

**HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund
(Managed by HSBC Saudi Arabia)**

**UNAUDITED INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT**

FOR THE SIX-MONTH PERIOD ENDED 30 JUNE 2022



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REVIEW REPORT ON THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS TO THE UNITHOLDERS OF HSBC SAUDI INDUSTRIAL COMPANIES EQUITY FUND (MANAGED BY HSBC SAUDI ARABIA)

Introduction

We have reviewed the accompanying interim condensed statement of financial position of HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund (the "Fund") managed by HSBC Saudi Arabia (the "Fund Manager") as at 30 June 2022, and the related interim condensed statements of comprehensive income, changes in equity attributable to the unitholders and cash flows for the six-month period ended 30 June 2022, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes. Management is responsible for the preparation and presentation of these interim condensed financial statements in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34, "Interim Financial Reporting" ("IAS 34") as endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on these interim condensed financial statements based on our review.

Scope of Review

We conducted our review in accordance with International Standard on Review Engagements 2410, "Review of Interim Financial Information Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity" endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. A review of interim financial statements consists of making inquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

Basis for Qualified Conclusion

The financial information presented in the interim condensed financial statements are as at 29 June 2022. Management is unable to quantify the impact of not reporting the financial information as at 30 June 2022 and consequently the effects on the interim financial statements of the failure to report the financial information as at 30 June 2022 have not been determined.

Qualified Conclusion

Based on our review, because of the possible significance of the matter discussed in the Basis of Qualified Conclusion section of our review report, we are unable to conclude that the accompanying interim condensed financial statements are prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with IAS 34 that are endorsed in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

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Riyadh: 19 Muharram 1444H
(17 August 2022)

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund

Interim condensed statement of financial position

As at 30 June 2022

	Notes	30 June 2022 (Unaudited) SR	31 December 2021 (Audited) SR
ASSETS			
Bank balance		213,615	1,736,066
Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)	5	99,831,061	100,056,233
Receivables and advances		82,815	79,692
TOTAL ASSETS		100,127,491	101,871,991
LIABILITIES			
Management fee payable	6	10,713	21,742
Accrued expenses and other payables		122,643	95,223
TOTAL LIABILITIES		133,356	116,965
EQUITY			
Net assets attributable to unitholders of redeemable units		99,994,135	101,755,026
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		100,127,491	101,871,991
Redeemable units in issue		8,372,169	8,720,014
Net asset value attributable to each per unit		11.94	11.67

The accompanying notes 1 to 11 form an integral part of these unaudited interim condensed financial statements.

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund

Interim condensed statement of comprehensive income (unaudited)

For the six-month period ended 30 June 2022

		<i>30 June</i> 2022 SR	<i>30 June</i> 2021 SR
INCOME			
Net movement in unrealised (loss) gain on financial assets at FVTPL		(4,098,777)	15,524,242
Net realised gain on disposal of financial assets at FVTPL		6,670,957	14,134,164
Dividend income		1,444,702	1,468,117
Other income		-	788
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TOTAL INCOME		4,016,882	31,127,311
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EXPENSES			
Management fees	6	1,057,226	1,230,224
Other expenses	8	98,510	123,006
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TOTAL EXPENSES		1,155,736	1,353,230
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NET INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		2,861,146	29,774,081
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OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		-	-
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TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE PERIOD		2,861,146	29,774,081
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HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund

Interim condensed statement of changes in equity attributable to the unitholders (unaudited)

For the six-month period ended 30 June 2022

	2022 SR	2021 SR
EQUITY AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD	101,755,026	117,925,794
Net income for the period	2,861,146	29,774,081
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the period	2,861,146	29,774,081
Issue of units during the period	5,109,558	2,207,118
Redemption of units during the period	(9,731,595)	(18,742,150)
Net changes from unit transactions	(4,622,037)	(16,535,032)
EQUITY AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	99,994,135	131,164,843

	<u>Units</u>	<u>Units</u>
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REDEEMABLE UNIT TRANSACTIONS

Transactions in redeemable units during the period are summarised as follows:

UNITS AT THE BEGINNING OF THE PERIOD	8,720,014	13,220,225
Issue of units during the period	388,630	214,419
Redemption of units during the period	(736,475)	(1,782,838)
Net changes in units	(347,845)	(1,568,419)
UNITS AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	8,372,169	11,651,806

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Interim condensed statement of cash flows (unaudited)

For the six-month period ended 30 June 2022

	2022 SR	2021 SR
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income for the period	2,861,146	29,774,081
<i>Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash flows from operating activities:</i>		
Net movement in unrealised loss (gain) on financial assets at FVTPL	4,098,777	(15,524,242)
<i>Working capital adjustments:</i>		
Financial assets at FVTPL	(3,873,605)	1,907,538
Receivables and advances	(3,123)	1,086,292
Management fee payable	(11,029)	30,572
Accrued expenses and other payables	27,420	(415)
Net cash flows from operating activities	<u>3,099,586</u>	<u>17,273,826</u>
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from issuance of units	5,109,558	2,207,118
Payment on redemption of units	(9,731,595)	(18,742,150)
Net cash flows used in financing activities	<u>(4,622,037)</u>	<u>(16,535,032)</u>
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN BANK BALANCE	(1,522,451)	738,794
Bank balance at the beginning of the period	<u>1,736,066</u>	<u>838,544</u>
BANK BALANCE AT THE END OF THE PERIOD	<u>213,615</u>	<u>1,577,338</u>

The accompanying notes 1 to 11 form an integral part of these unaudited interim condensed financial statements.

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund

Notes to unaudited interim condensed financial statements

At 30 June 2022

1. INCORPORATION AND ACTIVITIES

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund (the “Fund”) is an open-ended investment fund created by an agreement between HSBC Saudi Arabia (the “Fund Manager”) and investors (the “Unitholders”) in the Fund. The address of the Fund Manager is as follows:

HSBC Saudi Arabia, Head Office
HSBC Building 7267
Olaya Street (Al-Murooj District)
Riyadh 12283-2255
Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund (“the Fund”) is an investment fund established through an agreement between HSBC Saudi Arabia (“the Fund Manager”) and investors (“the Unitholders”).

The objective of the Fund is to achieve capital appreciation over the medium to long-term by investing in sharia compliant equities listed on Tadawul (Saudi Stock Market) and categorised under petrochemical, industrial investment, building and construction, and agriculture and food manufacturing sectors.

The Fund is managed by the Fund Manager who also is the market maker, administrator and custodian of the Fund. All income is reinvested in the Fund and is reflected in the unit price.

The Fund Manager has made certain revisions to the Terms and Conditions of the Fund. The main changes were relating to applying the new regulations requirements related to the fund documentation. The Fund updated its terms and conditions which were approved by the CMA on 30 Rajab 1443H (corresponding to 3 March 2022).

The Fund Manager has announced that it agreed to transfer its asset management, retail brokerage and retail margin lending businesses to Alawwal Invest, a wholly owned subsidiary of the Saudi British Bank. Accordingly, the Fund Manager is in the process to obtain necessary approvals from CMA for transferring the management of the Fund to the new Fund Manager.

2. REGULATING AUTHORITY

The Fund is governed by the Investment Fund Regulations (the “Regulations”) issued by the Capital Market Authority (“CMA”) on 3 Dhul Hijja 1427H (corresponding to 24 December 2006) and effective from 6 Safar 1438H (corresponding to 6 November 2016) by the New Investment Fund Regulations (“Amended Regulations”) published by the CMA on 16 Sha’aban 1437H (corresponding to 23 May 2016) detailing requirements for all funds within the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. The Regulations were further Amended by Resolution of the Board of the Capital Market Authority Number 2-22-2021 Dated 12 Rajab 1442H (corresponding to 24 February 2021G). The amended regulations are effective from 19 Ramadan 1442H (corresponding to 1 May 2021G).

3. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO ACCOUNTING POLICIES

3.1. Basis of preparation

These unaudited interim condensed financial statements for the six-month period ended 30 June 2022 have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 “Interim Financial Reporting” (“IAS 34”) as endorsed in the kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

The unaudited interim condensed financial statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Fund’s annual financial statements as at 31 December 2021. In addition, result for the six-month period ended 30 June 2022 are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for the financial year ending 31 December 2022.

The unaudited interim condensed financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, using the accrual basis of accounting except for financial assets held at FVTPL that are measured at fair value. These unaudited interim condensed financial statements are presented in Saudi Arabian Riyals (“SR”), which is the Fund’s functional currency. All financial information presented has been rounded to the nearest SR.

HSBC Saudi Industrial Companies Equity Fund

Notes to unaudited interim condensed financial statements (Continued)

At 30 June 2022

3. BASIS OF PREPARATION AND CHANGES TO ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

3.2. New standards and amendments to standards

New standards and amendments adopted by the Company

The Fund has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but is not yet effective. Various amendments apply for the first time in 2022, but do not have an impact on the interim condensed financial statements of the Fund.

- Amendment to IFRS 16, 'Leases' – COVID-19 related rent concessions extension of the practical expedient (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 April 2021).
- A number of narrow-scope amendments to IFRS 3, IAS 16, IAS 37 and some annual improvements on IFRS 1, IFRS 9, IAS 41 and IFRS 16 (effective for annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2022):
- Amendments to IFRS 3, 'Business combinations' update a reference in IFRS 3 to the Conceptual Framework for Financial
- Reporting without changing the accounting requirements for business combinations.
- Amendments to IAS 16, 'Property, plant and equipment' prohibit a company from deducting from the cost of property, plant and equipment amounts received from selling items produced while the company is preparing the asset for its intended use. Instead, a company will recognise such sales proceeds and related cost in statement of income.
- Amendments to IAS 37, 'Provisions, contingent liabilities and contingent assets' specify which costs a fund includes when assessing whether a contract will be loss-making.
- Annual improvements make minor amendments to IFRS 1, 'First-time Adoption of IFRS', IFRS 9, 'Financial Instruments', IAS 41, 'Agriculture' and the Illustrative Examples accompanying IFRS 16, 'Leases'.

Standards issued but not yet effective

The new and amended standards and interpretations that are issued, but not yet effective, up to the date of issuance of the Fund's interim condensed financial statements are disclosed below. The Fund intends to adopt these new and amended standards and interpretations, if applicable, when they become effective.

- Amendments to IAS 1, 'Presentation of financial statements', on classification of liabilities (deferred until accounting periods starting not earlier than 1 January 2024).
- Narrow scope amendments to IAS 1, Practice Statement 2 and IAS 8 (annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023).
- Amendment to IAS 12- deferred tax related to assets and liabilities arising from a single transaction (annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023).
- IFRS 17, 'Insurance Contracts', as amended in June 2020 (annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023).
- A narrow-scope amendment to the transition requirements in IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts (annual periods beginning on or after 1 January 2023).

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS, ESTIMATES AND ASSUMPTIONS

The significant accounting judgements and estimates used in the preparation of the interim condensed financial statements are consistent with those used in the preparation of the Fund's annual financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021.

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Notes to unaudited interim condensed financial statements (Continued)

At 30 June 2022

5. FINANCIAL ASSETS AT FAIR VALUE THROUGH PROFIT OR LOSS (FVTPL)

The composition of the investment's portfolio on the last valuation day of the period/year end is summarised below:

	30 June 2022 (Unaudited)			
	<i>% of Market value</i>	<i>Cost SR</i>	<i>Market value SR</i>	<i>Unrealised gain (loss), net SR</i>
<i><u>Investments in equities (by sector)</u></i>				
Materials	50.62	40,270,893	50,531,081	10,260,188
Energy	20.07	16,177,895	20,034,062	3,856,167
Capital Goods	13.67	17,084,279	13,650,586	(3,433,693)
Food & Beverages	9.83	9,479,199	9,817,136	337,937
Consumer Services	3.86	5,183,016	3,852,403	(1,330,613)
Commercial & Professional Svc	1.95	2,351,973	1,945,793	(406,180)
Total	100.0	90,547,255	99,831,061	9,283,806

The above equity investments are listed on the Saudi Stock Exchange ("Tadawul"). The Fund Manager seeks to limit risk for the Fund by monitoring exposures in each investment sector and individual securities.

	31 December 2021			
	<i>% of Market value</i>	<i>Cost SR</i>	<i>Market value SR</i>	<i>Unrealised gain (loss), net SR</i>
<i><u>Investments in equities (by sector)</u></i>				
Materials	55.04	40,441,821	55,070,519	14,628,698
Energy	19.06	18,606,552	19,072,414	465,862
Capital Goods	13.36	14,380,890	13,370,727	(1,010,163)
Food & Beverages	7.83	8,152,777	7,833,361	(319,416)
Pharma, Biotech & Life Science	1.88	2,048,011	1,876,405	(171,606)
Consumer Services	1.43	1,590,879	1,426,090	(164,789)
Food & Staples Retailing	1.40	1,452,720	1,406,717	(46,003)
Total	100.0	86,673,650	100,056,233	13,382,583

6. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

Related parties are considered to be related if one party has the ability to control the other party or exercise significant influence over the other party in making financial or operational decisions. In considering each possible related party relationship, attention is directed to the substance of the relationship, not merely the legal form.

Related parties of the Fund comprise HSBC Saudi Arabia (being the Fund Manager, the Fund Board and administrator of the Fund), mutual funds managed by the Fund Manager and The Saudi British Bank ("SABB") (being significant shareholder of the Fund Manager).

In the ordinary course of its activities, the Fund transacts business with Fund Manager and related parties. Related party transactions are governed by limits set by the regulations issued by CMA. All the related party transactions are undertaken at mutually agreed prices and approved by the Fund Manager. These transactions were carried out on the basis of approved Terms and Conditions of the Fund.

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Notes to unaudited interim condensed financial statements (Continued)

At 30 June 2022

6. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES (continued)

During the period / year, the Fund entered into the following transactions with related parties in the ordinary course of business:

Related party	Nature of transactions	Amount of transactions		Balance	
		2021 SR	2020 SR	2021 SR	2020 SR
HSBC Saudi Arabia (Fund Manager)	Fund management fee (including VAT)	1,057,226	1,230,224	10,713	21,742
	Administration fee	31,095	36,183	4,889	5,129
	Board member fee	9,863	9,918	14,403	20,329
Saudi British Bank (Parent of Fund Manager)	Bank balance			-	-

The Fund pays the Fund Manager a management fee calculated at an annual rate of 1.7% per annum calculated on the total asset value at each valuation date. The fee is intended to compensate the Fund Manager for administration of the Fund.

The units in issue at 30 June 2022 include 14,104 units held by the employees of the Fund Manager (31 December 2021: 16,082 units).

The independent directors are entitled to remuneration for their services at rates determined by the Fund's terms and conditions in respect of attending meetings of the board of directors or meetings of the Fund. Independent director's fees are currently up to SR 20,000.

The Saudi British Bank ("SABB") (parent of the Fund Manager) acts as the Fund's banker.

7. FAIR VALUE OF FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Fund has only investments at fair value through profit or loss which is measured at fair values and are classified within level 1 of the fair value hierarchy. All other financial assets and liabilities are classified as amortized cost and management believes that the fair value of all other financial assets and liabilities at the reporting date approximate their carrying values owing to their short-term tenure and the fact that these are readily liquid. These are all classified within level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. There were no transfers between various levels of fair value hierarchy during the current period or prior year.

8. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

The table below shows an analysis of assets and liabilities according to when they are expected to be recovered or settled respectively:

As at 30 June 2022 (Unaudited)	Within 12 months SR	After 12 months SR	Total SR
ASSETS			
Bank balance	213,615	-	213,615
Financial assets at FVTPL	99,831,061	-	99,831,061
Receivables and advances	82,815	-	82,815
TOTAL ASSETS	100,127,491	-	100,127,491
LIABILITIES			
Management fee payable	10,713	-	10,713
Accrued expenses and other payables	122,643	-	122,643
TOTAL LIABILITIES	133,356	-	133,356

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Notes to unaudited interim condensed financial statements (Continued)

At 30 June 2022

8. MATURITY ANALYSIS OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES (continued)

<i>As at 31 December 2021 (Audited)</i>	<i>Within 12 months SR</i>	<i>After 12 months SR</i>	<i>Total SR</i>
ASSETS			
Bank balance	1,736,066	-	1,736,066
Financial assets at FVTPL	100,056,233	-	100,056,233
Receivables and advances	79,692	-	79,692
TOTAL ASSETS	<u>101,871,991</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>101,871,991</u>
LIABILITIES			
Management fee payable	21,742	-	21,742
Accrued expenses and other payables	95,223	-	95,223
TOTAL LIABILITIES	<u>116,965</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>116,965</u>

9. LAST VALUATION DAY

The last valuation day of the period was 29 June 2022 (year ended 31 December 2021: 31 December 2021).

10. SIGNIFICANT EVENT

As the COVID-19 pandemic continues, Government is constantly taking measures to address public health issues and the economic impact. Accordingly, the Fund's management continues to assess whether it will be affected by any developments and measures taken by Government and proactively assess its impact on its operations.

It is still uncertain to determine the size and extent of these effects, depending on future developments that cannot be accurately predicted at the present time, such as the rate of transmission of the virus and the size and effectiveness of the measures taken to contain it. In light of the uncertainty of the economic impact, it is not possible to make a reliable estimate of the resulting impact on the date of approval of these financial statements.

11. APPROVAL OF THE INTERIM CONDENSED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These unaudited interim condensed financial statements were approved by the Fund's management on 19 Muharram 1444H (corresponding to 17 August 2022).