

### Key Investor Information for Investors in the United Kingdom

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## Xtrackers ESG USD Emerging Markets Bond Quality Weighted UCITS ETF

**Share class: 1D, ISIN: IE00BD4DX952, Security code: A144GB, Currency: USD**

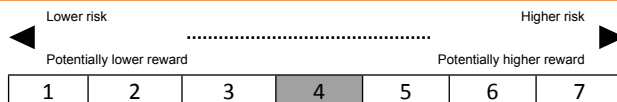
a sub-fund of Xtrackers (IE) plc. The management company is DWS Investment S.A., a member of the DWS Group.

### Objectives and investment policy

The fund is passively managed. **INVESTMENT OBJECTIVE:** The fund aims to reflect the performance of the iBoxx MSCI ESG USD Emerging Markets Sovereigns Quality Weighted Index (index). **DESCRIPTION OF INDEX:** The index is designed to represent the performance of a range of US dollar (USD) currency denominated tradable debt (bonds) issued by governments or central banks in emerging market countries. The index first takes into account fundamental economic indicators and secondly MSCI ESG Government Ratings (ESG Ratings) for selection and weighting purposes. **ESG CRITERIA:** Bonds issued by countries with favourable fundamental economic indicators and higher ESG Ratings will have higher representation in the index compared to countries with weaker economic fundamental indicators and lower ESG Ratings. Bonds are only eligible for inclusion in the index if they meet certain pre-determined selection and eligibility criteria including a minimum credit rating. All eligible countries are attributed scores derived from fundamental economic indicators that are then used to determine the level that bonds issued by each country will have in the index. Following the application of all financial screening criteria as described above, the index ranks countries still eligible for inclusion by their ESG Rating. Starting with the lowest rating, countries will be excluded until the cumulative market value weight of such exclusions reaches a minimum 20%

threshold (effectively a "best-in-universe" approach). **INDEX REBALANCING, CALCULATION AND ADMINISTRATION:** The index is calculated on a total return gross basis, meaning all distributions paid by the issuers of the bonds are treated as being reinvested. The index is rebalanced on a monthly basis and country weightings are re-allocated every three months. **INVESTMENT POLICY:** To achieve the aim, the fund will attempt to replicate the index, before fees and expenses, by buying a portfolio of securities that may comprise the constituents of the index or other unrelated investments as determined by DWS entities. The fund may employ techniques and instruments in order to manage risk, reduce costs and improve results. These techniques and instruments may include the use of derivatives. **FURTHER INFORMATION:** Certain information (including the latest share prices of the fund, indicative net asset values, full disclosure on the composition of the fund's portfolio and information on the index constituents) are available on your local DWS website or at [www.Xtrackers.com](http://www.Xtrackers.com). Transaction costs and taxes, unexpected fund costs and market conditions such as volatility or liquidity issues may affect the ability of the fund to track the index. The anticipated level of tracking error in normal market conditions is 1 per cent. The currency of the fund is USD. The fund distributes up to four times per annum. You may request the redemption of shares generally on a daily basis.

### Risk and reward profile



The calculation of the risk and reward profile is based on historical data that cannot be used as a reliable indicator for the future risk profile. This risk indicator is subject to changes; the classification of the fund may change over time and cannot be guaranteed. Even a fund that is classified in the lowest category (category 1) does not represent a completely risk-free investment. The fund is classified in category 4 because its share price fluctuates and the likelihood of both losses and gains may therefore be relatively high. The following risks could be of particular significance for the fund: The value of your investment may go down as well as up and past performance does not predict future returns. Investor capital may be at risk up to a total loss. The Fund is exposed to less economically developed economies (known as emerging markets) which involve greater risks than well developed economies. Political unrest and economic downturn may be more likely and will affect the value of your investment. Bonds are exposed to credit risk and interest rate risk. There is a risk that the bond issuer may be unable to pay interest or repay the bond principal, resulting in your investment suffering a loss. If interest rates rise, typically the value of the bond will fall, which could also affect the value of your investment. The Fund follows a rules-based strategy which will deviate from the overall market or parent index. Your investment is likely to be less diversified and there is no guarantee that the index's 'rules-based' strategy will be achieved. The Fund invests in non-investment grade bonds which generally have a higher risk of default and are more susceptible to market fluctuations. This could adversely affect the value of your investment. The fund will attempt to replicate the performance of the index less costs, but your investment is not expected to match the performance of the index precisely. **EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCES RISK:** Exceptional circumstances may arise, such as, but not limited to, disruptive

market conditions, additional costs/taxes or extremely volatile markets, which may cause the fund's performance to be substantially different from the performance of the index. **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST RISK:** DWS entities and related companies may act in several roles in relation to the fund such as distributor and management company which may involve conflicts of interest. **NO GUARANTEE RISK:** The fund is not guaranteed and your investment is at risk. The value of your investment may go down as well as up. **EMERGING MARKETS RISK:** The fund is exposed to less economically developed economies (known as emerging markets) which involve greater risks than well developed economies. Markets in bonds may at times become volatile or illiquid. **BONDS RISK:** The fund invests in non-investment grade bonds which generally have a higher risk of default and are more susceptible to market fluctuations than investment grade bonds. Bonds are exposed to credit risk and interest rate risk. **SUSTAINABILITY RISK:** The ESG screening criteria are embedded within the index selection process, which seeks to exclude bonds issued by companies involved in certain activities. The investment manager and sub-portfolio manager are not responsible for monitoring the screening process or confirming that all bonds which pass the screening process are issued by companies with adequate ESG standards. The company is solely relying on the activities conducted by and information provided by the administrator of the index and MSCI ESG Research LLC for the ESG screening. ESG information from third-party data providers may be incomplete, inaccurate or unavailable. As a result, there is a risk that the index administrator may incorrectly assess a security or issuer, resulting in the incorrect inclusion or exclusion of a security in the index. **DERIVATIVES RISK:** The fund may use derivatives to try to manage its investments more efficiently. This may not always be successful and may result in greater fluctuations in the value of the fund. This may negatively affect the value of the fund and your investment.

A more detailed description of risks and other general information can be found in the risk section(s) of the prospectus.

### Charges

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund, including the costs of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

One-off charges taken before or after you invest	
<b>Entry charge</b>	None
<b>Exit charge</b>	None
This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested (entry charge) and before the proceeds of your investment are paid out (exit charge).	

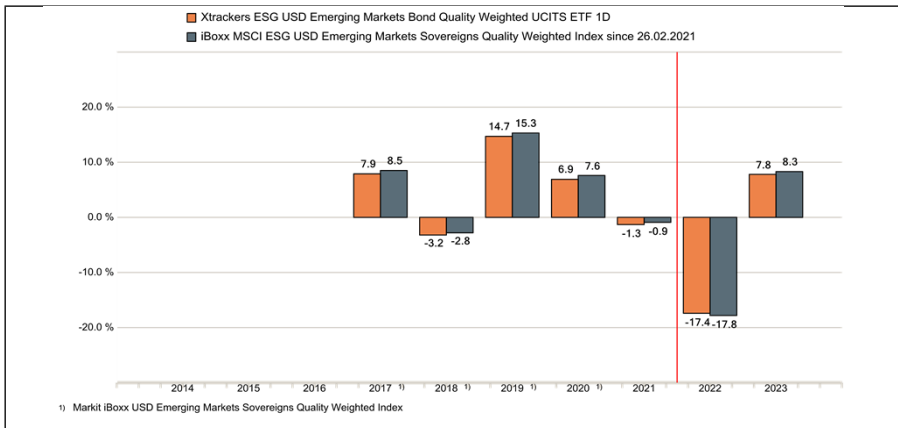
Secondary market investors (those who buy or sell shares on a stock exchange) may be charged certain fees by their stock broker. These charges, if any, can be obtained from such stock broker. Authorised participants dealing directly with the fund will pay the transaction costs related to their subscriptions and redemptions.

Charges taken from the fund over a year	
Ongoing charges	0.45 %
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions	
Performance fee	None

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the fiscal year ending 31.12.2023. It may vary from year to year. It excludes portfolio transaction costs and performance fees, if any.

Additional information on costs can be found in the cost section(s) of the prospectus.

## Past performance



Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future performance. All costs and fees that were withdrawn from the 1D share class of Xtrackers ESG USD Emerging Markets Bond Quality Weighted UCITS ETF were deducted during the calculation. The 1D share class of Xtrackers ESG USD Emerging Markets Bond Quality Weighted UCITS ETF was launched in 2016.

As of 26 February 2021 the fund changed its investment objective to reflect the performance of the iBoxx MSCI ESG USD Emerging Markets Sovereigns Quality Weighted Index. The past performance shown from 2016 up to 2020 (inclusive), is that of the Markit iBoxx USD Emerging Markets Sovereigns Quality Weighted Index. 2021 shows a combined performance of both indices.

## Practical information

The depositary is State Street Custodial Services (Ireland) Limited, Ireland. Copies of the prospectus and the periodic reports are available free of charge in the language of this document. The documents as well as other information (including the latest share prices as well as the indicative net asset values) are available free of charge. The documents are available on your local DWS website or at [www.Xtrackers.com](http://www.Xtrackers.com), for full disclosure on the composition of the fund's portfolio and information on the index constituents please refer to this website as well. Information on the current remuneration policy of the management company, including a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated is published on the Internet at <https://www.dws.com/footer/Legal-Resources/dws-remuneration-policy?setLanguage=en>. The information will be sent to you in paper form free of charge upon request. Taxation regimes applicable to the fund in your jurisdiction may affect your personal tax situation. Prospective investors should inform themselves of, and where appropriate take advice on

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This key investor information is accurate as at 15.02.2024.

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