

## **HSBC Global Investment Funds**

# GLOBAL INFLATION LINKED BOND

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## Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of inflation-linked bonds, while promoting environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics. The Fund qualifies under Article 8 of SFDR.



## Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed.

The Fund will normally invest at least 70% of its assets in bonds, the value of which is linked to inflation. The Fund invests in high quality bonds issued by companies, governments or government related entities of developed markets and emerging markets. Up to 15% of the Fund's assets may be invested in emerging markets.

The Fund will not invest in bonds issued by companies with involvement in specific excluded activities, such as: companies involved in the production of controversial weapons and tobacco; companies with more than 10% revenue generated from thermal coal extraction; and companies with more than 10% revenue generated from coal-fired power generation.

The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in onshore Chinese bonds. The Fund will not invest in securities issued by issuers with a credit rating below investment grade at the time of purchase and may invest up to 10% in other funds.

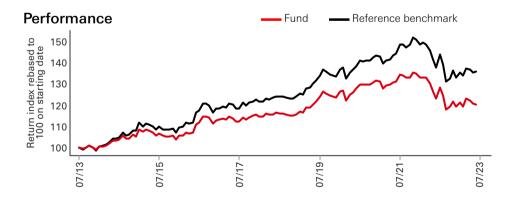
The Fund's primary currency exposure is to US dollars.

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 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.
- 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 USD 136.99 Performance 1 month 0.21% Yield to maturity 4.66% **Fund facts** UCITS V compliant Yes Dividend treatment Accumulating Dealing frequency 17:00 Luxembourg Valuation Time Share Class Base Currency USD Domicile Luxembourg Inception date 18 July 2011 Fund Size USD 619,052,699 100% ICE BofA Global Reference Inflation-Linked benchmark **Government Alternative Weighting Scheme Custom** (USD hedged; net of transaction costs) Managers Julien Renoncourt **Richard Balfour** Fees and expenses Ongoing Charge Figure<sup>1</sup> 1.250% Codes ISIN LU0518436570 **HGILKBE LX** Bloomberg ticker <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.

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

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Performance (%)	YTD	1 month 3	months	6 months	1 year	3	years ann	5 y	ears ann	10 y	ears ann
EC	1.32	0.21	-1.24	-0.44	-5.83		-2.38		0.78		1.91
Reference benchmark	2.36	0.26	-0.43	0.57	-5.44		-1.14		1.91		3.14
Calendar year performand	e (%)	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022
EC		-5.55	6.52	-1.78	9.03	2.33	0.08	7.06	6.34	2.42	-11.59
Reference benchmark		-4.68	9.38	-0.72	10.22	3.74	1.26	7.66	7.33	5.31	-11.95

3-Year Risk Measures	EC	Reference benchmark
Volatility	6.29%	6.96%
Sharpe ratio	-0.60	-0.36
Tracking error	1.02%	
Information ratio	-1.21	

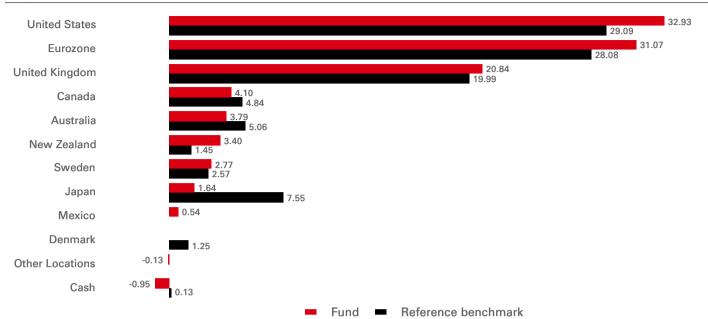
5-Year Risk Measures	EC	Reference benchmark
Volatility	5.74%	6.19%
Sharpe ratio	-0.15	0.04
Tracking error	0.86%	
Information ratio	-1.31	

	Reference				
Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	benchmark	Relative		
No. of holdings ex cash	95	148			
Average coupon rate	0.67	0.97	-0.30		
Option Adjusted Duration	9.27	8.42	0.85		
Modified Duration to Worst	9.26	8.53	0.73		
Average maturity	9.47	9.20	0.28		
Rating average	AA+/AA	AA+/AA			

	Reference				
Credit rating (%)	Fund	benchmark	Relative		
AAA	60.04	51.79	8.25		
AA	29.48	28.42	1.06		
A	4.98	12.68	-7.70		
BBB	6.45	6.99	-0.55		
Cash	-0.95	0.13	-1.07		

Maturity Breakdown (Option Adjusted Duration)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
0-3 years	0.76	0.41	0.34
3-5 years	0.44	0.65	-0.21
5-10 years	2.83	2.17	0.66
10-15 years	1.15	1.03	0.12
15-20 years	1.01	1.29	-0.29
20-30 years	2.98	2.85	0.13
30+ years	0.10		0.10
Total	9.27	8.42	0.85

### Geographical Allocation (%)



Top 10 Holdings	Weight (%)
DEUTSCHLAND I/L 0.100 15/04/26	6.91
TSY INFL IX N/B 1.125 15/01/33	5.01
TSY INFL IX N/B 0.500 15/01/28	4.47
UK TSY I/L GILT 0.750 22/03/34	4.17
TSY INFL IX N/B 0.375 15/01/27	3.79
UK TSY I/L GILT 0.250 22/03/52	3.30
TSY INFL IX N/B 0.125 15/01/32	3.16
BTPS 0.100 15/05/33	3.11
TSY INFL IX N/B 0.125 15/04/25	2.96
DEUTSCHLAND I/L 0.500 15/04/30	2.89

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#### 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.
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