

# **Key Investor Information**

This document provides you with key investor information about this Fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this Fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

# HSBC GLOBAL INVESTMENT FUNDS - US INCOME FOCUSED

a sub-fund of HSBC Global Investment Funds, (the "UCITS"); managed by HSBC Investment Funds (Luxembourg) S.A.

Class:AM3HGBP ISIN:LU2083901392

## **Objectives and Investment Policy**

#### **Investment Objective:**

The Fund aims to provide income through investment in a diversified portfolio of fixed income securities and equity securities, money market and cash instruments and other instruments that are related to the USA.

#### **Investment Policy:**

The Fund will normally invest at least 70% of its assets in bonds (and similar securities) and shares (and similar securities) of companies, money market and cash instruments, and other UCITS eligible asset classes issued by USA related issuers. Exposures will be achieved through investing directly into markets, derivative instruments or investing in other funds

The Fund may invest up to 100% of its assets in bonds issued by or guaranteed by governments, government agencies or supranational bodies of the USA or by companies which are domiciled in, based in, carry out the larger part of their business activities in, or are listed on a Regulated Market in, the USA.

The Fund may invest up to 70% of its assets in equity securities of companies of any size that are based in, carry out most of their business in, or are listed on a Regulated Market in, the USA.

The Fund may invest up to 30% of its assets in bonds and shares, and up to 10% in commodities, which are not issued by USA related issuers.

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, which may change from time to time. Please refer to the Prospectus for further details on excluded activities.

The Fund will not invest more than 45% of its assets in lower quality debt securities as assigned by market recognised rating agencies, or which are unrated. Asset backed securities (ABS), mortgage backed securities (MBS), convertible securities and contingent convertible securities are excluded from this limit.

The Fund will not invest more than 10% of its assets in lower quality debt securities issued or guaranteed by any single sovereign issuer.

The Fund may invest up to 15% of its assets in low quality ABS and MBS as assigned

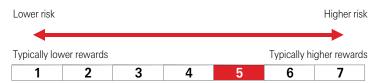
by market recognised rating agencies, or which are unrated. The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in convertible bonds and contingent convertible securities, up to 30% of its assets in eligible closed-ended Real Estate Investment Trusts, up to 50% in other funds and may invest in bank deposits, money market instruments for treasury purposes

The Funds currency exposure is to the US Dollar. the Fund may also have exposure to non-US dollar currencies up to 10% of its assets, including Emerging Market

The Fund may use derivatives for hedging and investment purposes. Derivatives will not be used extensively for investment purposes. Derivatives may be embedded in other instruments used by the Fund.

- The Fund may enter into securities lending transactions for up to 29% of its assets. However, this is not expected to exceed 25%.
- Currency hedging is carried out in respect of the share class. The aim is to protect against exchange rate fluctuations between the share class currency GBP and the base currency of the Fund USD.
- The Fund is actively managed and is not constrained by a benchmark.
- Income is distributed.
- You may sell your investment on most working days.
- Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within a period of 5 years.

#### **Risk and Reward Profile**



The risk and reward indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

#### Why is this Fund in this specific category?

This Fund is classified in category 5 because its price or simulated data has shown medium to high fluctuations historically.

## Material risks not fully captured by the Risk and Reward Indicator:

- Callable Bond Risk Any unexpected behaviour in interest rates could negatively impact the performance of callable debt securities (securities whose issuers have the right to pay off the security's principal before the maturity date).
- CoCo Bond Risk Contingent convertible securities (CoCo bonds) are comparatively untested, their income payments may be cancelled or suspended, and they are more vulnerable to losses than equities and can be highly volatile.
- Counterparty Risk The possibility that the counterparty to a transaction may be unwilling or unable to meet its obligations.

- Credit Risk A bond or money market security could lose value if the issuer's financial health deteriorates.
- Default Risk The issuers of certain bonds could become unwilling or unable to make payments on their bonds.
- Derivatives Risk Derivatives 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.
- Exchange Rate Risk Changes in currency exchange rates could reduce or increase investment gains or investment losses, in some cases significantly.
- Interest Rate Risk When interest rates rise, bond values generally fall. This risk is generally greater the longer the maturity of a bond investment and the higher its
- Investment Fund Risk Investing in other funds involves certain risks an investor would not face if investing in markets directly. Governance of underlying assets can be the responsibility of third-party managers.
- Investment Leverage Risk 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. **Liquidity Risk** Liquidity Risk is the risk that a Fund may encounter difficulties
- meeting its obligations in respect of financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or other financial assets, thereby compromising existing or remaining investors.
- Operational Risk Operational risks may subject the Fund to errors affecting transactions, valuation, accounting, and financial reporting, among other things
- Style Risk Different investment styles typically go in and out of favour depending on market conditions and investor sentiment.

## Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the running costs of the Fund, including the marketing and distribution costs. These charges reduce the potential growth of the investment

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	3.10%
Exit charge	0.00%

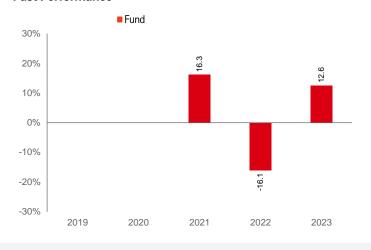
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charge	1.55%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific condition	ıs
Performance fee	None

- The entry and exit charges shown are the maximum that may be charged. In some cases you may pay less. You can obtain the actual charges from your financial adviser.
- A conversion charge of up to 1.00% of the Net Asset Value of the Shares which are being converted may be payable to the relevant distributor.
- The ongoing charges figure is based on last year's expenses for the year ending 31/03/2024. Charges may vary from year to year.

Further information on Charges can be found in the "Charges and Expenses" section of the Fund's Prospectus.

#### **Past Performance**



- Past performance is not a guide to future performance; the value of your investment and any income from it can go down as well as up.
- Performance returns are based on the net asset value with distributable income reinvested. Past performance takes account of all ongoing charges but not entry, exit or conversion charges.
- The past performance of this share class is calculated in GBP.
- The Fund was launched on 21 January 2020.

# **Practical Information**

# **Depositary Bank**

HSBC Continental Europe, Luxembourg.

#### **Further information**

Further information about the Company including the Prospectus, the most recent annual and semi-annual reports of the Company and the latest share prices, may be obtained free of charge, in English, from the Registrar and Transfer Agent by emailing amgtransferagency@lu.hsbc.com, or by visiting

www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com. The most recent Prospectus is available in English and German.

This document describes a single share class of a sub-fund of the Company. The Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports are prepared for the entire Company.

#### Share classes

It is possible to switch your shares into shares of a different share class or sub-fund within the Company. Details of how to do this are in the "How to convert between Sub-Funds / Classes" section of the Prospectus.

#### **Remuneration Policy**

The up-to-date remuneration policy of the Management Company, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are determined, is available at

www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com/about-us/governance-structure. A paper copy is available free of charge from the Management Company.

## Tax

The Fund is subject to Luxembourg tax regulations. This may have an impact on your personal tax position.

#### **Management Company**

HSBC Investment Funds (Luxembourg) S.A. may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Prospectus.

#### Segregated liability

HSBC Global Investment Funds is an investment company ("Société d'Investissementà Capital Variable") with segregated liability between sub-funds under Luxembourg law. This means that the holdings of one sub-fund are kept separate from the holdings of the other sub-funds and your investment in the Fund cannot be used to pay the liabilities of any other sub-fund.

The Fund is authorised in the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg and supervised by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF). This key investor information is accurate as at 24 May 2024.