

## **HSBC** Portfolios

# World Selection 1

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## Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of bonds and shares. The Fund seeks to apply a low risk investment strategy.

# Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed and is not constrained by a benchmark.In normal market conditions, at least 90% of the Fund's exposure is to bonds, shares and alternative investment strategies.The Fund gains exposure to bonds that are investment grade, non-investment grade and unrated issued by the government, government-related entities, supranational entities and companies based in developed markets and emerging markets. The bonds can be denominated either in US dollar (USD), other developed markets currencies hedged into USD, or in emerging markets currencies. The Fund gains exposure to shares issued by companies of any size. The Fund may invest up to 100% in other funds although this investment will normally be between 25% and 75%.The Fund can have an exposure to bonds (or other similar securities) of up to 100% of its assets. The exposure to shares (or securities similar to shares) can be up to 25% of assets.The Fund may invest up to 20% in non-investment grade and unrated bonds, and up to 25% in alternative investment strategies.The Fund's primary currency exposure is to USD.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
  generally 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
  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	USD 9.22
Performance 1 month	0.13%
Sharpe ratio 3 years	-0.29
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
Dividend treatment	Distributing
Distribution Frequency	Monthly
Dividend ex-date	30 July 2025
Dividend Yield <sup>1</sup>	4.16%
Last Paid Dividend	0.028037
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation Time	17:00 Luxembourg
Share Class Base Currence	cy USD
Domicile	Luxembourg
Inception date	1 July 2014
Fund Size	USD 252,562,328
Managers	Nicholas McLoughlin
Fees and expenses	
Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>2</sup>	1.235%
Codes	
ISIN	LU1066047207
Bloomberg ticker	HSWS1AM LX
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<sup>1</sup>Dividend Yield: represents the ratio of distributed income over the last 12 months to the fund's current Net Asset Value. <sup>2</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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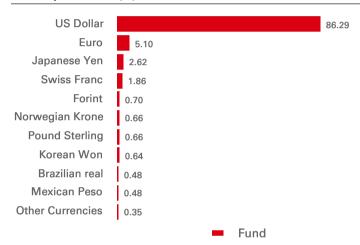
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Performance (%)	YTD	1 month 3	months	6 months	1 year	• 3	years ann	5	years ann	10 ye	ars ann
AM	4.20	0.13	2.27	2.89	5.38		3.25		0.95		2.18
Calendar year performanc	e (%)	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
AM		-1.42	4.30	6.46	-3.64	11.07	5.18	1.09	-13.26	6.45	4.13

#### Currency Allocation (%)



Weight (%)
8.69
5.64
3.73
3.61
3.00
2.87
2.82
2.56
2.49
2.25

0.04	11.07	0.10	1.00	10.20	0.40	4.10
Asset allo	ocation (%)					Fund
Global Equ	uity					10.02
Global Gov	vernment Bo	nd				35.24
Global Cor	porate Bond					20.29
Global Hig	h Yield Bond	S				0.69
Global Ass	set Backed B	onds				3.61
Emerging	Market Debt	- Hard Cur	rency			0.65
Emerging	Market Debt	- Local Cur	rrency			2.87
Global Infl	ation Linked	Bonds				5.64
Property						0.42
Style Facto	ors					3.00
Trend Follo	owing					2.49
Commodit	ies					3.32
Cash/Liqui	idity					10.61
Listed Infr	astructure					1.15

The stated cash position can include Money Market Funds/ instruments and collateralised cash used to underwrite derivatives positions. The cash position for investment purposes is lower and is managed in accordance with our active investment views.

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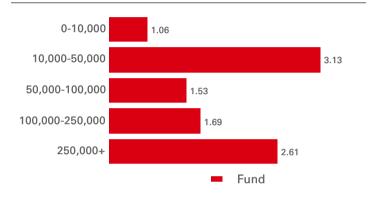
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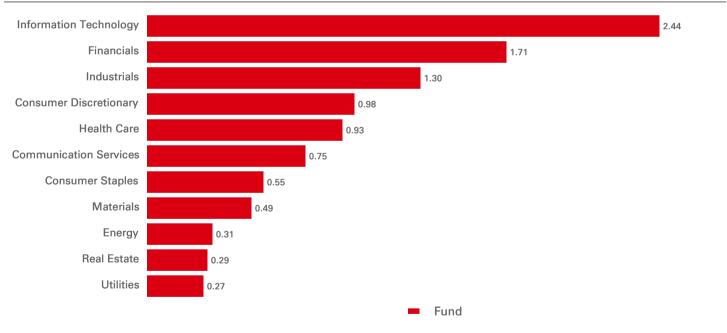
Equity top 10 holdings	Location	Sector	Weight (%)
NVIDIA Corp	United States	Information Technology	0.33
Microsoft Corp	United States	Information Technology	0.31
Apple Inc	United States	Information Technology	0.25
Alphabet Inc	United States	Communication Services	0.16
Meta Platforms Inc	United States	Communication Services	0.14
Samsung Electronics Co Ltd	South Korea	Information Technology	0.13
Amazon.com Inc	United States	Consumer Discretionary	0.13
Taiwan Semiconductor Co Ltd	Taiwan	Information Technology	0.09
Visa Inc	United States	Financials	0.09
Eli Lilly & Co	United States	Health Care	0.08

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	547,208	
Price/earning ratio	18.16	
Portfolio yield	1.89%	

Market cap allocation (USD Mil %)

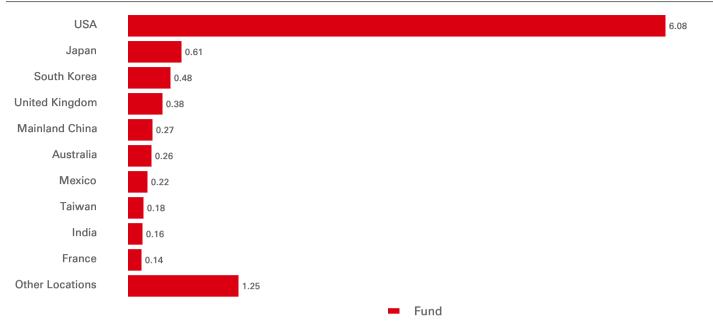


#### Equity sector allocation (%)



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#### Equity geographical allocation (%)



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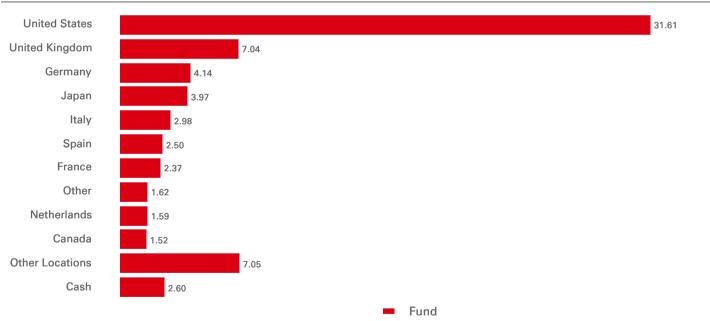
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Fixed Income Characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative	Credit
Yield to worst	4.65%			AAA
Yield to maturity	4.71%			AA
Modified duration	4.83			А
Average Credit Quality	A+/A			BBB

Reference				
Fund	benchmark	Relative		
7.88				
27.41				
12.45				
16.47				
1.71				
0.30				
0.08				
0.00				
0.01				
0.08				
2.60				
	7.88 27.41 12.45 16.47 1.71 0.30 0.08 0.00 0.01 0.08	7.88          27.41          12.45          16.47          1.71          0.30          0.08          0.01          0.08		

Fixed income top 10 holdings	Location	Instrument type	Weight (%)
US TREASURY N/B 4.500 15/04/2027 USD	United States	Treasury Note	2.56
US TREASURY N/B 4.625 15/10/2026 USD	United States	Treasury Note	2.25
US TREASURY N/B 4.125 15/11/2027 USD	United States	Treasury Note	1.33
US TREASURY N/B 4.375 15/07/2027 USD	United States	Treasury Note	1.18
JAPAN (2 YEAR ISSUE) 0.400 01/08/2026 JPY	Japan	Government Bond	0.91
BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO 2.500 31/05/2027 EUR	Spain	Government Bond	0.86
US TREASURY N/B 4.125 31/10/2027 USD	United States	Treasury Note	0.83
US TREASURY N/B 3.750 15/08/2027 USD	United States	Treasury Note	0.79
JAPAN (5 YEAR ISSUE) 0.100 20/09/2025 JPY	Japan	Government Bond	0.70
HSBC BANK PLC STN 0.000 13/11/2025 USD	United Kingdom	Structured notes	0.69

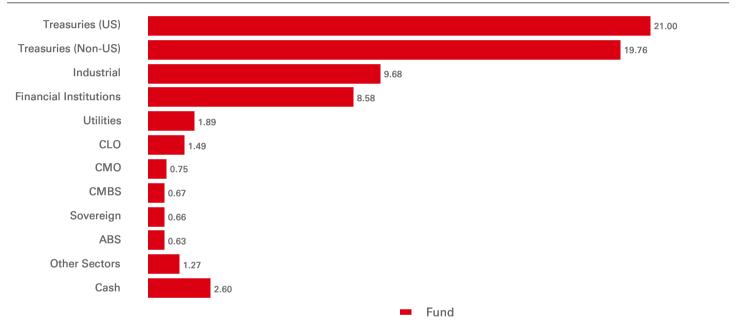
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Geographical Allocation (Option Adjusted Duration)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
United States	2.25		
United Kingdom	0.70		
Japan	0.22		
Germany	0.20		
Italy	0.19		
France	0.19		
Canada	0.17		
Spain	0.17		
Netherlands	0.14		
Australia	0.05		
Other Locations	0.42		
Cash	0.00		

#### Fixed income sector allocation (%)



	3 year total return (%)	Amount based on USD 1000 invested	3 Year Volatility (%)
HSBC Portfolios - World Selection 1 AC	3.26	1,100.94	5.19
Peer Group Average - EAA Fund USD Cautious Allocation	4.48	1,140.46	6.18
Lowest Returning Fund in Peer Group	-9.75	735.03	1.65
Highest Returning Fund in Peer Group	12.12	1,409.53	13.97
Cash	4.66	1,146.45	0.18

HSBC Portfolios offer a choice of five different risk levels, to be selected by investors depending on factors like their financial goals, time horizon and capacity for loss. Typically, the more risk investors take, the more return they would expect to see. At HSBC Asset Management, we measure risk by volatility – how sharply a Portfolio's share price moves in any given time period (up or down). The higher the volatility, the higher the risk. The table above shows the Portfolio's return (for the primary share class or hedged currency share class) per year over the last three years (known as annualised) and the level of volatility over the same period. This can be compared against other funds in the peer

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