

Product Note

HSBC Short Duration Fund (HSDF)

(An open ended short term debt scheme investing in instruments such that the Macaulay Duration of the portfolio is between 1 year to 3 years (please refer to page no.11 of SID for details on Macaulay's Duration). A Moderate interest rate risk and Relatively Low credit risk.)

November 2025

| Fund Category | Fund Manager | Benchmark ¹ | Inception Date | AUM ³ & |
|---------------------|--|--------------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Short Duration Fund | Mohd Asif Rizwi and Shriram Ramanathan | NIFTY Short Duration Debt Index A-II | 27 Dec 2011 | Rs. 4,438.41 Cr |

| Quantitative Data | | Minimum Investment | | |
|--------------------------------|------------|--------------------|-------|---------------------|
| Average Maturity | 3.20 Years | Lumpsum | SIP | Additional Purchase |
| Modified Duration | 2.60 Years | ₹ 5,000 | ₹ 500 | ₹ 1,000 |
| Macaulay Duration [^] | 2.73 Years | | | |
| Yield to Maturity | 6.77% | | | |

Why HSBC Short Duration Fund?

- The fund offers a prudent portfolio in line with the risk appetite of the investors
- Demonstrated ability to identify value-buying opportunities and to reposition the portfolio basis evolving interest rate environment

Fund Approach

- The scheme aims at generating returns through yield accrual while also capturing potential opportunities of capital appreciation
- Aim to maintain the high credit quality, with 100% of the portfolio in AAA or equivalent securities

Exit Load: NIL, No entry load will be charged to the investor.

Month End Total Expenses Ratios (Annualized)⁴ – Regular⁵: 0.68%, Direct: 0.27%

¹ As per clause 1.9 of the SEBI Master Circular dated June 27, 2024, on 'Guiding Principles for bringing uniformity in Benchmarks of Mutual Fund Schemes' has introduced two-tiered structure for benchmarking of certain categories of schemes. Accordingly, the benchmark has been classified as Tier 1 benchmark effective from 01 December 2021.

² AUM is as on 31 October 2025.

³ TER Annualized TER including GST on Investment Management Fees

⁴ Continuing plans.

⁵ For disclosure of quarterly AUM/AAUM and AUM by geography, please visit our website: <https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in/en/mutual-funds/investor-resources/information-library#&accordion1446811090=4>

[^] 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.

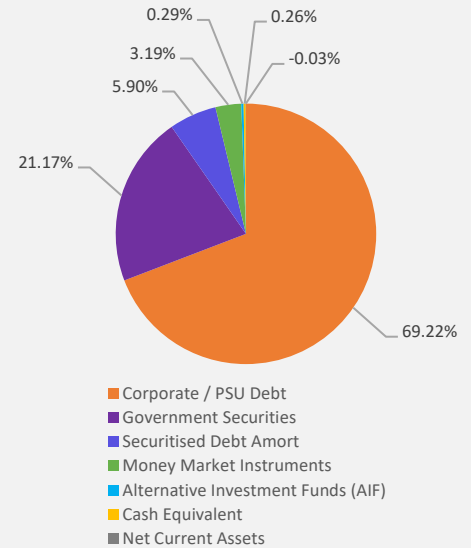
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Source – HSBC Mutual Fund, Data as of 31 October 2025. **Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and is not a guarantee of any future returns.**

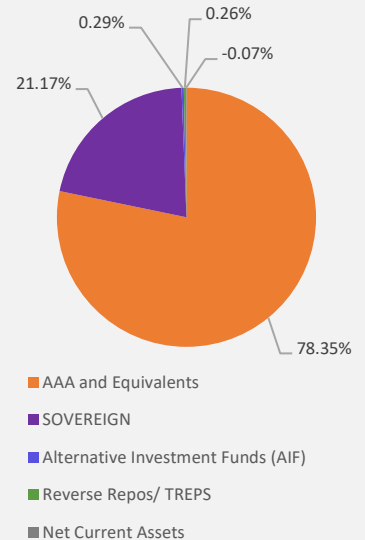
Portfolio

| Issuer | Rating | % to Net Assets |
|---|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Corporate Bonds / Debentures | | 69.22% |
| National Bank for Agriculture & Rural Development | CRISIL AAA / ICRA AAA | 9.02% |
| Bajaj Finance Limited | CRISIL AAA | 6.00% |
| Export Import Bank of India | CRISIL AAA | 5.43% |
| Power Finance Corporation Limited | CRISIL AAA | 5.42% |
| Small Industries Development Bank of India | CRISIL AAA | 5.17% |
| LIC Housing Finance Limited | CRISIL AAA | 4.88% |
| Rec Limited | CRISIL AAA / ICRA AAA | 5.77% |
| Kotak Mahindra Prime Limited | CRISIL AAA | 3.31% |
| Embassy Office Parks REIT | CRISIL AAA | 3.18% |
| Sundaram Finance Limited | CRISIL AAA / ICRA AAA | 3.56% |
| NTPC Limited | CRISIL AAA | 2.35% |
| Bajaj Housing Finance Limited | CRISIL AAA | 2.33% |
| Hindustan Zinc Limited | CRISIL AAA | 1.79% |
| Indian Oil Corporation Limited | CRISIL AAA | 1.76% |
| Jio Credit Limited | CRISIL AAA | 1.52% |
| Mindspace Business Parks REIT Limited | CRISIL AAA | 1.36% |
| Reliance Industries Limited | CRISIL AAA | 1.28% |
| Indian Railway Finance Corporation Limited | CARE AAA / CRISIL AAA | 2.36% |
| National Highways Authority of India | CRISIL AAA | 1.18% |
| National Housing Bank | CRISIL AAA | 1.18% |
| Power Grid Corporation of India Limited | CRISIL AAA | 0.35% |
| Money Market Instruments | | |
| Certificate of Deposit | | 2.12% |
| Small Industries Development Bank of India | CARE A1+ | 1.06% |
| Axis Bank Limited | CRISIL A1+ | 1.06% |
| Commercial Paper | | 1.07% |
| Kotak Mahindra Prime Limited | CRISIL A1+ | 1.07% |
| Securitised Debt Amort | | 5.90% |
| Shivshakti Securitisation Trust | CRISIL AAA(SO) | 2.41% |
| India Universal Trust AL1 PTC (PTC of pools from HDFC Bank Limited) | IND AAA(SO) | 1.04% |
| Radhakrishna Securitisation Trust | CRISIL AAA(SO) | 1.03% |
| India Universal Trust AL2 PTC (PTC of pools from HDFC Bank Limited) | IND AAA(SO) | 0.85% |
| Siddhivinayak Securitisation Trust | CRISIL AAA(SO) | 0.57% |
| Government Securities | | 21.17% |
| 6.33% GOI 05MAY2035 | SOVEREIGN | 5.05% |
| 7.17% GUJARAT SDL 08JAN2030 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 2.79% |
| 6.79% GOI 07OCT2034 | SOVEREIGN | 2.45% |
| 7.04% GOI 03JUN2029 | SOVEREIGN | 2.39% |
| 7.14% KARNATAKA 12JAN32 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 1.62% |
| 6.54% GOI 17Jan2032 | SOVEREIGN | 1.61% |
| 7.27% MAHARASHTRA 15Jan2030 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 1.17% |
| 7.16% Karnataka 08Jan2030 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 1.17% |
| 6.75% GOI 23DEC2029 | SOVEREIGN | 0.94% |
| 7.89% MAHARASHTRA 08Jun2032 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 0.61% |

Asset Allocation



Rating Portfolio



| Issuer | Rating | % to Net Assets |
|--|-----------|-----------------|
| 6.48% GOI 06Oct2035 | SOVEREIGN | 0.57% |
| 6.84% Gujarat SDL 08Sep2031 | SOVEREIGN | 0.57% |
| 7.17% KARNATAKA 29JAN2030 SDL | SOVEREIGN | 0.23% |
| Alternative Investment Funds (AIF) | | 0.29% |
| CDMDF CLASS A2 | AIF | 0.29% |
| Cash Equivalent | | 0.23% |
| TREPS* | | 0.26% |
| Net Current Assets: | | -0.03% |
| Total Net Assets as on 31-October-2025 | | 100.00% |

*TREPS : Tri-Party Repo fully collateralized by G-Sec

Investment Objective

To provide a reasonable income through a diversified portfolio of fixed income securities such that the Macaulay duration of the portfolio is between 1 year to 3 years. However, there can be no assurance or guarantee that the investment objective of the scheme would be achieved.

Fund Manager - Mohd Asif Rizwi Effective 15 Jan 2024. Total Schemes Managed - 15
Fund Manager - Shriram Ramanathan Effective 01 May 2024. Total Schemes Managed - 9

| Lump Sum Investment Performance | | | | | | | | | | Inception Date | |
|---|-------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|----------|------|-----------------|----------------|-----------|
| Fund / Benchmark (Value of Rs 10,000 invested) | 1 Year | | 3 Years | | 5 Years | | 10 Years | | Since Inception | | |
| | Amount in ₹ | Returns % | Amount in ₹ | Returns % | Amount in ₹ | Returns % | | | Amount in ₹ | Returns % | |
| HSBC Short Duration Fund - Regular Plan ^{6~} | 10814 | 8.14 | 12405 | 7.44 | 13118 | 5.57 | 18349 | 6.25 | 25522 | 7.00 | 27-Dec-11 |
| Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Short Duration Debt Index A-II) | 10761 | 7.61 | 12437 | 7.53 | 13309 | 5.87 | 19665 | 6.99 | 27880 | 7.68 | |
| Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 year Gilt Index) | 10766 | 7.66 | 12805 | 8.58 | 12892 | 5.20 | 18883 | 6.56 | 25197 | 6.90 | |
| HSBC Short Duration Fund - Direct Plan ^{6~} | 10860 | 8.60 | 12578 | 7.94 | 13435 | 6.07 | 20163 | 7.26 | 26049 | 7.74 | 01-Jan-13 |
| Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Short Duration Debt Index A-II) | 10761 | 7.61 | 12437 | 7.53 | 13309 | 5.87 | 19665 | 6.99 | 25148 | 7.45 | |
| Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 year Gilt Index) | 10766 | 7.66 | 12805 | 8.58 | 12892 | 5.20 | 18883 | 6.56 | 22789 | 6.63 | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future and is not a guarantee of any future returns. The performance details provided herein are of Regular as well as Direct Plan - Growth Option. Returns on ₹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 October 2025 for the respective schemes. Returns for 1 year and above are Compounded Annualized. Returns for less than 1 year is Simple Annualized. 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 Regular Plan.

As per clause 5.9.1 of the SEBI Master Circular dated June 27, 2024, the scheme returns vis-à-vis the benchmark return (Total Return Index) shall be disclosed are provided from the date of allotment of units.

Post merger performance of the surviving scheme, arising out of merger of schemes with similar features, is computed as per the provisions of clause 13.4 of the SEBI Master Circular dated June 27, 2024, on Disclosure of Performance of Schemes post-merger using the weighted average performance of both transferor and transferee schemes. In other cases, performance is computed using the Applicable NAV of the surviving/continuing schemes. ~ Face value Rs 10


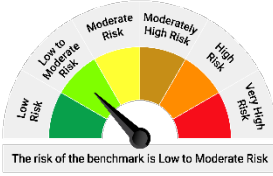
Returns for Debt schemes has been calculated as on last business day NAV provided as on 31 October 2025.

⁶HSBC Short Duration Fund - Effective September 04, 2023 the Benchmark has been changed from NIFTY Short Duration Debt Index B-II to NIFTY Short Duration Debt Index A-II.

Source: HSBC Mutual Fund, data as on 31 October 2025

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Product Label

| Scheme name and Type of scheme | *Scheme Risk-o-meter | Benchmark Risk-o-meter (as applicable) |
|---|---|--|
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* Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.

Note on Risk-o-meters: Riskometer is as on 31 October 2025, 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

Potential Risk Class (HSBC Short Duration Fund)

| Credit Risk → | Relatively Low (Class A) | Moderate (Class B) | Relatively High (Class C) |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Interest Rate Risk ↓ | | | |
| Relatively Low (Class I) | | | |
| Moderate (Class II) | A-II | | |
| Relatively High (Class III) | | | |
| A Scheme with Relatively Moderate interest rate risk and Relatively Low Credit Risk. | | | |

Potential Risk Class (‘PRC’) matrix indicates the maximum interest rate risk (measured by Macaulay Duration of the scheme) and maximum credit risk (measured by Credit Risk Value of the scheme) the fund manager can take in the scheme. PRC matrix classification is done in accordance with and subject to the methodology/guidelines prescribed by SEBI to help investors take informed decision based on the maximum interest rate risk and maximum credit risk the fund manager can take in the scheme, as depicted in the PRC matrix.

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