

# **HSBC Global Funds ICAV**

# Digital Leaders Equity Fund

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# Investment objective

The Fund aims to provide long-term capital growth and seeks to invest in instruments that offer thematic equity exposure



# Investment strategy

The Fund is actively managed. The Fund intends to achieve its investment objective by investing in a concentrated (relative to its reference benchmark) portfolio of shares and similar securities of companies worldwide that are enablers or beneficiaries of digital transformations, while promoting environmental, social and governance (ESG) characteristics within the meaning of Article 8 of the European Union's SFDR. The Fund will invest up to 100% of its assets in equity securities linked to the digital transformation, defined as the integration of digital technology into a company, through utilisation of data and analytics, that results in a fundamental change in how the company operates. The Fund may invest up to 10% in cash and other funds for ancillary liquidity purposes. The Fund uses a bottom-up approach focused on investing, in companies that are investing in digitally transforming their businesses. The Investment Manager also applies a sustainability framework to evaluate a company's ESG characteristics, incorporating both quantitative and qualitative analysis based on three key themes: Low Carbon Infrastructure, Data Stewardship and Transitioned Tech Disruptors. See the Prospectus for a full description of the investment objectives, derivative usage and excluded activities.



# 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 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.
- 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	USD 9.60
Fund facts	
UCITS V compliant	Yes
Dividend treatment	Accumulating
Dealing frequency	Daily
Valuation Time	23:00 Ireland
Share Class Base Curre	ency <b>USD</b>
Domicile	Ireland
Inception date	6 December 2024
Fund Size	USD 144,602,156
Reference 100%	6 MSCI ACWI Net Total
benchmark	Return Index (USD)
Fees and expenses	
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Minimum Initial	USD 5,000
Investment <sup>1</sup>	
Ongoing Charge Figure <sup>2</sup>	1.850%

#### Codes

ISIN IEU	IEUUUNAVVSFFS	
WKN	A419KU	

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Bloomberg ticker **HSDLEAC ID** <sup>1</sup>Please note that initial minimum subscription may vary across different distributors <sup>2</sup>Ongoing Charges Figure is an estimate as the

share class has not been priced for a full financial year.

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

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Performance figures will only be published once the share class has achieved a twelve months track record. Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 May 2025

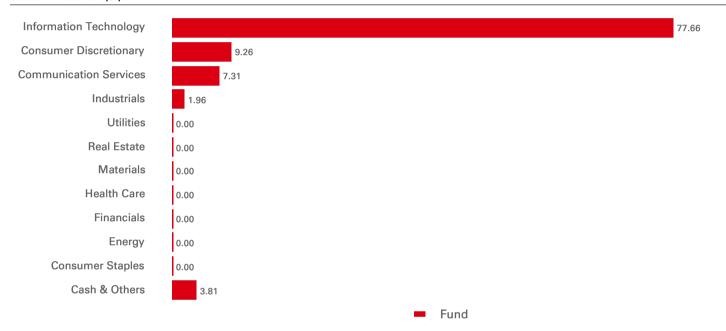
Performance (%)	YTD	1 month	3 months	6 months	1 year	3 years ann	5 years ann	Since Inception
AC								
Reference benchmark								
Tracking difference								

Rolling Performance (%)	31/05/24- 31/05/25	31/05/23- 31/05/24	31/05/22- 31/05/23	31/05/21- 31/05/22	31/05/20- 31/05/21
AC					
Reference benchmark					

Equity characteristics	Fund	benchmark
No. of holdings ex cash	34	2,567
Average Market Cap (USD Mil)	633,098	646,086
Price/earning ratio	26.28	18.89

Benchmark Informat	tion
Index name	100% MSCI ACWI Net Total Return Index (USD)
Index currency	USD
Benchmark type	Net Return

# Sector Allocation (%)

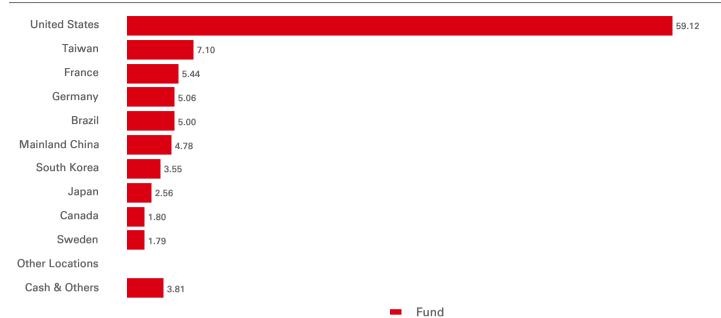


Sustainability indicators	Fund	Reference benchmark
Carbon emissions intensity	81.39	117.94

**Carbon emissions intensity -** Carbon Intensity measures the quantity of carbon emission of a company (tonnes CO<sup>2</sup>e/USD million revenue)

Source: S&P Global Trucost

# Geographical Allocation (%)



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Top 10 Holdings	Location	Sector	Weight (%)
Microsoft Corp	United States	Information Technology	5.31
Palo Alto Networks Inc	United States	Information Technology	5.27
Taiwan Semiconductor Co Ltd	Taiwan	Information Technology	5.12
NVIDIA Corp	United States	Information Technology	5.06
SAP SE	Germany	Information Technology	5.06
Amazon.com Inc	United States	Consumer Discretionary	3.74
SK Hynix Inc	South Korea	Information Technology	3.55
Broadcom Inc	United States	Information Technology	3.37
Arista Networks Inc	United States	Information Technology	3.33
Publicis Groupe SA	France	Communication Services	3.04

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• 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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Source: HSBC Asset Management, data as at 31 May 2025

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