

## HSBC Global Investment Funds

# ASIA EX JAPAN EQUITY

Marketing communication | Monthly report 30 November 2025 | Share class EC



### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth by investing in a portfolio of Asian (excluding Japanese) shares, while promoting environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics. The Fund qualifies under Article 8 of SFDR.



### Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed. In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 90% of its assets in shares (or securities similar to shares) of companies of any size that are based in Asia (excluding Japan). The Fund invests in both developed markets and emerging markets. The Fund includes the identification and analysis of a company's environmental and social factors and corporate governance practices as an integral part of the investment decision making process. Companies 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. The Fund can invest up to 50% in China A and China B-shares. For China A-shares, up to 50% through the Shanghai-Hong Kong Stock Connect and/or the Shenzhen-Hong Kong Stock Connect, and up to 30% in CAAPs. The Fund may invest up to 10% in other funds, may invest in bank deposits and money market instruments for treasury purposes and will not invest more than 10% in Real Estate Investment Trusts. See the Prospectus for a full description of the investment objectives and derivative usage.



### Main risks

- The Fund's unit value can go up as well as down, and any capital invested in the Fund may be at risk.
- The value of investible securities can change over time due to a wide variety of factors, including but not limited to: political and economic news, government policy, changes in demographics, cultures and populations, natural or human-caused disasters etc.
- 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       | <b>USD 79.05</b> |
| Performance 1 month | <b>-4.56%</b>    |
| Volatility 3 years  | <b>14.79%</b>    |

#### Fund facts

|                           |                                   |
|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| UCITS V compliant         | <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>USD</b>                        |
| Domicile                  | <b>Luxembourg</b>                 |
| Inception date            | <b>1 February 2007</b>            |
| Fund Size                 | <b>USD 351,049,966</b>            |
| Reference benchmark       | <b>100% MSCI AC Asia ex Japan</b> |
| Managers                  | <b>Stanley Chen<br/>Ruby Lau</b>  |

#### Fees and expenses

|                                    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>1</sup> | <b>2.345%</b> |
|------------------------------------|---------------|

#### Codes

|                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| ISIN             | <b>LU0164849209</b> |
| Bloomberg ticker | <b>HSBASEC LX</b>   |

<sup>1</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.

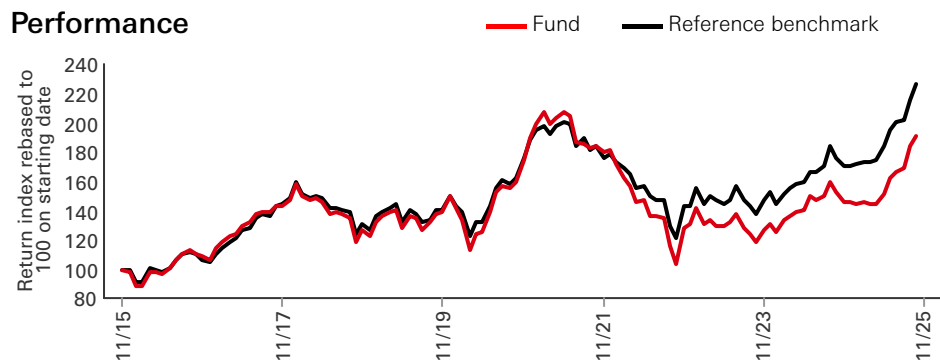
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For definition of terms, please refer to the Glossary QR code and Prospectus.

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## Performance

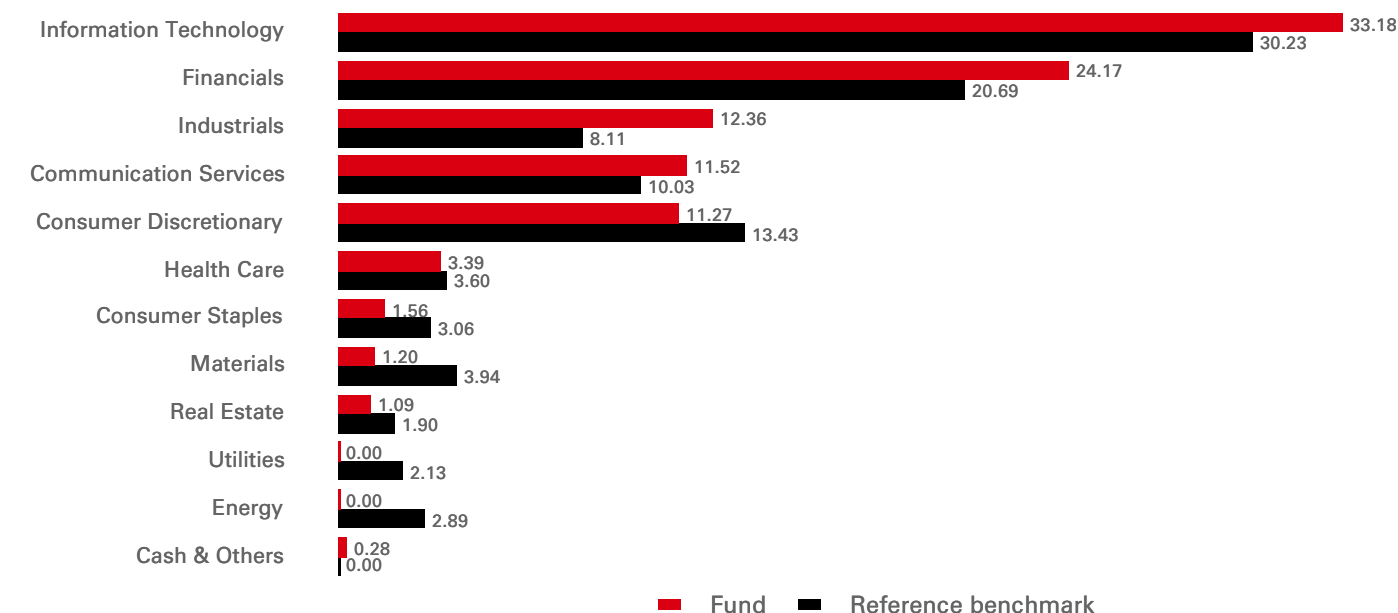


| Performance (%)     | YTD   | 1 month | 3 months | 6 months | 1 year | 3 years ann | 5 years ann | 10 years ann |
|---------------------|-------|---------|----------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| EC                  | 25.64 | -4.56   | 7.93     | 20.28    | 25.83  | 12.59       | 0.92        | 6.25         |
| Reference benchmark | 28.76 | -2.84   | 8.45     | 19.26    | 28.95  | 15.10       | 4.54        | 8.20         |

| Calendar year performance (%) | 2015  | 2016 | 2017  | 2018   | 2019  | 2020  | 2021  | 2022   | 2023  | 2024  |
|-------------------------------|-------|------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|
| EC                            | -9.60 | 7.75 | 39.62 | -17.07 | 22.43 | 26.31 | -4.20 | -27.56 | -0.39 | 11.07 |
| Reference benchmark           | -9.17 | 5.44 | 41.72 | -14.37 | 18.17 | 25.02 | -4.72 | -19.67 | 5.98  | 11.96 |

| Equity characteristics       | Fund    | Reference benchmark | 3-Year Risk Measures | EC     | Reference benchmark |
|------------------------------|---------|---------------------|----------------------|--------|---------------------|
| No. of holdings ex cash      | 56      | 1,003               | Volatility           | 14.79% | 14.03%              |
| Average Market Cap (USD Mil) | 272,212 | 265,828             | Information ratio    | -0.61  | --                  |
|                              |         |                     | Beta                 | 1.01   | --                  |

## Sector Allocation (%)



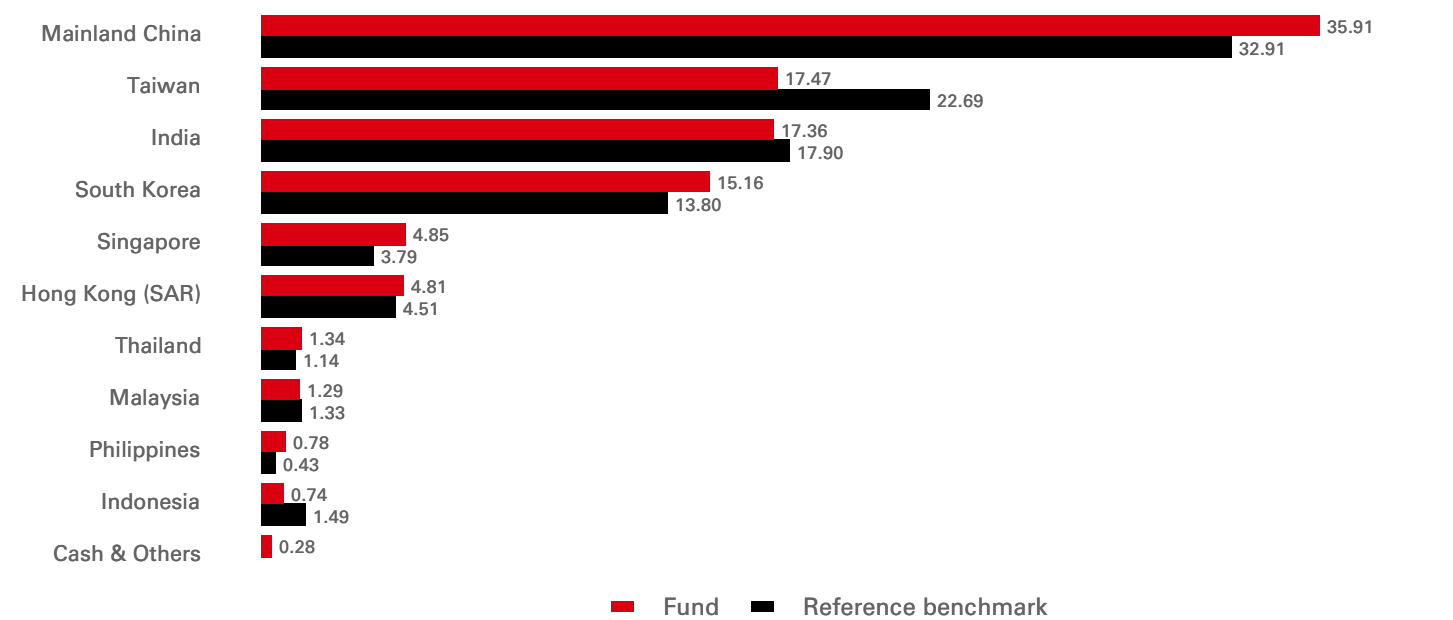
| MSCI ESG Score      | ESG score | E   | S   | G   |
|---------------------|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Fund                | 7.0       | 6.6 | 5.8 | 5.4 |
| Reference benchmark | 6.6       | 6.2 | 5.5 | 5.2 |

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. For more information, see MSCI ESG Ratings Methodology @ <https://www.msci.com/esg-and-climate-methodologies>

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Geographical Allocation (%)



| Top 10 Holdings                         | Location       | Sector                 | Weight (%) |
|-----------------------------------------|----------------|------------------------|------------|
| Taiwan Semiconductor Co Ltd             | Taiwan         | Information Technology | 9.58       |
| Tencent Holdings Ltd                    | Mainland China | Communication Services | 7.79       |
| Samsung Electronics Co Ltd              | South Korea    | Information Technology | 5.87       |
| Alibaba Group Holding Ltd               | Mainland China | Consumer Discretionary | 4.81       |
| China Construction Bank Corp            | Mainland China | Financials             | 4.14       |
| Ping An Insurance Group Co of China Ltd | Mainland China | Financials             | 3.54       |
| HDFC Bank Ltd                           | India          | Financials             | 3.03       |
| SK hynix Inc                            | South Korea    | Information Technology | 2.99       |
| Hon Hai Precision Industry Co Ltd       | Taiwan         | Information Technology | 2.83       |
| Contemporary Ampere Technology Co Ltd   | Mainland China | Industrials            | 2.78       |

## Risk Disclosure

- 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.
- Where overseas investments are held the rate of currency exchange may cause the value of such investments to go down as well as up.
- Further information on the potential risks can be found in the Key Information Document (KID) and/or the Prospectus or Offering Memorandum.

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## Benchmark disclosure

The Investment Advisor will use its discretion to invest in securities not included in the reference benchmark based on active investment management strategies and specific investment opportunities. It is foreseen that a significant percentage of the Fund's investments will be components of the reference benchmark. However, their weightings may deviate materially from those of the reference benchmark. Any deviations with respect to the benchmark are monitored within a comprehensive risk framework, which includes monitoring at issuer, sector and country level. The deviation of the Fund's performance relative to the benchmark is monitored, but not constrained, to a defined range.

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## Important Information

The fund is a sub-fund of HSBC Global Investment Funds, a Luxembourg domiciled SICAV. UK based investors are advised they may not be afforded some of the protections conveyed by the provisions of the Financial Services and Markets Act (2000), (the Act). The company is recognised in the UK by the Financial Conduct Authority under section 264 of the Act. The shares in the company have not been and will not be offered for sale or sold in the United States of America, its territories or possessions and all areas subject to its jurisdiction, or to United States Persons. All applications are made on the basis of the Prospectus, Key Investor Document (KID), Supplementary Information Document (SID) and most recent annual and semi-annual reports, which can be obtained upon request free of charge from HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited, 8 Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5HQ UK; the local distributors or from our website (see below). Investors and potential investors should read and note the risk warnings in the Prospectus, KID and additionally, in the case of retail clients, the information contained in the supporting SID.

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](mailto:amgtransferagency@lu.hsbc.com) , or by visiting [www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com](http://www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com).

The most recent Prospectus is available in English and German. Key Information Document (PRIIPs KID) are available in the local language where they are registered.

Detailed information for article 8 and 9 sustainable investment products, as categorised under the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation (SFDR), including; description of the environmental or social characteristics or the sustainable investment objective; methodologies used to assess, measure and monitor the environmental or social characteristics and the impact of the selected sustainable investments and; objectives and benchmark information, can be found at: <https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.uk/en/intermediary/investment-expertise/sustainable-investments/sustainable-investment-product-offering>