

# **HA ESG PORTFOLIO 4 - 2022**

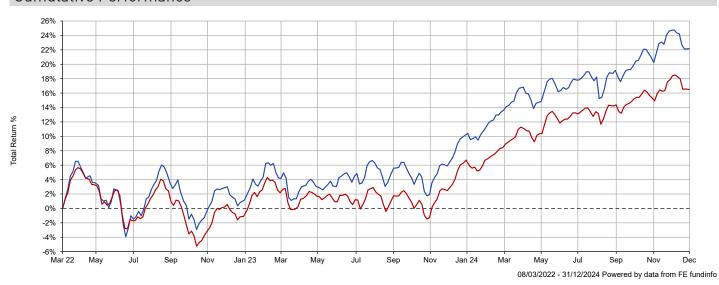
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# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Portfolio Summary



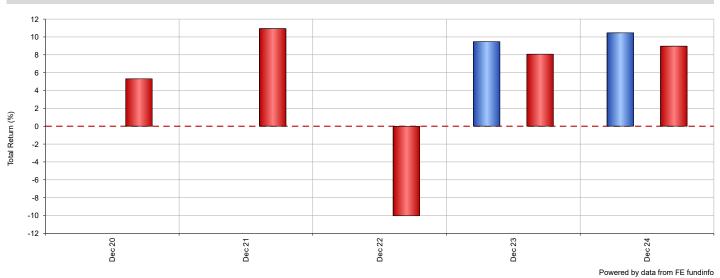
The following tables and charts illustrate the overall performance of the portfolio against its benchmark. The cumulative chart illustrates the overall performance over a maximum of five years dependent on the age of the portfolio and the table shows the overall performance broken down into specified periods. The discrete table and chart illustrates how the portfolio has performed against the benchmark during whole calendar years. All performance is to the latest month end and in GBP.

## Cumulative Performance



Name	3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs
■ HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022	2.07	3.50	10.47	n/a	n/a
■ Benchmark - IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares - Dec 89	1.23	2.89	8.98	5.95	23.80

## Discrete Calendar Year Performance



Name	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
■ HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022	n/a	n/a	n/a	9.48	10.47
■ Benchmark - IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares - Dec 89	5.32	10.94	-10.04	8.08	8.98



# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Holding Performance



This report displays the cumulative and discrete performance of the underlying holdings of your portfolio. The cumulative performance table illustrates the overall growth of the individual holdings and the discrete table shows how they have performed in whole calendar years. All performance is to the latest month end and in GBP.

Cumulative Performance of Portfolio Holdings						
Portfolio Holdings	% Weight	3 mths	6 mths	1 yr	3 yrs	5 yrs
HSBC - Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio C Acc	40.00	1.49	3.50	9.99	6.33	n/a
BlackRock - MyMap 7 Select ESG D Acc GBP	30.00	3.43	5.34	16.29	n/a	n/a
Vanguard - ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity A Acc GBP	30.00	2.24	3.35	9.00	21.25	n/a
Total Portfolio	100.00	2.07	3.50	10.47	n/a	n/a

Discrete Calendar Year Performance of Portfolio Holdings						
Portfolio Holdings	% Weight	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
HSBC - Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio C Acc	40.00	n/a	16.64	-11.06	8.70	9.99
BlackRock - MyMap 7 Select ESG D Acc GBP	30.00	n/a	n/a	n/a	15.61	16.29
Vanguard - ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity A Acc GBP	30.00	n/a	n/a	2.72	8.30	9.00
Total Portfolio	100.00	n/a	n/a	n/a	9.48	10.47



# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Portfolio Composition



This report displays some key information regarding holdings within your portfolio, such as fees and maintenance charges.

Composition								
Portfolio Holdings	% Weight	Clean Share	AMC	TER	OCF	FMF	Fund Size	Fund Size Currency
HSBC - Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio C Acc	40.00	4	0.45%	-	0.60%	-	131.35M	GBP
BlackRock - MyMap 7 Select ESG D Acc GBP	30.00	4	0.12%	-	0.17%	-	-	GBP
Vanguard - ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity A Acc GBP	30.00	✓	0.48%	-	0.48%	0.48%	162.69M	GBP
Total Portfolio	100.00	•	•	^0.	44%	•		

<sup>^</sup>Portfolio Expense - The portfolio expense is calculated using the weighted value of the Ongoing Costs Ex Ante of the portfolio constituents. Where the Ongoing Costs Ex Ante is not available the OCF is used, and where this is not available the TER is used. If an underlying instrument has no Ongoing Costs Ex Ante or OCF or TER figure, the portfolio expense cannot be calculated.



# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Portfolio Valuation



This report shows detailed information regarding your portfolio's holdings (by displaying the value invested in each holding and total investment of the portfolio). Values displayed are in GBP.

## Valuation (as at 31/12/2024)

Portfolio Holdings	Туре	% Weight	Holding Value	# Units	Perf 1 yr	Perf 3 yrs
HSBC - Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio C Acc	Fund	40.00	-	-	9.99	6.33
BlackRock - MyMap 7 Select ESG D Acc GBP	Fund	30.00	-	-	16.29	-
Vanguard - ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity A Acc GBP	Fund	30.00	-	-	9.00	21.25
Total Portfolio		100.00	-	-	10.47	-
Benchmark - IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares - Dec 89					8.98	5.95

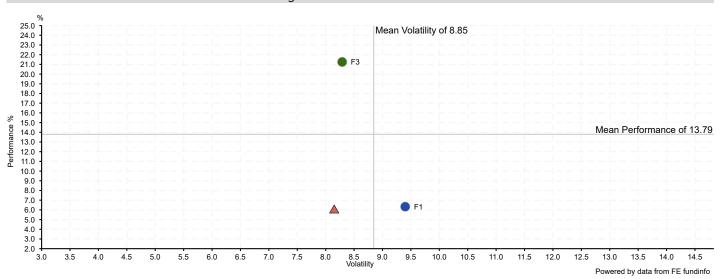


# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Risk & Return (3 yrs)



The scatter chart and table illustrate the risk, represented by volatility, of your portfolio holdings, the portfolio itself and its benchmark against return, represented by performance. The chart will return performance and volatility over three years to latest month end and in GBP.

## Risk & Return Chart of Portfolio Holdings



## Risk & Return Table of Portfolio Holdings

	Portfolio Holdings	% Weight	Performance 3 yrs	Volatility 3 yrs
• F1	HSBC - Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio C Acc	40.00	6.33	9.40
<b>F</b> 2	BlackRock - MyMap 7 Select ESG D Acc GBP	30.00	n/a	n/a
● F3	Vanguard - ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity A Acc GBP	30.00	21.25	8.29
	Total Portfolio		n/a	n/a
	Benchmark - IA Mixed Investment 40-85% Shares - Dec 89		5.95	8.15

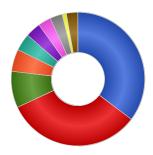


# HA ESG Portfolio 4 - 2022 Portfolio Breakdown



This report illustrates how the portfolio is allocated across asset classes, industrial sectors and major world regions as well as the underlying aggregated portfolio stock holdings.

## **Asset Allocation**



	Name	% Weight
0	North American Equities	35.28
0	Other International Equities	32.78
0	Global Fixed Interest	8.84
0	European Equities	5.36
0	Japanese Equities	4.18
0	UK Equities	3.65
0	Alternative Assets	3.13
0	Asia Pacific Emerging Equities	2.98
0	Money Market	1.05
0	Other	2.77

## Sector Allocation



	Name	% Weight
0	Mutual Funds	30.09
0	Telecom, Media & Technology	13.09
0	Industrials	10.41
0	Financials	9.99
0	Consumer Products	8.18
0	Health Care	7.89
0	Government Bonds	6.82
0	Basic Materials	3.98
0	Utilities	2.71
0	Others	6.82

# Region Allocation



	Name	% Weight
0	North America	57.47
0	Europe ex UK	7.75
0	International	6.79
0	Asia Pacific	5.65
0	Europe	5.42
0	Japan	5.11
0	UK	4.46
0	Pacific Basin	3.20
0	Not Specified	3.13
0	Other	1.03

## Top 10 Stock Holdings

Name	% Weight
HSBC RIF SRI GLOBAL EQUITY JC	6.68
ISHARES MSCI USA ESG ENHANCE USD A	5.41
ISHARES MSCI USA ESG SCREENE CACC	5.41
HSBC USA SUSTAINABLE EQUITY ETF	5.00
ISHARES US EQUITY INDEX (UK) X ACC	3.89
HSBC GFI-GSGB UCS ETF-ZQHUSD	3.38
HSBC GIF-GL LW CAR EQ-ZQ1	2.97
HSBC DEVELOPED WORLD SUSTAINABLE EQ ETF	2.96
HSBC GIF GLOBAL EQ CLIMATE CHANGE ZQ1	2.88
ISH MSCI USA SRI ETF USD ACC	2.73





#### KEY INVESTOR INFORMATION

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## MyMap 7 Select ESG Fund

A sub-fund of BlackRock Investment Funds

Class D Accumulating GBP ISIN: GB00BN090M98

Manager: BlackRock Fund Managers Limited

## Objectives and Investment Policy

- ► The Fund is a fund in the MyMap series. The number allocated does not directly relate to the Fund's level of risk or return. It is used to differentiate the Fund from other MyMap branded funds.
- ► The aim of the Fund is to provide, over five-year periods, a return on your investment (generated through an increase in the value of the assets held by the Fund and/or income received from those assets) through an actively managed portfolio, whilst maintaining a risk profile (i.e. an evaluation of the risks (e.g. risk of losses) associated with the portfolio) for the Fund's portfolio of 12% or more ,and also whilst incorporating environmental, social and governance (ESG)commitments described below.

  The risk profile of the Fund's portfolio, for this purpose, is measured as the volatility (i.e. the degree of fluctuation) of its returns converted into an annual rate, over a five-year period
- ► There is no guarantee the Fund's investment objective will be achieved. The Fund's risk profile may fall outside the stated range, especially during periods of unusually high or low volatility in the equity and fixed income markets. The Fund's potential gains are likely to be constrained by the aim of staying within its risk profile. Its capital is at risk, meaning that it could suffer a decrease in value and the value of your investment could decrease.
- ► The Fund seeks to achieve its investment exposure by investing more than 80% of its assets in units of other funds or investment products, including exchange traded products and index funds which may be Associated Funds as explained in the Fund's prospectus. A substantial amount, or even all of the Fund's assets, may be held in units of other funds.
- ► The Fund seeks, via such funds, exposure to various asset classes globally including equity securities (e.g. shares) and fixed income securities (e.g. corporate bonds and government bonds) and, up to 15% of its assets, in alternative asset classes (such as real estate and commodities (e.g. precious metals)). It may also invest, directly or indirectly, in cash and near cash instruments (e.g. debt securities with short term maturities). The Fund seeks to stay within its stated risk profile by varying its asset mix in different market conditions. Given the higher risk profile of the Fund, under normal market conditions it seeks a greater exposure to equity securities (which are generally considered to be more risky compared to fixed income securities).
- ► The Fund may also invest directly in financial derivative instruments (i.e. investments the prices of which are based on one or more underlying assets) for investment purposes and for efficient portfolio management purposes (EPM) (i.e. to reduce risk or costs within the Fund's portfolio, or generate additional income). The Fund may engage in short-term secured lending of its investments to certain eligible third parties to generate additional income and off-set costs.
- At least 80% of the assets the Fund invests in government bond funds must be invested in funds that track benchmark indices comprised of at least 50%government bond issuers with an ESG government rating of BB or higher (as defined by MSCI or another data vendor). At least 80% of the assets the Fund invests in funds other than government bond funds, real estate and commodity funds, or funds that are held for EPM purposes must be invested in funds which track benchmark indices that apply ESG related exclusionary criteria or funds that otherwise apply ESG related criteria (as detailed in the Fund's prospectus). The Fund's investment manager (IM) will consider these ESG related criteria at the time of investment. Where securities no longer meet such requirements, the Fund may continue to hold them, other than as an ESG related investment or until it is practicable to sell them.
- ▶ The IM expects to achieve, in respect only of the corporate issuers in which the Fund invests, a carbon emission intensity score for the Fund, as calculated at the end of each calendar quarter, that is 30% less than a portfolio that holds an equivalent weighting of equity securities and fixed income securities but does not apply any ESG criteria (such portfolio represented by a composite index of MSCI ACWI Index and Bloomberg Multiverse Index (the Index)), and an absolute reduction of such score over five year periods. Securities issued by non-corporate issuers, such as government bonds, are not included but are expected to represent only a limited portion of the Fund. The Fund is actively managed without reference to a benchmark, meaning the IM has absolute discretion to select the Fund's investments and is not constrained by any target, comparator or performance benchmark. The Fund's carbon emission intensity score is measured against the Index.
- ▶ Recommendation: This Fund may not be appropriate for short-term investment.
- ▶ Your units will be accumulating units (i.e. dividend income will be included in their value).
- ▶ Your units will be denominated in Sterling, the Fund's base currency.
- ► You can buy and sell your units daily. The minimum initial investment for this unit class is £100,000.

For more information on the Fund, share/unit classes, risks and charges, please see the Fund's prospectus, available on the product pages at www.blackrock.com

## Risk and Reward Profile



- The risk indicator was calculated incorporating simulated historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- ► The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- ► The lowest category does not mean risk free.
- ► The Fund is rated five due to the nature of its investments which include the risks listed below. These factors may impact the value of the Fund's investments or expose the Fund to losses.
  - Credit risk, changes to interest rates and/or issuer defaults will have a significant impact on the performance of fixed income securities. Potential or actual credit rating downgrades may increase the level of risk.

- Currency Risk: The Fund invests in other currencies. Changes in exchange rates will therefore affect the value of the investment.
- The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
- The Fund seeks to exclude companies engaging in certain activities inconsistent with ESG criteria. Such ESG screening may reduce the potential investment universe and this may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments compared to a fund without such screening
- ▶ Particular risks not adequately captured by the risk indicator include:
- Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Credit Risk: The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Liquidity Risk: Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily.

#### Charges

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

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less. Please refer to your financial advisor or the distributor for the actual entry and exit charges.

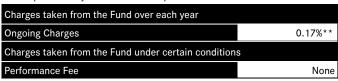
\*Subject to a charge of up to 2% paid into the Fund where the Manager suspects excessive trading by an investor.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the twelve month period ending 31 January 2024. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio trade-related costs, except costs paid to the custodian and any entry/exit charge paid to an underlying collective investment scheme (if any).

\*\* To the extent the Fund undertakes securities lending to reduce costs, the Fund will receive 62.5% of the associated revenue generated and the remaining 37.5% will be received by BlackRock as the securities lending agent. As securities lending revenue sharing does not increase the costs of running the Fund, this has been excluded from the ongoing charges.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry Charge	None
Exit Charge	None*

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before proceeds of your investments are paid out.

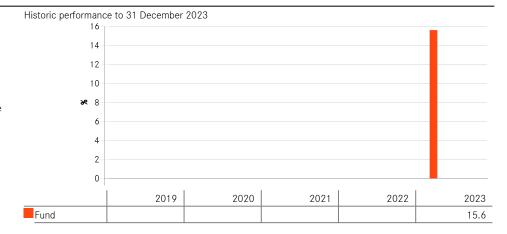


#### Past Performance

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

The chart shows the Fund's annual performance in GBP for each full calendar year over the period displayed in the chart. It is expressed as a percentage change of the Fund's net asset value at each year-end. The Fund was launched in 2022. The unit class was launched in 2022.

Performance is shown after deduction of ongoing charges. Any entry/exit charges are excluded from the calculation.



#### **Practical Information**

- ▶ The trustee and depositary of the Fund is The Bank of New York Mellon (International) Limited, which also acts as custodian.
- ► Further information about the Fund can be obtained from the latest annual report and half-yearly reports of the Fund. These documents are available free of charge in English. These can be found, along with other information, such as unit prices, on the BlackRock website at www.blackrock.com or by calling Investor Services on 0800 44 55 22.
- ▶ Investors should note that the tax legislation that applies to the Fund may have an impact on the personal tax position of your investment in the Fund.
- ▶ The Fund is a sub-fund of BIF, an umbrella structure comprising different subfunds. This document is specific to the Fund and unit class stated at the beginning of this document. However, the Fund's prospectus, annual and half-yearly reports are prepared for the BIF umbrella.
- ▶ BlackRock Fund Managers Limited 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 Fund's prospectus.
- ▶ Under UK law, BIF has segregated liability between its sub-funds (i.e. the Fund's assets will not be used to discharge the liabilities of other sub-funds within BIF). In addition, the Fund's assets are held separately from the assets of other sub-funds.
- ▶ Investors may switch their units in the Fund for units in another sub-fund within BIF, subject to meeting certain conditions as set out in the prospectus.
- ▶ The Remuneration Policy of the Management Company, which describes how remuneration and benefits are determined and awarded, and the associated governance arrangements, is available at www.blackrock.com/Remunerationpolicy or on request from the registered office of the Management Company.

## Non-UCITS retail scheme Key Investor Information

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Class: Accumulation C

ISIN: GB00BLKQDC73

# Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Dynamic Portfolio

a sub-fund of HSBC OpenFunds, (the "OEIC"); managed by HSBC Asset Management (Fund Services UK) Limited

Explanations of terms shown within the objectives and policy in bold, can be found within the glossary on the HSBC Global Asset Management (UK) Limited website: http://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.com.

## **Objectives and Investment Policy**

- The Fund aims to provide **growth** in line with its risk profile in the long term, which is a period of five years or more.
- The Fund invests in a range of sustainable investment strategies. A summary of the sustainable investment strategies that we consider for inclusion in the Fund is detailed in the Prospectus.
- This is one of a range of actively managed Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Portfolios offered at different risk levels. The Fund is rated as 4, where 1 is a lower level of risk and 5 is a higher level of risk. The level of risk stated is to allow investors to compare the risk relative to other Global Sustainable Multi-Asset Portfolios. This differs from the Risk and reward profile below, which we are required to provide by regulation and which allows investors to compare the risk for different types of funds.
- As the Fund is managed with the aim of maximising returns in line with its long term risk profile any potential returns are likely to be limited by the risk profile of the Fund.
- To achieve its objective the Fund will invest a minimum of 70% of its value in other funds that in turn invest in a range of asset types such as bonds, shares of companies (equities) and property that meet one or more sustainable investment strategies, as well as cash. The Fund will be invested across global markets.
- The other funds that the Fund invests in will, where possible, be those managed by the HSBC Group. Where this isn't possible the Fund may invest in funds managed by other fund providers.
- The Fund may invest up to 30% of its value directly in asset types such as bonds where the investment objective can be more efficiently achieved, as well as cash.
- The asset allocation of each fund in the range reflects the risk level. Under normal market conditions, the asset allocation of the Fund will be as follows: Equities: 60%–90%, Bonds: 10%–40%, Other asset types, including cash: 0%–15%. These percentages will fluctuate based upon market movement and adjustments to the asset allocation to enable the Fund to meet its aim.

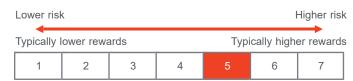
#### Use of Benchmarks

- The Fund is actively managed in line with its risk profile instead
  of being managed with reference to a benchmark. The
  performance of the Fund is compared against the performance
  of funds that are part of the Morningstar Allocation 60-80%
  Equity category, with both returns and volatility considered in
  the comparison.
- To demonstrate the performance of the Fund against its sustainable investment aim the environmental, social and governance (ESG) and carbon intensity ratings of the Fund are compared to the ratings of a reference comparator. The reference comparator represents the ESG and carbon intensity ratings the Fund might have achieved if it did not have a sustainable investment aim. The reference comparator is a combination of market capitalisation indices that represent the asset classes held by the Fund and in the same proportions (weighting) as the Fund. This information is available on the Fund factsheet.

#### Use of Derivatives

- The Fund may invest in different types of derivatives for efficient portfolio management purposes, including hedging, and for broader investment purposes to help the Fund meet its objective. In particular derivatives will be used to reduce or increase the Fund's exposure to different types of assets and to reduce the risk associated with movements in the rate of exchange between Sterling and other currencies in which the Fund's assets may be held. The Fund does not intend to use derivatives extensively and their use 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**



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

- 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.
- Default Risk The issuers of certain bonds could become unwilling or unable to make payments on their bonds.
- Derivatives Risk Derivatives 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.

- Emerging Markets Risk Emerging markets are less established, and often more volatile, than developed markets and involve higher risks, particularly market, liquidity and currency risks.
- 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.
- Investment Fund Risk Investing in other funds involves certain risks an investor would not face if investing in markets directly. Governance of underlying assets can be the responsibility of third-party managers.
- Investment Leverage Risk 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.
- 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.

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#### 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 Exit charge

A conversion charge may be payable.

None

0.00% 0.00% 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.

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.

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.

Further information on Charges can be found in the "Fees and Expenses" section of the Fund's Prospectus.

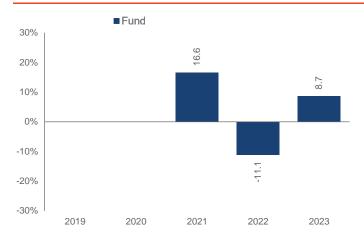
Charges taken from the Fund over a year

0.60% Ongoing charge

Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions

Performance fee

#### **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 Fund was launched on 20 April 2020.

#### **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 Asset Management (Fund Services UK) Limited, Sunderland SR43 4BF 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 spectate are proposed for the optics OEIC. 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. 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 Asset Management (Fund Services UK) Limited is authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. This key investor information is accurate as at 26 July 2024.

### Key Investor Information



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# Vanguard ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90% Equity Fund (the "Fund")

A sub-fund of Vanguard® Investments Funds ICVC

#### **GBP Accumulation Shares**

ISIN: GB00BMCQS161

Authorised Corporate Director: Vanguard Investments UK, Limited ("VIUK")

#### Objectives and investment policy

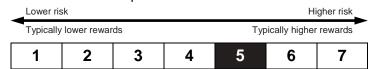
- The Fund seeks to provide an increase in the value of investments over the long-term (more than 5 years) together with some money paid out from those investments as income.
- The Fund is actively managed and seeks to achieve its investment objective by investing in a combination of shares (80-90% of the Fund's investments) and bonds (issued by companies and entities which are not companies, such as government-related entities) (10-20% of the Fund).
- The Fund can invest worldwide and the majority of the Fund's investments will be in developed countries. The Fund can invest in all countries, sectors and industries, subject to (i) Climate Considerations and (ii) Exclusions as described below.
- Climate considerations: At least 70% of the Fund's assets will meet at least one of the Climate Considerations for company shares, corporate bonds and sovereign bonds:
- Corporate climate considerations: When purchasing shares and corporate bonds for the Fund, the Manager will consider whether the company displays at least one of the following qualities, which would enable the Manager to be aware of what the company is doing which might support its journey towards net zero: (i) displays current Scope 1+2 carbon intensity that is at least 25% below the industry average; and/or (ii) has published an active emissions reduction target. Scope 3 emissions are not included.
- Sovereign climate considerations: When purchasing sovereign bonds for the Fund, the Manager will consider whether the relevant country's sovereign carbon intensity is at least 25% lower than the average carbon intensity of the sovereign constituents within the Composite Index.
- The Fund can hold investments that do not meet the Climate Considerations and certain investments are not subject to any Climate Considerations. The Fund will not invest more than 30% of its value in assets that do not demonstrate any of the Climate Considerations.
- Exclusions: The Manager seeks to avoid investing in companies involved in and/or deriving revenue (above a threshold specified by the Manager and set out in the exclusions policy at <a href="https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/Vanguard ActiveLife Climate Aware Range Exclusions Policy.pdf">https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/Vanguard ActiveLife Climate Aware Range Exclusions Policy.pdf</a>). The Manager will not invest in sovereign bonds issued by countries where the fuel exports for the relevant country exceed 50% of total exports.
- The performance of the Fund may be compared against the Composite Index\*. VIUK considers that the combination of the indices within the Composite Index provide a benchmark that best reflects the investment

- strategy of the Fund as a means to assess the performance of the Fund.
- The Fund attempts to remain fully invested and hold small amounts of cash except in extraordinary market, political or similar conditions where the Fund may temporarily depart from this investment policy to avoid losses.
- The Fund may use derivatives in order to reduce risk or cost and/or generate extra income or growth (known as "efficient portfolio management"). A derivative is a financial contract whose value is based on the value of a financial asset (such as a share, bond, or currency) or a market index.
- The Fund invests in securities which are denominated in currencies other than the share class currency. Movements in currency exchange rates can affect the return of investments.
- The currency of the share class is GBP.
- The Fund is appropriate for long-term investment. You should have an investment horizon of at least 5 years.
- Income from the Fund will be reinvested and reflected in the price of shares in the Fund.
- Portfolio transaction costs will have an impact on performance.
- Shares in the Fund can be bought or sold on a daily basis (save on certain bank holidays or public holidays and subject to certain restrictions described in Appendix 1 of the Prospectus). A list of the days on which shares in the Fund cannot be bought or sold is available on: <a href="https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/Vanguard-Investments-Funds-ICVC.pdf">https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/Vanguard-Investments-Funds-ICVC.pdf</a>

For further information about the objectives and investment policy of the Fund, including its Sustainability Approach, please see Appendix 1 of the Vanguard Investments Funds ICVC prospectus (the "Prospectus") and the Fund's Consumer Facing Disclosure on our website at <a href="https://global.vanguard.com/">https://global.vanguard.com/</a> and the Fund's Consumer Facing Disclosure on our website <a href="https://global.vanguard.com/">https://global.vanguard.com/</a> and the Fund's Consumer Facing Disclosure on our website <a href="https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/SDR">https://fund-docs.vanguard.com/SDR</a> CFD Vanguard ActiveLife Climate Aware 80-90 Equity Fund.pdf

\* Composite Index comprised of: 85% FTSE Developed Net Tax Index; 12% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Credit Index; 1.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Treasury Index; and 1.5% Bloomberg Global Aggregate Securitized Index (together, the "Composite Index").

## Risk and reward profile



- This indicator is based on historical data and may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of the Fund.
- The risk category shown is not guaranteed and may change over time.
- · The lowest category does not mean "risk free".
- The Fund is rated 5 due to the nature of its investments which include the risks listed below. These factors may impact the value of the Fund's investments or expose the Fund to losses.
  - The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events.
  - Movements in currency exchange rates can adversely affect the return of your investment. Currency hedging is not guaranteed to completely eliminate currency risk.
  - Emerging markets are generally more sensitive to economic and political conditions than developed markets. Other factors include greater 'Liquidity Risk', restrictions on investment or transfers of assets and failed/delayed delivery of securities or payments to the Fund.
- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political or regulatory events.

The risk and reward indicator does not take account of the following risks of investing in the Fund:

- Counterparty risk. The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.
- Sustainability risk. The Fund may not make certain investments if they do not meet the Fund's Sustainability Approach. This may affect the Fund's exposure to certain issuers and cause the Fund to forego certain investment opportunities.
- Liquidity risk. Lower liquidity means there are insufficient buyers or sellers to allow the Fund to sell or buy investments readily. This could cause the Fund to incur higher costs when buying or selling investments or could mean that the Fund is not able to buy or sell investments when it would like to do so.
- Credit risk. The issuer of a financial asset held within the Fund may not pay income or repay capital to the Fund when due.
- Inflation risk. The value of your investments may not be worth as much in the future due to changes in purchasing power resulting from inflation.
- Use of derivatives. The use of derivatives could increase or reduce exposure to underlying assets and result in greater fluctuations of the Fund's net asset value.

For further information on risks please see the "Risk Factors" section of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

#### Charges

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

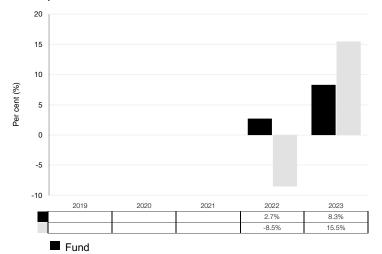
growth or your investment.	
One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
Entry charge	None
Exit charge	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested / before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.	
Charges taken from the Fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.48%
Charges taken from the Fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures and in some cases you might pay less. Investors can find out the actual entry and exit charges from their distributor and or adviser.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ended 31 December 2023. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs.

For further information about charges please see the sections entitled "Buying Shares", "Redeeming Shares", "Charges and Expenses", "Dilution Adjustment" and Appendix 1 of the Prospectus on our website at https://global.vanguard.com

#### Past performance



- · Past performance:
- Is not a reliable indication of future performance.
- Includes ongoing charges and the reinvestment of income. It excludes entry and exit fees.
- Has been calculated in GBP.
- · Shares in the Fund were first issued in 2021.
- This share class was launched in 2021.
- The Fund does not aim to track the performance of the index.

#### Practical information

Composite Index\*

- Depositary: State Street Trustees Limited.
- Documents, prices of shares and further information: You can obtain copies of the Prospectus and the latest annual and semi-annual report and accounts for Vanguard Investments Funds ICVC ("VIF") along with the latest published prices of shares and other practical information, from our website at https://global.vanguard.com. The documents are available in English and are free of charge.
- Prices: The last published prices of shares in the Fund are also available from the FT's website www.ft.com or https://global.vanguard.com
- Tax: VIF is subject to the tax laws of the United Kingdom. Depending on your country of residence, this may have an impact on your personal tax position. You are recommended to consult your professional tax adviser.
- Liability: VIUK 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 VIF.
- Sub-funds: This document describes a sub-fund of VIF. The prospectus and periodic reports are prepared for the entire company.
- The Fund's assets belong exclusively to the Fund and shall not be used to discharge the liabilities of or claims against VIF, other sub-funds of VIF or any other person or body.
- Shares: The Fund is part of VIF and has both accumulation and income shares. You may switch some or all of your shares of one type, to shares of another type within the same Fund, or between other sub-funds of VIF or other funds managed by VIUK. Details of switching are provided in the Prospectus.
- Information about other share classes offered by VIF can be found in the prospectus or from our website at https://global.vanguard.com.
- Further information on the Index Provider please see the Fund's prospectus.
- Remuneration policy: Details of the Vanguard European Remuneration Policy are available at <a href="https://www.ie.vanguard/content/dam/intl/europe/documents/ch/en/ucits-v-remuneration-policy.pdf">https://www.ie.vanguard/content/dam/intl/europe/documents/ch/en/ucits-v-remuneration-policy.pdf</a> including: (a) a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated; and (b) the identities of persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits. A paper copy of these details may be obtained, free of charge, on request from the Head of Human Resources, Europe, Vanguard Asset Services, Limited, 4th Floor The Walbrook Building, 25 Walbrook, London EC4N 8AF.