



# **Ulip Fund**

**Monthly** Fund Performance

February 2018 Edition





#### Month gone by - A snapshot

After rallying for five consecutive months, global equity markets fell last month amid concerns over firming inflation and rising bond yields. While developed market index fell by 4.3%, the emerging market index fell by 4.7%. Indian equity market also declined, with negative domestic developments adding to the woes. On the positive side, strong Q3 FY18 GDP data suggests a nascent underlying cyclical recovery. Domestic bond yields rose sharply amid rising global bond yields as well as continued concerns related to domestic inflation and demand-supply mismatch.

#### Economic growth gathers momentum

The Q3 FY18 GDP growth at 7.2% was better than consensus expectations of 6.8% led by recovery in government consumption and strong growth in government capex. On the supply side, growth was led by agriculture, manufacturing and construction sectors. GDP growth is expected to improve further in FY19, largely led by 1) continued waning of GST-led disruptions, 2) recovery in rural and urban consumption, 3) government's sustained focus on infrastructure sector and 4) global recovery aiding in bolstering exports.

#### RBI minutes strike a hawkish tone

The minutes of February Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) meeting reinstated the cautious approach as inflation uncertainty has increased. The upside risks to inflation include 1) crude oil prices, 2) MSP (Minimum Support Price) hikes as proposed in the budget, 3) fiscal slippage and 4) staggered impact of HRA hikes by states. We expect the MPC to remain in wait and watch mode in the near-term as it awaits clarity on MSP, sustainability of high crude oil prices, monsoons and global financial conditions.

#### Fixed income market performance

Fixed income market remains under pressure: The domestic bond yields continue to harden led by negative domestic and global cues. The demand-supply mismatch, rupee depreciation (2.5% in February), continued worries on inflation and government's fiscal balances and hawkish MPC minutes impacted market sentiments. On the global front, a sharp rise in global bond yields and firming crude oil prices added to the woes. The 10-year G-sec yield rose by 30bps to end the month at 7.7% (+40bps YTD).

Bond yields expected to remain firm: The muted demand of government securities by banks, in the wake of RBI's new accelerated NPA resolution framework, is likely to keep bond yields under pressure. Further, concerns on inflation and fiscal fronts remain even as economic growth has been gaining traction. Moreover, increasing expectations of faster monetary policy normalisation by global central banks, particularly US Fed, is likely to add further to market woes. The key factors to watch out for fixed income markets in the near-term include 1) outlook for monsoon, 2) trend of GST collections, 3) government's decision on MSP hikes and 4) inflation trajectory.

#### Equity market performance

Equity market declines sharply: Indian equity market declined sharply in February, in-line with the global market trend, erasing all gains generated in the previous month. This was largely led by rising bond yields, increasing asset quality concerns of public and corporate-focused private banks and foreign capital outflows (-US\$ 1.9bn in February). The introduction of 10% long-term capital gains (LTCG) tax on equity gains above Rs 1 lakh also dampened market sentiments. On the positive side, domestic flows remained strong at US\$ 2.8bn in February. The Nifty index fell by 4.9% in February while the mid-cap index declined by 4.6%.

Medium-term outlook for equities positive: Equity markets may continue to remain under pressure in the near-term due to lingering domestic and global concerns. However, we remain positive on equity markets in the medium to long-term on account of expected revival in economic growth. Corporate earnings are expected to improve over coming quarters, largely led by retail-focused banks, export-oriented sectors, consumer (autos, staples and discretionary), commodity sectors, and infrastructure and construction sectors. This, along with continued shift in household savings from physical to financial assets, bodes well for equity markets.

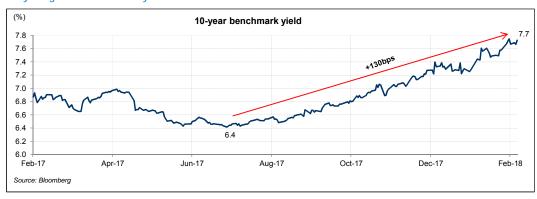
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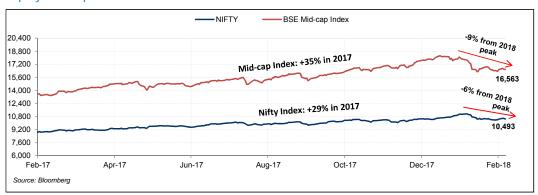


Indicators	Feb-17	Nov-17	Feb-18	3 Month Change	12 Month Change
Economic indicators					
Consumer Price Index (CPI) Inflation (%)	3.2	3.6	5.1	1.5	1.9
Gross Domestic product (GDP Growth) %	6.8	6.5	7.2	0.7	0.4
Index of Industrial Production (IIP) (%)	2.4	4.1	7.1	3	4.7
Brent crude oil (USD/barrel)	56	64	66	3%	18%
Domestic Markets					
Nifty Index	8,880	10,227	10,493	3%	18%
BSE Mid-cap Index	13,552	16,917	16,563	-2%	22%
10-year G-Sec Yield (%)	6.9	7.1	7.7	60 bps	80 bps
30-year G-Sec Yield (%)	7.5	7.5	8.0	50 bps	50 bps
10-year AAA PSU Corporate Bond Yield (%)	7.7	7.8	8.2	40 bps	50 bps
Exchange rate (USD/INR)	66.7	64.5	65.2	-1%	2%
Global Markets					
Dow Jones (U.S.)	20,812	24,272	25,029	3%	20%
FTSE (U.K.)	7,263	7,327	7,232	-1%	0%
Shanghai Stock Exchange Composite Index (China)	3,159	3,317	3,259	-2%	3%
Nikkei 225 (Japan)	19,119	22,725	22,068	-3%	15%

#### 10-year government bond yield trend



#### **Equity Market performance**



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## A health plan that also has a life cover.



Inbuilt life cover Cover for death and terminal illness



Zero survival period File for claim immediately on diagnosis



Payouts at different stages of illness1

Lump sum payouts at mild, moderate and severe stages



**Return of Premium** (net of claims paid)2

Balance of your premiums back on maturity





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### The time to consider Critical Illness Insurance is Now

As we celebrate world Cancer day in February, we would like to highlight insurance covers with options for critical illness. The best way to illustrate this is through an ex; Mayank Desai, a marketing executive, was diagnosed with cancer and had a long and painful recovery. While the insurance company took care of the hospital bills, Desai's family had to undergo financial stress to meet household expenses as he stayed home and recuperated.

Desai's case is by no means unique as an increasing number of people are falling prey to critical illness at younger age. At the same time, the cost of health care is rising and crippling Indian households. Keeping this scenario in mind, investing in a comprehensive health insurance plan to safeguard the interest of the family, has become imperative.

One needs to understand the structure and the benefits of different health insurance products before investing. Health insurance plans can be broadly classified in two categories, namely indemnity based and benefits based. Under an indemnity based plan the insured is paid the entire amount that he spends on medical treatment, provided it is equal to or less than the sum assured. Benefits based plans are mainly critical illness plans under which the insured can claim the entire sum assured for the treatment of a critical illness specified in the policy, irrespective of actual costs incurred.

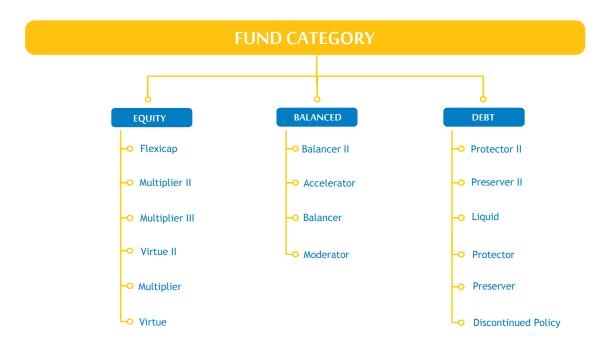
Investing in mediclaim can prove extremely useful in case of minor ailments. However, they become futile in case the insured contracts a critical illness such as cancer which demands much larger expenses over a longer term. A critical illness plan can prove extremely beneficial in this case as the lump sum received by the insured can be used to get the illness treated by best professionals. Also the sum assured, if in excess of the medical treatment, can be used to take care of the household expenses during the time of the illness.

Investors can also go for an endowment based life insurance policy from an insurer with a Critical Illness (CI) rider as it will give them a comprehensive insurance cover. This is to say that the sum assured can be claimed by the insured in case he survives through the term or by his family in case he does not. In addition, with a CI rider to the policy, the medical expenses will also be covered in case a critical illness is contracted during the term, over and above the sum assured.

In addition to providing a cover for medical expenses, health insurance products also attract tax benefits. Investing in comprehensive health insurance therefore will not only provide investor the peace of mind but also the freedom to plan their finances to meet more fundamental financial goals.









	Benchmark (BM)	1 - Ye	ar (%)	3 - Year (%)		5 - Year (%)	
	Deficilitatik (DM)	Fund	BM	Fund	BM	Fund	BM
High Risk							
Flexi Cap	S&P BSE 200	18.7	19.0	7.4	7.7	15.2	14.7
Multiplier II	Nifty 50	17.2	18.2	4.6	5.6	11.9	13.0
Multiplier III	Nifty 50	18.4	18.2	NA	NA	NA	NA
Virtue II		22.7	NA	10.3	NA	18.0	NA
Medium Risk							
Balancer II	50% CCBFI 50% Nifty 50	11.3	11.2	6.6	6.6	10.7	10.7
Low Risk							
Protector II	CCBFI	2.9	4.3	6.2	7.6	7.3	8.3
Preserver II	ISEC Mibex	3.1	4.6	5.8	8.0	6.6	8.6
Liquid	CRISIL CBLO Index	4.8	6.0	NA	NA	NA	NA

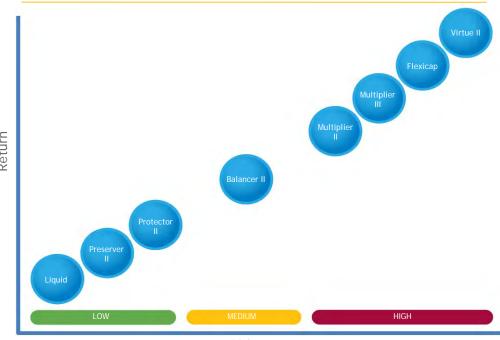
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CCBFI- CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index

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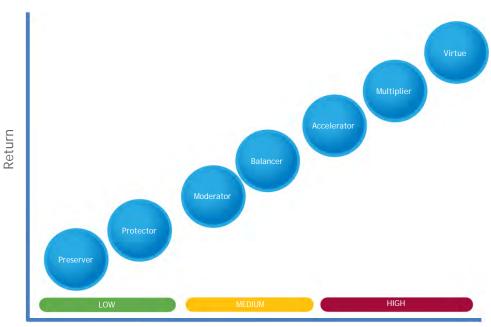


**Open Funds -** Funds that are open for sales to new customers



Risk

#### Closed Funds - Funds that are closed for sales to new customers



Risk



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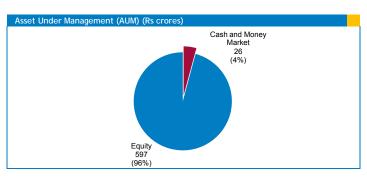
#### Flexi Cap (Open Fund)

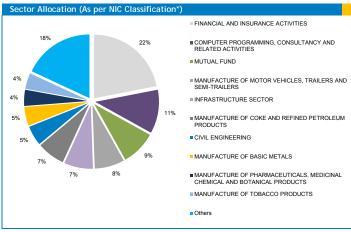
Investment Objective: To generate long-term capital appreciation from an actively managed portfolio of diversified stocks across the market capitalization spectrum.

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return As on February 28, 2018						28, 2018	
Returns	Absolut	e Return			CAGR Ret	turn	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since 05-Jan-10	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-4.1%	4.4%	18.7%	22.1%	7.4%	9.9%	10.0%
Benchmark*	-4.6%	5.9%	19.0%	24.8%	7.7%	9.3%	10.0%

<sup>\*\*</sup> Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on S&P BSE 200 for Equity





\*NIC Classification – Industrial sectors as defined under National Industrial Classification 2008

Fund Details	
Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
Amit Shah	Equity - 4   Debt - 0   Balanced - 2
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 623 crore	Rs. 21.7611

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Equity	60-100%	95.8%
Cash & Money Market	0-40%	4.2%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
INFOSYS LTD.	5.9%
H D F C BANK LTD.	5.7%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.	5.5%
ITCLTD.	4.1%
R*Shares bank bees etf	4.0%
KOTAK BANKING ETF	3.8%
Larsen & Toubro Ltd.	3.5%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	3.3%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	3.1%
ICICIBANK LTD.	2.9%
Others	54.1%
TOTAL	95.8%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	4.2%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





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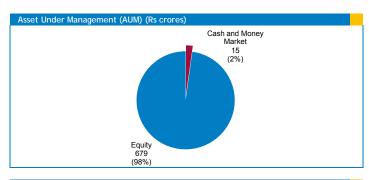
#### Multiplier II (Open Fund)

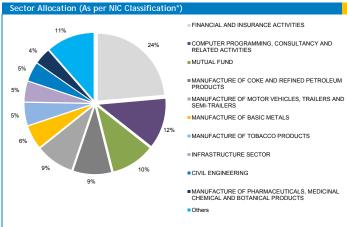
Investment Objective: To generate long term capital appreciation by investing in diversified equities.

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return					As	on February	28, 2018
Returns	Absolut	e Return			CAGR Ret	urn	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since 05-Jan-10	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-4.8%	3.9%	17.2%	19.6%	4.6%	8.3%	8.3%
Benchmark*	-4.9%	5.8%	18.2%	22.5%	5.6%	8.8%	9.5%

<sup>\*\*</sup> Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on Nifty 50 for Equity





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Fund Details	
Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
Amit Shah	Equity - 4   Debt - 0   Balanced - 2
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 694 crore	Rs. 19.1517

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Equities	60-100%	97.8%
Money Market Instruments	0-40%	2.2%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
H D F C BANK LTD.	7.8%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.	7.3%
INFOSYS LTD.	7.1%
ITCLTD.	5.4%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	5.0%
R*Shares bank bees etf	4.7%
KOTAK BANKING ETF	4.6%
Larsen & Toubro Ltd.	4.6%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	3.8%
ICICIBANK LTD.	3.3%
Others	44.2%
TOTAL	97.8%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	2.2%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





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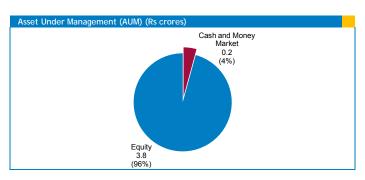
#### Multiplier III Fund (Open Fund)

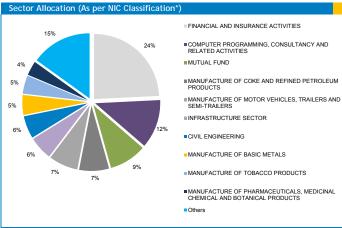
Investment Objective: To generate long term capital appreciation by investing in diversified equities (predominantly large caps).

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018
Detume	Absolut	e Return		CA	AGR Return	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-4.2%	5.1%	18.4%	-	-	12.9%
Benchmark*	-4.9%	5.8%	18.2%	-	-	13.4%

<sup>\*\*</sup> Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on Nifty 50 for Equity





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Fund Details	
Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
Amit Shah	Equity - 4   Debt - 0   Balanced - 2
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 4 crore	Rs. 12.1281

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Equities	60-100%	95.7%
Money Market Instruments	0-40%	4.3%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
H D F C BANK LTD.	7.5%
reliance industries LTD.	6.4%
NFOSYS LTD.	6.1%
IT CLTD.	4.6%
Larsen & Toubro Ltd.	4.5%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	4.2%
SBI-ETF NIFTY BANK	3.7%
I C I C I BANK LTD.	3.3%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	3.3%
KOTAK BANKING ETF	3.0%
Others	49.2%
TOTAL	95.7%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	4.3%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





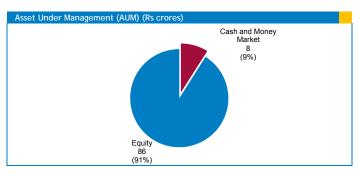
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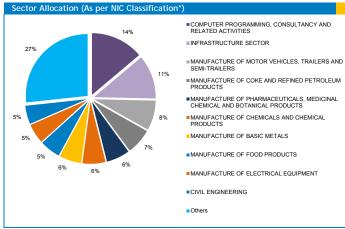
#### Virtue II (Open Fund)

Investment Objective: To generate long term capital appreciation by investing in diversified equities of companies promoting healthy life style and enhancing quality of life

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018
Dotumo	Absolut	e Return		CA	GR Return	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-1.9%	8.2%	22.7%	23.1%	10.3%	11.0%





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Fund Details	
Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
Amit Shah	Equity - 4   Debt - 0   Balanced - 2
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 94 crore	Rs. 23.3573

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Equities	60-100%	91.0%
Money Market Instruments	0-40%	9.0%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
NFOSYS LTD.	5.9%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.	5.0%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	3.6%
Larsen & Toubro Ltd.	2.4%
Britannia industries LTD.	2.2%
H C L TECHNOLOGIES LTD.	2.2%
Grasim industries LTD.	2.2%
TATA STEEL LTD.	2.0%
NABCO INDIA LTD.	1.9%
/EDANTA LIMITED	1.9%
Others	61.6%
ГОТAL	91.0%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	9.0%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





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#### Balancer II (Open Fund)

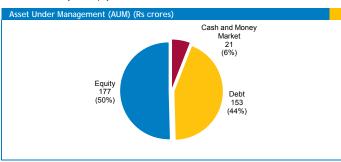
Investment Objective: To generate capital appreciation and current income, through a judicious mix of investments in equities and fixed income securities.

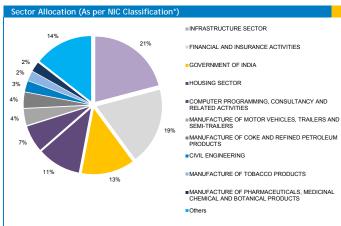
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 50% investments in Equities and 50% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

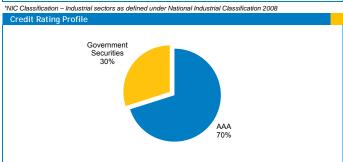
Portfolio Return	Portfolio Return As on February 28, 20					28, 2018				
Returns	Absolute Return CAGR Return				Absolute Return		CAGR Return			
Returns	Last 1	Last 6	Last 1	Last 2	Last 3	Since	Since			
	Month	Months	Year	Years	Years	05-Jan-10	Inception			
Portfolio return	-2.9%	1.3%	11.3%	14.8%	6.6%	8.3%	8.3%			
Benchmark*	-2.7%	2.2%	11.2%	15.5%	6.6%	8.3%	8.7%			

Note: Past returns are not indicative of future performance.

\*\* Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index for Debt and Nifty 50 for Equity







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Fund Details			
Fund Manager	Funds managed	by the Fund Manager	
Amit Shah	Equity - 4   Debt - 0   Balanced - 2		
Deb Bhattacharya	Equity - 2   Debt - 1   Balanced - 4		
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018	Modified Duration (Debt and Money Market)	
Rs. 351 crore	Rs. 19.1817	4.8	

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Government & Other Debt Securities	0-60%	43.6%
Equity	0-60%	50.4%
Cash & Money Market	0-40%	5.9%

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Security	Rating	Net Asset
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
9.2% GOI 2030	Sovereign	3.1%
7.17% GOI 2028	Sovereign	2.7%
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	1.6%
8.38% SDL 2026	Sovereign	1.4%
8.27% SDL 2026	Sovereign	1.4%
8.25% SDL 2025	Sovereign	1.4%
8.17% GOI 2044	Sovereign	0.7%
8.25% SDL 2026	Sovereign	0.6%
8.4% GOI 2025	Sovereign	0.0%
TOTAL	3	13.1%
TOP 10 CORPORATE BONDS		
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA	5.9%
RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPN. LTD.	AAA	5.9%
POWER GRID CORPN. OF INDIA LTD.	AAA	5.2%
L I C HOUSING FINANCE LTD.	AAA	4.2%
INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	2.6%
SUNDARAM FINANCE LTD	AAA	2.0%
RELIANCE GAS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE	AAA	1.8%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	1.4%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	0.6%
IDFC BANK LIMITED	AAA	0.4%
Others		0.6%
TOTAL		30.6%
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES		
H D F C BANK LTD.		5.3%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		3.3%
INFOSYS LTD.		3.2%
I C I C I BANK LTD.		2.5%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.		2.5%
LT C LTD.		2.4%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		2.4%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.		1.7%
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LTD.		1.7%
HINDUSTAN UNILEVER LTD.		1.6%
Others		24.5%
TOTAL		
TOTAL		50.4%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		5.9%





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#### Protector II (Open Fund)

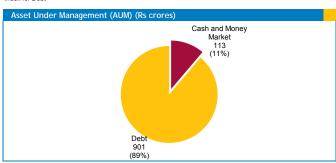
Investment Objective: To earn regular income by investing in high quality fixed income securities

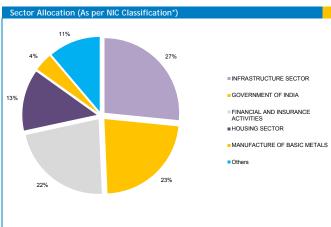
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives

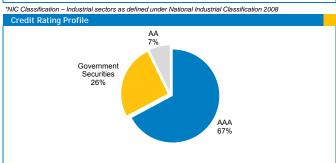
Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018	
Dotumo	Absolut	e Return	rn CAGR Return				
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception	
Portfolio return Benchmark*	-1.1% -0.6%	-1.9% -1.4%	2.9% 4.3%	7.1% 7.9%	6.2% 7.6%	8.0% 7.9%	

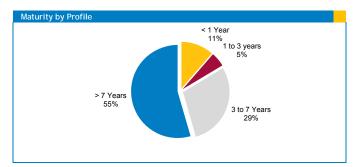
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Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Government & Other Debt Securities	60-100%	88.8%
Cash & Money Market	0-40%	11.2%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
TOP 10 GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
6.68% GOI 2031	Sovereign	4.0%
8.13% GOI 2045	Sovereign	3.0%
7.17% GOI 2028	Sovereign	2.8%
6.79% GOI 2027	Sovereign	2.7%
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	2.0%
7.61% GOI 2030	Sovereign	1.4%
8.17% GOI 2044	Sovereign	1.2%
8.38% SDL 2026	Sovereign	1.0%
8.22% SDL 2026	Sovereign	0.5%
8.17% SDL 2025	Sovereign	0.4%
Others		3.6%
TOTAL		22.7%
RELIANCE PORTS & TERMINALS LTD. INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA AAA	9.6% 5.5%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	4.9%
POWER GRID CORPN. OF INDIA LTD.	AAA	4.7%
IDFC BANK LIMITED	AAA	3.5%
DEWAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	3.4%
L I C HOUSING FINANCE LTD.	AAA	3.4%
TATA SONS LTD.	AAA	3.4%
H D F C BANK LTD.	AAA	3.4%
RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPN. LTD.	AAA	3.0%
Others		21.3%
TOTAL		66.1%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		11.2%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





SFIN No: ULIF00815/12/09PRESERVER2117

#### Preserver II (Open Fund)

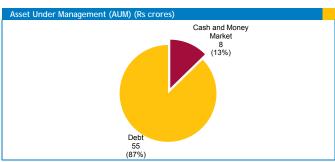
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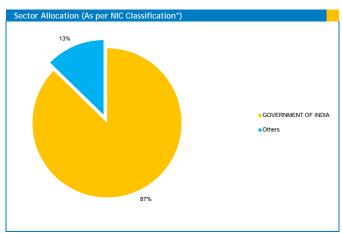
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & Govt. Guaranteed Securities to meet the stated objectives

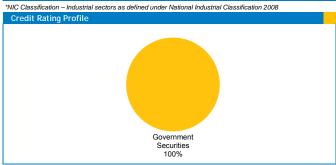
Portfolio Return	As on February 28, 2018						
Detum	Absolute	e Return		CA	GR Return		
Returns	Last 1	Last 6	Last 1	Last 2	Last 3	Since	
	Month	Months	Year	Years	Years	Inception	
Portfolio return	-0.2%	-1.6%	3.1%	6.8%	5.8%	7.4%	
Benchmark*	0.0%	-0.2%	4.6%	7.9%	8.0%	8.4%	

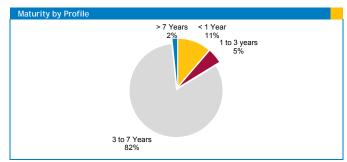
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\*\* Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on ISEC Mibex for Government & Govt. Guaranteed Securities







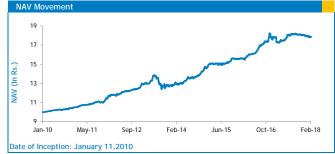


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Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	60-100%	87.3%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	12.7%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
7.35% GOI 2024	Sovereign	20.2%
7.68% GOI 2023	Sovereign	17.4%
6.84% GOI 2022	Sovereign	15.4%
8.39% SDL 2024	Sovereign	11.9%
8.4% GOI 2024	Sovereign	8.1%
7.16% GOI 2023	Sovereign	7.8%
8.27% GOI 2020	Sovereign	4.9%
7.88% GOI 2030	Sovereign	1.6%
8.13% GOI 2021	Sovereign	0.1%
TOTAL		87.3%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		12.7%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





SFIN No: ULIF01909/10/15LIQUIDFUND117

#### Liquid Fund (Open Fund)

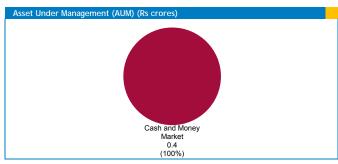
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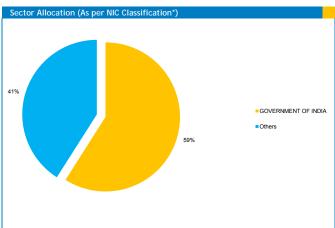
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

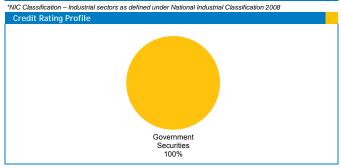
Portfolio Return	n As on February 28, 2018						
Datama	Absolute	e Return		CA	GR Return		
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception	
Portfolio return	0.4%	2.4%	4.8%	-	-	4.9%	
Benchmark*	0.4%	2.9%	6.0%	-	-	6.0%	

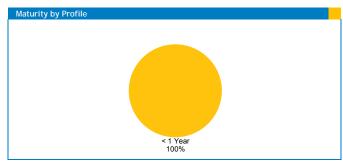
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Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on CRISIL CBLO index for CBLO





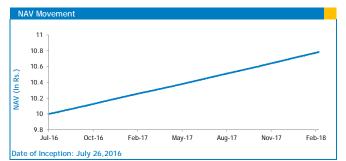






Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Money Market Instruments	0-100%	100.0%





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	Benchmark (BM)	1 - Ye	ar (%)	3 - Ye	ar (%)	5 - Ye	ar (%)	10 - Ye	ear (%)
	benchinark (bivi)	Fund	BM	Fund	BM	Fund	BM	Fund	BM
High Risk									
Accelerator	20% CCBFI 80% Nifty 50	13.8	15.4	4.5	6.0	10.7	12.1	6.6	7.3
Multiplier	Nifty 50	16.3	18.2	4.0	5.6	11.1	13.0	6.0	7.2
Virtue		20.0	NA	8.7	NA	16.8	NA	8.6	NA
Medium Risk									
Balancer	50% CCBFI 50% Nifty 50	10.5	11.2	5.2	6.6	9.3	10.7	7.2	7.4
Moderator	80% CCBFI 20% Nifty 50	5.4	7.0	5.2	7.2	7.5	9.3	7.2	7.5
Low Risk									
Protector	CCBFI	2.7	4.3	6.0	7.6	6.7	8.3	7.5	7.5
Preserver	ISEC Mibex	3.0	4.6	5.7	8.0	6.1	8.6	6.4	8.1

CCBFI- CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index

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SFIN No: ULIF00625/01/05MULTIPLIER117

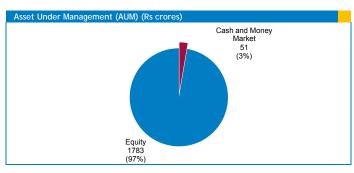
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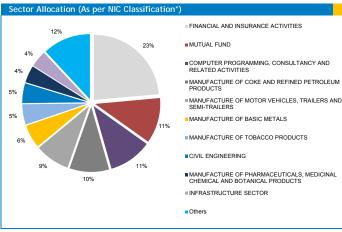
Investment Objective: To generate long term capital appreciation by investing in diversified equities.

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return	As on February 28, 2018					
Returns	Absolut	e Return		CA	GR Return	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-4.9%	4.1%	16.3%	19.1%	4.0%	11.7%
Benchmark*	-4.9%	5.8%	18.2%	22.5%	5.6%	13.2%

<sup>\*\*</sup> Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on Nifty 50 for Equity





\*NIC Classification – Industrial sectors as defined under National Industrial Classification 2008

Fund Details	
Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
Deb Bhattacharya	Equity - 2   Debt - 1   Balanced - 4
AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 1834 crore	Rs. 42.4122

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Listed Equities	80-100%	97.2%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	2.8%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.	8.5%
I D F C BANK LTD.	8.0%
NFOSYS LTD.	6.4%
T C LTD.	5.1%
ARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.	4.9%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	4.8%
KOTAK BANKING ETF	4.5%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	3.9%
SBI-ETF NIFTY BANK	3.5%
R*SHARES BANK BEES ETF	3.2%
Others	44.4%
TOTAL	97.2%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	2.8%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





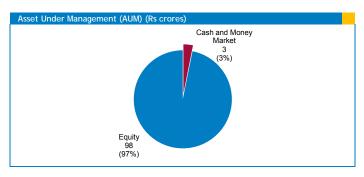
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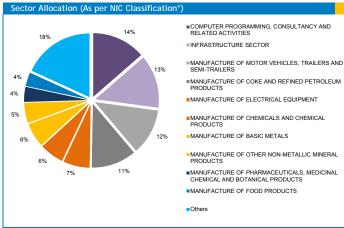
#### Virtue (Closed Fund)

Investment Objective: To generate long term capital appreciation by investing in diversified equities of companies promoting healthy life style and enhancing quality of life

Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Equities to meet the stated objectives.

Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018
Returns	Absolute	e Return	CAGR Return			
	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-1.7%	9.0%	20.0%	22.0%	8.7%	8.5%





\*NIC Classification – Industrial sectors as defined under National Industrial Classification 2008

Fund Manager  Deb Bhattacharya  Equity - 2   Debt - 1   Balanced - 4	Fund Details	
	Fund Manager	Funds managed by the Fund Manager
NAV 20 02 2010	Deb Bhattacharya	Equity - 2   Debt - 1   Balanced - 4
AUM as on 28-02-2018 NAV as on 28-02-2018	AUM as on 28-02-2018	NAV as on 28-02-2018
Rs. 101 crore Rs. 22.6038	Rs. 101 crore	Rs. 22.6038

Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Listed Equities	60-100%	96.8%
Money Market Instruments	0-40%	3.2%

Security	Net Assets
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES	
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.	7.4%
NFOSYS LTD.	5.6%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.	5.1%
WABCO INDIA LTD.	3.4%
H C L TECHNOLOGIES LTD.	3.3%
TATA STEEL LTD.	3.1%
GRASIM INDUSTRIES LTD.	2.7%
CROMPTON GREAVES CONSUMER ELECTRICAL	2.7%
GUJARAT STATE PETRONET LTD.	2.7%
JLTRATECH CEMENT LTD.	2.5%
Others	58.3%
TOTAL	96.8%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	3.2%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





SFIN No: ULIF00525/01/05ACCELERATO117

#### Accelerator (Closed Fund)

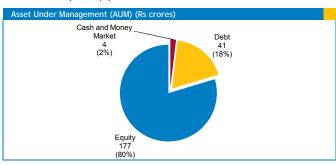
Investment Objective: To achieve capital appreciation by investing predominantly in equities, with limited investment in fixed income securities.

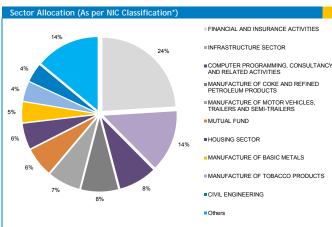
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 80% investments in Equities and 20% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

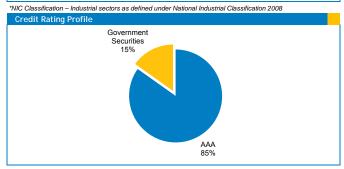
Portfolio Return			As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018		
Detume	Absolute	e Return	CAGR Return			
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-4.2%	2.5%	13.8%	16.9%	4.5%	11.3%
Benchmark*	-4.0%	4.4%	15.4%	19.8%	6.0%	12.2%

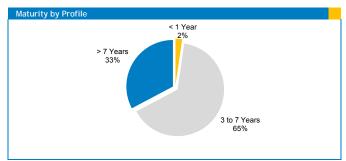
Note: Past returns are not indicative of future performance.

\*\* Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index for Debt and Nifty 50 for Equity











Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	0-40%	2.8%
Infrastructure and Social Sector Secs	0-40%	8.7%
Listed Equities	60-95%	79.6%
Long Term Bonds	0-60%	6.8%
Short Term Bonds	0-35%	0.1%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	1.9%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	1.0%
8.13% GOI 2045	Sovereign	0.9%
7.17% GOI 2028	Sovereign	0.9%
TOTAL		2.8%
CORPORATE BONDS		
RELIANCE GAS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE	AAA	6.7%
L I C HOUSING FINANCE LTD.	AAA	2.5%
DEWAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	2.2%
SUNDARAM FINANCE LTD	AAA	1.3%
INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	1.1%
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA	0.9%
INDIA INFRADEBT LIMITED	AAA	0.9%
TOTAL		15.7%
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES		
H D F C BANK LTD.		7.3%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		7.1%
INFOSYS LTD.		5.2%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.		4.6%
ITCLTD.		4.3%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		4.1%
KOTAK BANKING ETF		3.8%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.		3.5%
ICICIBANK LTD.		2.9%
R*SHARES BANK BEES ETF		2.6%
Others		34.3%
TOTAL		79.6%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		1.9%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





SFIN No: ULIF00425/01/05BALANCERFN117

#### Balancer (Closed Fund)

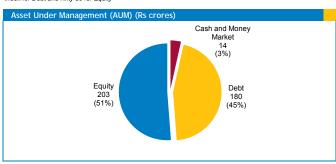
Investment Objective: To generate capital appreciation and current income, through a judicious mix of investments in equities and fixed income securities.

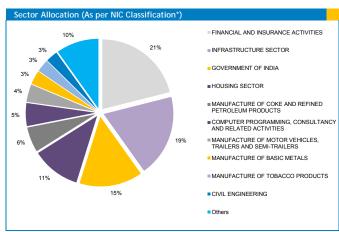
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 50% investments in Equities and 50% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

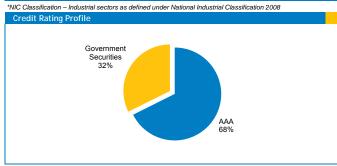
Portfolio Return			As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018		
Detume	Absolut	e Return	CAGR Return			
Returns	Last 1	Last 6	Last 1	Last 2	Last 3	Since
	Month	Months	Year	Years	Years	Inception
Portfolio return	-3.0%	1.3%	10.5%	13.5%	5.2%	9.8%
Benchmark*	-2.7%	2.2%	11.2%	15.5%	6.6%	10.7%

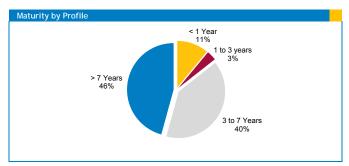
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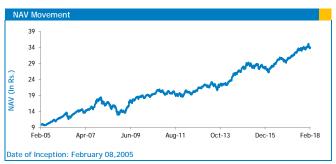


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Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	10-60%	14.7%
Infrastructure and Social Sector Secs	0-60%	16.2%
Listed Equities	35-65%	51.2%
Long Term Bonds	0-60%	10.8%
Short Term Bonds	0-35%	3.7%
Money Market Instruments	0-40%	3.5%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
TOP 10 GOVERNMENT SECURITIES	Ruting	1401 7133013
7.17% GOI 2028	Sovereign	3.6%
6.68% GOI 2031	Sovereign	3.4%
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	1.4%
7.73% GOI 2034	Sovereign	1.2%
6.57% GOI 2033	Sovereign	1.1%
8.24% GOI 2027	Sovereign	1.0%
8.09% SDL 2026	Sovereign	0.7%
7.59% GOI 2029	Sovereign	0.6%
8.83% GOI 2023	Sovereign	0.5%
8.17% GOI 2044	Sovereign	0.5%
Others		0.5%
TOTAL		14.7%
TOP 10 CORPORATE BONDS		0.10
RELIANCE GAS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE	AAA	8.1%
L I C HOUSING FINANCE LTD.	AAA	6.2%
RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPN. LTD.	AAA	3.8%
DEWAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	2.6%
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA	2.1%
SUNDARAM FINANCE LTD	AAA	1.5%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	1.4%
POWER GRID CORPN. OF INDIA LTD.	AAA	1.3%
HDB FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED	AAA	1.3%
L&T INFRA DEBT FUND LTD	AAA	1.2%
Others		1.1%
TOTAL		30.6%
TOP 10 EQUITY SECURITIES		
H D F C BANK LTD.		5.6%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		4.7%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.		4.2%
INFOSYS LTD.		3.2%
I C I C I BANK LTD.		3.0%
IT C LTD.		2.9%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		2.3%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.		1.6%
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK LTD.		1.6%
HINDUSTAN UNILEVER LTD.		1.4%
Others		20.6%
TOTAL		51.2%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET PORTFOLIO TOTAL		3.5%





SFIN No: ULIF00325/01/05MODERATORF117

#### Moderator (Closed Fund)

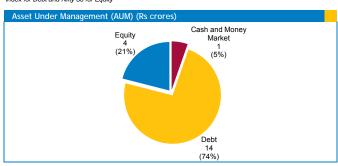
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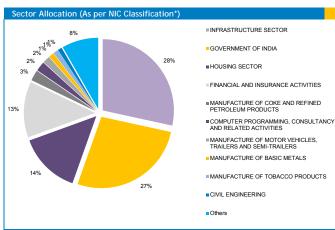
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 20% investments in Equities and 80% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

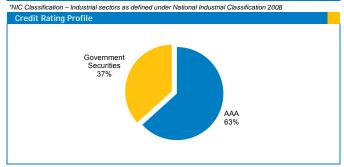
Portfolio Return			As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018		
Datuma	Absolute	e Return	CAGR Return			
Returns	Last 1	Last 6	Last 1	Last 2	Last 3	Since
	Month	Months	Year	Years	Years	Inception
Portfolio return	-1.8%	-0.6%	5.4%	9.0%	5.2%	8.0%
Benchmark*	-1.5%	0.0%	7.0%	11.0%	7.2%	8.7%

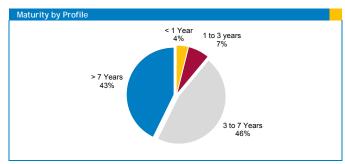
Note: Past returns are not indicative of future performance.

\*\* Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index for Debt and Nifty 50 for Equity











Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	10-60%	27.0%
Infrastructure and Social Sector Secs	0-60%	27.2%
Listed Equities	10-30%	21.0%
Long Term Bonds	0-60%	19.4%
Short Term Bonds	0-35%	0.0%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	5.3%

Committee	Detien	Net Assets
Security GOVERNMENT SECURITIES	Rating	Net Assets
7.17% GOI 2028	Carranalan	15.5%
	Sovereign	
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	6.1%
7.35% GOI 2024	Sovereign	5.3%
8.13% GOI 2021	Sovereign	0.1%
TOTAL		27.0%
CORPORATE BONDS		
DEWAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	8.0%
L&T INFRA DEBT FUND LTD	AAA	7.9%
INDIA INFRADEBT LIMITED	AAA	7.8%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	6.3%
INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA	6.0%
HDB FINANCIAL SERVICES LIMITED	AAA	5.4%
INDIAN RAILWAY FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	5.2%
TOTAL		46.6%
TOP 10 FOUITY SECURITIES		
H D F C BANK I TD.		2.0%
RELIANCE INDUSTRIES LTD.		1.9%
HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPN. LTD.		1.7%
INFOSYS I TD		1.3%
LC LC LBANK LTD.		1.3%
LT CLTD		1.2%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD.		0.9%
KOTAK MAHINDRA BANK I TD		0.7%
MARUTI SUZUKI INDIA LTD.		0.7%
HINDUSTAN UNII EVER LTD.		0.7%
Others		8.8%
TOTAL		21.0%
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CASH AND MONEY MARKET		5.3%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





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#### **Protector (Closed Fund)**

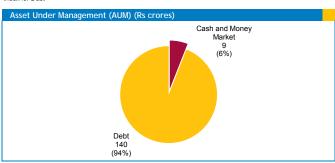
Investment Objective: To earn regular income by investing in high quality fixed income securities

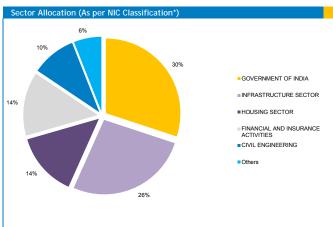
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives

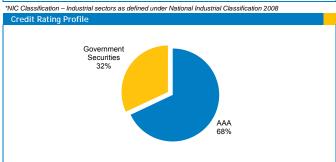
Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018	
Dotumo	Absolut	e Return		CA	GR Return		
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception	
Portfolio return Benchmark*	-0.8% -0.6%	-1.7% -1.4%	2.7% 4.3%	6.6% 7.9%	6.0% 7.6%	7.0% 7.0%	

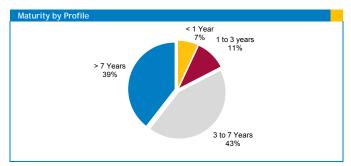
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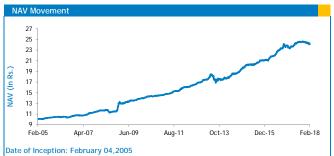






Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	25-90%	30.1%
Infrastructure and Social Sector Secs	0-60%	26.6%
Long Term Bonds	10-60%	33.2%
Short Term Bonds	0-45%	4.1%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	6.0%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
TOP 10 GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
8.13% GOI 2045	Sovereign	7.0%
7.17% GOI 2028	Sovereign	6.2%
6.68% GOI 2031	Sovereign	4.2%
7.73% GOI 2034	Sovereign	3.3%
6.79% GOI 2027	Sovereign	3.1%
9.23% GOI 2043	Sovereign	1.8%
8.33% GOI 2026	Sovereign	1.4%
7.35% GOI 2024	Sovereign	1.3%
8.43% SDL 2019	Sovereign	1.2%
7.59% GOI 2026	Sovereign	0.6%
TOTAL		30.1%
LARSEN & TOUBRO LTD. TATA SONS LTD. DEWAN HOUSING FINANCE CORPN. LTD. INDIABULLS HOUSING FINANCE LTD	AAA AAA AAA	9.6% 9.6% 6.7% 6.1%
RURAL ELECTRIFICATION CORPN. LTD.	AAA	3.4%
POWER FINANCE CORPN. LTD.	AAA	3.4%
AXIS BANK LTD.	AAA	3.2%
RELIANCE GAS TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE	AAA	3.2%
INFRASTRUCTURE LEASING & FINANCIAL SERVICES	AAA	2.1%
Others		6.7%
TOTAL		63.9%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		6.0%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





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#### Preserver (Closed Fund)

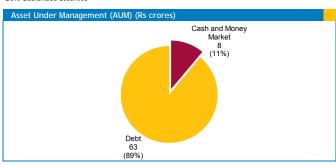
Investment Objective: To generate income at a level consistent with preservation of capital, through investments in securities issued or guaranteed by central and state Governments.

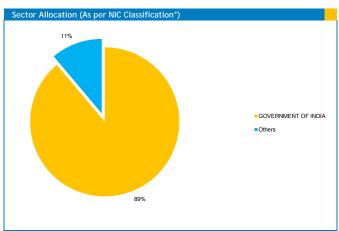
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & Govt. Guaranteed Securities to meet the stated objectives

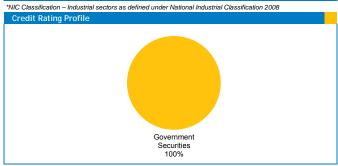
Portfolio Return					As on Feb	ruary 28, 2018
Datama	Absolute	e Return		CA	GR Return	
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception
Portfolio return	-0.2%	-1.6%	3.0%	6.8%	5.7%	6.3%
Benchmark*	0.0%	-0.2%	4.6%	7.9%	8.0%	7.7%

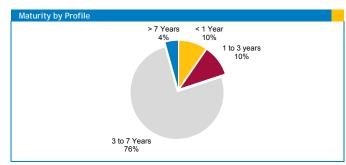
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\*\* Benchmark return has been computed by applying benchmark weightages on ISEC Mibex for Government & Govt. Guaranteed Securities









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Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Govt & Govt Guaranteed Secs	80-100%	88.9%
Money Market Investments	0-40%	11.1%

Security	Rating	Net Assets
TOP 10 GOVERNMENT SECURITIES		
7.35% GOI 2024	Sovereign	18.0%
7.68% GOI 2023	Sovereign	17.7%
7.16% GOI 2023	Sovereign	13.9%
6.84% GOI 2022	Sovereign	13.8%
8.39% SDL 2024	Sovereign	10.6%
8.27% GOI 2020	Sovereign	10.2%
8.6% GOI 2028	Sovereign	1.8%
7.99% SDL 2025	Sovereign	1.2%
8.33% GOI 2026	Sovereign	1.0%
8.13% GOI 2021	Sovereign	0.4%
Others		0.3%
TOTAL		88.9%
CASH AND MONEY MARKET		11.1%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL		100.0%





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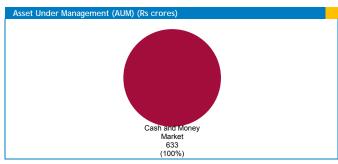
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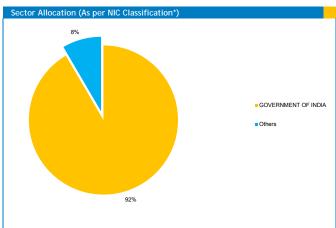
Investment Objective: To generate income at a level consistent with the preservation of capital, along with a minimum interest of 4% per annum.

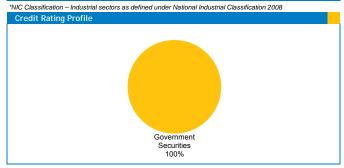
Investment Philosophy: The fund will target 100% investments in Government & other debt securities to meet the stated objectives.

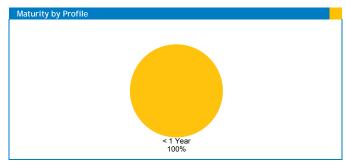
Portfolio Return	turn			Portfolio Return As on February 28, 2			ruary 28, 2018
D .	Absolute	e Return		CA	GR Return		
Returns	Last 1 Month	Last 6 Months	Last 1 Year	Last 2 Years	Last 3 Years	Since Inception	
Portfolio return	0.4%	2.8%	5.7%	6.1%	6.5%	7.2%	

Note: Past returns are not indicative of future performance.







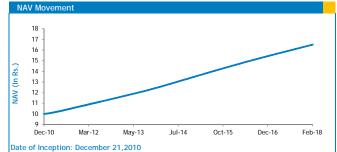


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Asset Classes	F&U	Actual
Government Securities	0-25%	0.0%
Money Market Instruments	0-100%	100.0%

Portfolio Components	
Security	Net Assets
CASH AND MONEY MARKET	100.0%
PORTFOLIO TOTAL	100.0%





#### **Quantitative Indicators**

- Standard Deviation (SD) It shows how much the variation or dispersion of a fund's daily returns has from its average. Lesser SD indicates that the daily returns are moving closer to the average. A higher SD indicates that daily returns are widely spread over a large range of value.
- Beta It indicates how the fund is performing relative to its benchmark. If beta of a fund is higher than its benchmark, which is considered 1, it indicates risk-return trade-off is better and vice-versa.
- Sharpe Ratio It measures the risk-reward ratio as it indicates whether higher returns come with higher or lower risk. Greater the ratio, better is the risk-adjusted performance.
- Average Maturity It is the weighted average period of all the maturities of debt securities in the portfolio.
- Modified Duration (MD) It is the measurable change in the value of a security in response to a change in interest rates.
- Bond yield Bond yield is the amount of return an investor realizes on a bond. Several types of bond yields exist, including nominal yield (interest paid divided by the face value of the bond) and current yield (annual earnings of the bond divided by its current market price). Yield to maturity (YTM), a popular measure where in addition to coupon return it also additionally incorporates price decline/increase to face value of the bond over the maturity period.

#### Macroeconomic Indicators

- Macroeconomics Macroeconomics is the branch of economics that studies the behavior and performance of an
  economy as a whole. It focuses on the aggregate changes in the economy such as unemployment, growth rate,
  gross domestic product and inflation. Macroeconomics analyzes all aggregate indicators that influence the
  economy. Government and corporations use macroeconomic models to help in formulating of economic policies
  and strategies.
- Gross Domestic Product (GDP) GDP is one of the primary indicators used to gauge the health of a country's economy. It represents the total value of all goods and services produced over a specific time period. It can be stated in real terms or nominal terms (which includes inflation).
- Gross value added (GVA) GVA is a productivity metric that measures the contribution to an economy, producer, sector or region. Gross value added provides a value for the amount of goods and services that have been produced, less the cost of all inputs and raw materials that are directly attributable to that production.
- Index of Industrial Production (IIP) The index represents the production growth of various sectors in India. The index focuses on mining, electricity and manufacturing. The ongoing base year for calculation of index is 2004-2005.
- HSBC Purchasers Managers' Index (PMI) Three types of indices Manufacturing, Services and Composite Index are published on a monthly basis after surveys of private sector companies. An index reading above 50 indicates an overall increase in that variable, while below 50 shows an overall decrease.
- Inflation Inflation measures the change in the prices of a basket of goods and services in a year. From a calculation standpoint, it is the percentage change in the value of the Wholesale Price Index (WPI) / Consumer Price Index (CPI) on a year-on-year basis. It occurs due to an imbalance between demand and supply, changes in production and distribution cost or increase in taxes on products. When economy experiences inflation, i.e. when the price level of goods and services rises, the value of currency reduces.



#### Macroeconomic Indicators

- Nominal interest rate Nominal interest rate is the interest rate that does not take inflation impact into account. It is the interest rate that is quoted on bonds and loans.
- Real interest rate Real interest rate adjusts for the inflation and gives the real rate of a bond or a loan.
- Monetary Policy Monetary policy is the macroeconomic policy laid down by the Central bank. It involves management of money supply and interest rates to achieve macroeconomic objectives like inflation, consumption, growth and liquidity. Depending on growth-inflation dynamics, the central bank can either pursue an easy or a tight monetary policy. An expansionary/easy/ accommodative monetary policy involves expansion of money supply, mainly by keeping interest rates low, to boost economic growth. A contractionary/tight monetary policy involves reduction in money supply to control inflation in the economy.
- Liquidity The Central bank of a country has to maintain an appropriate level of liquidity to help meet the credit demand of the country as well as maintain price stability. This is done by way of direct monetary policy tools such as policy rates and cash reserves to be maintained with it by banks. It is also done by indirect means such as Open market Operations (OMO) which involve sale and purchase of Government securities.
- Fiscal Deficit This takes place when India's expenditure rises than its revenue. To fill this gap, the Government raises debt by issuing Government/ sovereign bonds. Fiscal deficit is usually compared with GDP to understand the financial position of the country. Rising fiscal deficit to GDP ratio is not good for the country, which requires immediate attention to cut expenditure and/or increase the source of revenue.
- Current Account Deficit (CAD) Current account deficit is a measurement of a country's trade where the value of
  imports of goods and services as well as net investment income or transfer from abroad is greater than the value
  of exports of goods and services for a country. This indicates that the country is a net debtor of foreign currency,
  which increases the pressure on the country's existing foreign currency reserves. Current account surplus is the
  opposite of this.
- Investment In private investment, the funds come from a private, for-profit business. A few examples of private investment are a private company's manufacturing plant, a commercial office building, or a shopping mall. In public investment, the money exchanged comes from a governmental entity such as a city, state, country, etc. It would involve roads, airports, dams and other public infrastructure.

#### Market Indices

- Nifty 50 Index It is a well diversified 50 stock index accounting for 22 sectors of the economy. It is used for a variety of purposes such as benchmarking fund portfolios, index based derivatives and index funds.
- CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index It seeks to track the performance of a debt portfolio that includes government securities and AAA/AA rated corporate bonds.

#### **Fixed Income Indicators**

- Repo Rate The rate at which the RBI lends money to commercial banks is called repo rate. It is an instrument of monetary policy. Whenever shortage of funds banks has, they can borrow from the RBI.
- Cash Reserve Ratio (CRR) CRR is the amount of funds which the banks need to keep with the RBI. If the RBI
  decides to increase the CRR, the available amount with the banks comes down. The RBI uses the CRR to drain out
  excessive money from the system.



#### **Fixed Income Indicators**

- Marginal Standing Facility (MSF) It is a rate at which the RBI provides overnight lending to commercial banks
  over and above the repo window (repo rate). The interest rate charged is higher than the repo rate and hence it is
  used when there is considerable shortfall in liquidity.
- Statutory Liquidity ratio (SLR) In India, commercial banks are required to maintain a certain percentage of their total deposits (net demand and time liabilities) in notified Government securities to ensure safety and liquidity of deposits. This percentage is known as the SLR rate. If the RBI or Central Bank reduces the SLR rate, it means that higher liquidity will be available to banks for their lending activity and vice-versa.

#### **Others**

- Goods and Services Tax (GST) The GST is one of the biggest indirect tax reforms, with an aim to make India one unified common market. It is a single tax on the supply of goods and services, right from the manufacturer to the consumer. Credits of input taxes paid at each stage will be available in the subsequent stage of value addition, which makes GST essentially a tax only on value addition at each stage. The final consumer will thus bear only the GST charged by the last dealer in the supply chain, with set-off benefits at all the previous stages.
- Foreign institutional investors (FIIs) FIIs are those institutional investors who invest in the assets belonging to a different country other than that where these organizations are based. These are the big companies such as investment banks, mutual funds etc, which invest considerable amount of money in Indian equity and fixed income markets, and consequently have a strong bearing on the respective market movement and currency.
- Domestic institutional investors (DIIs)- DIIs are those institutional investors who undertake investment in securities and other financial assets of the country they are based in. Institutional investment is defined to be the investment done by institutions or organizations such as banks, insurance companies, and mutual fund houses in the financial or real assets of a country.
- Emerging market (EM) economy- An emerging market economy describes a nation's economy that is progressing toward becoming more advanced, usually by means of rapid growth and industrialization. These countries experience an expanding role both in the world economy and on the political frontier.
- Organization of the Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC)- The OPEC was formed in 1960 to unify and
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  with a fair return. Members of OPEC include Iran, Iraq, Syria, Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Qatar, the United
  Arab Emirates (or UAE), Oman, and Yemen. The OPEC countries produce 40% of the world's crude oil.
- Federal Open Market Committee (FOMC)- The FOMC is the monetary policymaking body of the Federal Reserve System. The FOMC is composed of 12 members - seven members of the Board of Governors and five of the 12 Reserve Bank presidents.
- International Monetary Fund (IMF)- The IMF, formed in 1945, is an international organization of 189 countries, headquartered in Washington, D.C. The key objectives include fostering global monetary cooperation, securing financial stability, facilitating international trade, promoting high employment and sustainable economic growth, and reducing poverty around the world.



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