

## HSBC Global Investment Funds

# ASIA BOND

Monthly report 31 January 2024 | Share class ICHEUR



### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of Asian bonds.



### Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed. In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 90% of its assets in investment grade, and non-investment grade rated bonds and unrated bonds issued by governments, government-related entities, supranational entities or companies that are based in or carry out the larger part of their business in Asia. The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in onshore Chinese bonds which are issued within the People's Republic of China (PRC) and traded on the China Interbank Bond Market. The Fund may invest up to 10% in convertible bonds and up to 10% in contingent convertible securities. The Fund may also invest up to 10% in asset-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities. The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in securities issued by any single government issuer with a non-investment grade rating and may invest up to 10% of its assets in other funds. The Fund will not invest more than 40% of its assets in non-investment grade bonds. The Fund's primary currency exposure is to US Dollar (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	<b>EUR 9.39</b>
Performance 1 month	<b>-0.12%</b>
Yield to maturity	<b>5.92%</b>

#### Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	<b>Yes</b>
UK reporting fund status (UKRS)	<b>Yes</b>
ISA eligible	<b>Yes</b>
Dividend treatment	<b>Accumulating</b>
Dealing frequency	<b>Daily</b>
Valuation time	<b>17:00 Luxembourg</b>
Share class base currency	<b>EUR</b>
Domicile	<b>Luxembourg</b>
Inception date	<b>18 May 2018</b>
Fund size	<b>USD 406,132,629</b>
Managers	<b>Ming Leap Alfred Mui</b>

#### Fees and expenses

Minimum initial investment <sup>1</sup>	<b>USD 1,000,000</b>
Ongoing charge figure <sup>2</sup>	<b>0.822%</b>

#### Codes

ISIN	<b>LU1436996174</b>
Bloomberg ticker	<b>HSBAICE LX</b>
SEDOL	<b>BDB4BM0</b>

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

<sup>2</sup>Ongoing 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.

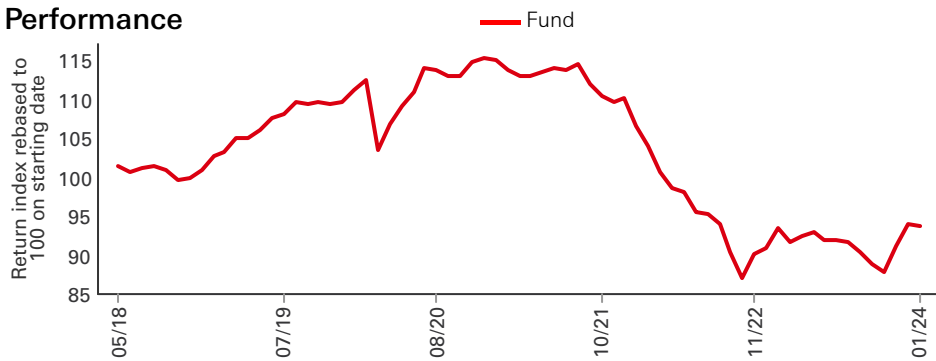
Past performance does not predict future returns. The figures are calculated in the share class base currency, dividend reinvested, net of fees.

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For definition of terms, please refer to the Glossary QR code and Prospectus.

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	Since inception ann
ICHEUR	-0.12	-0.12	6.86	2.26	0.49	-6.57	-1.80	--	-1.09

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
ICHEUR	0.49	-12.37	-7.40	3.60	8.09	--	--	--	--	--

3-Year Risk Measures	ICHEUR	Reference Benchmark	5-Year Risk Measures	ICHEUR	Reference Benchmark
Volatility	6.37%	--	Volatility	6.91%	--
Sharpe ratio	-1.19	--	Sharpe ratio	-0.32	--

Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
No. of holdings ex cash	317	1,238	--
Yield to worst	5.82%	5.47%	0.35%
Yield to maturity	5.92%	5.47%	0.45%
Modified duration to worst	5.22	4.92	0.30
Option adjusted spread duration	4.90	4.90	0.00
Average maturity	7.58	6.86	0.72
Rating average	BBB+/BBB	A-/BBB+	--
Number of issuers	178	414	--

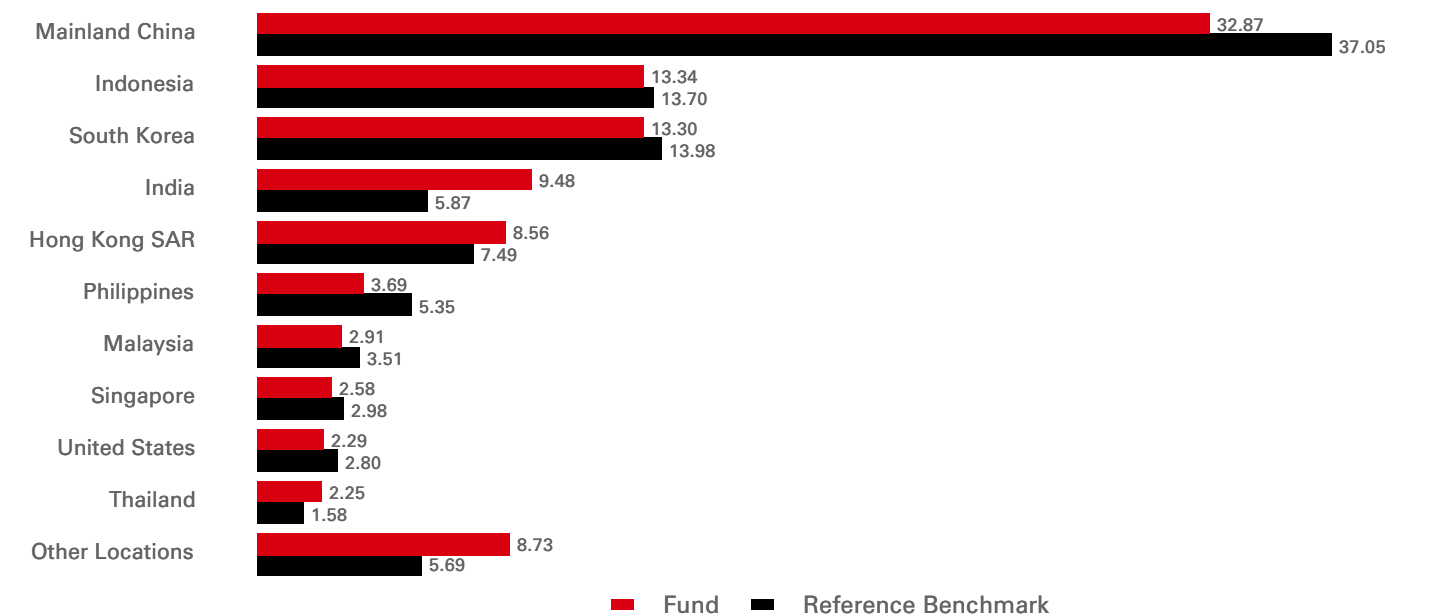
Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
AAA	1.08	1.18	-0.10
AA	7.94	14.55	-6.61
A	27.50	32.71	-5.21
BBB	49.76	45.21	4.55
BB	9.82	2.08	7.74
B	2.25	0.47	1.78
CCC	1.17	0.87	0.29
CC	--	0.08	-0.08
C	0.00	--	0.00
NR	0.53	2.84	-2.31
Cash	-0.05	--	-0.05

Maturity Breakdown (Option adjusted duration)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.32	0.32	0.00
2-5 years	1.19	1.08	0.11
5-10 years	1.17	1.34	-0.17
10+ years	2.52	2.19	0.33
<b>Total</b>	<b>5.20</b>	<b>4.92</b>	<b>0.28</b>

Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
USD	97.13	100.00	-2.87
IDR	0.91	--	0.91
KRW	0.77	--	0.77
THB	0.39	--	0.39
CNH	0.28	--	0.28
INR	0.26	--	0.26
JPY	0.26	--	0.26
EUR	0.02	--	0.02
SGD	0.02	--	0.02
AUD	0.00	--	0.00
Other Currencies	-0.05	--	-0.05

#### Geographical allocation (%)



Sector allocation (%)	Fund	Reference Benchmark	Relative
Government	13.43	24.28	-10.85
Banks	13.39	9.66	3.73
Energy	12.60	10.42	2.18
Diversified Finan serv	10.48	8.39	2.08
Consumer Cyclical	9.87	6.81	3.06
Communications	9.10	6.99	2.11
Basic Materials	5.77	3.95	1.83
Utilities	4.92	7.70	-2.78
Industrial	4.58	5.14	-0.55
Consumer Non cyclical	4.02	2.81	1.21
Other Sectors	11.88	13.86	-1.98
Cash	-0.05	--	-0.05

Top 10 holdings	Weight (%)
TSMC GLOBAL LTD 1.250 23/04/26	2.20
ZHONGSHENG 3.000 13/01/26	2.04
KODIT GLOBAL 3.619 27/05/25	1.79
BANK OF CHINA 5.000 13/11/24	1.61
HONG KONG 4.000 07/06/33	1.50
PHILIPPINES(REP) 4.200 29/03/47	1.43
GS CALTEX CORP 5.375 07/08/28	1.31
PHILIPPINES(REP) 2.950 05/05/45	1.21
INDONESIA (REP) 4.200 15/10/50	1.19
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