



## iShares \$ Corp Bond ESG UCITS ETF Hedged Swiss Franc (Accumulating) iShares II plc



**June 2024** 

Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 30-Jun-2024. All other data as at 04-Jul-2024.

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#### **FUND OVERVIEW**

The Fund seeks to track the performance of an index composed of USD denominated ESG (environmental, social and governance) screened corporate bonds.

#### **KEY BENEFITS**

- 1. Gain diversified exposure to USD denominated, investment grade corporate bonds across various sectors (industrials, utilities and financial companies).
- 2. Access bonds from companies with superior environmental, social and governance (ESG) practices relative to their peers.
- Seeks to track an index that explicitly excludes issuers involved in controversial weapons, nuclear weapons, conventional weapons, civilian firearms, tobacco, adult entertainment, alcohol, gambling, nuclear power, genetically modified organisms, oil sands and thermal coal.

#### **RISK INDICATOR**

Lower Risk
Potentially Lower Rewards
Potentially Higher Rewards

1 2 3 4 5 6 7

**CAPITAL AT RISK:** The value of investments and the income from them can fall as well as rise and are not guaranteed. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

#### **KEY RISKS:**

- 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.
- Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies.
   This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political, sustainability-related or regulatory events.
- The benchmark index only excludes companies engaging in certain activities inconsistent with ESG criteria if such activities exceed the thresholds determined by the index provider. Investors should therefore make a personal ethical assessment of the benchmark index's ESG screening prior to investing in the Fund. Such ESG screening may adversely affect the value of the Fund's investments compared to a fund without such screening.
- 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 Share Class 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.

#### **PRODUCT INFORMATION**

ISIN: IE000T05HNG4

Share Class Launch Date: 28-Jun-2022

Share Class Currency: CHF
Total Expense Ratio: 0.17%
Use of Income: Accumulating

Net Assets of Share Class (M): 11.80 CHF

#### **KEY FACTS**

Asset Class: Fixed Income

Benchmark: Bloomberg MSCI US Corporate

Sustainable SRI Index

Fund Launch Date: 03-Mar-2020

Fund Base Currency: USD

Net Assets of Fund (M): 2,395.75 USD

SFDR Classification: Article 8

Domicile: Ireland

**Methodology:** Sampled

**Issuing Company:** iShares II plc **Product Structure:** Physical

#### **PORTFOLIO CHARACTERISTICS**

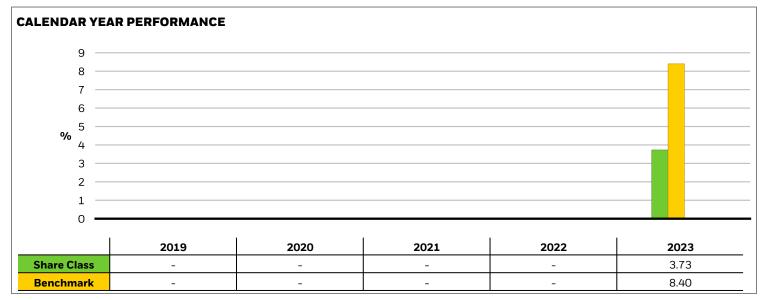
Effective Duration: 6.68 yrs

Average Weighted Maturity: 10.18 yrs

**Yield To Maturity:** 5.43 **Number of Holdings:** 5,452

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С	CUMULATIVE & ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE									
		CUMULATIVE (%)			ANNUALISED (% p.a.)					
		1m	3m	6m	YTD	1у	Зу	5у	Since Inception	
	Share Class	0.27	-1.16	-2.54	-2.54	0.05	-	-	-1.09	
	Benchmark	0.63	-0.05	-0.46	-0.46	4.63	-	-	3.38	

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of current or future performance and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in CHF, hedged share class benchmark performance is displayed in USD. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source:** BlackRock

Share Class iShares \$ Corp Bond ESG UCITS ETFHedged Swiss Franc (Accumulating)

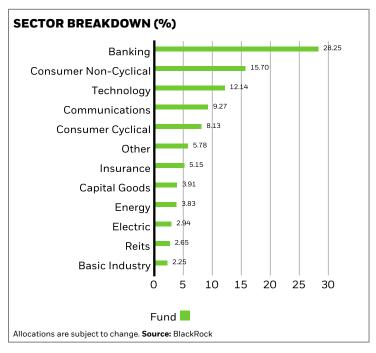
Benchmark Bloomberg MSCI US Corporate Sustainable SRI Index

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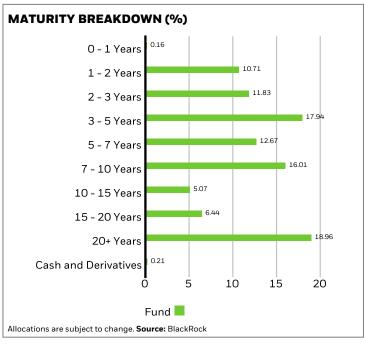
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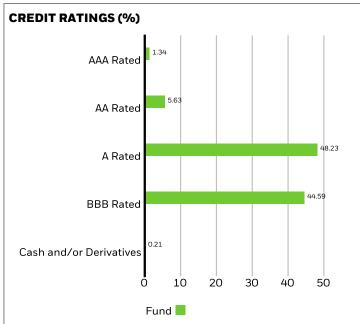


TOP ISSUERS	
BANK OF AMERICA CORP	3.20%
JPMORGAN CHASE & CO	3.11%
MORGAN STANLEY	2.58%
GOLDMAN SACHS GROUP INC/THE	2.00%
CITIGROUP INC	1.89%
COMCAST CORPORATION	1.55%
AT&T INC	1.48%
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC	1.46%
HSBC HOLDINGS PLC	1.43%
APPLE INC	1.39%
Total of Portfolio	20.09%
Holdings subject to change	



FRADING INFORMATION					
Exchange	SIX Swiss Exchange				
Ticker	SUOH				
Bloomberg Ticker	SUOH SE				
RIC	SUOH.S				
SEDOL	BQ7XJ06				
Listing Currency	CHF				





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**SFDR Classification: Article 8:** Products that promote environmental or social characteristics and promote good governance practices. **Article 9:** Products that have sustainable investments as an objective and follow good governance practices. **Other:** Products that do not meet the criteria to be classified as Article 8 or 9.

**Yield to Maturity:** Yield to Maturity (YTM) is the discount rate that equates the present value of bond's cash flows with its market price (including accrued interest). The fund YTM is the weighted average of fund's individual bond holding YTMs based upon Net Asset Value ('NAV'). The measure does not include fees and expenses. For callable bonds, YTM is the Yield-to-Worst.

**Effective Duration:** Effective duration is a measure of a fund's interestrate sensitivity. Put simply, the longer a fund's duration, the more sensitive the fund is to shifts in interest rates. So a fund with a duration of 10 years is twice as volatile as a fund with a five-year duration.

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