

# 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 Funds ICAV - Global Sukuk UCITS ETF

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

Class:ETFC  
 ISIN:IE000E8WZD37

## Objectives and Investment Policy

### Investment Objective:

The Fund aims to provide regular income and capital growth by tracking as closely as possible the performance of the FTSE IdealRatings Sukuk Index (total return) (the Index), while maintaining adherence to Shariah principles.

### Investment Policy:

The Index is comprised of global Islamic fixed income securities, also known as Sukuk. The Fund invests in, or gain exposure to US Dollar denominated, Investment Grade Sukuk that are Shariah-compliant, and issued in the global markets, all of which are Index constituents. The currency of the Index is USD and returns are unhedged. The Fund is passively managed and utilises an investment technique called optimisation, which seeks to minimise the difference in return between the Fund and the Index by taking into account tracking error (the risk that the Fund return varies from the Index return) and trading costs when constructing a portfolio. The Fund will not necessarily invest in every constituent of the Index, or invest proportionally to each constituents' Index weight. If the overall portfolio matches the characteristics of the Index, the Fund can also invest in assets outside of the Index, such as: securities which are expected to provide similar performance and risk characteristics to certain Index constituents; Sukuk with a Credit Rating of Ba1 BB+ / BB+ and below may be held for efficient portfolio management purposes; and cash and Sukuk with up to 1 year to maturity for liquidity and cash management purposes. When making investment decisions, the Investment Adviser will only proceed with the investment where it complies with Shariah principles. The Shariah committee monitors the Fund periodically and issues an annual Shariah certificate on the Fund's compliance with Shariah principles. This certificate is included

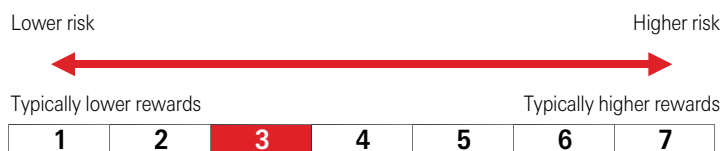
in the annual report of the Fund as a confirmation of the Shariah compliance for that year. Before investing, please do check that this Fund meets your Shariah requirements, and if in any doubt please consult an adviser. Screening of the Shariah compliance of global Sukuk is based on the methodology of IdealRatings and Sukuk with a maturity of 1 year and above are eligible for investment.

The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in cash and may invest up to 10% of its assets in Shariah-compliant funds for efficient portfolio management purposes. Credit Ratings of the investments may vary from time to time but will be at least investment grade.

The Fund may also invest in Shariah-compliant derivatives for efficient portfolio management purposes (such as to manage risk and costs, or to generate additional capital or income), and/or investment purposes.

- ◆ The reference currency of the Fund is USD. The reference currency of this share class is USD.
- ◆ Income is reinvested.
- ◆ Authorised Participants only may deal in the Fund's ETF Shares directly with the UCITS.
- ◆ The Fund's ETF Shares are listed on one or more stock exchange(s).
- ◆ 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 3 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 3 because its price or simulated data has shown low to medium fluctuations historically.

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

- ◆ **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.
- ◆ **Emerging Markets Risk** Emerging markets are less established, and often more volatile, than developed markets and involve higher risks, particularly market, liquidity and currency risks.
- ◆ **Exchange Rate Risk** Changes in currency exchange rates could reduce or increase investment gains or investment losses, in some cases significantly.
- ◆ **Index Tracking Risk** To the extent that the Fund seeks to replicate index performance by holding individual securities, there is no guarantee that its composition or performance will exactly match that of the target index at any given time ("tracking error").
- ◆ **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 credit quality.
- ◆ **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.

## 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.

<b>One-off charges taken before or after you invest</b>	
Entry charge	0.00%
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.

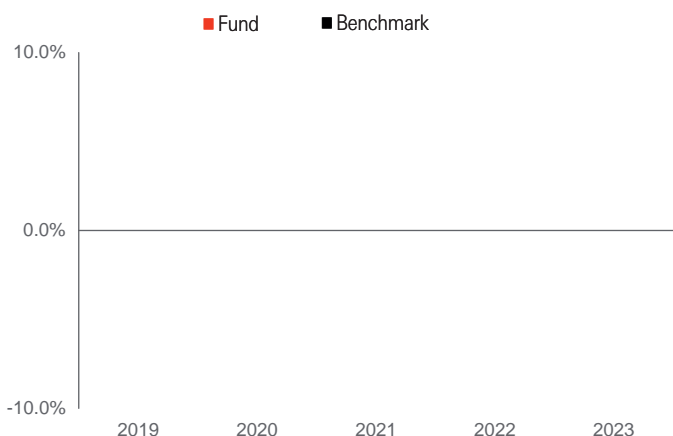
<b>Charges taken from the Fund over a year</b>	
Ongoing charge	0.40%

<b>Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions</b>	
Performance fee	None

- ◆ No entry nor exit charges are payable where investors deal in ETF Shares in the secondary market – i.e. where shares are purchased and sold on a stock exchange. In such cases, investors may pay fees charged by their broker. Authorised Participants dealing directly with the Fund may be subject to a Direct Dealing (Cash Transaction) Fee of up to 3.00% on subscriptions and up to 3.00% on redemptions.
- ◆ A conversion charge of up to 3.00% of the Net Asset Value of the Shares which are being converted may be payable to the relevant Administrator.
- ◆ The ongoing charges figure shown here is an estimate of the charges as the share class has not been priced for a full financial year. The UCITS' annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.
- For the avoidance of doubt, no payments of fees, costs and expenses paid from the TER shall include interest or late payment charges.

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 USD.
- ◆ The investment benchmark for the Fund is the FTSE IdealRatings Sukuk Index (total return).
- ◆ The Fund was launched on 18 January 2023.
- ◆ Insufficient data is available to provide past performance figures.

## Practical Information

### Depositary

HSBC Continental Europe.

### Further information

Further information about the UCITS including the Prospectus, the most recent annual and semi-annual reports of the UCITS and the latest prices of shares, may be obtained free of charge, in English, from the Administrator by emailing [ifsinvestorqueries@hsbc.com](mailto:ifsinvestorqueries@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 French. Details of the underlying investments of the fund are available on [www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com](http://www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com). The indicative intra-day net asset value of the fund is available on at least one major market data vendor terminal such as Bloomberg, as well as on a wide range of websites that display stock market data, including [www.reuters.com](http://www.reuters.com). This document describes a single share class of the UCITS. The Prospectus, annual and semi-annual reports are prepared for the entire UCITS.

### Share classes

It is possible to switch your shares into shares of a different share class or sub-fund within the ICAV, however the conversion of the ETF Shares into Non-ETF Shares and vice versa is not permitted. 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 <http://www.global.assetmanagement.hsbc.com/luxembourg>. A paper copy is available free of charge from the Management Company.

### Tax

The Fund is subject to Irish 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 Funds ICAV is an open-ended umbrella type Irish collective asset-management vehicle with limited liability and segregated liability between sub-funds incorporated under the laws of Ireland. 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.