# **Fund Overview**

# **HSBC Ultra Short Duration Fund**

10 May 2021

(Ultra Short Duration Fund – An Open ended ultra-short term debt scheme investing in instruments such that the Macaulay duration<sup>^</sup> of the portfolio is between 3 months to 6 months.)



# Fund aim and investment policy

The fund aims to to provide liquidity and generate reasonable returns with low volatility through investment in a portfolio comprising of debt & money market instruments. However, there can be no assurance that the Fund's objective can be realised.

<b>Fund Launch Date</b>	30 Jan 2020
Fund manager	Kapil Punjabi
Investment Manager	HSBC Asset Management (India) Pvt. Ltd
Currency	INR
<b>Fund Domicile</b>	India
Benchmark	CRISIL Ultra Short Term Debt Index
Dealing	Every Business Day
Cut-off Time*	15:00 for Subscriptions and Switch Ins, Redemption and Switch Outs
Settlement	T+1

# Fund Manager Kapil Punjabi



Vice President & Fund Manager – Indian Fixed Income

- 15 years of industry experience in fixed income
- Joined HSBC India in 2014

#### Overview

- Provides institutional investors with an opportunity to invest in short-term INR denominated money market instruments.
- Main objectives/strategy includes:
  - Aim to preserve capital<sup>1</sup>
  - Daily liquidity ^^
  - Active risk management
  - Extensive credit research
- \*Subject to terms and conditions as specified under the scheme information document of the scheme. Subscription/switch-in is subject to availability of funds for utilisation before the cut-off time without availing any credit facility. 1. The Scheme is not a guaranteed or assured return Scheme. Investors may not get back the amount originally invested. There is no guarantee that the fund's investment objectives, including performance, will be achieved,
- ^ Daily liquidity As per the Regulations, the Fund shall dispatch the redemption proceeds within 10 Business Days from the date of acceptance of redemption request. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will endeavour to dispatch the redemption proceeds 1 Business Day from the date of receiving a valid redemption request before the cut off time.
- ^The Macaulay duration is the weighted average term to maturity of the cash flows from a bond. The weight of each cash flow is determined by dividing the present value of the cash flow by the price.



# Portfolio characteristics

Yield to Maturity <sup>1</sup>	3.63%
Current AUM (~INR m)	7879.3
Current WAM <sup>2</sup>	~ 0.45 year
Maximum Maturity	6 months
Maximum WAM <sup>2</sup>	6 months

# **Fund Information**

	Features
Current NAV – Growth option	INR 1,061.1620
Settlement Date	T+1 <sup>4</sup>

Fund Name	Total Expense Ratio (TER) (as of 30 April 2021)	Minimum Application Amount (Rs)	Minimum Redemption/ Switch Account (Rs)
HUSDF	0.48%³	5,000	1,000
HUSDF Direct Plan	0.22%³	5,000	1,000

HSBC Mutual Fund/HSBC Asset Management (India) Private Limited would update the current expense ratios (TER) on its website at least three working days prior to the effective date of the change. Details of such changes can be referred on the following link under the Daily TER section: https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in/en/mutual-funds

Source: HSBC Global Asset Management, data as of 30 April 2021

#### Notes:

- YTM Based on investment amount
- 2.
- The Weighted Average Maturity (WAM) of the fund TER is annualized and Includes GST on Investment Management fees
- As per the local regulations, the fund shall dispatch the redemption proceeds within 10 business days from the date of acceptance of redemption request. Under normal circumstances, the Fund will endeavour to dispatch the redemption proceeds within 1 business day from the date of receiving redemption request.

# Portfolio Compositions<sup>1</sup>

#### **Instrument Mix**

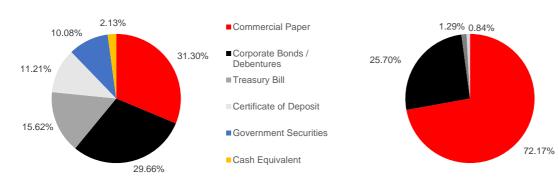
# Credit Quality Mix – local\* credit rating agencies' short-term ratings

■AAA and equivalents

■ Net Current Assets

Reverse Repos/

■ Sovereign



Top 10 issuers/counterparties	% NAV
182 DAYS TBILL RED 14-10-2021	9.37%
HDB Financial Services	7.11%
8.20% GOVT OF INDIA RED 15-02-2022	6.57%
National Highways Authority of India	6.48%
REC	6.44%
Reliance Industries	6.28%
ICICI Securities	6.27%
LIC Housing Finance	6.26%
182 DAYS TBILL RED 07-10-2021	6.25%
Housing Development Finance Corp	6.21%

# Investment process and team

Our investment process is active, fundamental and value driven. It combines qualitative top-down analysis of macroeconomic and market dynamics, with structured bottom-up research into individual bond issuers and fixed income securities. While investment decisions are taken locally to ensure focus and accountability, our portfolio managers in India are able to access the expertise and experience of our investment professionals worldwide in order to gain a truly global perspective.

The Fund is managed in India by Kapil Punjabi, who has over 15 years of investment experience. The team in India benefits from the broader HSBC Global Asset Management Liquidity team which manages over USD126.8 billion<sup>2</sup> in money market assets across 11 currencies globally.

#### Notes:

- \* The rating mentioned above refers to the local credit rating in India. The rating criteria and methodology used by Indian local rating agencies may be different from those adopted by most of the established international credit rating agencies. Therefore, the Indian local credit rating system may not provide an equivalent standard for comparison with securities rated by international credit rating agencies.
- 1. Subject to change without notice.
- 2. Data as at September 2020

Source: HSBC Global Asset Management, All data as on 30 April 2021 except otherwise mentioned

# Lump sum investment performance

Funds Managed by Kapil Puniabi (Total Schemes Managed 8)

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HSBC Ultra Short Duration Fund									
Fund / Benchmark	1 Ye	ar	3 Y	'ears	5 Y	'ears	Since Ir	Incep	
(Value of ₹10,000 invested)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	tion Da
HSBC Ultra Short Duration Fund	10,460	4.60	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,612	4.86	te: 29
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Ultra Short Term Debt Index)	10,529	5.29	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,702	5.57	-Jan-20
Additional Benchmark (NIFTY Ultra Short Duration Debt Index)*	10,469	4.69	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,640	5.08	0
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 1 Year T-Bill Index)*	10,373	3.73	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,673	5.33	

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future.

The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (29 January 2020)

Funds Managed by Kapil Pun	jabi (Tota	I Scheme	s Manage	ed 8)										
HSBC Cash Fund <sup>1</sup>														
Fund / Benchmark	15 [	Days	30	Days	1 Year		3 Years		5 Years		Since Inception			
(Value of ₹10,000 invested)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)								
HSBC Cash Fund	10,006	2.99	10,013	3.13	10,026	3.11	10,331	3.31	11,776	5.58	13,463	6.12	20,431	7.44
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Liquid Fund Index)	10,007	3.47	10,015	3.55	10,030	3.61	10,395	3.95	11,894	5.93	13,603	6.34	20,488	7.47
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL91DayT-BillIndex)*	10,007	3.62	10,015	3.54	10,032	3.84	10,353	3.53	11,786	5.61	13,361	5.96	19,797	7.10
Additional Benchmark	10,006	3.31	10,013	3.23	10,035	4.28	10,031	3.73	10,053	6.46	10,053	6.43	19,641	7.01

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The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (14 March 2014)

HSBC Overnight Fund									
Fund / Benchmark	1 Ye	ear	3 \	/ears	5 Y	ears	Since Inception		Incep
(Value of ₹10,000 invested)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	ption Date:
HSBC Overnight Fund	10,297	2.97	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,755	3.82	
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Overnight Index)	10,313	3.13	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,790	3.99	22-May-19
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 1D Rate Index)*	10,313	3.13	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,790	3.99	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 1 Year T-Bill Index)*	10,37	3.73	NA	NA	NA	NA	11,195	5.97	

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The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (22 May 2019)

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\*Additional benchmark as per SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/CIR/P/2021/024 dated March 04, 2021

Pursuant to the circular issued by SEBI on 'Categorization and Rationalization of the Schemes, there has been change in the fundamental attribute(s) of the aforesaid scheme(s) effective Mar 14, 2018.

<sup>1</sup> Pursuant to SEBI circular dated Sept 13, 2012, certain Plans / Options within the schemes have been discontinued to comply with a single plan structure. Since there was no continuous NAV history available for the surviving Plan prior to 19 May 2011, returns since the said date have been considered for calculating performance. The inception date of HSBC Cash Fund however is 4 December 2002.

The performance details provided herein are of other than Direct Plan - Growth Option. Returns on Rs 10,000 are point-to-point returns for the specific time period, invested at the start of the period. The returns for the respective periods are provided as on last available NAV of March 2021 for the respective Schemes. Returns 1 year and Above are Compounded Annualised. Load is not taken into consideration for computation of performance. Different plans shall have a different expense structure. The expenses of the Direct Plan under the Scheme will be lower to the extent of the distribution expenses / commission charged to the Other than Direct Plan. The performance data of the scheme(s) managed by the respective Fund Manager which has/have not completed 6 months is not provided. Considering the varying maturities of the close ended schemes, the performance of close-ended schemes is not provided as it is strictly not comparable with that of open ended schemes.

#### Funds Managed by Kapil Punjabi (Total Schemes Managed 8)

HSBC Debt Fund								
Fund / Benchmark	1 Ye	ear	3 )	'ears	5 Y	'ears	Since Inception	
(Value of ₹10,000 invested)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)
HSBC Debt Fund	10,435	4.35	12,643	8.10	13,725	6.53	34,548	6.97
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index)	10,781	7.81	13,229	9.74	15,092	8.57	35,450	7.12
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 year Gilt Index) *	10,438	4.38	13,114	9.42	14,229	7.30	30,936	6.33

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future.

The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (18 February 2019)

Funds Managed by Kapil Punjabi (Tota	I Schemes Mana	iged 8)						
HSBC Low Duration Fund <sup>3</sup>								
Fund / Benchmark	1 Ye	ear	3 Y	'ears	5 Y	ears	Since Inception	
(Value of ₹10,000 invested)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)
HSBC Low Duration Fund	10,296	2.96	10,633	2.06	12,093	3.87	16,264	5.83
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Low Duration Debt Index)	10,653	6.53	12,471	7.61	14,422	7.59	19,779	8.27
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 1 Year T-Bill Index) *	10,373	3.73	12,074	6.46	13,661	6.43	17,717	6.89

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The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (18 October 2014)

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<sup>\*</sup>Additional benchmark as per SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/CIR/P/2021/024 dated March 04, 2021

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Pursuant to SEBI circular dated Sept 13, 2012, certain Plans / Options within the schemes have been discontinued to comply with a single plan structure. Since there was no continuous NAV history available for the surviving Plan prior to 1 October 2012, returns since the said date have been considered for calculating performance. The inception date of HSBC Low Duration Fund however is 17 October 2006.

#### Lump sum investment performance

Funds Managed by Kapil Punjabi (For Debt Portion) (Total Schemes Managed 8) Funds Managed by Gautam Bhupal (For Equity portion) (Total Schemes Managed 7)

10.438

4.38

HSBC Regular Savings Fund								
Fund / Benchmark (Value of ₹10,000 invested)	1 Ye	ar	3 Y	ears	5 Y	ears	Since Inception	
	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)
HSBC Regular Savings Fund	11,380	13.80	12,284	7.07	14,309	7.42	43,036	8.86
CRISIL Hybrid 85+15 - Conservative Index (Scheme Benchmark)	11,398	13.98	13,489	10.45	15,989	9.83	40,977	8.55
CRISIL 10 Year Gilt Index (Additional	10.439	4 20	12 104	0.43	14 225	7.30	26 007	5.02

13.104

9.43

14.225

7.30

26.907

5.93

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future.

Benchmark) \*

The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (18 February 2019)

The said Fund is managed by Gautam Bhupal Effective (23 July 2019)

Fund Manager - Neelotpal Sahai (For Equity) Total Schemes Managed - 5 Fund Manager - Ranjithgopal K A (For Equity) Total Schemes Managed - 1 Fund Manager - Kapil Punjabi (For Debt) Total Schemes Managed - 8

HSBC Equity Hybrid Fund					Ince
Fund / Benchmark (Value of ₹10,000 invested)	1 Year		Since Inception		ption
	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Amount in ₹	Returns (%)	Date: 2
HSBC Equity Hybrid Fund	13,395	33.95	13,682	13.23	2-0
Scheme Benchmark (Composite index of CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index (30%) and S&P BSE 200 TRI (70%))	14,303	43.03	14,521	15.93	ct-18
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI) *	14,989	49.89	14,689	16.46	

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Refer note below.

The said Fund is managed by Neelotpal Sahai Effective (22 October 2018)

The said Fund is managed by Ranjithgopal K A Effective (23 July 2019) The said Fund is managed by Kapil Punjabi Effective (18 February 2019)

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Refer note below.

The Performance of HSBC Global Equity Climate Change Fund of Fund (managed by Priyankar Sarkar and Kapil Punjabi ) is not given since the scheme has not completed one year from the date of inception. Since inception returns are to be provided since the date of allotment of units.

\*Additional benchmark as per SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/CIR/P/2021/024 dated March 04, 2021

Pursuant to the circular issued by SEBI on 'Categorization and Rationalization of the Schemes, there has been change in the fundamental attribute(s) of the aforesaid scheme(s) effective Mar 14, 2018.

The performance details provided herein are of other than Direct Plan - Growth Option. Returns on Rs 10,000 are point-to-point returns for the specific time period, invested at the start of the period. The returns for the respective periods are provided as on last available NAV of March 2021 for the respective Schemes. Returns 1 year and Above are Compounded Annualised. Load is not taken into consideration for computation of performance. Different plans shall have a different expense structure. The expenses of the Direct Plan under the Scheme will be lower to the extent of the distribution expenses / commission charged to the Other than Direct Plan. The performance data of the scheme(s) managed by the respective Fund Manager which has/have not completed 6 months is not provided. Considering the varying maturities of the close ended schemes, the performance of close-ended schemes is not provided as it is strictly per gamearable with that of open ended schemes.

# Key risks

The value of investments and any income from them can go down as well as up and investors may not get back the amount originally invested.

- Credit Risk: Credit risk or default risk refers to the risk that an issuer of a fixed income security may default (i.e. will be unable to make timely principal and interest payments on the security).
- Price-Risk or Interest Rate Risk: As with all debt securities, changes in interest rates may affect the NAV of the Scheme(s) as the prices of securities increase as interest rates decline and decrease as interest rates rise.
- Liquidity or Marketability Risk: This refers to the ease with which a security can be sold at or near to its valuation yieldto-maturity (YTM). The primary measure of liquidity risk is the spread between the bid price and the offer price quoted by a dealer.
- Reinvestment Risk: This risk refers to the interest rate levels at which cash flows received from the securities in the Scheme(s) are reinvested. The additional income from reinvestment is the "interest on interest" component

For more risk factors check the KIM or visit https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in/en/mutual-funds/investor-resources#

# Important information

The Performance of HSBC Ultra Short Duration Fund is not given since the scheme has not completed one year from the date of inception.

#### **HSBC Low Duration Fund HSBC Cash Fund** This product is suitable for investors This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*: who are seeking\*: · Liquidity over short term Overnight Liquidity over short term Investment in debt and money market instruments such that the Macaulay · Invests in Money Market Instruments duration of the portfolio is between 6 months to 12 months \*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about \* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them. whether the product is suitable for them. **HSBC Regular Savings Fund HSBC Debt Fund**

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*: Regular Income over long term Investment in diversified portfolio of fixed income securities such that the Macaulay^ duration of the portfolio is between 4 years

to 7 years \*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them. Note on Risk-o-meters: Please note that the above risk-o-meter is as per the product labelling of the scheme available as on the date of this communication/disclosure. As per SEBI circular dated October 05, 2020 on product labelling (as amended from time to time), risk-o-meter will be calculated on a monthly basis based on the risk value of the scheme portfolio based on the methodology specified by SEBI in the above stated circular. The AMC shall disclose the risk-o-meter along with portfolio disclosure for all their schemes on their respective website and on AMFI website within 10 days from the close of each month. Any change in risk-o-meter shall be communicated by way of Notice cum Addendum and by way of an e-mail or SMS to unitholders of that particular scheme.

# **HSBC Equity Hybrid Fund**

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*:

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who are seeking\*:

Investment in fixed income

\*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for th

Capital appreciation over medium to long

(debt and money market instruments) as well as equity and equity related securities.

Long term wealth creation and income · Invests in equity and equity related securities and fixed Income

# **HSBC Overnight Fund**

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*: income over short term and high liquidity

· investment in debt & money mark instruments with overnight maturity

\*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them

#### **HSBC Ultra Short Duration Fund**

This product is suitable for investors

Income over short term with Low volatility · Investment in debt & money market instruments such that the Macaulay Duration of the portfolio is between 3 months- 6 months

who are seeking\*:

\*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them

^The Macaulay duration is the weighted average term to maturity of the cash flows from a bond. The weight of each cash flow is determined by dividing the present value of the cash flow by the price.

Source: HSBC Asset Management, India

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