

Market Update

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Global and Indian Economy

- Q1CY25 was a very volatile quarter for markets. US S&P 500 was down 6% for the quarter, despite touching all time high mid quarter due to concerns around economic growth, trade tariff related uncertainty and a sharp drop in technology stocks.
- The US government has announced reciprocal tariffs on almost 90 countries. China was hit with 34% tariff and India is facing 26% tariff. This has created uncertainty around global trade and its impact on global economic growth. There is fear, that if implemented, it would lead to decline in growth estimates and may even result in recession in the US.
- Commodity markets: CRB All Commodities index rose by 1.46% during the month of March and 2% during the quarter. Brent price rose by 3.44% during the month and 1.64% during the quarter.
- Goods India's trade deficit shrunk to USD 14.1 bn in Feb`25 from USD 23 bn in Jan`25. Overall goods and services trade balance was in surplus of USD 3.1 bn versus deficit of USD 5.0 bn.
- Industrial product (IIP) growth in Jan'25 improved to 5% from 3.5% in Dec'24 due to pickup in the manufacturing sector.
- Headline CPI for Feb'25 came in at a five-month low of 3.6% (verses 4.3% in Jan'25), driven by continued sequential easing in food prices, especially for vegetables.
- INR has strengthened from 87.5 to 85.1 against the USD supported by weaker dollar, and RBI measures (USD-INR swaps).



Fixed Income

- RBI MPC cut the repo rate by 25bps to 6.00% in Apr`25 monetary policy meeting. This was the second consecutive cut after the cut in Feb policy.
- Banking system liquidity turned positive for the first time in 3 months at the end of Mar'25, washing out the worst ever liquidity crunch, aided by hands on approach taken by RBI to address deep deficit in liquidity.
- Further, RBI announced 800bn worth of Open Market Operations in which it will buy Govt bonds from market in the month of Apr`25.
- 10-year benchmark G-Sec yield traded between 6.58%-6.78%, declined by 20bps during the month.



Equities

- Nifty surged 6.3% in the month of March after five consecutive monthly declines. Mid-cap and small-cap indices also joined the rally and were up 7.8% and 9.5% respectively.
- All sectors generated positive return for the month of March except IT, which declined 1.5%. Power, PSU, Capital goods, Oil & Gas and Metals sectors were up 10-15%. FPIs flows turned positive in equities with total inflow of USD 0.43 Bn for the month.

MAX LIFE FUND SNAPSHOT

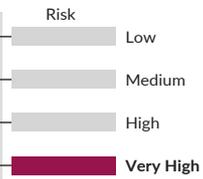
Total Asset Under Management (AUM) as on 31st March 2025 : ₹1,75,162 Crores*

High Growth Fund (SFIN: ULIF01311/02/08LIFEHIGHGR104)

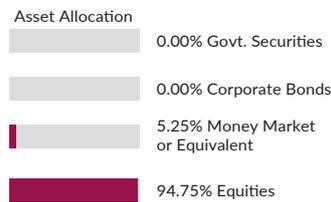
Morningstar Rating# **5** ★★★★★

Nature of Fund

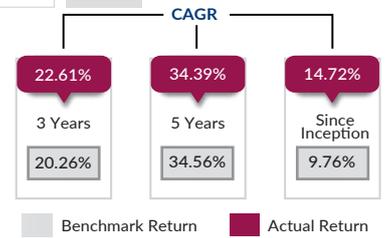
An Open ended equity Multicap Fund with focus on midcap



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	8769.01	Inception Date	26/02/2008	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Benchmark - Nifty MidCap Free Float 100%

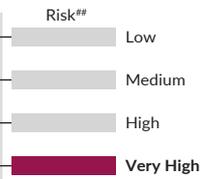


Growth Super Fund (SFIN: ULIF01108/02/07LIFEGRWSUP104)

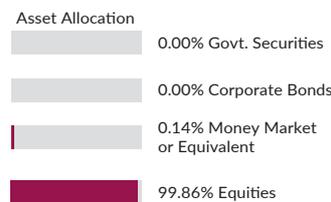
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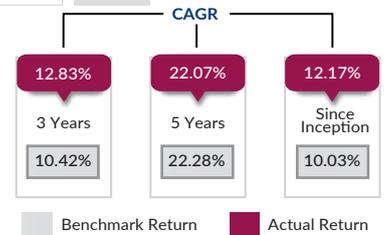
An Open ended equity Fund with focus on large cap



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	13041.44	Inception Date	21/05/2007	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Benchmark - NSE Nifty 100%
Morningstar peer category (Large Cap) average return*

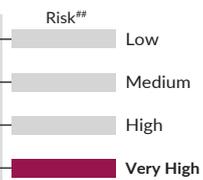


Diversified Equity Fund (SFIN: ULIF02201/01/20LIFEDIVEQF104)

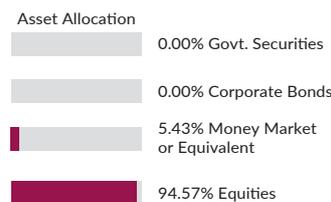
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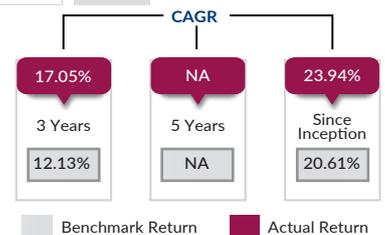
An open ended equity fund with focus on mid caps



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	2806.10	Inception Date	08/06/2020	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Benchmark - NSE Nifty 200 100%



Above fund returns are after deduction of Fund Management Charges (FMC)

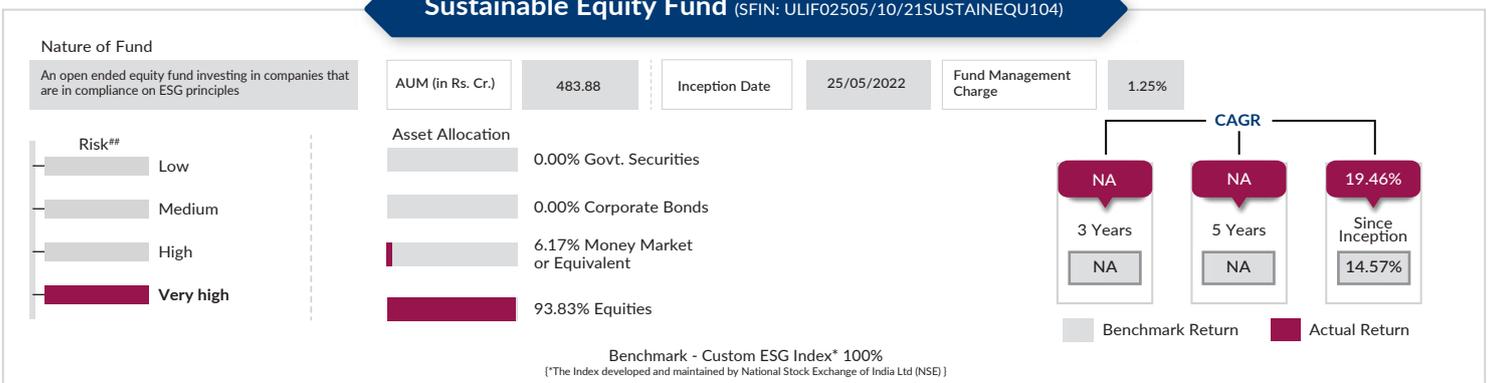
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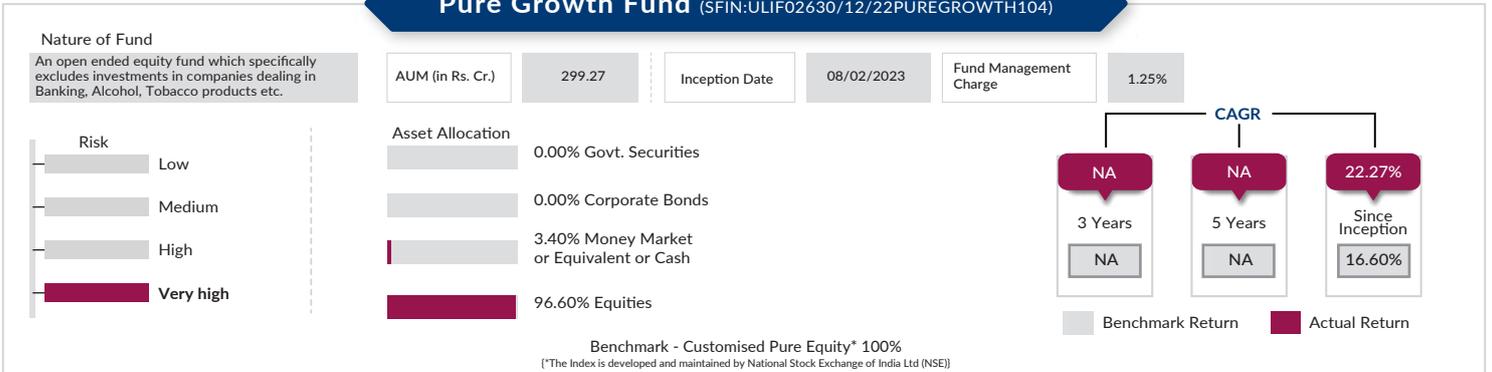
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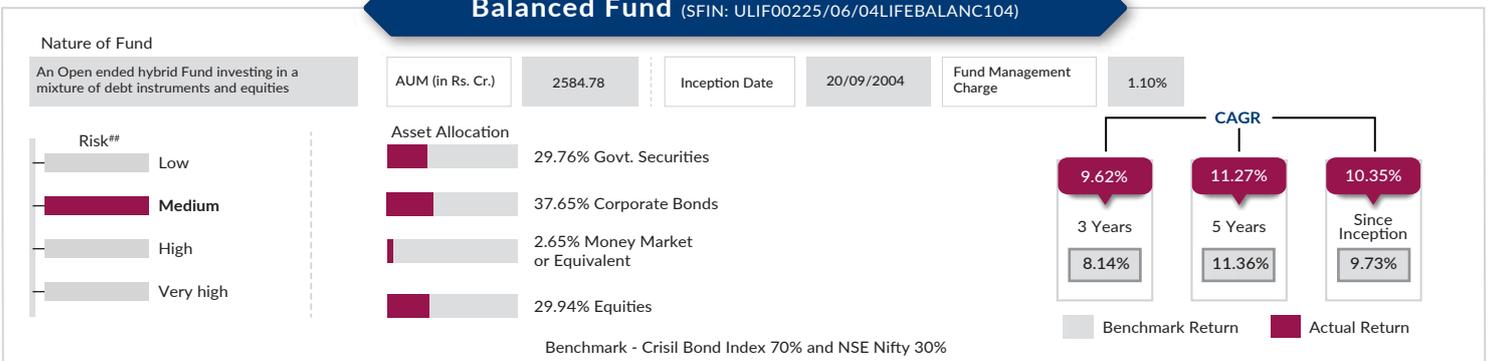
Sustainable Equity Fund (SFIN: ULIF02505/10/21SUSTAIN EQU104)



Pure Growth Fund (SFIN: ULIF02630/12/22PUREGROWTH104)



Balanced Fund (SFIN: ULIF00225/06/04LIFEBALANC104)



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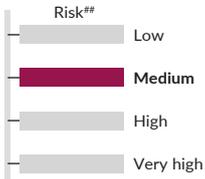
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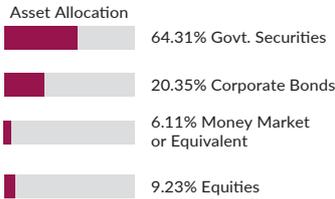
Conservative Fund (SFIN: ULIF00325/06/04LIFECONSER104)

Nature of Fund

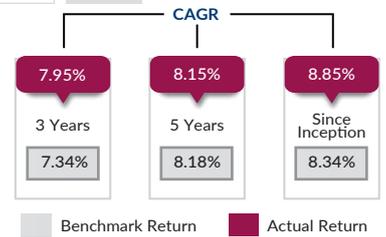
An Open ended hybrid Fund investing predominantly in debt instruments



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	229.19	Inception Date	20/09/2004	Fund Management Charge	0.90%
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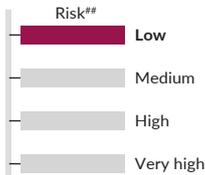
Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 90% and NSE Nifty 10%



Secure Plus Fund (SFIN: ULIF01628/04/09LIFESECLP104)

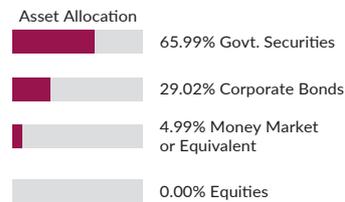
Nature of Fund

An Open ended debt fund which invests across duration with bias towards government securities

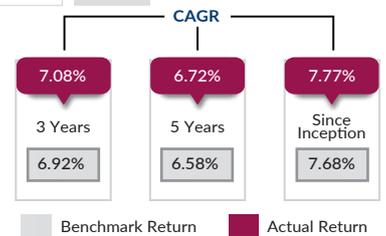


Morningstar Rating# 5 ★★★★★

AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	266.39	Inception Date	28/04/2009	Fund Management Charge	0.90%
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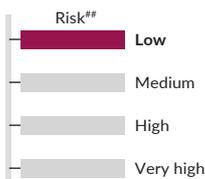
Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 100%



Secured Fund (SFIN: ULIF00425/06/04LIFESECURE104)

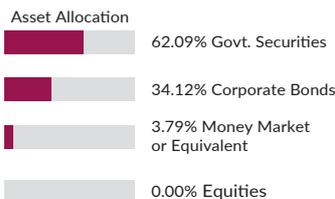
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An Open ended debt fund which invests across duration

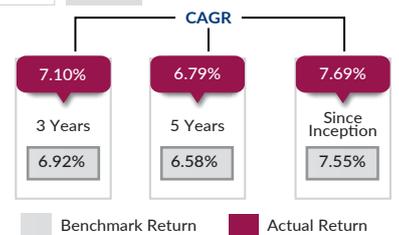


Morningstar Rating# 4 ★★★★★

AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	1098.96	Inception Date	20/09/2004	Fund Management Charge	0.90%
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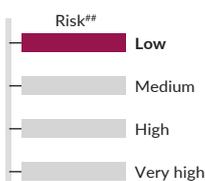
Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 100%



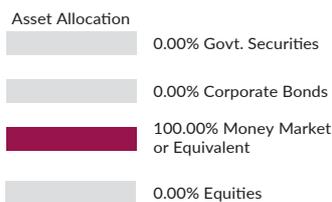
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Nature of Fund

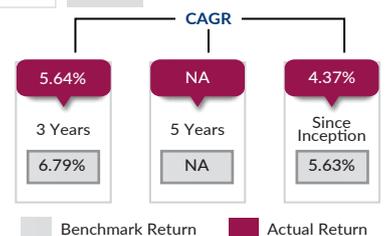
An Open ended liquid Fund which invests only in money market instruments



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	78.00	Inception Date	08/06/2020	Fund Management Charge	0.90%
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Benchmark - Crisil Liquid Index 100%



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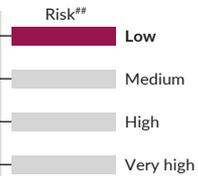
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Dynamic Bond Fund (SFIN: ULIF02401/01/20LIFEDYNBOF104)

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Nature of Fund

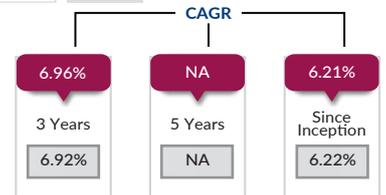
An Open ended debt fund which invests across duration with bias towards corporate bonds



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	37.48	Inception Date	08/06/2020	Fund Management Charge	0.90%
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Asset Allocation

89.76%	Fixed Income Securities (Bonds & Govt. Securities)
10.24%	Money Market or Equivalent
0.00%	Equities



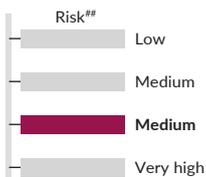
Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 100%

Pension Maximiser Fund (SFIN: ULIF01715/02/13PENSMAXIMI104)

Morningstar Rating# **5** ★★★★★

Nature of Fund

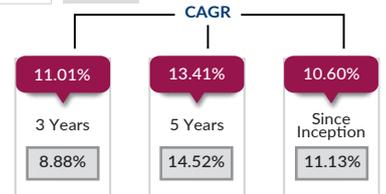
An open ended hybrid fund investing in a mixture of debt instruments and equities



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	551.34	Inception Date	19/8/2013	Fund Management Charge	1.65%
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Asset Allocation

50.80%	Fixed Income Securities (Bonds & Govt. Securities)
1.23%	Money Market or Equivalent
47.97%	Equities

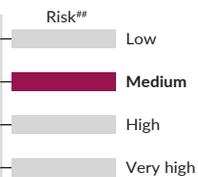


Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 50% and NSE Nifty 50%

Pension Preserver Fund (SFIN: ULIF01815/02/13PENSPRESER104)

Nature of Fund

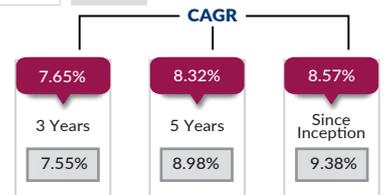
An open ended hybrid fund investing predominantly in debt instruments



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	103.44	Inception Date	20/8/2013	Fund Management Charge	1.45%
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Asset Allocation

79.18%	Fixed Income Securities (Bonds & Govt. Securities)
4.61%	Money Market or Equivalent
16.21%	Equities

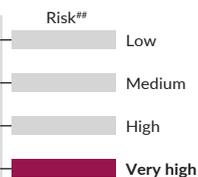


Benchmark - Crisil Bond Index 85% and NSE Nifty 15%

Nifty Smallcap Quality Index Fund (SFIN: ULIF02702/08/23NIFTYSMALL104)

Nature of Fund

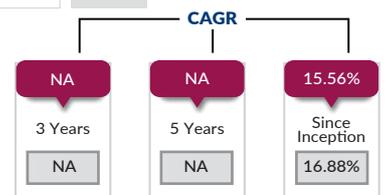
An open ended equity fund with focus on small caps.



AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	967.74	Inception Date	28/08/2023	Fund Management Charge	1.00%
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Asset Allocation

0.00%	Govt. Securities
0.00%	Corporate Bonds
0.94%	Money Market or Equivalent
99.06%	Equities



Benchmark - NIFTY Smallcap 250 Quality 50 Index

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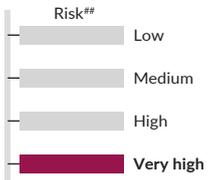
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Nifty Midcap Momentum Index Fund (SFIN: ULIF02801/01/24MIDMOMENTM104)

Nature of Fund

An open ended equity fund with focus on mid caps.

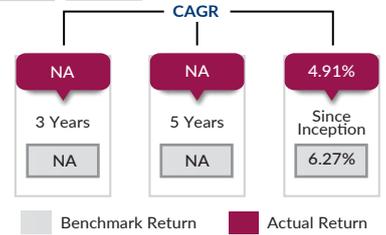
AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	757.71	Inception Date	30/1/2024	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation

0.00% Govt. Securities
0.00% Corporate Bonds
1.64% Money Market or Equivalent
98.36% Equities

Benchmark - Midcap 150 Momentum 50 Index

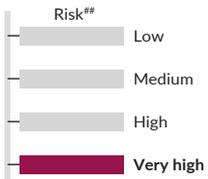


Nifty Alpha 50 Index (SFIN: ULIF02914/05/24ALPHAFIFTY104)

Nature of Fund

An open ended equity fund with focus on small caps, mid cap and large cap

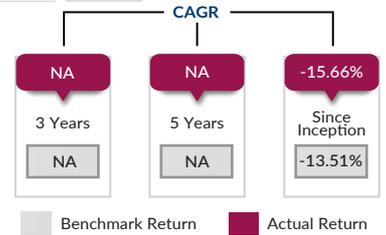
AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	374.36	Inception Date	31/5/2024	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation

0.00% Govt. Securities
0.00% Corporate Bonds
0.70% Money Market or Equivalent
99.30% Equities

Benchmark - Nifty Alpha 50 Index

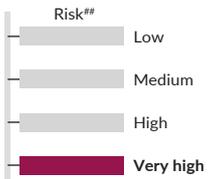


Nifty 500 Momentum 50 Fund (SFIN: ULIF03015/08/24MOMENFIFTY104)

Nature of Fund

An open ended equity fund with focus on small caps, mid cap and large cap

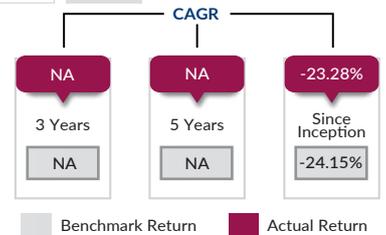
AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	108.88	Inception Date	02/09/2024	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation

0.00% Govt. Securities
0.00% Corporate Bonds
1.43% Money Market or Equivalent
98.57% Equities

Benchmark - NIFTY 500 Momentum 50 Index

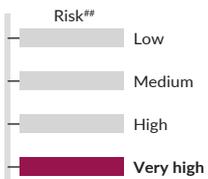


Nifty Momentum Quality 50 Fund (SFIN: ULIF03127/10/24MOMQUALITY104)

Nature of Fund

An open ended equity fund with focus on small caps, mid cap and large cap

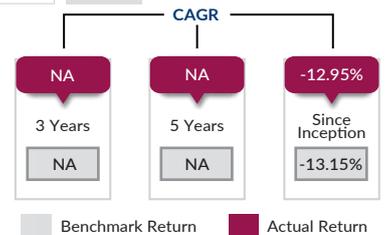
AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	49.99	Inception Date	18/11/2024	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation

0.00% Govt. Securities
0.00% Corporate Bonds
1.78% Money Market or Equivalent
98.22% Equities

Benchmark - NIFTY 500 Momentum 50 Index



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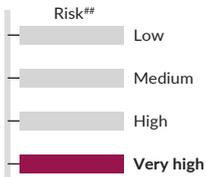
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Sustainable Wealth 50 Index Fund ULIF03223/12/24SUSTWEALTH104

Nature of Fund

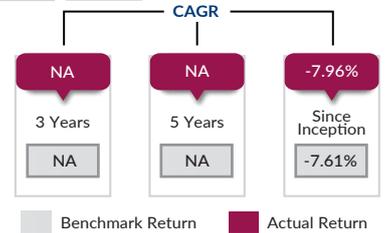
An open-ended quantitative passive index fund investing in 50 companies based on FCF Yield and Dividend Yield

AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	31.55	Inception Date	17/1/2025	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation	0.00% Govt. Securities
	0.00% Corporate Bonds
	1.19% Money Market or Equivalent
	98.81% Equities

Benchmark - Sustainable Yield Index

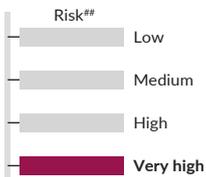


Smart Innovation Fund (SFIN: ULIF03301/03/25INNOVATION104)

Nature of Fund

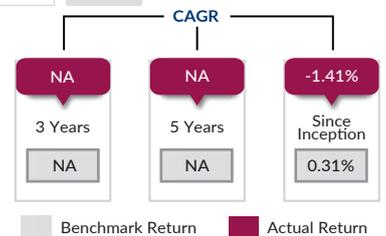
An equity-oriented scheme investing in innovative companies and business with the objective to generate long term capital appreciation.

AUM (in Rs. Cr.)	13.68	Inception Date	21/3/2025	Fund Management Charge	1.25%
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Asset Allocation	0.00% Govt. Securities
	0.00% Corporate Bonds
	12.95% Money Market or Equivalent
	87.05% Equities

Benchmark - Nifty 500 Index



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[^]Individual Death Claims Paid Ratio as per Audited Financials for FY 2023-2024 | ^{*}As per Public Disclosure for H1 FY 2024-2025.

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