

HSBC Global Investment Funds

US SHORT DURATION HIGH YIELD BOND

Monthly report 31 January 2024 | Share class EC



Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of high yield securities that are related to the USA with an expected average duration of between 1 and 3 years whilst maintaining low interest rate risk.



Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed.

In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 70% in non-investment grade bonds, unrated bonds and other higher yielding securities issued by companies which are based in USA. The Fund may also invest up to 10% in bonds issued by companies that are based in emerging markets, up to 30% in investment grade bonds to manage liquidity and risk. The Fund may invest up to 10% in bonds and other similar securities which have a maturity longer than five years. The Fund may invest up to 10% in securities issued by any single government issuer with a non-investment grade rating.

The Fund may invest up to 10% in convertible bonds, up to 15% in contingent convertible securities, up to 10% in asset-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities, up to 10% invested in other funds and may also invest in bank deposits, money market instrument for treasury purposes.

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.
- Investing in assets denominated in a currency other than that of the investor's own currency exposes the value of the investment to exchange rate fluctuations
- 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.

Share class details

Key metrics

NAV per share	USD 13.03
Performance 1 month	0.15%
Yield to maturity	6.30%

Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	Yes
UK reporting fund status (UKRS)	Yes
ISA eligible	Yes
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation time	17:00 Luxembourg
Share class base currency	USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	2 December 2013
Fund size	USD 107,533,829
Managers	Mary Gottshall Bowers

Fees and expenses

Minimum initial investment ¹	USD 5,000
Ongoing charge figure ²	1.550%

Codes

ISIN	LU0930305163
Bloomberg ticker	HGSDHYE LX
SEDOL	BF2CGD3

¹Please note that initial minimum subscription may vary across different distributors

²Ongoing Charges Figure is based on expenses over a year. The figure includes annual management charge but not the transaction costs. Such figures may vary from time to time.

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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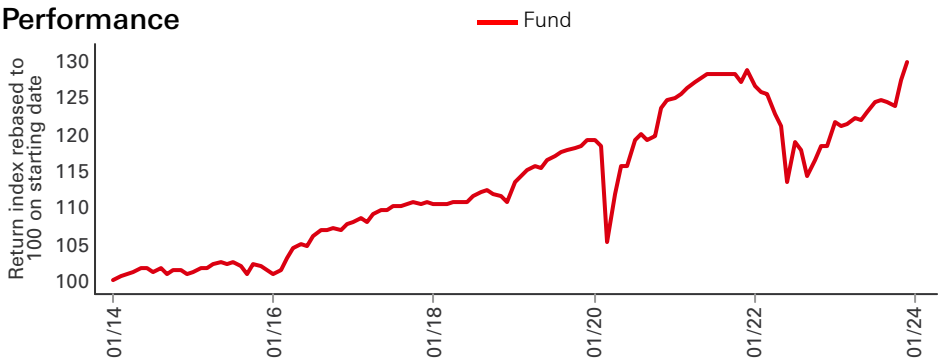
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Reference Performance Benchmark: Not benchmarked since 03 July 2023. Before that, the benchmark was Bloomberg Global Short Duration High Yield BB-B 2% Constrained USD Hedged Index.

Until 03 July 2023 the name of the sub-fund is HSBC Global Investment Funds – Global Short Duration High Yield Bond.

Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 January 2024

Performance



Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	10 years ann
EC	0.15	0.15	4.96	4.43	6.80	1.30	2.77	2.65

Rolling performance (%)	31/01/23-31/01/24	31/01/22-31/01/23	31/01/21-31/01/22	31/01/20-31/01/21	31/01/19-31/01/20	31/01/18-31/01/19	31/01/17-31/01/18	31/01/16-31/01/17	31/01/15-31/01/16	31/01/14-31/01/15
EC	6.80	-3.90	1.28	4.88	5.17	2.52	2.34	6.96	-0.27	1.19

3-Year Risk Measures	EC	Reference Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	EC	Reference Benchmark
Volatility	6.19%	--	Volatility	7.87%	--
Sharpe ratio	-0.15	--	Sharpe ratio	0.11	--

Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
No. of holdings ex cash	168	--	--
Average coupon rate	5.62	--	--
Yield to worst	6.15%	--	--
Option adjusted duration	1.65	--	--
Modified duration to worst	1.99	--	--
Modified duration to maturity	2.22	--	--
Option adjusted spread duration	1.69	--	--
Average maturity	2.32	--	--
Rating average	BB/BB-	--	--
Number of issuers	139	--	--

Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative	Sleeve Maturity Breakdown (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
A	0.57	--	--	USD	77.20	--	--
BBB	8.65	--	--	EUR	22.78	--	--
BB	49.58	--	--	Others	0.02	--	--
B	36.32	--	--				
CCC	2.01	--	--				
Cash	2.86	--	--				

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative	Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.42	--	--	USD	99.79	--	--
2-5 years	1.19	--	--	EUR	0.18	--	--
5-10 years	0.03	--	--	GBP	0.03	--	--
10+ years	0.01	--	--	JPY	0.00	--	--
				CHF	0.00	--	--
Total	1.65	--	--	SGD	0.00	--	--

Geographical allocation (%)



Sector allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
Consumer Cyclical	25.97	--	--
Financial Institutions	15.45	--	--
Communications	10.78	--	--
Capital Goods	10.60	--	--
Energy	8.98	--	--
Consumer Non cyclical	7.62	--	--
Transportation	4.71	--	--
Basic Industry	4.47	--	--
Technology	3.68	--	--
Agencies	2.36	--	--
Other Sectors	2.53	--	--
Cash	2.86	--	--

Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
FORD MOTOR CRED 4.389 08/01/26	2.09
CCO HOLDINGS LLC 5.500 01/05/26	1.85
DAVE & BUSTER'S 7.625 01/11/25	1.74
UNITED WHOLESALE 5.750 15/06/27	1.73
NAVIENT CORP 6.750 25/06/25	1.41
STANDARD INDS IN 5.000 15/02/27	1.39
NOVA CHEMICALS 5.000 01/05/25	1.39
HUDBAY MINERALS 4.500 01/04/26	1.37
VISTRA OPERATION 5.500 01/09/26	1.36
TRANSDIGM INC 6.250 15/03/26	1.34

Risk disclosures

- 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.
- 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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Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 January 2024

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