

## HSBC Global Investment Funds

# ASIA EX JAPAN EQUITY

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### 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 82.07</b>
Performance 1 month	<b>3.83%</b>
Volatility 3 years	<b>14.85%</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 363,864,407</b>
Reference benchmark	<b>100% MSCI AC Asia ex Japan</b>
Managers	<b>Stanley Chen Ruby Lau</b>

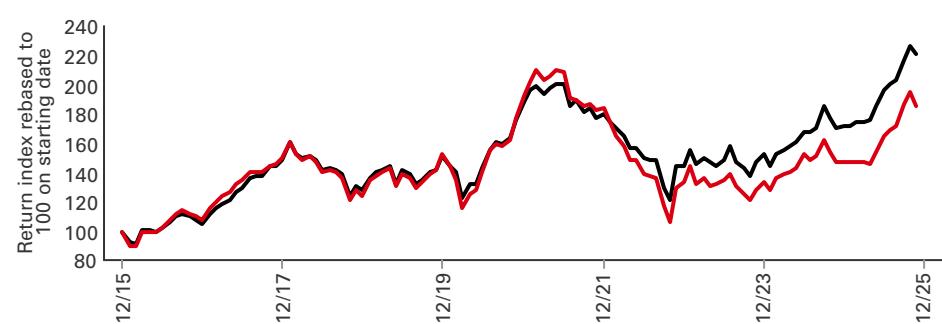
#### Fees and expenses

Minimum Initial Investment	<b>USD 5,000</b>
Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>1</sup>	<b>2.345%</b>

#### Codes

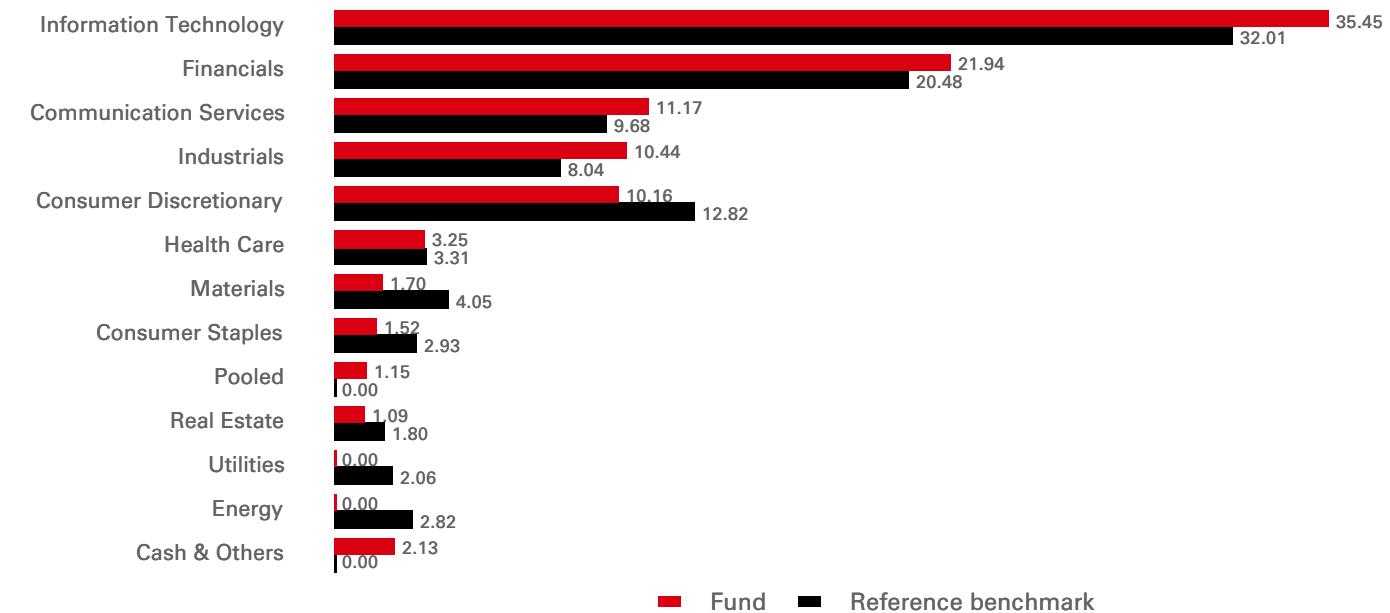
ISIN	<b>LU0164849209</b>
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Bloomberg ticker	<b>HSBASEC LX</b>

<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.

**Performance**

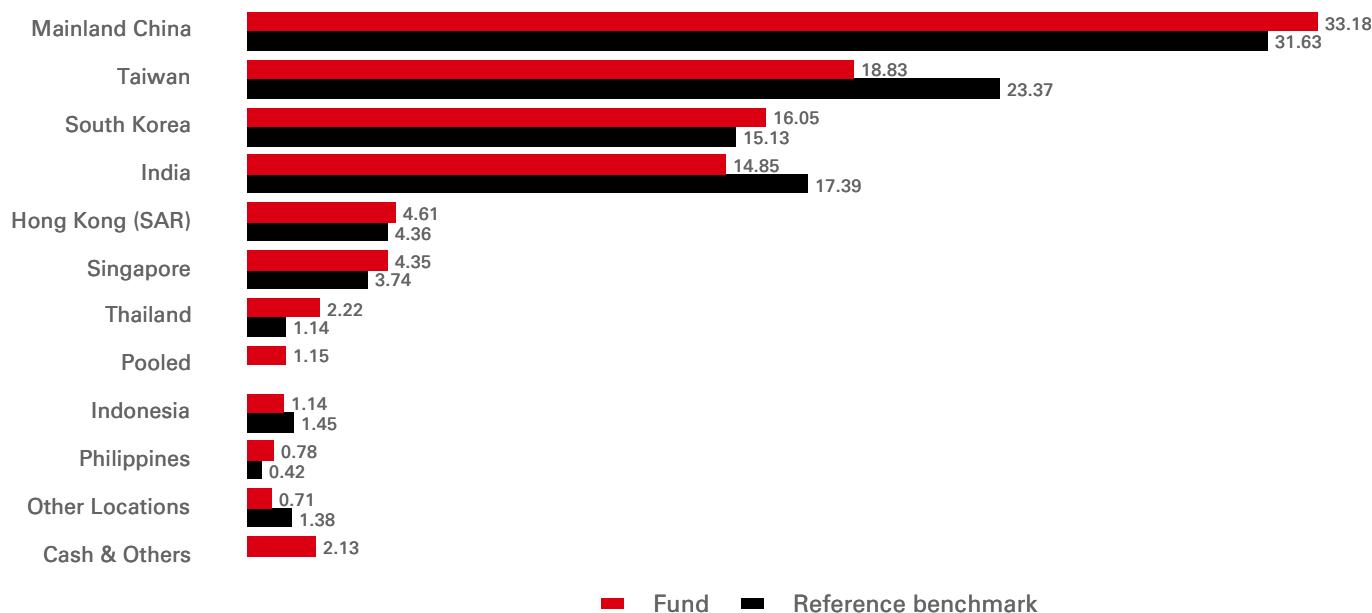
Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	10 years ann
<b>EC</b>	<b>30.45</b>	<b>3.83</b>	<b>3.38</b>	<b>16.89</b>	<b>30.45</b>	<b>13.01</b>	<b>0.03</b>	<b>6.81</b>
Reference benchmark	32.26	2.72	4.29	15.51	32.26	16.21	3.73	8.55
<b>Rolling Performance (%)</b>	<b>31/12/24-31/12/25</b>	<b>31/12/23-31/12/24</b>	<b>31/12/22-31/12/23</b>	<b>31/12/21-31/12/22</b>	<b>31/12/20-31/12/21</b>	<b>31/12/19-31/12/20</b>	<b>31/12/18-31/12/19</b>	<b>31/12/17-31/12/18</b>
<b>EC</b>	<b>30.45</b>	<b>11.07</b>	<b>-0.39</b>	<b>-27.56</b>	<b>-4.20</b>	<b>26.31</b>	<b>22.43</b>	<b>-17.07</b>
Reference benchmark	32.26	11.96	5.98	-19.67	-4.72	25.02	18.17	-14.37
<b>31/12/15-31/12/16</b>	<b>39.62</b>	<b>7.75</b>						

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	3-Year Risk Measures		EC	Reference benchmark
			Volatility	Information ratio		
No. of holdings ex cash	55	1,003			14.85%	14.03%
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	291,354	289,187			-0.84	--
			Beta		1.02	--

**Sector Allocation (%)**

MSCI ESG Score	ESG score	E	S	G
Fund	7.0	6.5	5.9	5.4
Reference benchmark	6.6	6.2	5.6	5.3

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>

**Geographical Allocation (%)**

■ Fund ■ Reference benchmark

**Top 10 Holdings**

Top 10 Holdings	Location	Sector	Weight (%)
Taiwan Semiconductor Co Ltd	Taiwan	Information Technology	9.59
Tencent Holdings Ltd	Mainland China	Communication Services	7.37
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	South Korea	Information Technology	6.90
Alibaba Group Holding Ltd	Mainland China	Consumer Discretionary	4.38
China Construction Bank Corp	Mainland China	Financials	3.77
SK hynix Inc	South Korea	Information Technology	3.62
Ping An Insurance Group Co of China Ltd	Mainland China	Financials	3.28
HDFC Bank Ltd	India	Financials	2.86
Hon Hai Precision Industry Co Ltd	Taiwan	Information Technology	2.79
AIA Group Ltd	Hong Kong (SAR)	Financials	2.59

## 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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**Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 December 2025**

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