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# iShares STOXX Europe 600 Insurance UCITS ETF (DE)

## October Factsheet

Performance, Portfolio Breakdowns and Net Asset information as at: 31-Oct-2020

All other data as at 07-Nov-2020

For Investors in the UK. Investors should read the Key Investor Information Document and Prospectus prior to investing.

The Fund seeks to track the performance of an index composed of companies from the European Insurance sector.

### KEY BENEFITS

- 1 Exposure to companies from developed countries in Europe
- 2 Direct investment into companies from the Insurance supersector as defined by the Industry Classification Benchmark (ICB)
- 3 Insurance sector exposure

**Key Risks:** Investment risk is concentrated in specific sectors, countries, currencies or companies. This means the Fund is more sensitive to any localised economic, market, political or regulatory events. The value of equities and equity-related securities can be affected by daily stock market movements. Other influential factors include political, economic news, company earnings and significant corporate events. Counterparty Risk: The insolvency of any institutions providing services such as safekeeping of assets or acting as counterparty to derivatives or other instruments, may expose the Fund to financial loss.

### GROWTH OF 10,000 EUR SINCE INCEPTION



### 12 MONTH PERFORMANCE PERIODS (% EUR)

	30/9/2015 - 30/9/2016	30/9/2016 - 30/9/2017	30/9/2017 - 30/9/2018	30/9/2018 - 30/9/2019	30/9/2019 - 30/9/2020	2019 Calendar Year
<b>Fund</b>	-4.28%	26.51%	5.48%	8.85%	-19.96%	29.93%
<b>Benchmark</b>	-4.92%	26.29%	5.41%	8.63%	-19.33%	29.37%

### ANNUALISED PERFORMANCE (% EUR)

	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	10 Years	Since Inception
<b>Fund</b>	-27.17%	-5.92%	-1.29%	7.40%	2.84%
<b>Benchmark</b>	-26.62%	-5.85%	-1.36%	7.44%	2.89%

The figures shown relate to past performance. Past performance is not a reliable indicator of future results and should not be the sole factor of consideration when selecting a product or strategy. Share Class and Benchmark performance displayed in EUR, hedged fund benchmark performance is displayed in EUR. Performance is shown on a Net Asset Value (NAV) basis, with gross income reinvested where applicable. Performance data is based on the net asset value (NAV) of the ETF which may not be the same as the market price of the ETF. Individual shareholders may realize returns that are different to the NAV performance. The return of your investment may increase or decrease as a result of currency fluctuations if your investment is made in a currency other than that used in the past performance calculation. **Source:** BlackRock

As of 02 Nov 2005 the index tracked for this fund changed from DJ Stoxx 600 - Insurance (4PM GMT Historical Levels) to STOXX® Europe 600 Insurance

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**Capital at risk.** All financial investments involve an element of risk. Therefore, the value of your investment and the income from it will vary and your initial investment amount cannot be guaranteed.

### KEY FACTS

<b>Asset Class</b>	Equity
<b>Fund Base Currency</b>	EUR
<b>Share Class Currency</b>	EUR
<b>Fund Launch Date</b>	08-Jul-2002
<b>Share Class Launch Date</b>	08-Jul-2002
<b>Benchmark</b>	STOXX® Europe 600 Insurance
<b>ISIN</b>	DE000A0H08K7
<b>Total Expense Ratio</b>	0.46%
<b>Distribution Type</b>	Up to 4x per year
<b>Domicile</b>	Germany
<b>Methodology</b>	Replicated
<b>Product Structure</b>	Physical
<b>Rebalance Frequency</b>	Quarterly
<b>UCITS</b>	Yes
<b>ISA Eligibility</b>	Yes
<b>SIPP Available</b>	Yes
<b>UK Distributor/Reporting Status</b>	No/Yes
<b>Use of Income</b>	Distributing

<b>Net Assets of Fund</b>	EUR 127,913,369
<b>Net Assets of Share Class</b>	EUR 127,913,367
<b>Number of Holdings</b>	33
<b>Shares Outstanding</b>	5,850,000
<b>Benchmark Ticker</b>	SXIR
<b>Distribution Yield</b>	3.24%

### TOP HOLDINGS (%)

ALLIANZ	17.22
ZURICH INSURANCE GROUP AG	11.71
AXA SA	7.80
MUENCHENER RUECKVERSICHERUNGS-GESE	7.69
PRUDENTIAL PLC	7.46
SWISS RE AG	4.87
SAMPO	4.52
ASSICURAZIONI GENERALI	4.07
LEGAL AND GENERAL GROUP PLC	3.35
AVIVA PLC	3.07
	71.76

Holdings are subject to change.

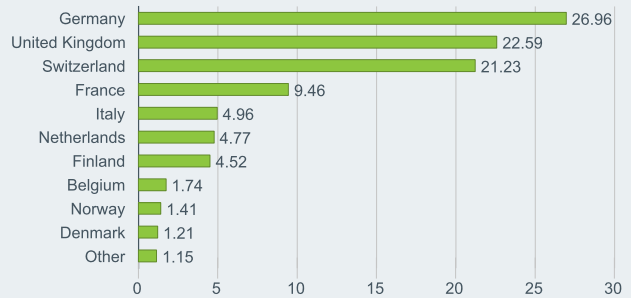
## SECTOR BREAKDOWN (%)

	Fund
Insurance	99.57
Cash and/or Derivatives	0.43

## DEALING INFORMATION

Exchange	Xetra
Ticker	EXH5
Bloomberg Ticker	SXIPEX.GY
RIC	SXIPEX.DE
SEDOL	B44BVG9
Trading Currency	EUR
This product is also listed on: SIX Swiss Exchange	

## GEOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN (%)



Geographic exposure relates principally to the domicile of the issuers of the securities held in the product, added together and then expressed as a percentage of the product's total holdings. However, in some instances it can reflect the location where the issuer of the securities carries out much of their business.

## GLOSSARY

**Total Expense Ratio (TER):** A measure of the total costs associated with managing and operating a fund. The TER consists primarily of the management fee plus other expenses such as trustee, custody, or operating expenses. It is expressed as a percentage of the fund's total net asset value.

**Distribution yield:** The distribution yield represents the ratio of distributed income over the last 12 months to the fund's current Net Asset Value.

**Product Structure:** Indicates whether the fund buys the actual underlying securities in the index (i.e. Physical) or whether the fund gains exposure to those securities by buying derivatives, such as swaps (known as 'Synthetic'). Swaps are a form of contract that promises to provide the return of the security to the fund, but the fund does not hold the actual security. This can introduce a risk that the counterparty defaults on the "promise" or contract.

**Methodology:** Indicates whether the product is holding all index securities in the same weight as the index (replicating) or whether an optimised subset of index securities is used (optimised/sampled) in order to efficiently track index performance.

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The metrics below have been provided for transparency and informational purposes only. The existence of an ESG rating is not indicative of how or whether ESG factors will be integrated into a fund. The metrics are based on MSCI Fund Ratings and, unless otherwise stated in Fund documentation and included within a Fund's investment objective, ESG integration does not change a Fund's investment objective or constrain the Investment Manager's investable universe, and there is no indication that an ESG or Impact focused investment strategy or exclusionary screens will be adopted by a Fund. For more information regarding a fund's investment strategy, please see the fund's prospectus.

<b>MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC)</b>	AAA	<b>MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10)</b>	9.23
<b>MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile</b>	97.37%	<b>MSCI ESG % Coverage</b>	100.00%
<b>Fund Lipper Global Classification</b>	Equity Sector Financials	<b>MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES)</b>	1.35
<b>Funds in Peer Group</b>	266		

All data is from MSCI ESG Fund Ratings as of **01-Oct-2020**, based on holdings as of **31-Jul-2020**. As such, the funds sustainable characteristics may differ from MSCI ESG ratings from time to time.

To be included in MSCI ESG Fund Ratings, 65% of the fund's underlying holdings (excluding cash positions) must be covered by MSCI ESG Research, the fund's holdings date must be less than one year old, and the fund must have at least ten securities. For newly launched funds, sustainability characteristics are typically available 6 months after launch.

## ESG GLOSSARY

**MSCI ESG Fund Rating (AAA-CCC):** The MSCI ESG Rating is calculated as a direct mapping of ESG Quality Scores to letter rating categories (e.g. AAA = 8.6-10). The ESG Ratings range from leader (AAA, AA), average (A, BBB, BB) to laggard (B, CCC).

**MSCI ESG Quality Score - Peer Percentile:** The fund's ESG Percentile compared to its Lipper peer group.

**Fund Lipper Global Classification:** The fund peer group as defined by the Lipper Global Classification.

**Funds in Peer Group:** The number of funds from the relevant Lipper Global Classification peer group that are also in ESG coverage.

**MSCI ESG Quality Score (0-10):** The MSCI ESG Quality Score (0 - 10) for funds is calculated using the weighted average of the ESG scores of fund holdings. The Score also considers ESG Rating trend of holdings and the fund exposure to holdings in the laggard category. MSCI rates underlying holdings according to their exposure to 37 industry specific ESG risks and their ability to manage those risks relative to peers.

**MSCI ESG % Coverage:** Percentage of a fund's holdings that have MSCI ESG ratings data.

**MSCI Weighted Average Carbon Intensity (Tons CO2E/\$M SALES):** Measures a fund's exposure to carbon intensive companies. This figure represents the estimated greenhouse gas emissions per \$1 million in sales across the fund's holdings. This allows for comparisons between funds of different sizes.

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