

HSBC Global Investment Funds

TURKEY EQUITY

Monthly report 31 March 2024 | Share class AC



Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long term capital growth and income by investing in a portfolio of Turkish shares.



Investment strategy

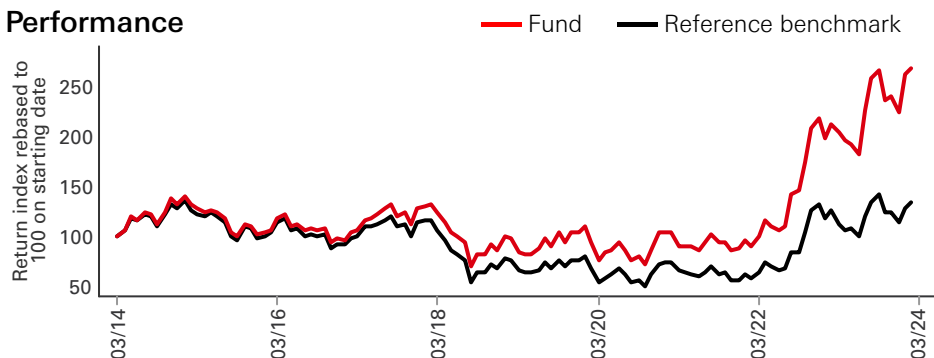
The Fund is actively managed. In normal market conditions, the Fund will primarily invest in shares (or securities similar to shares) of companies of any size, that are based in, or carry out most of their business in Turkey. The Fund may invest up to 10% of its assets in other funds, including HSBC 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.
- 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.

Performance



Share Class Details

Key metrics

NAV per Share **EUR 51.73**

Performance 1 month **-3.85%**

Volatility 3 years **34.00%**

Fund facts

UCITS V compliant **Yes**

Subscription mode **Cash / SRS
(Supplementary Retirement Scheme)**

Dividend treatment **Accumulating**

Dealing frequency **Daily**

Valuation Time **17:00 Luxembourg**

Share Class Base Currency **EUR**

Domicile **Luxembourg**

Inception date **29 March 2005**

Fund Size **EUR 95,215,824**

Reference benchmark **100% BIST 100**

Managers **Murat Ignebekcili**

Fees and expenses

Minimum initial investment (SG)¹ **EUR 1,000**

Maximum initial charge (SG) **5.000%**

Management fee **1.750%**

Codes

ISIN **LU0213961682**

Bloomberg ticker **HSHTRKC LX**

¹Please note that initial minimum subscription may vary across different distributors

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Reference Performance Benchmark: BIST100 since 1 Jan 2020. Prior to that the benchmark was MSCI Turkey 10/40 Net from 31 Dec 2014 to 31 Dec 2019. Prior to that the benchmark was MSCI Turkey Gross.

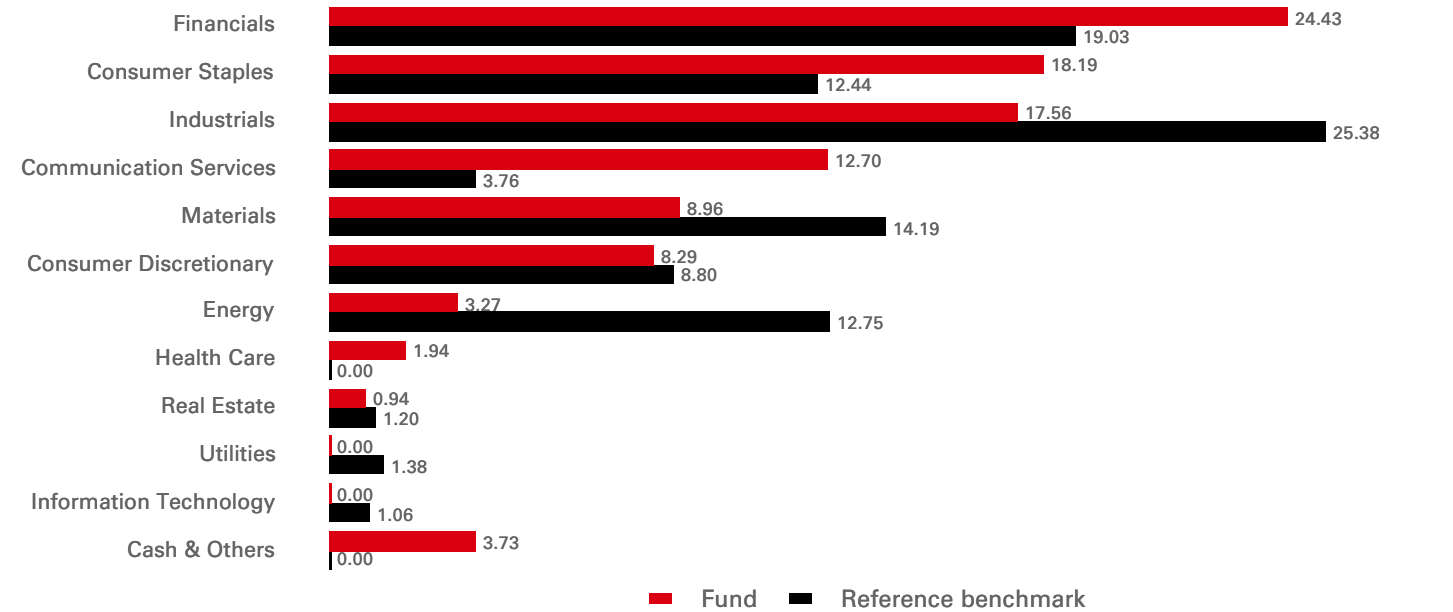
Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 March 2024

Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann
AC	15.37	-3.85	15.37	-3.13	26.31	41.84	25.08
AC (Net)*	9.87	-8.43	9.87	-7.74	20.29	39.55	23.86
Reference benchmark	13.73	-4.32	13.73	-9.12	14.59	25.28	14.29

Calendar year performance (%)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
AC	20.31	-1.31	-15.38	147.91	2.79
AC (Net)*	14.58	-6.01	-19.41	136.10	-2.11
Reference benchmark	12.23	-3.88	-21.69	131.68	-14.72

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	3-Year Risk Measures	AC	Reference benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	35	100	Volatility	34.00%	34.69%
Average Market Cap (EUR Mil)	5,518	145,331	Information ratio	2.03	--
			Beta	0.95	--

Sector Allocation (%)



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Top 10 Holdings	Sector	Weight (%)
MIGROS TICARET A.S	Consumer Staples	8.96
TURKCELL ILETISIM HIZMET AS	Communication Services	8.89
TURK HAVA YOLLARI AO	Industrials	8.31
TURKIYE SIGORTA AS	Financials	5.16
YAPI VE KREDI BANKASI	Financials	4.88
BIM BIRLESIK MAGAZALAR AS	Consumer Staples	4.66
AKBANK T.A.S.	Financials	4.48
TURKIYE IS BANKASI-C	Financials	3.82
TURK TELEKOMUNIKASYON AS	Communication Services	3.81
KOC HOLDING AS	Industrials	3.65

Top 10 holdings exclude holdings in cash and cash equivalents and money market funds.

Monthly performance commentary

In March, HSBC GIF Turkey Equity was down, underperforming its benchmark BIST-100 Net Total Return.

MSCI Turkey Index was up 0.4% in EUR terms, underperforming MSCI EM Index which was up 2.2%. The Lira lost 3.5% against the basket (0.5 EUR + 0.5 USD). We saw short end bond yields up by 2pp to 45%, while long-end came rose by 1pp to 28%.

Financials and Energy outperformed while Materials and Consumer Staples lagged.

Among Overweight positions: Yapi Kredi (+33bps) and Garanti (+18bps) contributed, Migros (-111bps) Petkim (-21bps) dragged.

Among Underweight positions: Sisecam (+29bps) Astor (+21bps) contributed, Tupras (-42bps) Ege Endustri (-29bps) dragged.

Outlook

In March, Turkish equities went into range bound trading as weak 4Q23 financial results weighed on the stock prices. Moreover, with local elections at the end of the month, investors were reluctant to take risk particularly given high time deposit rates. Meanwhile, orthodox policy of the Central Bank is closely watched by the market and increasing foreign interest could be a positive catalyst in first months of 2024. Application of inflation accounting in financial reports beginning with 4Q23 financials could be a source of volatility as reported figures will substantially change for some companies. We remain invested in companies with strong earnings outlook, cash generation ability and financial visibility.

Risk Disclosure

- The Fund may be concentrated in a limited number of securities, economic sectors and/or countries and as a result, may be more volatile and have a greater risk of loss than more broadly diversified funds.
- 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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AC SGD	15.40	-3.69	15.40	-2.29	27.45	38.10	24.02
AC SGD (Net)*	9.91	-8.27	9.91	-6.95	21.38	35.87	22.82
AC USD	12.79	-4.04	12.79	-1.19	25.56	37.90	24.11
AC USD (Net)*	7.42	-8.61	7.42	-5.89	19.58	35.67	22.90
AD EUR	15.37	-3.85	15.37	-3.13	26.34	41.84	25.08
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AD SGD (Net)*	9.90	-8.27	9.90	-6.95	21.41	35.88	22.82
AD USD	12.79	-4.04	12.79	-1.19	25.59	37.90	24.11
AD USD (Net)*	7.42	-8.61	7.42	-5.89	19.61	35.68	22.91

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AC SGD (Net)*	11.00	0.69	-23.60	120.44	-0.35
AC USD	18.14	7.57	-21.35	132.66	6.39
AC USD (Net)*	12.51	2.45	-25.10	121.58	1.32
AD EUR	20.30	-1.32	-15.37	147.87	2.81
AD EUR (Net)*	14.57	-6.02	-19.40	136.06	-2.08
AD SGD	16.54	5.72	-19.76	131.42	4.66
AD SGD (Net)*	10.99	0.69	-23.59	120.40	-0.32
AD USD	18.13	7.56	-21.34	132.62	6.42
AD USD (Net)*	12.50	2.44	-25.09	121.54	1.35

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Share class	Share Class Base Currency	Distribution Frequency	Dividend ex-date	Last Paid Dividend	Annualised Yield based on ex-dividend date
AC	EUR	--	--	--	--
AD	EUR	Annually	31 May 2023	0.269188	1.02%

Share class	Inception date	ISIN	Share Class Base Currency	Minimum Initial Investment	NAV per Share	Management fee	Distribution type
AC	29 March 2005	LU0213961682	EUR	USD 5,000	51.73	1.750%	Accumulating
AD	19 April 2005	LU0213961765	EUR	USD 5,000	35.44	1.750%	Distributing

Different classes may have different performances, dividend yields and expense ratios. For hedged classes, the effects of hedging will be reflected in the net asset values of such classes. Expenses arising from hedging transactions may be significant and will be borne by the relevant hedged classes. Hedged class performs the required hedging on a best efforts basis.

The above table cites the last dividend paid within the last 12 months only.
Dividend is not guaranteed and may be paid out of capital, which will result in capital erosion and reduction in net asset value. A positive distribution yield does not imply a positive return. Past distribution yields and payments do not represent future distribution yields and payments. Historical payments may comprise of distributed income, capital, or both.
The calculation method of annualised yield prior to August 2019 is the simple yield calculation: (dividend amount / NAV per share or units as of ex-dividend date) x n; The calculation method of annualised yield from August 2019 is the compound yield calculation: ((1 + (dividend amount / ex-dividend NAV))^n)-1, n depends on the distributing frequency. Annually distribution is 1; semi-annually distribution is 2; quarterly distribution is 4; monthly distribution is 12. The annualised dividend yield is calculated based on the dividend distribution on the relevant date with dividend reinvested, and may be higher or lower than the actual annual dividend yield.
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