

## Shareholding Disclosures

### Disclosure of Interests

[Explanatory Notes](#)

#### FORM 2 - Corporate Substantial Shareholder Notice

1. Name of listed corporation:	HSBC Holdings plc
2. Stock code:	00005
3. Class of shares:	H Shares
4. Number of issued shares in class:	17,684,373,311
5. Name of substantial shareholder:	Blackrock, Inc.
6. Registered office:	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, USA.
7. Principal place of business in Hong Kong:	N/A
13. Exchange on which listed:	New York Stock Exchange
14. Name of listed parent and exchange on which parent is listed:	
15. Date of relevant event:	29/10/2010 (dd/mm/yyyy)
16. Date when the substantial shareholder became aware of the relevant event/ interest in the shares (if later):	01/11/2010 (dd/mm/yyyy)

#### 17. Details of relevant event:

	Relevant event code describing circumstances	Code describing capacity in which shares were/are held		Number of shares bought/sold or involved	Currency of transaction	On Exchange		Off Exchange	
		Before relevant event	After relevant event			Highest price per share	Average price per share	Average consideration per share	Consideration code
Long position	103	205	205	4,202,949	HKD				

#### 18. Total shares immediately before the relevant event:

	Total number of shares	Percentage figure (%)
Long Position	1,057,368,444	5.98
Short Position	1,651,264	0.01

#### 19. Total shares immediately after the relevant event:

	Total number of shares	Percentage figure (%)
Long Position	1,061,571,393	6.00
Short Position	6,447,294	0.04

#### 20. Capacity in which interests disclosed in Box 19 are held:

Code describing capacity	Number of shares
205	Long position 1,061,571,393 Short position 6,447,294

#### 21. Further information in respect of derivative interests:

Code describing derivatives	Number of shares
402	Long position 12,209,630

402	Short position	182,951
403	Short position	1,431,800

## 22. Further information in relation to interests of corporations controlled by substantial shareholder:

Name of controlled corporation	Address and place of incorporation	Name of controlling shareholder	% control	Direct interest	Number of shares
Trident Merger, LLC	1209 Orange Street, Wilmington DE 19801, United States	Blackrock Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 26,504,456
BlackRock Investment Management, LLC.	800 Scudders Mill Road, Plainsboro NJ 08536, U.S.A	Trident Merger, LLC	100.00	Y	Long position 26,504,456
BlackRock Holdco 2 Inc.	1209 Orange Street, Wilmington DE 19801, United States	Blackrock Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 1,035,066,938 Short position 6,447,294
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York NY 10022, United States	BlackRock Holdco 2 Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position 1,035,066,938 Short position 6,447,294
BlackRock Holdco 4 LLC	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 350,563,060
BlackRock Holdco 6 LLC	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Holdco 4 LLC	100.00	N	Long position 350,563,060
BlackRock Delaware Holdings, Inc.	c/o The Corporation Trust Company, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware 19801, United States	BlackRock Holdco 6 LLC	100.00	N	Long position 350,563,060
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.	400 Howard St, San Francisco, CA, 94105-2618	BlackRock Delaware Holdings, Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position 350,563,060
BlackRock Fund Advisors	Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, United States	BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.	100.00	Y	Long position 80,134,977
BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 675,117,299 Short position 6,447,294
BlackRock Capital Holdings, Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, NY 10022, USA	BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 22,982,746 Short position 1,431,800
BlackRock Advisors, LLC.	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Capital Holdings, Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position 22,982,746 Short position 1,431,800
BlackRock Institutional Management Corporation	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Advisors, LLC.	100.00	N	Long position 564,020
BlackRock Capital Management, Inc.	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Institutional Management Corporation	100.00	Y	Long position 564,020
BlackRock International Holdings Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 652,134,553 Short position 5,015,494
BR Jersey International LP	Forum House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BlackRock International Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 652,134,553 Short position 5,015,494
BlackRock (Institutional) Canada Ltd	250 Yonge Street, Suite 2400, Toronto ON M5B 2M6, Canada	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position 5,237,546
BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited	161 Bay Street, Suite 2500, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2S1, Canada	BlackRock Holdings Canada Limited	100.00	Y	Long position 5,237,546
BlackRock Australia	Level 18, 120 Collins Street,	BR Jersey	100.00	N	Long position 6,132,354

Holdco Pty Ltd	Melbourne VIC 3000, Australia	International LP				
BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited	Level 43, Grosvenor Place, 225 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000, PO Box N43, Grosvenor Place NSW 1220, Australia	BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	1,812,693
BlackRock Asset Management Australia Limited	Level 43, Grosvenor Place, 225 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000, PO Box N43, Grosvenor Place NSW 1220, Australia	BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	4,319,661
BLK Isle of Man Holdings Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position	491,917
BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BLK Isle of Man Holdings Limited	100.00	N	Long position	491,917
BlackRock Fund Managers (Isle of Man) Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	149,034
BlackRock (Isle of Man) Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	342,883
BlackRock (Channel Islands) Limited	Forum House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	Y	Long position	262,072
BlackRock Cayco Ltd.	c/o Walkers SPV Limited, P.O. Box 908GT, Walker House, Mary Street, George Town, British West Indies, Cayman Islands	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position	50,774,445
BlackRock Trident Holding Company Limited	Riverside Two, Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Grand Canal Dock, Dublin, 2, Ireland	BlackRock Cayco Ltd.	100.00	N	Long position	50,774,445
BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	Sapia Tower, 1-7-12 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 100-0005, Japan	BlackRock Trident Holding Company Limited	100.00	N	Long position	50,774,445
BlackRock Asset Management Japan Limited	Marunouchi Trust Tower Main, -8-3 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8217	BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	100.00	Y	Long position	50,774,445
BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	35/F Cheung Kong Center, 2 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, SAR, China	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position Short position	32,137 32,137
BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	2503-05 One International Finance Centre, 1 Harbour View Street, Central, Hong Kong.	BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	32,137 32,137
BlackRock Group Limited	33 King William Street, London EC4R 9AS United Kingdom	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position Short position	589,204,082 4,983,357
BlackRock (Netherlands) B.V.	House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	2,331,627
BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	6D, Route de Treves, Senningerberg, L-2633, Luxembourg	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	N	Long position	69,115,645
BlackRock Investment Management Ireland Holdings Ltd	First Floor, Fitzwilton House, Wilton Place, Dublin 2, Ireland	BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	100.00	N	Long position	60,513,128
BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Ltd	JPMorgan House, International Financial Services Centre, Dublin 1, Ireland	BlackRock Investment Management Ireland Holdings Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	60,513,128
BlackRock	First Floor, Fitzwilton House, Wilton	BlackRock	100.00	Y	Long position	257,663

Investment Management (Dublin) Limited	Place, Dublin, 2, Ireland	Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.				
BlackRock Investment Management (LUX)	6D, Route de Treves, Senningerberg, L-2633, Luxembourg	BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	100.00	Y	Long position	8,344,854
BlackRock International Ltd.	40 Torphichen Street, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH3 8JB, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	13,471,190
BlackRock Pensions Limited	33 King William Street, London, England, EC4R 9AS, United Kingdom	BlackRock International Ltd.	100.00	Y	Long position	7,749,311
BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	33 King William Street, London, England, EC4R 9AS, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	189,790,957 182,951
BlackRock Fund Managers Ltd	33 King William Street, London, England, EC4R 9AS, United Kingdom	BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	85,899,132
Blackrock Advisors UK Ltd.	Murray House, 1 Royal Mint Court, London, EC3N 4HH, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	314,494,663 4,800,406
BlackRock Holdings Deutschland GmbH	OpernTurm, Bockenheimer Landstrabe 2-4 , 60306 Frankfurt am Main, Germany	BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	100.00	N	Long position	11,493,585
BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG	Max-Joseph-Strabe 6, D-80333, Munchen, Germany	BlackRock Holdings Deutschland GmbH	100.00	Y	Long position	11,493,585

## 23. Further information in relation to interests held by substantial shareholder jointly with another person:

Name of joint shareholder	Address	Number of shares
Nil		

## 24. Further information from a trustee, or beneficiary of a trust, or a founder of a Discretionary Trust:

Names of Trust	Address	Status code	Number of shares
Nil			

## 25. Further information from a party to an agreement under Section 317:

Names of other parties	Address	Number of shares
Nil		

Total number of shares in which substantial shareholder is interested under section 317 and 318:

## 26. Details of person(s) in accordance with whose directions the substantial shareholder or its directors are accustomed to act:

Names	Address	Relationship Code	%
Nil			

27. Date of filing this Form 2: 04/11/2010  
(dd/mm/yyyy)

29. Number of attachments:

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5. Name of substantial shareholder:	Blackrock, Inc.
6. Registered office:	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, USA.
7. Principal place of business in Hong Kong:	N/A
13. Exchange on which listed:	New York Stock Exchange
14. Name of listed parent and exchange on which parent is listed:	
15. Date of relevant event:	03/11/2010 (dd/mm/yyyy)
16. Date when the substantial shareholder became aware of the relevant event/ interest in the shares (if later):	04/11/2010 (dd/mm/yyyy)

#### 17. Details of relevant event:

	Relevant event code describing circumstances	Code describing capacity in which shares were/are held		Number of shares bought/sold or involved	Currency of transaction	On Exchange		Off Exchange	
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Long position	103	205	205	4,991,624	HKD				

#### 18. Total shares immediately before the relevant event:

	Total number of shares	Percentage figure (%)
Long Position	1,062,155,332	6.01
Short Position	6,698,214	0.04

#### 19. Total shares immediately after the relevant event:

	Total number of shares	Percentage figure (%)
Long Position	1,057,163,708	5.98
Short Position	1,667,969	0.01

#### 20. Capacity in which interests disclosed in Box 19 are held:

Code describing capacity	Number of shares
205	Long position 1,057,163,708 Short position 1,667,969

#### 21. Further information in respect of derivative interests:

Code describing derivatives	Number of shares
402	Long position 13,557,160

402	Short position	199,800
403	Short position	1,431,800

## 22. Further information in relation to interests of corporations controlled by substantial shareholder:

Name of controlled corporation	Address and place of incorporation	Name of controlling shareholder	% control	Direct interest	Number of shares
Trident Merger, LLC	1209 Orange Street, Wilmington DE 19801, United States	Blackrock Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 26,503,781
BlackRock Investment Management, LLC.	800 Scudders Mill Road, Plainsboro NJ 08536, U.S.A	Trident Merger, LLC	100.00	Y	Long position 26,503,781
BlackRock Holdco 2 Inc.	1209 Orange Street, Wilmington DE 19801, United States	Blackrock Inc.	100.00	N	Long position Short position 1,030,659,928 1,667,969
BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York NY 10022, United States	BlackRock Holdco 2 Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position Short position 1,030,659,928 1,667,969
BlackRock Holdco 4 LLC	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	100.00	N	Long position 351,871,150
BlackRock Holdco 6 LLC	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Holdco 4 LLC	100.00	N	Long position 351,871,150
BlackRock Delaware Holdings, Inc.	c/o The Corporation Trust Company, 1209 Orange Street, Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware 19801, United States	BlackRock Holdco 6 LLC	100.00	N	Long position 351,871,150
BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.	400 Howard St, San Francisco, CA, 94105-2618	BlackRock Delaware Holdings, Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position 351,871,150
BlackRock Fund Advisors	Howard Street, San Francisco, CA 94105, United States	BlackRock Institutional Trust Company, N.A.	100.00	Y	Long position 80,133,729
BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Financial Management, Inc.	100.00	N	Long position Short position 669,056,448 1,667,969
BlackRock Capital Holdings, Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, NY 10022, USA	BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position Short position 22,981,994 1,431,800
BlackRock Advisors, LLC.	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Capital Holdings, Inc.	100.00	Y	Long position Short position 22,981,994 1,431,800
BlackRock Institutional Management Corporation	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Advisors, LLC.	100.00	N	Long position 564,020
BlackRock Capital Management, Inc.	100 Bellevue Parkway, Wilmington DE 19809, United States	BlackRock Institutional Management Corporation	100.00	Y	Long position 564,020
BlackRock International Holdings Inc.	40 East 52nd Street, New York, 10022, United States	BlackRock Advisors Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position Short position 646,074,454 236,169
BR Jersey International LP	Forum House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BlackRock International Holdings Inc.	100.00	N	Long position Short position 646,074,454 236,169
BlackRock (Institutional) Canada Ltd	250 Yonge Street, Suite 2400, Toronto ON M5B 2M6, Canada	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position 5,237,546
BlackRock Asset Management Canada Limited	161 Bay Street, Suite 2500, Toronto, Ontario M5J 2S1, Canada	BlackRock Holdings Canada Limited	100.00	Y	Long position 5,237,546
BlackRock Australia	Level 18, 120 Collins Street,	BR Jersey	100.00	N	Long position 6,211,414

Holdco Pty Ltd	Melbourne VIC 3000, Australia	International LP				
BlackRock Investment Management (Australia) Limited	Level 43, Grosvenor Place, 225 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000, PO Box N43, Grosvenor Place NSW 1220, Australia	BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	1,812,693
BlackRock Asset Management Australia Limited	Level 43, Grosvenor Place, 225 George Street, Sydney, NSW 2000, PO Box N43, Grosvenor Place NSW 1220, Australia	BlackRock Australia Holdco Pty Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	4,398,721
BLK Isle of Man Holdings Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position	491,917
BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BLK Isle of Man Holdings Limited	100.00	N	Long position	491,917
BlackRock Fund Managers (Isle of Man) Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	149,034
BlackRock (Isle of Man) Limited	Belgravia House, 34-44 Circular Road, Douglas, IM1 1QW, Isle of Man	BlackRock (Isle of Man) Holdings Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	342,883
BlackRock (Channel Islands) Limited	Forum House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	Y	Long position	262,072
BlackRock Cayco Ltd.	c/o Walkers SPV Limited, P.O. Box 908GT, Walker House, Mary Street, George Town, British West Indies, Cayman Islands	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position	50,821,754
BlackRock Trident Holding Company Limited	Riverside Two, Sir John Rogerson's Quay, Grand Canal Dock, Dublin, 2, Ireland	BlackRock Cayco Ltd.	100.00	N	Long position	50,821,754
BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	Sapia Tower, 1-7-12 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, 100-0005, Japan	BlackRock Trident Holding Company Limited	100.00	N	Long position	50,821,754
BlackRock Asset Management Japan Limited	Marunouchi Trust Tower Main, -8-3 Marunouchi, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8217	BlackRock Japan Holdings GK	100.00	Y	Long position	50,821,754
BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	35/F Cheung Kong Center, 2 Queen's Road Central, Hong Kong, SAR, China	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position Short position	32,137 32,137
BlackRock Asset Management North Asia Limited	2503-05 One International Finance Centre, 1 Harbour View Street, Central, Hong Kong.	BlackRock HK Holdco Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	32,137 32,137
BlackRock Group Limited	33 King William Street, London EC4R 9AS United Kingdom	BR Jersey International LP	100.00	N	Long position Short position	583,017,614 204,032
BlackRock (Netherlands) B.V.	House, Grenville Street, St. Helier, JE1 0BR, Jersey	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	2,331,627
BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	6D, Route de Treves, Senningerberg, L-2633, Luxembourg	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	N	Long position	69,009,323
BlackRock Investment Management Ireland Holdings Ltd	First Floor, Fitzwilton House, Wilton Place, Dublin 2, Ireland	BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	100.00	N	Long position	60,461,306
BlackRock Asset Management Ireland Ltd	JPMorgan House, International Financial Services Centre, Dublin 1, Ireland	BlackRock Investment Management Ireland Holdings Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	60,461,306
BlackRock	First Floor, Fitzwilton House, Wilton	BlackRock	100.00	Y	Long position	257,663

Investment Management (Dublin) Limited	Place, Dublin, 2, Ireland	Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.				
BlackRock Investment Management (LUX)	6D, Route de Treves, Senningerberg, L-2633, Luxembourg	BlackRock Luxembourg Holdco S.a.r.l.	100.00	Y	Long position	8,290,354
BlackRock International Ltd.	40 Torphichen Street, Edinburgh, Scotland, EH3 8JB, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position	13,471,190
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BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	33 King William Street, London, England, EC4R 9AS, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	189,019,735 199,800
BlackRock Fund Managers Ltd	33 King William Street, London, England, EC4R 9AS, United Kingdom	BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	100.00	Y	Long position	85,427,232
Blackrock Advisors UK Ltd.	Murray House, 1 Royal Mint Court, London, EC3N 4HH, United Kingdom	BlackRock Group Limited	100.00	Y	Long position Short position	309,185,739 4,232
BlackRock Holdings Deutschland GmbH	OpernTurm, Bockenheimer Landstrabe 2-4 , 60306 Frankfurt am Main, Germany	BlackRock Investment Management (UK) Ltd	100.00	N	Long position	11,356,900
BlackRock Asset Management Deutschland AG	Max-Joseph-Strabe 6, D-80333, Munchen, Germany	BlackRock Holdings Deutschland GmbH	100.00	Y	Long position	11,356,900

## 23. Further information in relation to interests held by substantial shareholder jointly with another person:

Name of joint shareholder	Address	Number of shares
Nil		

## 24. Further information from a trustee, or beneficiary of a trust, or a founder of a Discretionary Trust:

Names of Trust	Address	Status code	Number of shares
Nil			

## 25. Further information from a party to an agreement under Section 317:

Names of other parties	Address	Number of shares
Nil		

Total number of shares in which substantial shareholder is interested under section 317 and 318:

## 26. Details of person(s) in accordance with whose directions the substantial shareholder or its directors are accustomed to act:

Names	Address	Relationship Code	%
Nil			

27. Date of filing this Form 2: 08/11/2010  
(dd/mm/yyyy)

29. Number of attachments: