

## HSBC ETFs PLC

# HSBC JAPAN SUSTAINABLE EQUITY UCITS ETF

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## Investment objective

The Fund aims to track as closely as possible the returns of the FTSE Japan ESG Low Carbon Select Index (the Index). The Fund will invest in or gain exposure to shares of companies which make up the Index.



## Investment strategy

The Index seeks to achieve a reduction in carbon emissions and fossil fuel reserves exposure, improvement of the FTSE Russell ESG rating and also applies the United Nations Global Compact exclusionary criteria. The Fund will be passively managed and will aim to invest in the shares of the companies in generally the same proportion as in the Index. However, there may be circumstances when it is not possible or practical for the Fund to invest in all constituents of the Index. The Fund can gain exposure by using other investments such as depositary receipts, derivatives or funds. The Fund may invest up to 35% in securities from a single issuer during exceptional market conditions. The Fund may invest up to 10% in total return swaps and up to 10% in funds. 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.
- To the extent that the Fund seeks to replicate index performance by holding individual securities, there is no guarantee that its composition or performance will exactly match that of the target index at any given time ("tracking error").

### Fund facts

Fund manager	HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited
Custodian	HSBC Continental Europe
Fund administrator	HSBC Securities Services (Ireland) DAC

## Share class details

### Key metrics

NAV per share	<b>USD 18.14</b>
Performance 1 month	<b>-0.45%</b>
Tracking error 3 years	<b>0.07%</b>

### Fund facts

UCITS V compliant	<b>Yes</b>
Dividend treatment	<b>Accumulating</b>
Dividend currency	<b>USD</b>
Fund base currency	<b>USD</b>
Currency Hedged	<b>Not Hedged</b>
Share class base currency	<b>USD</b>
Domicile	<b>Ireland</b>
Inception date	<b>June 4 2020</b>
Shares outstanding	<b>12,847,689</b>
Fund size	<b>USD 247,989,409</b>
Reference benchmark	<b>100% FTSE Japan ESG Low Carbon Select Index</b>
Replication method	<b>Physical- Full</b>
SIPP eligible	<b>Yes</b>
Issuer	<b>HSBC ETFs PLC</b>
Fiscal year end	<b>Dec</b>

### Fees and expenses

Ongoing charge figure <sup>1</sup>	<b>0.180%</b>
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### Codes

ISIN	<b>IE00BKY55S33</b>
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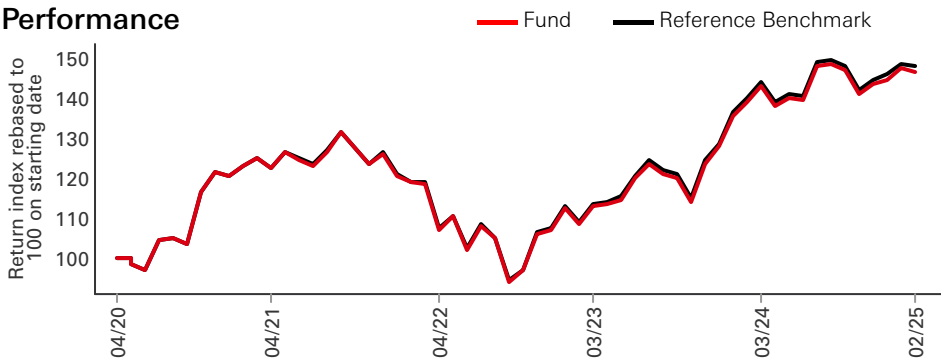
<sup>1</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure is based on expenses over a year. The figure includes annual management charge but not the transaction costs. Such figures may vary from time to time.

Past performance does not predict future returns. The figures are calculated in the share class base currency, dividend reinvested, net of fees.

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Performance



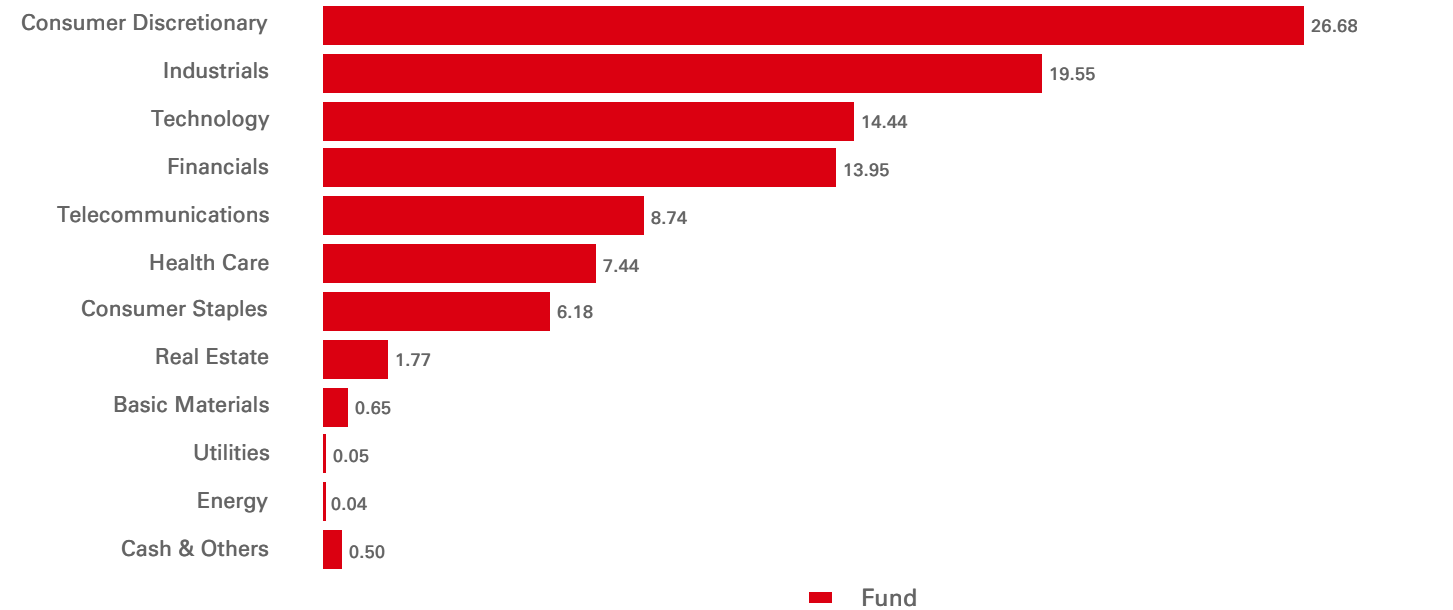
Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	Since inception ann
Fund	1.33	-0.45	2.28	-1.25	5.51	7.24	--	8.39
Reference Benchmark	1.37	-0.43	2.34	-1.14	5.71	7.44	--	8.59
Tracking difference	-0.04	-0.02	-0.06	-0.10	-0.20	-0.20	--	-0.20
Tracking error	--	--	--	--	0.07	0.07	--	0.08

Rolling performance (%)	02/29/24-02/28/25	02/28/23-02/29/24	02/28/22-02/28/23	02/28/21-02/28/22	02/29/20-02/28/21
Fund	5.51	27.90	-8.60	-3.44	--
Reference Benchmark	5.71	28.16	-8.45	-3.25	--

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference Benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	226	227
Average market cap (USD Mil)	80,041	80,033
Price/earning ratio	12.60	12.61

Benchmark information	
Index name	100% FTSE Japan ESG Low Carbon Select Index
Index currency	USD
Index Rebalancing Frequency	Annually
TR Index Bloomberg Ticker	ELCJPNN
TR Index Reuters RIC	.TFTELCJPNNU

Sector allocation (%)



Top 10 holdings	Sector	Weight (%)
Toyota Motor Corp	Consumer Discretionary	9.66
Sony Group Corp	Consumer Discretionary	8.40
Mizuho Financial Group Inc	Financials	6.26
KDDI Corp	Telecommunications	4.84
NEC Corp	Technology	4.44
ITOCHU Corp	Industrials	4.38
SoftBank Group Corp	Telecommunications	3.83
Bridgestone Corp	Consumer Discretionary	3.20
Renesas Electronics Corp	Technology	2.97
Seven & i Holdings Co Ltd	Consumer Staples	2.89

Exchange name	Listing date	Trading currency	Trading hours	Bloomberg ticker	Reuters	RIC	iNAV Bloomberg	iNAV Reuters
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	Jun 05 2020	USD	08:00 - 16:30	HSJD LN	HSJD.L	HSJUSDIV	HSJDUSDINAV =SOLA	
LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE	Jun 05 2020	GBP	08:00 - 16:30	HSJP LN	HSJP.L	HSJPGBIV	HSJPGBPINAV =SOLA	
NYSE EURONEXT - EURONEXT PARIS	Jun 29 2020	EUR	09:00 - 17:30	HSJD FP	HSJP.PA	HSJEURIV	HSJDEURINAV =SOLA	
BORSA ITALIANA SPA	Jul 06 2020	EUR	09:00 - 17:35	HSJD IM	HSJD. MI	HSJEURIV	HSJDEURINAV =SOLA	
DEUTSCHE BOERSE AG-XETRA	Jul 15 2020	EUR	09:00 - 17:30	XU8Z GY	XU8Z.DE	HSJEURIV	HSJDEURINAV =SOLA	
SIX SWISS EXCHANGE	Sep 02 2020	USD	09:00 - 17:30	HSJD SW	HSJD.S	HSJUSDIV	HSJDUSDINAV =SOLA	
BOLSA INSTITUCIONAL DE VALORES	Sep 22 2020	MXN	--	HSJDN MM	HSJD.BIV	--	--	

Sustainability indicators	Fund	Broad market index
Carbon emissions intensity*	40.31	78.32
Fossil fuel reserves intensity**	217.57	413.56

\*Carbon Intensity measures the quantity of carbon emission of a company (tonnes CO<sup>2</sup>e/USD million)  
Source of analytics: Trucost  
\*\*Fossil Fuel Reserves Intensity describes the quantities of greenhouse gas emissions that could be generated if the proven and probable fossil fuel reserves owned by companies were realised and burned. (tonnes CO<sup>2</sup>e/USD million Market Cap)

FTSE ESG Score	ESG score	E	S	G
Fund	4.5	4.3	4.6	4.5
Broad market index	3.7	3.6	3.8	3.9

Provides a measure of a company's exposure to, and management of, ESG issues in multiple dimensions. The ESG Ratings are comprised of an overall Rating that breaks down into underlying Pillar and Thematic Exposures and Scores. A higher number indicates a more favourable ESG profile in the view of FTSE.

Risk disclosures

- 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.
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