Key Investor Information

This document provides you with key investor information about this Fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this Fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

HSBC Global Asset Management

Monthly Income Fund

a sub-fund of HSBC Investment Funds, (the "OEIC");
managed by HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited

Class: Retail Accumulation
ISIN: GB0000160639

Explanations of terms shown within the objectives and policy in bold, can be found within the glossary on our website: http://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com.

Objectives and Investment Policy

- The Fund aims to provide a monthly **income** together with **growth** in the long term, which is a period of five years or more.
- To achieve its objective the Fund will invest a minimum of 80% in a combination of shares (**equities**) of UK companies and **bonds** issued by UK companies. UK companies are those that are based in the UK or earn at least 80% of their revenue from the UK.
- The Fund may invest up to 20% of its value in other assets, such as shares and **bonds** of non-UK companies and cash.
- The Fund may invest up to 10% of its value in other funds, which may be managed by the **HSBC Group**.
- Under normal market conditions, the **asset allocation** of the Fund is 70% in shares of companies and 30% in **bonds**. These percentages will fluctuate based upon market movement.

Use of Benchmarks

- The Fund is **actively managed** and is managed with reference to the FTSE All-Share Index and Markit iBoxx GBP Corporates Index.
- The FTSE All-Share Index and Markit iBoxx GBP Corporates Index are considered as part of our investment risk monitoring process, to check that the overall level of risk taken by the fund manager is not inconsistent with the UK equities market and sterling corporate bond market.
- The performance of the Fund is therefore shown against the performance of a combined benchmark consisting of a weighting of 70% FTSE All-Share Index and 30% Markit iBoxx GBP Corporates Index. The **income** of the Fund is compared to the income of the FTSE All-Share Index over three-year periods.

Use of Derivatives

- The Fund may invest in different types of **derivatives** for **efficient portfolio management** purposes, including **hedging**. On giving 60 days' notice to Shareholders the Fund may also use **derivatives** for broader investment purposes to help the Fund meet its objective. The Fund does not currently use **derivatives** to reduce the risk of movements in the rate of exchange between sterling and other currencies in which the Fund's assets may be held. The use of **derivatives** will be consistent with the risk profile of the Fund.
- Income is reinvested.
- You may sell your investment on any business day by contacting the administrator before the dealing deadline at 12pm.
- Recommendation: this Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within a period of 5 years.

Risk and Reward Profile

Lower risk ← → Higher risk

Typically lower rewards — Typically higher rewards

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The risk and reward indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.

The risk and reward category shown is not guaranteed to remain unchanged and may shift over time. The lowest category does not mean a risk-free investment.

Why is this Fund in this specific category?

This Fund is classified in category 5 because its price or simulated data has shown medium to high fluctuations historically.

Material risks not fully captured by the Risk and Reward Indicator:

- **Counterparty Risk** The possibility that the counterparty to a transaction may be unwilling or unable to meet its obligations.
- **Credit Risk** A bond or money market security could lose value if the issuer's financial health deteriorates.
- **Exchange Rate Risk** Changes in currency exchange rates could reduce or increase investment gains or investment losses, in some cases significantly.
- **Interest Rate Risk** When interest rates rise, bond values generally fall. This risk of this happening is generally greater the longer the maturity of a bond investment and the higher its credit quality.
- **Liquidity Risk** Liquidity is a measure of how easily the Fund's holdings can be quickly converted to cash. The value of the Fund's holdings may be significantly impacted by liquidity risk during adverse market conditions.
- **Operational Risk** Operational errors may affect transactions, valuation, accounting, financial reporting and other processes relating to the Fund.

Charges

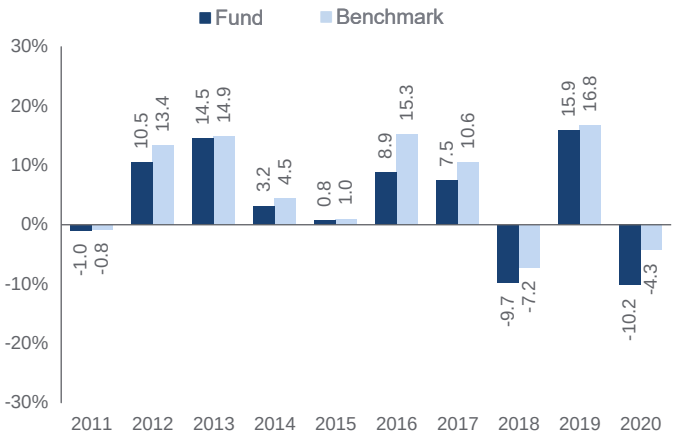
The charges you pay are used to pay the running costs of the Fund, including the marketing and distribution costs. These charges reduce the potential growth of the investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	0.00%
Exit charge	0.00%
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.	
Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charge	1.34%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

- The entry and exit charges shown are the maximum that may be charged. In some cases you may pay less. You can obtain the actual charges from your financial adviser.
- A conversion charge may be payable.
- The ongoing charges figure shown here is an estimate of the charges. The ongoing charges figure shown is an estimate due to a material change in the fee structure. The Fund's annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

Further information on Charges can be found in the “Fees and Expenses” section of the Fund’s Prospectus.

Past Performance



- Past performance is not a guide to future performance; the value of your investment and any income from it can go down as well as up.
- Performance returns are based on the net asset value with distributable income reinvested. Past performance takes account of all ongoing charges but not entry, exit or conversion charges.
- The past performance of this share class is calculated in GBP.
- The performance of the Fund is shown against the performance of the 70% FTSE All Share Index|30% Markit iBoxx GBP Corporates Index.
- The Fund was launched on 05 January 1994.

Practical Information

Depositary
State Street Trustees Limited.

Further information
Further information about the OEIC including the latest Prospectus, latest published prices of shares, annual report and half yearly report may be obtained free of charge, in English, from the Administrator, HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited, PO Box 3733, Royal Wootton Bassett, Swindon SN4 4BG or by visiting www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com. The most recent Prospectus is available in English. This document describes a single share class of the OEIC. The Prospectus, annual and half yearly reports are prepared for the entire OEIC.

Share classes
Other share classes are available, as detailed in the Prospectus. It is possible to convert your shares into a different share class or switch your shares into a different Fund within the OEIC. Details of how to do this are in the Prospectus (please note an initial charge may apply).

Remuneration Policy
The Remuneration Policy of the Authorised Corporate Director, which describes the remuneration practices and governance arrangements for UCITS and AIFMD Authorised entities, is available at www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com (please select “About Us” then “Our Governance” then “Remuneration Practices and Governance Arrangements for UCITS and AIFMD Authorised Entities”) or on request free of charge from the Administrator.

Tax
UK tax legislation may have an impact on your personal position.

Management Company
HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited, the Authorised Corporate Director, may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Prospectus for the OEIC.

Segregated liability
The OEIC is an umbrella investment company with segregated liability between Funds.This means that the holdings of one Fund are kept separate from the holdings of the other Funds and your investment in the Fund cannot be used to pay the liabilities of any other Fund.

The Fund is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

This key investor information is accurate as at 12 February 2021.