

This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

#### Goldman Sachs Social Bond - I Cap GBP (hedged i)

ISIN: LU2496309183

A sub-fund (hereafter referred to as the fund) of Goldman Sachs Funds III

This fund is managed by Goldman Sachs Asset Management B.V.

# **Objectives and Investment Policy**

The Fund is classified as a financial product under Article 9 of the EU Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation. The Fund has sustainable investment as its objective. Detailed information on the sustainability related disclosures of the Fund can be found in the Pre-Contractual Document (annex of the prospectus) on

https://www.gsam.com/responsible-investing/en-INT/non-professional /funds/documents. The fund mainly invests in a portfolio of Social bonds and money market instruments of high quality (with a rating of AAA to BBB-) mainly denominated in Euro. Social bonds are any type of bond instruments where the proceeds will be applied to finance or re-finance in part or in full new and/or existing projects that provide clear social benefits especially but not exclusively for a target population(s). The fund may also invest in sustainability bonds. The fund may invest in bonds with a higher risk (with a quality rating lower than BBB-) up to 10% of its net assets. To determine our eligible universe, we check if the selected bonds adhere to the Social Bond Principles as formulated by the International Capital Market Association. Furthermore issuers are screened using exclusionary screening. We do not invest in issuers involved in activities including but not limited to, the development, production, maintenance or trade of controversial weapons, the production of tobacco products, thermal coal mining and/or oil sands production. Further, more stringent restrictions are applicable for investments in issuers involved in activities related to gambling, weapons, adult entertainment, fur & specialty leather, Arctic drilling and shale oil & gas. Issuers with severe environmental, social and governance (ESG) controversies or poor ESG ratings and policies are excluded. Measured over a period of 5 years we aim to beat the performance of the benchmark iBoxx EUR Investment Grade Social Bonds (10% Issuer Cap). The benchmark is a broad representation of our investment universe. The fund can also include bonds that are not part of the benchmark universe. There is no benchmark for this specific hedged share class as we apply a currency hedging strategy. The sub-fund's base currency is Euro (EUR) and the sub-fund can be ex-posed to non-EUR currencies. By hedging this share class we aim to exchange the base currency of the sub-fund (EUR) with the base currency of this share class British Pound (GBP). The exposure towards non-GBP currencies in the sub-fund remains in this share class. A currency hedge consists of taking an offsetting position in another currency. We actively manage the fund with a focus on bond selection. We combine our analysis on specific issuers of bonds with a broader ESG and market analysis to construct the optimal portfolio. We aim to exploit differences in valuations of issuers of bonds within sectors and differences in valuations between sectors and different quality segments (ratings). Therefore the fund positioning can materially deviate from the benchmark. As issuer specific risk is an important driver of performance, we subject all issuers in the investable universe to an in-depth analysis of business and financial risk. For risk management purposes, sector and country deviation limits are maintained relative to the benchmark. You can sell your participation in this fund on each (working) day on which the value of the units is calculated, which for this fund occurs daily. The fund does not aim to provide you with a dividend. It will reinvest all earnings.

## **Risk and Reward Profile**

Lower risk - Typically lower rewards				Higher risk - Typically Higher rewards		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

Historical data, such as is used for calculating this indicator, may not be a reliable indication of the future risk profile of this fund. There is no guarantee that the risk indicator will remain unchanged, it may shift over time. The lowest category of risk does not mean that the investment is riskfree.

This fund is in category 3 because of the behaviour of the product during the measuring period. The overall market risk, taking into account past performances and future potential evolution of the markets, associated with bonds used to reach the investment objective is considered medium.

These financial instruments are impacted by various factors. These include, but are not limited to, the development of the financial market, the economic development of issuers of these financial instruments who are themselves affected by the general world economic situation and the economic and political conditions in each country. Expected credit risk, the risk of failure of the issuers of underlying investments is medium. The Sub-Fund's liquidity risk is set to medium. Liquidity risks arise when a specific underlying investment is difficult to sell. No guarantee is provided as to the recovery of the initial investment. Hedging share classes, a method to try to manage specific currency risk, may lead to additional credit risk and to residual market risk depending on the effectiveness of the hedging performed.

# **Charges**

All charges paid by the investor are used to pay the running costs of the fund, including the cost of marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

## One-off charges taken before or after you invest:

Entry charge 2% Exit charge 0%

This is the maximum that might be taken out of your money before it is invested or before the proceeds of your investment are paid out.

## Charges taken from the fund over a year:

Ongoing charge 0.35%

#### Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions:

Performance fee 0%

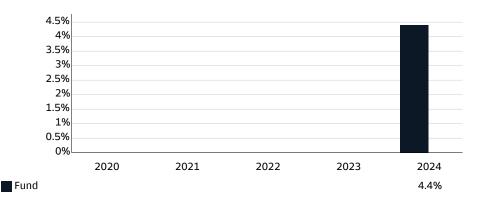
The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less - you can find this out from your financial adviser.

The ongoing charges figure is based on expenses for the year ending 12/2024. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes:

- Performance fees
- Portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the funds when buying or selling units in another collective investment undertaking.

You can find more detail about the charges in the chapter "Subscriptions, redemptions and conversions" and "Fees, expenses and taxation" of the prospectus which is available on our website https://www.gsam.com/responsible-investing/en-INT/non-professional/funds/documents.

### **Past Performance**



- Performance in the past is not a reliable indicator of future results.
- The past performance shown here takes account of all charges and costs, excluding entry and exit costs and fund switching costs.
- This sub-fund was launched in 2022.
- This share class was launched in 2023.
- The past performance is calculated in GBP.

### **Practical information**

- Fund depositary: Brown Brothers Harriman (Luxembourg) S.C.A.
- Further information about this fund including other share classes, copies of the prospectus and of the annual and half-yearly reports of the fund may be obtained from the Management Company free of charge and on the website

https://www.gsam.com/responsible-investing/en-INT/non-professional/funds/documents in . The Management Company has adopted a remuneration policy and report detailing the general remuneration principles, governance, as well as the remuneration of identified staff and relevant quantitative information which, once available, may be obtained free of charge upon request at the registered office of the Management Company or consulted on the following website:

https://www.gsam.com/responsible-investing/en-LU/non-professional/about/policies-and-governance.

- The price of the shares / units of the fund is calculated and published in GBP. The prices will be made public on the website https://am.gs.com/.
- This fund is subject to tax laws and regulations of Luxembourg. Depending on your country of residence, this might have an impact on your personal tax position.
- Goldman Sachs Asset Management B.V. may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the prospectus for the fund.

This Key Investor Information describes a sub-fund of the fund Goldman Sachs Funds III. The prospectus and the periodical reports for the fund are prepared for the entire fund including all its sub-funds. Under Luxembourg Law of 17 December 2010 on Undertakings for Collective investment sub-funds assets and liabilities of the sub-funds of the fund are segregated and may be deemed to be separate entities for the purpose of the relations between investors and may be separately liquidated.

This fund is authorised in Luxembourg, under the surveillance of and regulated by the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier (CSSF). Goldman Sachs Asset Management B.V. is authorised in The Netherlands and regulated by the Autoriteit Financiële Markten.

This key investor information is accurate as at 11/02/2025.