.04	--	0.04
HKD	0.00	--	0.00
CHF	0.00	--	0.00
AUD	0.00	--	0.00
SGD	0.00	--	0.00
EUR	-0.07	--	-0.07

Geographical Allocation (%)



Sector Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
Financial Institutions	50.62	40.62	9.99
Consumer Non cyclical	8.73	13.40	-4.67
Utility	7.83	9.14	-1.32
Communications	6.07	6.81	-0.75
Capital Goods	5.42	5.11	0.31
Consumer Cyclical	4.73	8.23	-3.50
Technology	4.34	5.46	-1.12
Transportation	2.51	2.96	-0.45
Treasuries	2.38	--	2.38
Agencies	2.01	--	2.01
Other Sectors	3.36	8.27	-4.91
Cash	2.03	--	2.03

Top 10 Holdings	Weight (%)
GENERALI 5.272 12/09/33	1.08
JYSKE BANK A/S 5.125 01/05/35	1.07
ALLIANDER 4.500	1.03
LVMH MOET HENNES 3.500 07/09/33	1.02
NATL GRID NA INC 3.631 03/09/31	1.01
ASTRAZENECA FIN 3.121 05/08/30	1.01
BARCLAYS PLC 4.973 31/05/36	1.00
ABB FINANCE BV 3.375 15/01/34	0.99
FERROVIAL SE 4.375 13/09/30	0.95
COREBRIDGE GF 5.900 19/09/28	0.95

MSCI ESG Score	ESG score	E	S	G
Fund	7.5	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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