

Semi-Annual Report for the Investment Fund

iShares Dow Jones Industrial Average UCITS ETF (DE)



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Notice

The investment fund named in this report is governed by German law. Fund units are bought on the basis of the currently valid prospectus and investment conditions, supplemented by the most recent annual report concerned and also by the semi-annual report if such a report exists that is more recent than the last annual report.

The annual and semi-annual reports were drawn up in German and translated into other languages.

Only the German version is legally binding.

Note on Licences

Legal information

The German iShares funds mentioned in this document are investment funds subject to the German Investment Code. These funds are managed by BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG and are regulated by the Federal Financial Supervisory Authority (BaFin).

For investors in Germany

The sales prospectuses of the funds issued in Germany are available free of charge electronically and in hard copy from BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG, Lenbachplatz 1, 80333 Munich, Germany, Tel.: +49 (0) 89 42729 - 5858, Fax: +49 (0) 89 42729 - 5958, info@iShares.de.

Risk warnings

The value of investments in all the iShares funds may fluctuate, and investors may not get back the amount invested. Past performance may not be repeated and is no guarantee of future returns. Investment risks from market and currency losses as well as high volatility and concentration risk cannot be excluded.

Index - Disclaimers of liability

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Additional Information for Investors in Austria and France

The sales prospectuses, including investment terms and conditions, annual reports and semi-annual reports can be obtained, without charge, from the relevant paying agent and distributor.

Paying Agent and Distributor in Austria:

UniCredit Bank Austria AG Rothschildplatz 1 1020 Vienna, Austria

Tax Representative in Austria:

Ernst & Young Wagramer Str. 19 1220 Vienna, Austria

Paying Agent and Distributor in France:

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Additional information for investors in countries outside Germany:

iShares Dow Jones Industrial Average UCITS ETF (DE)

Total expense ratio (TER): 0.51%

The total expense ratio expresses all costs and payments (not including transaction costs) borne by the fund during the past 12 months in relation to the average net asset value of the fund's assets.

Performance of the fund over the last three calendar years:

| 31/12/2017 - 31/12/2018 | -5.71% |
|-------------------------|---------|
| 31/12/2018 - 31/12/2019 | +25.22% |
| 31/12/2019 - 31/12/2020 | +8.54% |



Report of the Management Board

Dear Investors.

BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG can look back on a dynamic performance on the market for exchange-traded products (ETPs) in the 2021 reporting period. iShares benefited from this performance. At the European level, iShares generated net cash inflows of around USD 63.6 billion or EUR 54.9 billion in the first three quarters of 2021 (first three quarters 2020: USD 32.3 billion or EUR 27.6 billion). BlackRock is the world leader in ETFs under the iShares brand.

The range of iShares ETFs currently comprises 579 share classes admitted for sale in Germany. This gives investors in this country easy and diversified access to a variety of global markets and asset classes. Around one tenth (60) of these exchange-traded share classes are set up in Germany and can be recognised by the "(DE)" in the fund name.

As of 31 October 2021, the volume of German funds under management was USD 55.4 billion or EUR 47.8 billion. The volume of the 21 subfunds admitted for public distribution was USD 11.4 billion or EUR 9.9 billion on the same date. This Semi-Annual Report provides you with detailed information about the performance of our index funds.

Hopes of a full normalisation of economic activity in 2021 have not yet been fulfilled. Despite the development and provision of highly effective vaccines against Covid-19, impairments to mobility have persisted longer and, in some cases, more extensively in the industrialised countries than expected at the beginning of the year, while in emerging and developing countries vaccination progress is lagging far behind. Overall, the momentum of the economic recovery from the Covid pandemic remains disappointing. More recently, supply constraints have been a contributing factor. Where demand has surged again with the opening of lockdowns, in many cases this has been contrasted with constrained supply. Supply chains that were interrupted because of the pandemic and have not yet been fully restored everywhere, as well as empty markets for certain raw materials, energy sources and industrial intermediates such as semiconductors, continue to have a dampening effect on output. At the same time, manufacturing companies are finding it easier to pass on the resulting higher production prices to consumers, as the latter have involuntarily built-up high savings due to forced consumption cuts during the lockdowns and are also willing to pay higher prices after months of restraint. The result is an intensification of the expected inflationary push triggered by base effects, which is now likely to last longer than expected due to persistently disrupted supply and logistics capacities and to continue well into 2022.

Institutional and private investors do not just value iShares ETFs as components of their portfolios for implementing their own investment ideas. As the funds become more widespread, the demand for ETF-based insurance solutions, ETF savings schemes and asset management products based on ETFs also grows. In this context, we have worked with partners to design models that offer suggestions for suitable asset allocations for investor types with different risk/reward profiles. In the reporting period, this included developing model portfolios for banks, various online brokers, and providers of digital asset management services, commonly known as robo-advisors. In the European ETF market, iShares is still excellently positioned as a provider from the onset. We continue to invest in excellent service and products that meet our customers' needs. We intend to further extend our market leadership by means of continuous and innovative expansion of our offering. The strategic competitive advantages of iShares ETFs include high market liquidity, tight bid/ask spreads, and highly accurate index replication.

For more information, please visit our website www.iShares.de or call us on +49 (0) 89 42729 - 5858.

We would like to thank you for your confidence and look forward to continued partnership and cooperation.

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The Board of BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG

Dirk Schmitz

Harald Klug

Peter Scharl



Statement of assets and liabilities as at 31/10/2021

| | Market value | % of Fund- |
|---|----------------|------------|
| | in USD | assets1) |
| I. Assets | 278,178,129.78 | 100.05 |
| 1. Shares | 277,275,552.83 | 99.72 |
| Commercial & service sector | 112,818,351.03 | 40.58 |
| Financial sector | 57,573,830.42 | 20.71 |
| Healthcare | 12,788,105.93 | 4.60 |
| Industrial manufacturing, including the construction industry | 32,090,403.28 | 11.54 |
| Manufacture of industrial raw materials and semi-finished goods | 18,470,230.65 | 6.64 |
| Production of foodstuffs and consumer goods | 11,397,931.80 | 4.10 |
| Technology sector | 29,285,028.22 | 10.53 |
| Telecoms | 2,851,671.50 | 1.03 |
| 2. Derivatives | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| Forward contracts | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| 3. Receivables | 143,522.21 | 0.05 |
| 4. Bank accounts | 700,014.74 | 0.25 |
| 5. Other assets | 40,000.00 | 0.01 |
| II. Liabilities | -133,826.26 | -0.05 |
| Liabilities arising from loans | -7,905.04 | -0.00 |
| Other liabilities | -125,921.22 | -0.05 |
| III. Fund assets | 278,044,303.52 | 100.00 |

¹⁾ Rounding of percentages during the calculation may result in slight rounding differences.



Statement of Net Assets as at 31/10/2021

| | | | Units, | | | | | | | |
|---|-----------------|-------------|-----------------------|------------|--------------------------|----------------------------|-----|---------|----------------|----------------------|
| | | | shares or currency in | As at | Purchases/ | Sales/ | | | Market value | % of the fund |
| Designation of class of security | ISIN | Market | 1,000s | 31/10/2021 | Additions in the repo | Disposals orting period | | Price | in USD | assets ²⁾ |
| Securities | | | | | | | | | 277,275,552.83 | 99.72 |
| Exchange-traded securities | | | | | | | | | 277,275,552.83 | 99.72 |
| Shares | | | | | | | | | 277,275,552.83 | 99.72 |
| 3M Co. Registered Shares DL -,01 | US88579Y1010 | | Units | 50,964 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 178.680 | 9,106,247.52 | 3.28 |
| American Express Co. Registered Shares DL -,20 | US0258161092 | | Units | 50,964 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 173.780 | 8,856,523.92 | 3.19 |
| Amgen Inc. Registered Shares DL -,0001 | US0311621009 | | Units | 50,969 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 206.970 | 10,549,053.93 | 3.79 |
| Apple Inc. Registered Shares o.N. | US0378331005 | | Units | 50,966 | 655 | 1,963 | USD | 149.800 | 7,634,706.80 | 2.75 |
| Boeing Co. Registered Shares DL 5 | US0970231058 | | Units | 50,965 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 207.030 | 10,551,283.95 | 3.79 |
| Caterpillar Inc. Registered Shares DL 1 | US1491231015 | | Units | 50,965 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 204.010 | 10,397,369.65 | 3.74 |
| Chevron Corp. Registered Shares DL-,75 | US1667641005 | | Units | 50,959 | 655 | 1,963 | USD | 114.490 | 5,834,295.91 | 2.10 |
| Cisco Systems Inc. Registered Shares DL-,001 | US17275R1023 | | Units | 50,950 | 658 | 1,967 | USD | 55.970 | 2,851,671.50 | 1.03 |
| Coca-Cola Co., The Registered Shares DL -,25 | US1912161007 | | Units | 50,952 | 658 | 1,967 | USD | 56.370 | 2,872,164.24 | 1.03 |
| Dow Inc. Reg. Shares DL -,01 | US2605571031 | | Units | 50,954 | 658 | 1,966 | USD | 55.970 | 2,851,895.38 | 1.03 |
| Goldman Sachs Group Inc., The Registered Shares DL01 | US38141G1040 | | Units | 50,965 | 650 | 1,960 | USD | 413.350 | 21,066,382.75 | 7.58 |
| Home Depot Inc., The Registered Shares DL -,05 | US4370761029 | | Units | 50,972 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 371.740 | 18,948,331.28 | 6.81 |
| Honeywell International Inc. Registered Shares DL | US4385161066 | | Units | 50,964 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 218.620 | 11,141,749.68 | 4.01 |
| 1 Intel Corp. Registered Shares DL -,001 | US4581401001 | | Units | 50,953 | 658 | 1,967 | HSD | 49.000 | 2,496,697.00 | 0.90 |
| Intl Business Machines Corp. Registered Shares | US4592001014 | | Units | 50,965 | 655 | 1,962 | | 125.100 | 6,375,721.50 | 2.29 |
| DL -,20 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Johnson & Johnson Registered Shares DL 1 | US4781601046 | | Units | 50,966 | 655 | 1,962 | USD | 162.880 | 8,301,342.08 | 2.99 |
| JPMorgan Chase & Co. Registered Shares DL 1 | US46625H1005 | | Units | 50,965 | 655 | 1,962 | USD | 169.890 | 8,658,443.85 | 3.11 |
| McDonald's Corp. Registered Shares DL-,01 | US5801351017 | | Units | 50,967 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 245.550 | 12,514,946.85 | 4.50 |
| Merck & Co. Inc. Registered Shares DL-,01 | US58933Y1055 | | Units | 50,957 | 656 | 1,966 | USD | 88.050 | 4,486,763.85 | 1.61 |
| Microsoft Corp. Registered Shares DL-,00000625 | US5949181045 | | Units | 50,965 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 331.620 | 16,901,013.30 | 6.08 |
| NIKE Inc. Registered Shares Class B o.N. | US6541061031 | | Units | 50,964 | 655 | 1,963 | USD | 167.290 | 8,525,767.56 | 3.07 |
| Procter & Gamble Co., The Registered Shares o.N. | US7427181091 | | Units | 50,964 | 655 | 1,963 | USD | 142.990 | 7,287,342.36 | 2.62 |
| salesforce.com Inc. Registered Shares DL -,001 | US79466L3024 | | Units | 50,968 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 299.690 | 15,274,599.92 | 5.49 |
| Travelers Companies Inc.,The Registered Shares | US89417E1091 | | Units | 50,966 | 655 | 1,962 | USD | 160.880 | 8,199,410.08 | 2.95 |
| o.N. UnitedHealth Group Inc. Registered Shares DL - ,01 | US91324P1021 | | Units | 50,973 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 460.470 | 23,471,537.31 | 8.44 |
| Verizon Communications Inc. Registered Shares DL -,10 | US92343V1044 | | Units | 50,953 | 658 | 1,967 | USD | 52.990 | 2,699,999.47 | 0.97 |
| VISA Inc. Reg. Shares Class A DL -,0001 | US92826C8394 | | Units | 50,966 | 654 | 1,960 | USD | 211.770 | 10,793,069.82 | 3.88 |
| Walgreens Boots Alliance Inc. Reg. Shares DL -,01 | I US9314271084 | | Units | 50,947 | 658 | 1,969 | USD | 47.020 | 2,395,527.94 | 0.86 |
| Walmart Inc. Registered Shares DL -,10 | US9311421039 | | Units | 50,964 | 655 | 1,963 | USD | 149.420 | 7,615,040.88 | 2.74 |
| Walt Disney Co., The Registered Shares DL -,01 | US2546871060 | | Units | 50,965 | 654 | 1,962 | USD | 169.070 | 8,616,652.55 | 3.10 |
| Derivatives | | | | | | | | | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| (The amounts marked with a minus sign are sold p | ositions.) | | | | | | | | | |
| Equity index derivatives | | | | | | | | | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| Receivables/liabilities | | | | | | | | | | |
| Stock index futures | | | | | | | | | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| Mini Sized DJIA Index Future (1YM) Dez. 21 | | NAU | Number | 4 | | | USD | | 19,040.00 | 0.01 |
| Bank Accounts, Unsecuritised Money Market Instru | ments and Money | Market Fund | ds | | | | | | 700,014.74 | 0.25 |
| Bank accounts | <u>-</u> | | | | | | | | 700,014.74 | 0.25 |
| Balances in Non-EU/EEA currencies | | | | | | | | | 700,014.74 | 0.25 |
| Depository: State Street Bank International GmbH | | | USD | 700,014.74 | | | % | 100.000 | 700,014.74 | 0.25 |
| Other assets | | | | | | | | | 183,522.21 | 0.07 |
| Dividend claims | | | USD | 143,522.21 | | | | | 143,522.21 | 0.05 |
| Initial margin | | | USD | 40,000.00 | | | | | 40,000.00 | 0.01 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |



| Designation of class of security | ISIN | Market | Units, shares or currency in 1,000s | As at 31/10/2021 | Purchases/ Additions in the repo | Sales/ Disposals orting period | | Price | Market value in USD | % of the fund assets ²⁾ |
|---|------------------------|-------------|--|---------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|---------|------------------------|--|
| Liabilities arising from loans | | | | | | | | | -7,905.04 | -0.00 |
| EUR loans | | | | | | | | | -7,905.04 | -0.00 |
| Depository: State Street Bank International GmbH | | | EUR | -6,830.89 | | | % | 100.000 | -7,905.04 | -0.00 |
| Other liabilities | | | | | | | | | -125,921.22 | -0.05 |
| Management fee | | | USD | -107,143.55 | | | | | -107,143.55 | -0.04 |
| Received variation margin | | | USD | -17,220.00 | | | | | -17,220.00 | -0.01 |
| Other liabilities | | | EUR | -1,346.01 | | | | | -1,557.67 | -0.00 |
| Fund assets | | | | | | | į | USD | 278,044,303.52 | 100.00 |
| Unit value | | | | | | | | USD | 356.47 | |
| Units in circulation | | | | | | | ι | Jnits | 780,000 | |
| 2) Rounding of percentages during the calculation | may result in slight r | ounding dif | ferences. | | | | | | | |

Transactions during the reporting period, insofar as these no longer appear in the assets listed:

Securities purchases and sales, investment units and bonds (market allocation on the reporting date)

| Designation of class of security | ISIN | Units, shares or currency in 1,000s | Purchases/ Additions | Sales/ Disposals | Volume in 1,000 |
|--|----------------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Securities | | | | | |
| Exchange-traded securities | | | | | |
| Shares | | | | | |
| Organon & Co. Registered Shares DL -,01 | US68622V1061 | Units | 5,161 | 5,161 | |
| Derivatives | | | | | |
| (Option premiums or volume of option warrants) | transactions impleme | ented in opening trans | actions, and information or | n purchases and sales | for |
| Futures contracts | | | | | |
| Stock index futures | | | | | |
| Purchased contracts: | | | | | 1,388 |
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Underlying(s): Dow Jones Industrial Average Index (Price) (USD)



| Profit and Loss Account (incl. Income Adjustment) for the period from 01/05/2021 to 31/10/2021 | | |
|--|-----|---------------|
| I. Income | | |
| Dividends from foreign issuers (before withholding tax) | USD | 2,439,557.3 |
| 2. Interest from domestic liquidity investments | USD | -1.2 |
| 3. Deduction of foreign withholding tax | USD | -731,867.2 |
| Total income | USD | 1,707,688.9 |
| II. Expenses | | |
| 1. Interest from borrowings | USD | -38.7 |
| 2. Management fee | USD | -670,704.9 |
| 3. Other expenses | USD | -9,687.4 |
| Total expenses | USD | -680,431.1 |
| III. Ordinary net income | USD | 1,027,257.7 |
| IV. Disposals | | |
| 1. Realised gains | USD | 3,931,953.2 |
| 2. Realised losses | USD | -124,456.64 |
| Gain/loss on disposals | USD | 3,807,496.57 |
| V. Annual realised results | USD | 4,834,754.32 |
| Net change in unrealised gains | USD | 12,035,433.76 |
| 2. Net change in unrealised losses | USD | -593,329.40 |
| VI. Annual unrealised results | USD | 11,442,104.36 |
| VII. Result for the financial year | USD | 16,276,858.68 |

Negative interest is included in "Interest from domestic liquidity investments". This can lead to a negative amount shown under "Interest from domestic liquidity investments".

Change in Fund Assets

| | | | | 2021 |
|--|-----|----------------|-----|----------------|
| I. Value of fund assets at the start of the financial year | | | USD | 269,633,774.41 |
| Distribution for the previous year | | | USD | -788,917.70 |
| 2. Interim distributions | | | USD | -161,271.11 |
| 3. Cash inflow / outflow (net) | | | USD | -6,902,680.00 |
| a) Proceeds received from sales of units | USD | 3,474,247.00 | | |
| b) Payments for redemption of units | USD | -10,376,927.00 | | |
| 4. Income adjustment/cost compensation | | | USD | -13,460.76 |
| 5. Result for the financial year | | | USD | 16,276,858.68 |
| of which unrealised gains | USD | 12,035,433.76 | | |
| of which unrealised losses | USD | -593,329.40 | | |
| II. Value of fund assets at the end of the financial year | | | USD | 278,044,303.52 |



Notes

Other information

Number of fund units in circulation and value of a fund unit on the reporting date pursuant to Section 16 Para. 1 No. 1 of the German Capital Investment Accounting and Valuation Ordinance (KARBV)

Unit value USD 356.47
Units in circulation Units 780,000

Information on the valuation process for assets pursuant to Section 16 Para. 1 No. 2 KARBV

Security prices and market prices

The fund assets are valued on the basis of the following market prices:

Derivatives:

Closing prices on the respective valuation dates

All securities:

Closing prices on the respective valuation dates

The valuation of assets generally took place during the financial year and at the balance sheet date on the basis of the last traded stock exchange price.

Assets not admitted for trading on stock exchanges nor admitted to another regulated market or included in such market, or for which no tradable value is available, are valued at current market values, which shall be assessed with due care using appropriate valuation models and taking into consideration current market conditions.

Derivatives admitted for trading on a stock exchange or another regulated market are valued at the closing price on the relevant valuation date.

Money in bank accounts and existing receivables are valued at their current nominal value. Existing liabilities are reported at the amounts payable.

Exchange Rate(s) or Conversion Factor(s) (bulk quoting) as at 29/10/2021

Euro (EUR) 0.86412 = 1 US Dollar (USD)

Market key

a) Futures exchanges

NAU Chicago - Chicago Board of Trade (CBOT)

Index fund information pursuant to Section 16 Para. 2 KARBV

Tracking error level at the end of the reporting period pursuant to Section 16 Para. 2 No. 1 KARBV

0.94 percentage points

Further information necessary for understanding the report pursuant to Section 7 No. 9 d) KARBV

Explanation of the calculation of net change in unrealised gains and losses

Determination of net change in unrealised gains and losses takes place by means of comparing, in each financial year, the valuations of assets included in the unit price with the relevant historical purchase prices, the level of the positive differences in the sum of unrealised gains included, the level of the negative differences in the sum of unrealised losses included and by determining the net changes from a comparison of the sum totals at the end of the financial year with those at the beginning.

Additional notes in accordance with Regulation (EU) 2015/2365 on securities financing transactions

In the period under review, no transactions as defined by Article 3 (11) and (18) of Regulation (EU) 2015/2365 on transparency of securities financing transactions and of reuse and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 were carried out, i.e. securities financing transactions or total return swaps.

Munich, 31 October 2021

BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG (KVG)

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Peter Scharl Harald Klug



General Information

Management Company

BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG Lenbachplatz 1 80333 Munich

Share capital as at 31/12/2020: 5 Mio. EUR Liable equity as at 31/12/2020: 46.90 Mio. EUR

Shareholder

BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Limited

Management

Dirk Schmitz Chairman of the Management Board Frankfurt

Harald Klug Member of the Management Board Munich

Peter Scharl Member of the Management Board Munich

Supervisory Board

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