

## HSBC Portfolios

# Select Cautious

Marketing communication | Monthly report 31 August 2026 | Share class ACEUR



## Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide, over a medium to long-term investment horizon, active and flexible management on a broad range of asset classes, including shares, bonds or currencies.



## Investment strategy

The investment strategy relies on a portfolio management process organized around 3 pillars:

- 1/ A medium to long term strategic allocation that relies on the Investment Adviser's convictions on the various asset classes, geographical regions, and management styles, as well as inputs from HSBC research teams in building and optimizing portfolios. This allocation is set within minimum and maximum limits that may be reached depending on certain market configurations.
- 2/ A short-term tactical asset allocation (TAA) illustrating the Investment Adviser's convictions on financial markets and eligible asset classes, based on a fundamental analysis of the global macroeconomic environment (growth, inflation, etc.); but also, on a more systematic approach aimed at taking advantage of potential market inefficiencies and opportunities (arbitrage strategies, market trend, etc.). TAA is broken down into several sub-strategies aimed at actively managing equity, interest rate, credit or currency risks. TAA is an important source of alpha over the long term, as financial markets have differentiated performances that are dependent on the economic cycle and market sentiment.

3/ A selection of investment vehicles most likely to offer the best exposure sought in the Investment Adviser's opinion. It operates on eligible financial instruments and/or UCITS and/or other Eligible UCIs sponsored/managed by HSBC, unless such funds are not eligible or suitable. The Fund may invest up to 100% of its assets in units or shares of UCITS and/or other Eligible UCIs.

The Fund will be mainly exposed through investments into UCITS and/or other Eligible UCIs (including ETFs) to: up to 25% of its assets in share markets of any size, sector, or region; up to 110% of its assets in fixed income, including Investment grade, Non-Investment grade and other similar bonds, such as government bonds, corporate bonds, inflation-linked bonds, convertible bonds and asset-backed securities denominated in any currency and issued by European and international government and corporate entities. The Fund will not have an overall exposure to more than 30% of its assets in Non-Investment grade and Emerging Markets debts and up to 20% of its assets in "diversified" and/or flexible investments, in particular in absolute return strategies within the same limit and/or in alternative investment strategies with a limit of up to 10%.

The Fund does not intend to invest directly in Bonds. The Fund may invest directly on a temporary basis up to 10% of its assets in medium/short term Investment grade bonds.

The Fund's primary currency exposure is to EURO.

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 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.
- 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.

## Share Class Details

### Key metrics

|                      |                  |
|----------------------|------------------|
| NAV per Share        | <b>EUR 75.91</b> |
| Performance 1 month  | <b>0.50%</b>     |
| Sharpe ratio 3 years | <b>0.56</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>EUR</b>                                  |
| Domicile                  | <b>Luxembourg</b>                           |
| Inception date            | <b>7 January 2009</b>                       |
| Fund Size                 | <b>EUR 77,000,161</b>                       |
| Managers                  | <b>Stephane Mesnard<br/>Laurence Jobert</b> |

### Fees and expenses

|                                    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>1</sup> | <b>1.200%</b> |
|------------------------------------|---------------|

### Codes

|                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| ISIN             | <b>LU3182346711</b> |
| Bloomberg ticker | <b>HSBSCAC LX</b>   |

<sup>1</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure is an estimate as the share class has not been priced for a full financial year.

### Risk and Reward Profile

|                         |   |   |                          |   |   |   |
|-------------------------|---|---|--------------------------|---|---|---|
| Lower Risk              |   |   | Higher Risk              |   |   |   |
| ←                       |   |   | →                        |   |   |   |
| Typically lower rewards |   |   | Typically higher rewards |   |   |   |
| 1                       | 2 | 3 | 4                        | 5 | 6 | 7 |

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

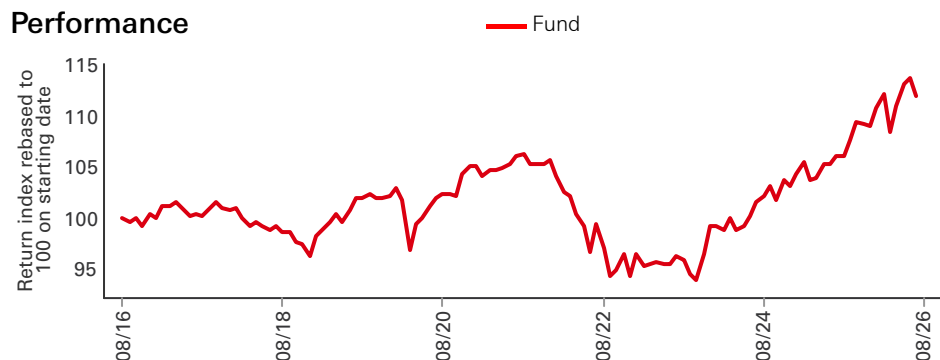
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**Prior to 07/05/2026, the Fund was named HSBC Select Moderate. Performance data shown for periods before this restructuring date is provided for illustrative purposes only and has not been adjusted to reflect the Fund's fees. Further information is available on fund centre at [www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com](http://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com).**

**Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 August 2026**

## Performance



| Performance (%) | YTD  | 1 month | 3 months | 6 months | 1 year | 3 years ann | 5 years ann | 10 years ann |
|-----------------|------|---------|----------|----------|--------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| ACEUR           | 3.27 | 0.50    | -0.43    | 0.31     | 6.05   | 5.51        | 1.17        | 1.19         |

| Calendar year performance (%) | 2016 | 2017 | 2018  | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022   | 2023 | 2024 | 2025 |
|-------------------------------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|--------|------|------|------|
| ACEUR                         | 2.27 | 0.43 | -4.43 | 6.09 | 2.96 | 0.44 | -10.73 | 5.18 | 3.95 | 5.77 |

### Currency Allocation (%)

|                    |       |
|--------------------|-------|
| Euro               | 81.72 |
| US Dollar          | 7.99  |
| Indian rupee       | 2.24  |
| Chinese Yuan       | 1.75  |
| New Zealand Dollar | 1.67  |
| Brazilian real     | 1.36  |
| Mexican Peso       | 1.08  |
| Colombian Peso     | 0.91  |
| Norwegian Krone    | 0.79  |
| Hong Kong Dollar   | 0.73  |
| Other Currencies   | -0.24 |

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### Asset allocation (%)

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Emerging Markets Equities  | 2.41   |
| Europe Equities            | 6.56   |
| Japan Equities             | 0.48   |
| North America Equities     | 8.18   |
| Thematics Equities         | 1.43   |
| Corporates                 | 25.17  |
| EM Bonds                   | 4.68   |
| Govies                     | 41.50  |
| Gvt Inflation linked Bonds | 5.23   |
| High Yield Bonds           | 5.03   |
| Absolute Perf Funds        | 2.87   |
| Alternatives               | 1.56   |
| Money Market Funds         | 3.06   |
| Commodities                | 1.32   |
| Cash                       | 3.56   |
| Offset                     | -13.16 |
| Volatility                 | 0.13   |

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.

### Top 10 Holdings

| Top 10 Holdings                                                       | Weight (%) |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------|
| HSBC Global Investment Funds - Euro Credit Bond                       | 18.29      |
| HSBC Investments HSBC Euro Gvt Bond Fund                              | 10.43      |
| iShares Core EUR Govt Bond UCITS ETF                                  | 8.75       |
| HSBC Global Funds ICAV - Global Government Bond UCITS ETF/Mutual Fund | 7.62       |
| HSBC Global Investment Funds-Global Corporate Bond                    | 4.27       |
| HSBC Global Investment Funds - Euro High Yield Bond                   | 4.23       |
| Amundi Euro Government Inflation-Linked Bond UCITS ETF                | 3.11       |
| HSBC Global Investment Funds - Global Emerging Markets ESG local debt | 2.98       |
| HSBC Global Investment Funds - Multi-Asset Style Factors              | 2.87       |
| HSBC S&P 500 UCITS ETF                                                | 2.75       |

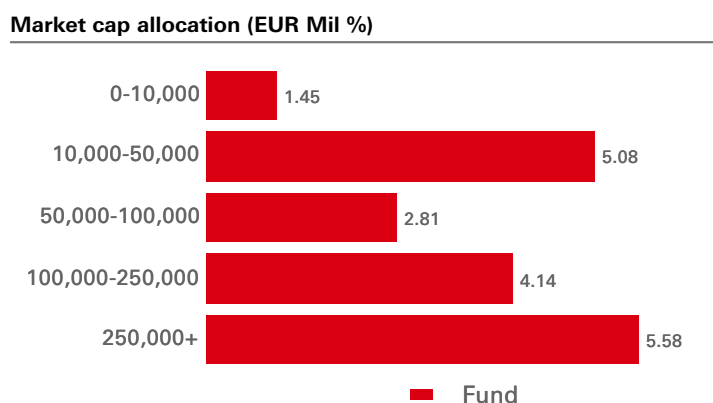
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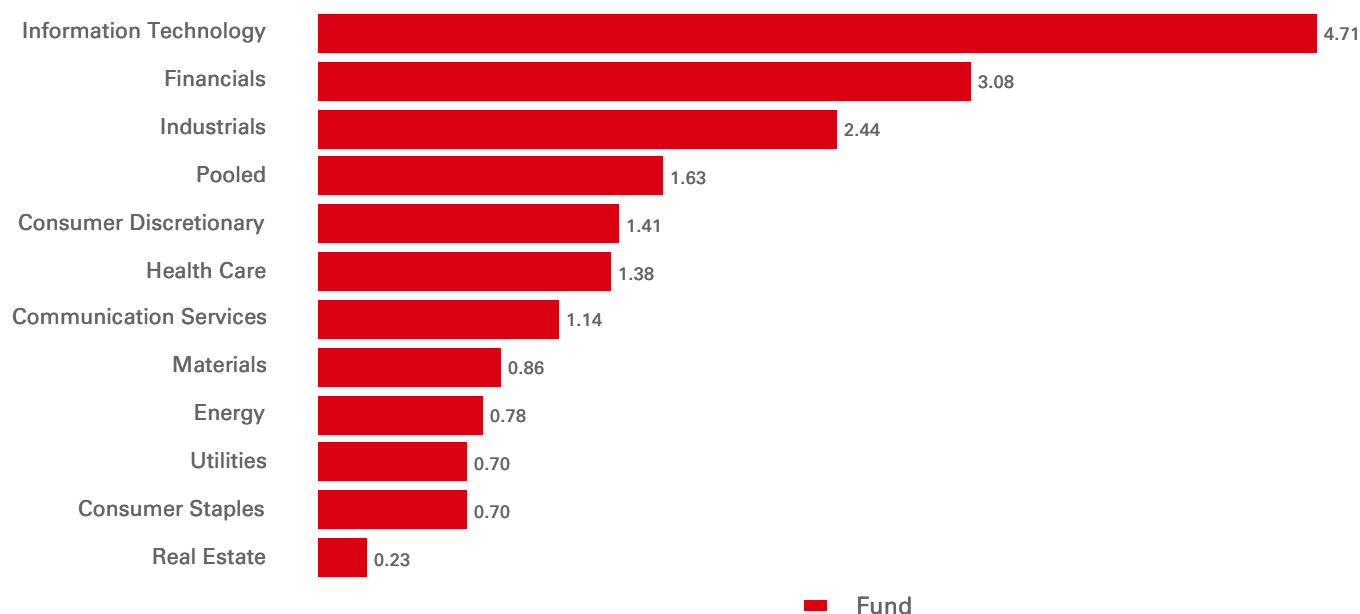
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| Equity top 10 holdings      | Location      | Sector                 | Weight (%) |
|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------|------------|
| NVIDIA Corp                 | United States | Information Technology | 0.51       |
| Apple Inc                   | United States | Information Technology | 0.43       |
| ASML Holding NV             | Netherlands   | Information Technology | 0.43       |
| Microsoft Corp              | United States | Information Technology | 0.36       |
| Alphabet Inc                | United States | Communication Services | 0.34       |
| Taiwan Semiconductor Co Ltd | Taiwan        | Information Technology | 0.25       |
| Amazon.com Inc              | United States | Consumer Discretionary | 0.24       |
| Micron Technology Inc       | United States | Information Technology | 0.22       |
| Siemens AG                  | Germany       | Industrials            | 0.19       |
| Broadcom Inc                | United States | Information Technology | 0.19       |

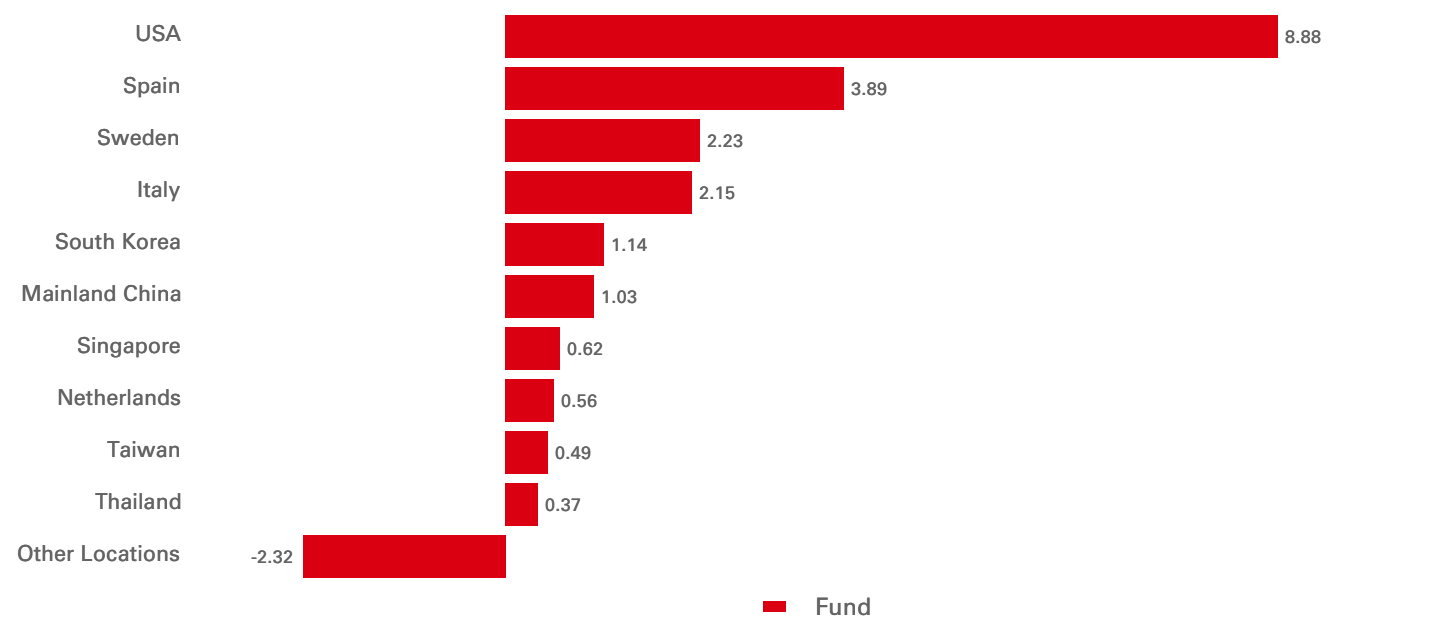
| Equity characteristics       | Fund    | Reference benchmark |
|------------------------------|---------|---------------------|
| Average Market Cap (EUR Mil) | 549,658 | --                  |
| Price/earning ratio          | 19.51   | --                  |
| Portfolio yield              | 1.86%   | --                  |



#### Equity sector allocation (%)



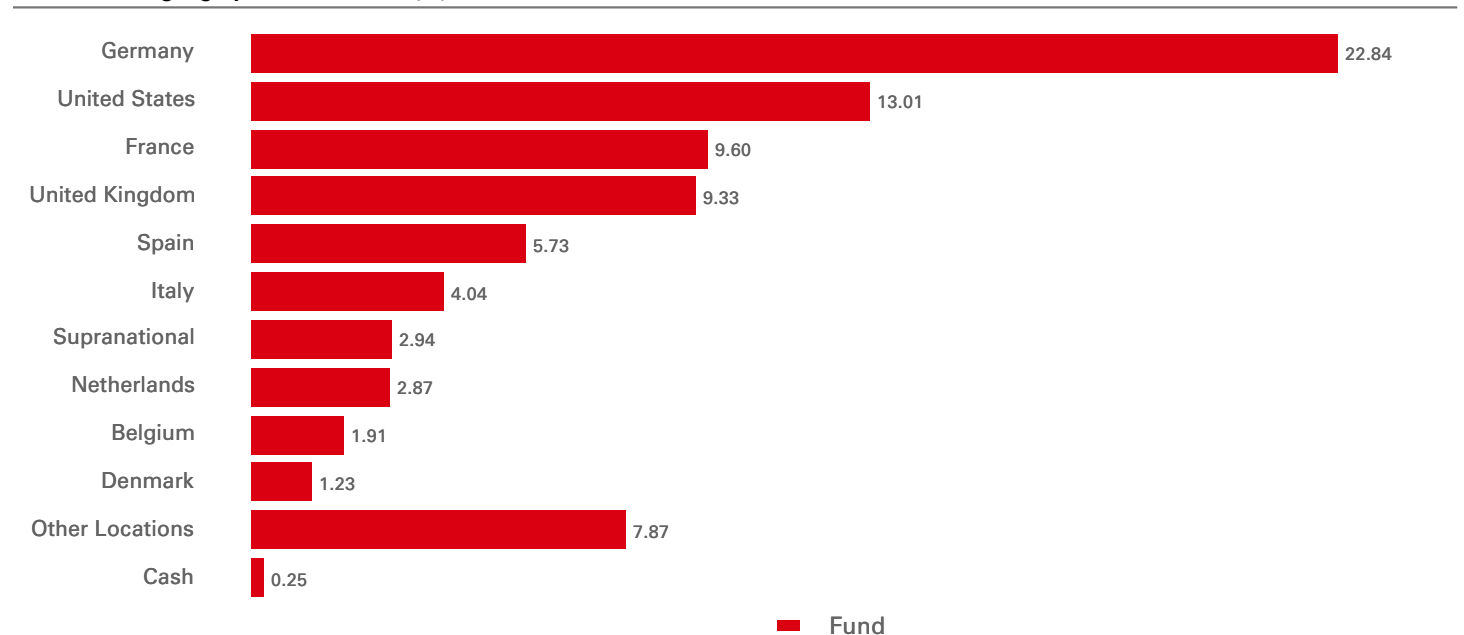
Equity geographical allocation (%)



| Fixed Income Characteristics | Fund  | Reference benchmark | Relative | Credit rating (%) | Fund  | Reference benchmark | Relative |
|------------------------------|-------|---------------------|----------|-------------------|-------|---------------------|----------|
| Yield to worst               | 4.20% | --                  | --       | AAA               | 20.78 | --                  | --       |
| Yield to maturity            | 4.32% | --                  | --       | AA                | 9.76  | --                  | --       |
| Modified duration            | 5.06  | --                  | --       | A                 | 21.58 | --                  | --       |
| Average Credit Quality       | A+/A  | --                  | --       | BBB               | 22.58 | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | BB                | 5.54  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | B                 | 0.88  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | CCC               | 0.10  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | C                 | 0.00  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | D                 | 0.01  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | NR                | 0.14  | --                  | --       |
|                              |       |                     |          | Cash              | 0.24  | --                  | --       |

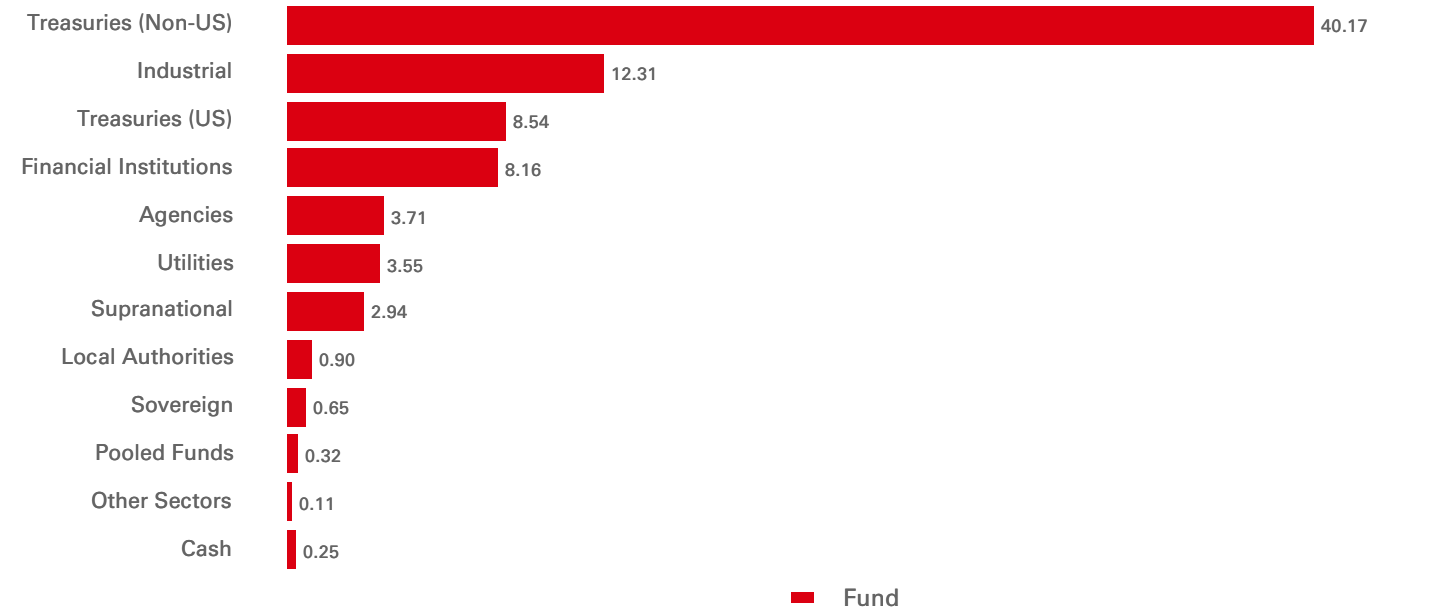
| Fixed income top 10 holdings                  | Location      | Instrument type | Weight (%) |
|-----------------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------|
| FRENCH DISCOUNT T-BILL 0.000 02/09/2026 EUR   | France        | Treasury Bill   | 1.18       |
| EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK 3.000 14/10/2033 EUR | Supranational | Government Bond | 0.66       |
| EUROPEAN INVESTMENT BANK 2.500 14/05/2032 EUR | Supranational | Government Bond | 0.53       |
| BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO 1.400 30/04/2028 EUR | Spain         | Government Bond | 0.50       |
| FRENCH DISCOUNT T-BILL 0.000 16/09/2026 EUR   | France        | Treasury Bill   | 0.42       |
| FRANCE (GOVT OF) 0.750 25/05/2028 EUR         | France        | Government Bond | 0.35       |
| BUNDESobligation 1.300 15/10/2027 EUR         | Germany       | Government Bond | 0.34       |
| MERCK KGAA 3.750 24/11/2055 EUR               | Germany       | Corporate Bond  | 0.33       |
| FRANCE (GOVT OF) 2.750 25/02/2029 EUR         | France        | Government Bond | 0.31       |
| BONOS Y OBLIG DEL ESTADO 2.700 31/01/2030 EUR | Spain         | Government Bond | 0.30       |

#### Fixed income geographical allocation (%)



| Geographical Allocation (Option Adjusted Duration) | Fund | Reference benchmark | Relative |
|----------------------------------------------------|------|---------------------|----------|
| France                                             | 0.77 | --                  | --       |
| United States                                      | 0.63 | --                  | --       |
| Germany                                            | 0.55 | --                  | --       |
| Italy                                              | 0.52 | --                  | --       |
| Spain                                              | 0.41 | --                  | --       |
| United Kingdom                                     | 0.29 | --                  | --       |
| Netherlands                                        | 0.17 | --                  | --       |
| Supranational                                      | 0.16 | --                  | --       |
| Belgium                                            | 0.14 | --                  | --       |
| Japan                                              | 0.10 | --                  | --       |
| Other Locations                                    | 0.90 | --                  | --       |
| Cash                                               | 0.00 | --                  | --       |

Fixed income sector allocation (%)



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## Risk Disclosure

- 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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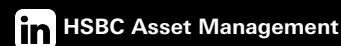
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