

HSBC Global Investment Funds

INDIAN EQUITY

Monthly report 31 March 2024 | Share class AD



Investment objective

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



Investment strategy

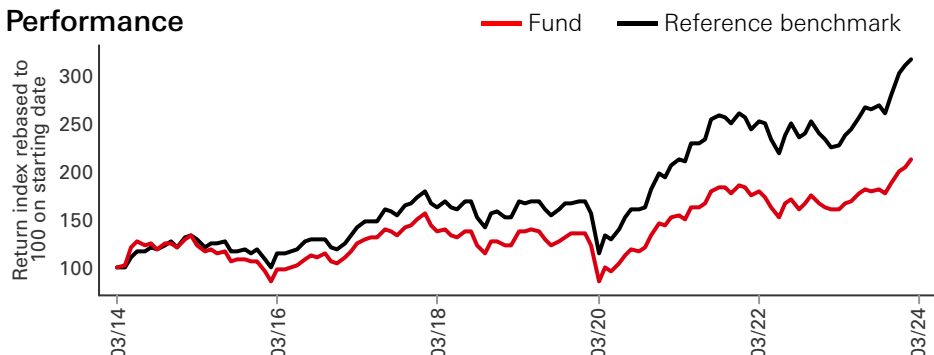
The Fund is actively managed. In normal market conditions, the Fund will invest at least 90% of its assets in shares (or securities similar to shares) of companies of any size, that are based in, or carry out most of their business in India. The Fund may invest up to 30% in a combination of participation notes and convertible securities. The Fund will not invest more than 10% in Real Estate Investment Trusts, may invest in bank deposits, money market instruments for treasury purposes and up to 10% in other 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 **USD 295.04**

Performance 1 month **0.81%**

Volatility 3 years **14.37%**

Fund facts

UCITS V compliant **Yes**

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

Dividend treatment **Distributing**

Distribution Frequency **Annually**

Dividend ex-date **31 May 2023**

Dividend annualised yield **0.00%**

Last Paid Dividend **0.000000**

Dealing frequency **Daily**

Valuation Time **17:00 Luxembourg**

Share Class Base Currency **USD**

Domicile **Luxembourg**

Inception date **29 February 1996**

Fund Size **USD 1,413,083,015**

Reference benchmark **100% S&P / IFCI India
Gross**

Managers **Sanjiv Duggal
Nilang Mehta**

Fees and expenses

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

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

Management fee **1.500%**

Codes

ISIN **LU0066902890**

Bloomberg ticker **HSBCINI LX**

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

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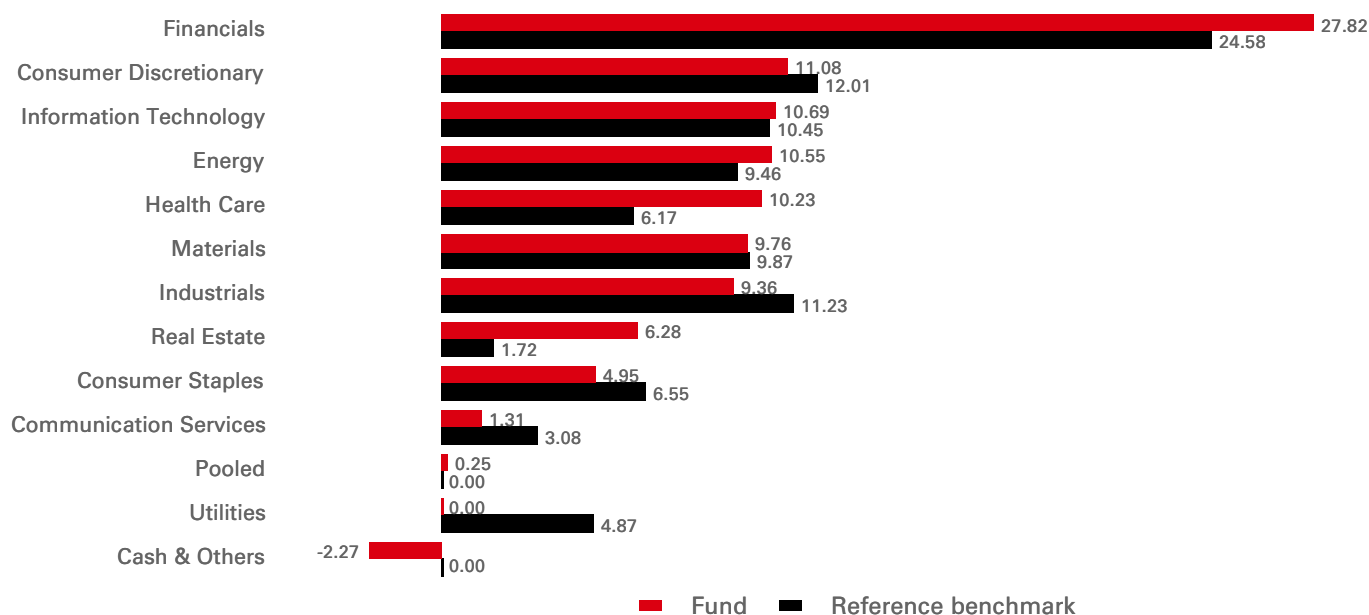
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Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann
AD	6.87	0.81	6.87	17.73	32.75	11.43	9.32
AD (Net)*	1.78	-3.99	1.78	12.12	26.43	9.64	8.26
Reference benchmark	4.98	-0.05	4.98	17.97	39.74	14.35	13.49

Calendar year performance (%)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
AD	6.26	7.49	28.12	-10.75	20.28
AD (Net)*	1.20	2.38	22.02	-15.00	14.55
Reference benchmark	7.63	16.63	31.28	-7.60	25.84

Equity characteristics	Fund	Reference benchmark	3-Year Risk Measures	AD	Reference benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	54	625	Volatility	14.37%	15.09%
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	60,282	51,377	Information ratio	-0.79	--
			Beta	0.92	--

Sector Allocation (%)



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Top 10 Holdings	Sector	Weight (%)
Reliance Industries Ltd	Energy	7.71
HDFC Bank Ltd	Financials	7.44
ICICI Bank Ltd	Financials	6.15
Infosys Ltd	Information Technology	6.14
Larsen & Toubro Ltd	Industrials	5.82
DLF Ltd	Real Estate	4.58
Sun Pharmaceutical Industries	Health Care	4.01
Axis Bank Ltd	Financials	2.85
Oil & Natural Gas Corp Ltd	Energy	2.84
Jindal Steel & Power Ltd	Materials	2.50

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

Monthly performance commentary

At sector level, stock selection was positive for the month. Positive performance came from Health Care and Consumer Discretionary, though this was offset by negative stock selection in Financials and Information Technology.

Industrials security, LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD with total effect 0.30% is the top contributor. Additionally, Materials security, JINDAL STEEL & POWER LTD was the second largest contributor with total effect 0.20%. Consumer Discretionary security, ZOMATO LTD also contributed with total effect 0.15%.

On the other side, detractors included Financials security MULTI COMMODITY EXCH INDIA with total effect -0.27%, Information Technology holding, INFOSYS LTD with total effect -0.25%, and Financials holding, BAJAJ FINANCE LTD with total effect -0.13%.

During this period, positions were initiated in VARUN BEVERAGES LTD, and SUNDARAM FINANCE LTD. No positions were closed.

Sector allocation effects are residual to stock selection. At sector level, effects were negative, given an underweight exposure to Utilities.

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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The Investment Advisor will use its discretion to invest in securities not included in the reference benchmark based on active investment management strategies and specific investment opportunities. It is foreseen that a significant percentage of the Fund's investments will be components of the reference benchmark. However, their weightings may deviate materially from those of the reference benchmark. Any deviations with respect to the benchmark are monitored within a comprehensive risk framework, which includes monitoring at security and sector level. The deviation of the Fund's performance relative to the benchmark is monitored, but not constrained, to a defined range. The reference benchmark has a high level of concentration. This means that a small number of securities make up a significant proportion of the benchmark.

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Supplemental information sheet

Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann
AC EUR	9.31	1.02	9.31	15.41	33.55	14.62	10.18
AC EUR (Net)*	4.10	-3.80	4.10	9.91	27.19	12.77	9.11
AC SGD	9.34	1.19	9.34	16.41	34.76	11.60	9.24
AC SGD (Net)*	4.13	-3.63	4.13	10.86	28.34	9.80	8.18
AC USD	6.87	0.81	6.87	17.73	32.75	11.43	9.32
AC USD (Net)*	1.78	-3.99	1.78	12.12	26.43	9.64	8.26
AD EUR	9.31	1.02	9.31	15.41	33.55	14.62	10.18
AD EUR (Net)*	4.10	-3.79	4.10	9.91	27.19	12.77	9.11
AD SGD	9.34	1.19	9.34	16.41	34.76	11.60	9.24
AD SGD (Net)*	4.13	-3.63	4.13	10.86	28.34	9.80	8.18
AD USD	6.87	0.81	6.87	17.73	32.75	11.43	9.32
AD USD (Net)*	1.78	-3.99	1.78	12.12	26.43	9.64	8.26
IC USD	7.09	0.88	7.09	18.22	33.88	12.38	10.25
IC USD (Net)*	1.99	-3.92	1.99	12.59	27.50	10.57	9.18

Calendar year performance (%)	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
AC EUR	8.22	-1.38	37.85	-4.90	16.21
AC EUR (Net)*	3.06	-6.08	31.29	-9.43	10.67
AC SGD	4.83	5.66	30.69	-11.21	18.30
AC SGD (Net)*	-0.16	0.63	24.47	-15.44	12.66
AC USD	6.26	7.50	28.12	-10.75	20.28
AC USD (Net)*	1.20	2.38	22.02	-15.00	14.55
AD EUR	8.22	-1.38	37.85	-4.90	16.21
AD EUR (Net)*	3.06	-6.08	31.29	-9.43	10.67
AD SGD	4.83	5.66	30.69	-11.21	18.30
AD SGD (Net)*	-0.16	0.62	24.47	-15.44	12.66
AD USD	6.26	7.49	28.12	-10.75	20.28
AD USD (Net)*	1.20	2.38	22.02	-15.00	14.55
IC USD	7.17	8.41	29.22	-9.99	21.30
IC USD (Net)*	2.07	3.25	23.06	-14.27	15.52

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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	USD	--	--	--	--
AD	USD	Annually	31 May 2023	0.000000	0.00%
IC	USD	--	--	--	--

Share class	Inception date	ISIN	Share Class Base Currency	Minimum Initial Investment	NAV per Share	Management fee	Distribution type
AC	30 May 2003	LU0164881194	USD	USD 5,000	299.17	1.500%	Accumulating
AD	29 February 1996	LU0066902890	USD	USD 5,000	295.04	1.500%	Distributing
IC	4 July 2003	LU0164881350	USD	USD 1,000,000	357.85	0.750%	Accumulating

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: $((1 + (\text{dividend amount} / \text{ex-dividend NAV}))^n - 1)$, 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. Investors and potential investors should refer to the details on dividend distributions of the Fund, which are available on HSBC Asset Management (Singapore) Limited website.
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