

## UBS ETF (IE) Global Gender Equality UCITS ETF (hedged to CHF) A-dis **Fund Fact Sheet**

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## **Fund description**

- The fund generally invests in the Solactive Equileap Global Gender Equality 100 Leaders Net Total Return Index CHF Currency Hedged. The relative weightings of the companies correspond to their weightings in the index.
- The investment objective is to replicate the price and return performance of the Solactive Equileap Global Gender Equality 100 Leaders Net Total Return Index CHF Currency Hedged net of fees. The stock exchange price may differ from the net asset value.
- The fund is passively managed.
- The product described herein aligns to Article 8 • of Regulation (EU) 2019/2088.

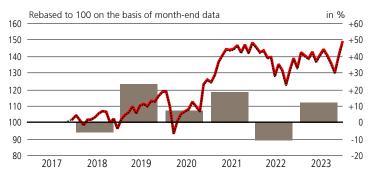
Name of fund	UBS (Irl) ETF plc – Global Gender Equality UCITS ETF
Share class UBS (Irl) ETF	plc – Global Gender Equality UCITS
	ETF (hedged to CHF) A-dis
ISIN	IE00BDR5H305
Securities no.	38 583 035
UCITS V	yes
Launch date	19.12.2017
Currency of fund / share class	USD/CHF
Management fee p.a.	0.23%
Total expense ratio (TER) p.a.1	0.23%
Name of the Management	UBS Fund Management
Company	(Ireland) Limited, Dublin 2
Accounting year end	31 December
Distribution	February, August
Replication methodology	Physical (Full replicated)
Portfolio management	UBS Asset Management (UK)
representatives	Ltd., London
Fund domicile	Ireland
SFDR Classification	Art.8
1 as at 13.12.2023	

#### **Fund statistics**

Net asset value (CHF, 29.12.2023)	14.66
Last 12 months (CHF) – high	14.69
– low	12.66
Total fund assets (CHF m)	636.00
Share class assets (CHF m)	8.35

	2 years	3 years	5 years
Volatility <sup>1</sup>			
– Fund	15.82%	14.22%	16.42%
– Benchmark	15.83%	14.23%	16.43%
Tracking error (ex post)	0.10%	0.10%	0.11%
1 Annualised standard deviation			

## Performance (basis CHF, net of fees)<sup>1</sup>



Fund performance net of fees (left-hand scale)

Fund performance per year in % net of fees (right-hand scale)

..... Index performance (left-hand scale)

### Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results.

in %	2019	2020	2021	2022		Dec. ! 2023		Ø p.a. 5 years
Fund (CHF)	23.20	6.27	17.72	-10.28	11.60	6.05	54.31	9.06
Index <sup>3</sup>	23.00	6.17	17.73	-10.45	11.35	6.03	53.30	8.92
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These figures refer to the past. **If the currency of a financial product, financial service or its costs is different from your reference currency, the return and/or costs can increase or decrease as <b>result of currency fluctuations**. Source for all data and chart (if not indicated otherwise): UBS Asset Management. YTD: year-to-date (since beginning of the year) Reference Index in currency of share class (without costs)

#### Index description

The Index has been designed to track the top companies leading the field internationally in terms of gender equality. In-depth gender equality screening as defined by Equileap is carried out. Companies which derive the majority of their revenues from the controversial weapons, gambling, tobacco or coal extraction and power generation industries are excluded. Also companies which are not complaint with the UNGC and OECD guidelines are not considered.

Index name Solactive Equileap Global Gender Equality 100 Leaders Index Hedged

	in CHF
Index type	Total Return Net
Number of index constituents	102
Countries in index	11
Bloomberg	SOGGNCCH
Reuters	.SOGGNCCH

### For more information UBS Fund Infoline: 0800 899 899 Internet: www.ubs.com/funds Contact your client advisor

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#### Market exposure (%)

Index				
United States	50.2			
Australia	11.1			
France	10.1			
United Kingdom	9.3			
Spain	4.0			
Norway	3.9			
Sweden	2.4			
Canada	2.1			
Switzerland	2.1			
Others	4.9			

#### 10 largest positions (%)

	Index
PINTEREST INC	1.3
CASTELLUM AB	1.3
LYFT INC	1.2
SUNRUN INC	1.2
ETSY INC	1.2
SALESFORCE INC	1.1
TELE2 AB	1.1
VIVENDI SA	1.1
CITIGROUP INC	1.1
XYLEM INC	1.1

#### Benefits

Clients benefit from the flexibility of an exchange-traded investment.

Provides access to this segment of the market with a single transaction.

Optimised risk/return profile thanks to a broad diversification across a range of countries and sectors.

The fund offers a high degree of transparency and cost efficiency.

UCITS compliant fund.

## Risks

This UBS Exchange Traded Fund invests in equities and may therefore be subject to high fluctuations in value. This Fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money before the recommended holding period disclosed in the PRIIPs KID. All investments are subject to market fluctuations. Every fund has specific risks, which can significantly increase under unusual market conditions. Sustainability characteristics and risks are considered as part of the Index selection process. As a result, the net asset value of the funds assets is directly dependent on the performance of the underlying index. Losses that could be avoided via active management will not be offset.

#### Listing and trading information

Exchange	Trading currency	Trading hours (local time)	Bloomberg Ticker	Reuters RIC	iNAV Bloomberg
SIX Swiss Exchange	CHF	09:00am - 05:30pm CET	GENDET SW	GENDET.S	IUSAUK

#### Glossary of key terms

#### Benchmark

Index against which an investment fund's performance is measured. Also called a reference index.

#### Beta

A measure of risk which indicates the sensitivity of an investment, such as an investment fund, to fluctuations in the market, as represented by the relevant benchmark. For example, a beta of 1.2 tells us that the value of an investment fund can be expected to change by 12% if the market is forecast to move by 10%. The relation is based on historical data and is only an approximation. However, the closer the correlation between the benchmark and the investment fund, the better this approximation.

#### Correlation

A measure of the degree to which the price trends of various investment categories or instruments move in the same direction. The correlation quantifies the strength of the relationship as a figure between -1 and +1. The closer the coefficient is to 1, the stronger the correlation. If the coefficient is -1, the investments and the benchmark move in opposite directions. If the value is 0, there is no correlation.

### Duration

The duration represents the length of time for which capital is "tied up" in a bond investment. In contrast to residual maturity calculations, the concept of duration takes account of the time structure of returning cash flows (such as coupon repayments). The average duration of the portfolio is derived from the weighted average duration of the individual securities. The "modified duration" is derived from the duration and provides a measure of the risk with which the

sensitivity of bonds or bond portfolios to interest-rate changes can be estimated. A 1% increase (decrease) in the interest level accordingly produces a percentage fall (rise) in the price in proportion to the modified duration. For example: the modified duration of a bond fund is 4.5, the theoretical yield to maturity is 5.3%. If the theoretical yield to maturity drops in the example by 1% to 4.3% due to the decline in interest rates, the fund price increases by around 4.5%. For bond and asset allocation funds, the duration is given for all fixed-income instruments.

#### Investment grade

Term used to denote securities with ratings of between BBB and AAA, indicating that their credit quality is satisfactory or good.

#### Sharpe ratio

The Sharpe ratio expresses how much higher (or lower) a return an investor can expect compared to the risk-free rate of interest (e.g. interest rates on savings accounts) per unit of risk (volatility). The risk-free rate of interest varies from currency to currency.

### Tracking error

Measure of the deviation of the return of a fund compared to the return of a benchmark over a fixed period of time. Expressed as a percentage. The more passively the investment fund is managed, the smaller the tracking error.

#### Volatility

In portfolio theory the risk of an investment is measured by the amount of volatility. Risk and return are directly related: Markowitz's portfolio theory posits that a higher return can only be obtained with a higher risk.

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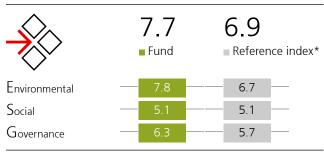
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# UBS ETF (IE) Global Gender Equality UCITS ETF – ESG Report

This page provides transparency on key sustainability metrics that may be of interest to investors, but may not be part of the fund's investment process. This information is provided to enable comparison with other financial products and to help investors assess their exposure to ESG topics.

#### **MSCI ESG Scores**

(Holding-weighted average (0-10))



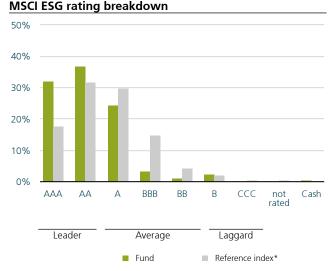
#### ESG details of the top 10 equity positions

(in % of fund AuM)<sup>1,2</sup>

Holding	Weight	ESG Score
Pinterest Inc	1.3	1.7
Castellum AB	1.3	9.5
Lyft Inc	1.2	5.5
Sunrun Inc	1.2	7.1
Etsy Inc	1.1	5.8
Salesforce Inc	1.1	8.3
Tele2 AB	1.1	10.0
Vivendi SE	1.1	6.0
Citigroup Inc	1.1	7.1
GPT Group/The	1.1	8.6

1 This is not a recommendation to buy or sell any security 2 AuM = Assets under Management

#### 2



The final industry-adjusted ESG scores are mapped to letter MSCI ESG rating with AAA/AA leaders; A/BBB/BB average; B/CCC laggards.

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#### Weighted average carbon intensity

(tCO2 equivalents per USD million sales)

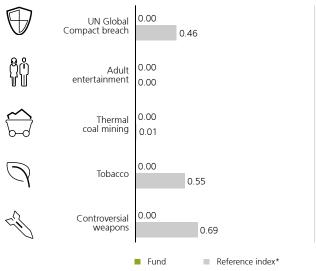


#### UBS AM sustainability approaches applied

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## Controversy check

(in % of fund AuM)<sup>1</sup>



1 Assets under Management

#### Glossary

**ESG** is an abbreviation for Environmental, Social and Governance (factors). These factors are used to evaluate companies and countries on how advanced they are with respect to sustainability. Once sufficient data on these factors are available, they can be used to assess and compare assets and also to inform the investment process when deciding what assets to buy, hold or sell.

**Controversy check:** Controversial Business Involvement exposure is the exposure to companies with a revenue share exceeding a certain threshold of the respective field (production). Link to our exclusion policy for more details: -> www.ubs.com/si-exclusion-policy

#### UBS AM sustainability approaches applied

Exclusion: Strategies that exclude securities from funds where they are not aligned to an investor's values. Includes customized screening criteria.

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<u>ESG Integration</u>: Strategies that integrate environmental, social and governance (ESG) factors into fundamental financial analysis to improve risk/return profile.

<u>SI Focus</u>: Strategies where sustainability is an explicit part of the investment guidelines, universe, selection and/or investment process

Impact: Strategies where the intention is to generate measurable environmental and/or social benefits ("impact") alongside the financial return.

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https://www.ubs.com/global/en/assetmanagement/ capabilities/sustainable-investing/stewardshipengagement.html

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#### Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (tons CO2e /USDm

**sales):** The Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (WACI) measures a fund's exposure to carbon-intensive companies. The WACI metric provides insight into potential risks related to the transition to a lower-carbon economy because

companies with higher carbon intensity are likely to face more exposure to carbon related market and regulatory risks. This metrics is applicable across asset classes, including fixed income, as it's not based on equity ownership basis. It's the sum product of the fund weights and individual carbon intensities (carbon emissions scope 1+2 / USDm sales). Data provider: MSCI ESG Research

MSCI ESG scores are provided by MSCI ESG Research and are measured on a scale from 0 (lowest/worst score) to 10 (highest/best score). The score is based on the underlying company's exposure to industry-specific ESG risks and their ability to mitigate those risks relative to their peers. ESG scores are also shown a breakdown of the E, S and G scores, in reference to the different components that are considered for the Environmental, Social and Government pillars. The components are also rated on a scale of 0-10. Based on the individual E, S and G values, a weighted average can be calculated. This is dynamic and takes into account the direct changes of all underlying results, which affect the individual E, S and G values. The ESG Score measures the most financially significant environmental, social and governance risks and opportunities of companies. In addition, sectoral differences are taken into account through key industry specific ESG issues. This makes the ESG score a rather static measure, as the relative valuation of a sector remains constant over a longer period of time.

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Benchmark selection is driven by portfolio implementation considerations, in particular to closely reflect the financial and ESG objectives of the fund. For passively managed strategies, an ESG benchmark would be selected for the purpose of balancing between reasonable tracking error and high ESG alignment. In order to assess the magnitude of ESG improvements, the fund's ESG performance is also shown against a selected broad market index which closely represents the parent investment universe on which the ESG benchmark is based on.

Sources: Fund holding data: UBS Asset Management; MSCI ESG Research

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