

## HSBC Global Investment Funds

# US SHORT DURATION HIGH YIELD BOND

Marketing communication | Monthly report 31 May 2025 | Share class ZQ1HJPY



### Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of high yield securities that are related to the USA with an expected average duration of between 1 and 3 years whilst maintaining low interest rate risk.



### Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed.

The Fund will invest at least 70% of its assets in non-investment grade and unrated bonds and similar securities issued by companies which are based in, or carry out the larger part of their business in the USA.

The Fund may invest up to 10% in bonds issued by issuers that are based in emerging markets, up to 30% in investment grade bonds, up to 10% in bonds and other similar securities which have a maturity longer than five years and up to 10% in securities issued by any single government issuer with a non-investment grade rating.

Companies and/or issuers considered for inclusion within the Fund's portfolio will be subject to excluded activities in accordance with HSBC Asset Management's Responsible Investment Policies.

The Fund may invest up to 10% in convertible bonds, up to 15% in contingent convertible securities, up to 10% in asset-backed securities and mortgage-backed securities, up to 10% invested in other funds.

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 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	<b>JPY 9,768.15</b>
Yield to maturity	<b>6.20%</b>

#### Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	<b>Yes</b>
Dividend treatment	<b>Distributing</b>
Distribution Frequency	<b>Quarterly</b>
Dividend ex-date	<b>27 March 2025</b>
Dividend Yield <sup>1</sup>	<b>3.64%</b>
Last Paid Dividend	<b>160.498071</b>
Dealing frequency	<b>Daily</b>
Valuation Time	<b>17:00 Luxembourg</b>
Share Class Base Currency	<b>JPY</b>
Domicile	<b>Luxembourg</b>
Inception date	<b>11 September 2024</b>
Fund Size	<b>USD 75,436,739</b>
Managers	<b>Ricky Liu</b>

#### Fees and expenses

Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>2</sup>	<b>0.210%</b>
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#### Codes

ISIN	<b>LU1321571546</b>
Bloomberg ticker	<b>HGSZQHJ LX</b>

<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 an estimate due to a change of fee structure.

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

**This is a marketing communication. Please refer to the prospectus and to the KID before making any final investment decisions.**

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

**Performance figures will only be published once the share class has achieved a twelve months track record.**

**Reference Performance Benchmark: Not benchmarked since 03 July 2023. Before that, the benchmark was Bloomberg Global Short Duration High Yield BB-B 2% Constrained USD Hedged Index.**

**Until 03 July 2023 the name of the sub-fund is HSBC Global Investment Funds – Global Short Duration High Yield Bond.**

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

Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	Since Inception	
ZQ1HJPY	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	
Calendar year performance (%)	2020			2021		2022		2023	2024
ZQ1HJPY	--			--		--		--	--
3-Year Risk Measures	ZQ1HJPY	Reference benchmark			5-Year Risk Measures		ZQ1HJPY	Reference benchmark	
Volatility	--	--			Volatility		--	--	
Sharpe ratio	--	--			Sharpe ratio		--	--	
Fixed Income Characteristics					Fund	Reference benchmark		Relative	
No. of holdings ex cash					198	--		--	
Average coupon rate					6.26	--		--	
Yield to worst					5.64%	--		--	
Option Adjusted Duration					1.65	--		--	
Modified Duration to Worst					1.85	--		--	
Modified Duration to Maturity					2.55	--		--	
Option Adjusted Spread Duration					1.64	--		--	
Average maturity					2.08	--		--	
Average Credit Quality					BB/BB-	--		--	
Number of issuers					167	--		--	
Credit rating (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark		Relative	Sleeve Maturity Breakdown (%)		Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
BBB	1.91	--		--	USD		84.41	--	--
BB	48.94	--		--	EUR		15.56	--	--
B	44.03	--		--	Others		0.03	--	--
CCC	0.79	--		--					
Cash	4.33	--		--					

Maturity Breakdown (Option Adjusted Duration)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative	Currency Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
0-2 years	0.35	--	--	USD	99.95	--	--
2-5 years	1.26	--	--	GBP	0.05	--	--
5-10 years	0.03	--	--	EUR	0.00	--	--
Total	1.65	--	--	CHF	0.00	--	--
				JPY	0.00	--	--
				SGD	0.00	--	--

Geographical Allocation (%)



Sector Allocation (%)	Fund	Reference benchmark	Relative
Financial Institutions	17.16	--	--
Consumer Cyclical	15.05	--	--
Capital Goods	13.19	--	--
Communications	11.57	--	--
Energy	10.31	--	--
Consumer Non cyclical	8.03	--	--
Technology	7.71	--	--
Basic Industry	4.74	--	--
Utility	3.59	--	--
Transportation	2.60	--	--
Other Sectors	1.74	--	--
Cash	4.33	--	--

Top 10 Holdings	Weight (%)
UNITED WHOLESALE 5.750 15/06/27	2.24
TRANSDIGM INC 6.375 01/03/29	2.05
NCL CORP 7.750 15/02/29	1.71
VENTURE GLOBAL L 8.125 01/06/28	1.55
STANDRD INDS NY 5.000 15/02/27	1.53
HESS MIDSTREAM 5.875 01/03/28	1.45
SPRINGLEAF FIN 6.625 15/01/28	1.31
CALPINE CORP 5.125 15/03/28	1.26
CLD SFTWR GRP IN 6.500 31/03/29	1.19
CCO HOLDINGS LLC 5.500 01/05/26	1.10

## 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.
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### Glossary



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

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