

BAJAJ FINSERV MULTI CAP FUND

(An open ended equity scheme investing across large cap, mid cap, small cap stocks)

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BAJAJ FINSERV ASSET MANAGEMENT LIMITED

Every cap has its moment-don't miss out on any



Each year, salmon embark on a journey unlike any other, swimming upstream against relentless currents. While most creatures would flow with the water, the salmon choose the harder path, defying the odds to reach their spawning grounds.

The salmon reminds us: true rewards are earned by those who dare to swim upstream.

Swimming against the tide...



Contrarian investing is akin to the remarkable salmon run!

- Contrarian investing involves going against market trends.
- Instead of following the crowd, contrarian investors buy during negative sentiment and sell during optimism.
- This strategy seeks to profit from **mispriced assets** by buying **undervalued investments** and selling them **when prices rise.**

Most people get interested in stocks when everyone else is. The time to get interested is when no one else is.

- Warren Buffett

Contrarian investing is as old as investing itself



David Ricardo: A Bold Contrarian Bet

- In 1815, he bought British government bonds at low prices before the Battle of Waterloo.
- While others panicked, he saw opportunity in desperate sellers and favorable odds.
- Napoleon's defeat led to massive profits, highlighting the power of contrarian investing.

Warren Buffett: Master of Contrarian Moves

- His advice: "Be fearful when others are greedy, and greedy when others are fearful" defines contrarian investing.
- During the 2008 crisis, he urged Americans to buy amid market fear.
- This strategy succeeded as the S&P 500 delivered strong returns over the next decade.

Decoding Contrarian Investing



Contrarian investing goes against market trends to find undervalued opportunities, leveraging inefficiencies for longterm gains.



Going against the crowd often leads to untapped market opportunities



Overreaction

Excessive optimism (overvalued) or excessive pessimism (undervalued).

During excessive pessimism driving prices below intrinsic value.

During excessive optimism pushing prices significantly above intrinsic value.

Exploit mispriced assets caused by emotion-driven market behavior.

Panic-driven sell-offs, recession fears, regulatory setbacks.

Market Sentiment	
When to Buy	
When to Sell	
Objective	
Examples of Buy Triggers	

Underreaction

Lack of adequate response to positive or negative developments.

When positive fundamentals or structural growth are underappreciated.

When negative developments are underpriced, and further downside is likely.

Capture hidden value before the market fully realizes the opportunity.

Delayed recognition of improving financials, innovation, or sector tailwinds.

A proven overreaction study



The 1984 paper "Does the Stock Market Overreact?" by Werner FM De Bondt and Richard Thaler found that, over 50 years, a portfolio of 35 "loser" stocks (the worst performers in a prior period) outperformed the market by 19.6% on average within three years, while "winner" stocks underperformed by about 5%.





Formation Period:

- Duration: 84 months (7 years).
- Stocks must have 84 months of continuous return data.



Winner Portfolio Creation:

Top-performing stocks based on residual returns are grouped into the Winner Portfolio.



Loser Portfolio Creation:

Bottom-performing stocks based on residual returns are grouped into the Loser Portfolio.

Holding Period:

Each portfolio is held for 72 months (6 years) postformation. The process is repeated 16 times with staggered start points to account for new securities.

Overreaction study in Indian Context -

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Key Findings:

HIKTRI Portfolio: Delivered strong past returns. Moderated in subsequent years.

PSE Stocks Portfolio: Showed weak historical performance. Significantly rebounded in subsequent years.

Methodology: The analysis of the study was conducted considering HIKTRI stocks and PSE stocks to evaluate the future performance of portfolios formed based on historical returns. Using Dec 31, 2020, as the cutoff, two equalweighted portfolios were created: one comprising the HIKTRI stocks and another with PSE stocks.

Source: ACE Equity. Data as on 31st Dec 24. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

HIKTRI – HDFC Bank Ltd., Infosys Ltd., Kotak Mahindra Bank Ltd., TCS Ltd., Reliance Industries Ltd., ITC Ltd.; PSE – Public Sector Enterprise

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Critical Aspect of Contrarian Investing:

Intrinsic Value

Intrinsic Value is an asset's true worth based on fundamentals, not market price. Margin of Safety is the gap between an asset's intrinsic value and market price, minimizing risk and

boosting returns.



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The greatest opportunities lay in investments that others ignore or dismiss due to behavioral biases.

- Howard Marks

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Contrarian edge arises from behavioral biases



Investors often allow their behavioural biases to affect their investing decisions



ignoring long-term fundamentals.





selling during downturns.

Behavioral biases lead to market mispricing's, creating contrarian opportunities

Investor Behaviour with Changing Cycles



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Time

The greatest opportunities often arise during times of investor pessimism

Value

Examples of Contrarian Plays





Source: ACE Equity Data as on 31st Dec 24

The slide is for the purpose of explaining how the contra investment strategy works and there is no assurance or guarantee that stocks invested by this scheme would exhibit similar behaviour.







A symphony orchestra comprises a variety of instruments—brass, percussion, woodwinds, and strings—each with its distinct sound and role, much like the unique characteristics of large, mid, and small-cap stocks in a multi-cap fund. Just as a conductor skillfully orchestrates different instruments, each with its unique role and sound, a well-executed contrarian strategy identifies and integrates opportunities across large, mid, and small-cap stocks that may be overlooked or undervalued by the market



Categorizing Top 500 companies					
Sectors (No. of Companies)	Large Cap	Mid Cap	Small Cap		
Consumer Discretionary (99)	20%	27%	53%		
Financial Services (97)	23%	37%	40%		
Industrials (81)	11%	26%	63%		
Commodities (56)	18%	34%	48%		
Healthcare (50)	12%	28%	60%		
Fast Moving Consumer Goods (28)	32%	21%	46%		
Information Technology (26)	23%	35%	42%		
Energy (19)	32%	32%	37%		
Utilities (16)	50%	25%	25%		
Services (14)	14%	21%	64%		
Telecommunication (10)	20%	30%	50%		
Diversified (4)	0%	50%	50%		

Source: Nifty Indices; Data as on 31st Dec 24

Large Cap Opportunities:

Large caps in stable sectors like Utilities (50%) and Energy (32%) provide a strong foundation for potential steady returns

Mid Cap Growth Potential:

MidcapsingrowthsectorssuchasFinancialServices(37%)andTelecommunication(30%)strike a balance between stabilityand expansion



Small Cap Dynamism:

Small caps dominate dynamic sectors like Industrials (63%) and Consumer Discretionary (53%), offering high growth potential



Winners keep rotating – Market Capitalisation



2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
69.6%	 10.2%	5.4%	57.3%	1.1%	10.4%	25.0%	61.9%	3.6%	48.1%	27.2%
60.3%	8.4%	3.6%	54.3%	- 13.3%	-0.3%	24.3%	46.8%	3.0%	43.7%	24.5%
33.2%	- 2.4%	0.4%	31.0%	-26.8%	- 8.3%	14.8%	25.0%	- 3.6%	20.0%	13.0%



Large Cap Nifty 100 Index



Mid Cap Nifty Midcap 150 Index



Small Cap Nifty Smallcap 250 Index

Source: ICRA MFI Data as on 31st Dec 24 Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

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Changing winners make navigating market cycles difficult



For Auto: Nifty Auto TRI ,Data Calculated on last working day for calendar year end. . The Sector mentioned above do not constitute any recommendation of the same and Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund may or may not have any future position in the sector/s. Past Performance may or may not be sustained in future. Source: Crisil, NSE, Bloomberg, MFI Explorer, For Finance :Nifty Financial Services TRI, For Healthcare: Nifty Healthcare TRI, For Infra: Nifty Infrastructure TRI, For Oil & Gas: Nifty Oil & Gas TRI, For IT: Nifty IT TRI Data As on 31st Dec 2024

Drawdown Analysis – Large, Mid and Small Caps





Source: ICRA MFI & Internal Analysis, As on 31st March 25 | Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

- Large caps tend to fall less during market corrections, offering greater stability and resilience to a portfolio.
- Mid caps strike a balance between growth potential and moderate drawdowns, making them ideal for capital appreciation in the long term.
- Small caps, while experiencing higher drawdowns, offer exceptional recovery potential and opportunities for exponential long-term growth as compared to large and mid caps.

Volatility Analysis – Large, Mid and Small Caps

Veere	Standard Deviation					
Years Nifty 100 TRI		Nifty Midcap 150 TRI	Nifty Smallcap 250 TRI			
CY 2006	26%	27%	27%			
CY 2007	25%	22%	21%			
CY 2008	44%	42%	39%			
CY 2009	34%	31%	31%			
CY 2010	16%	17%	18%			
CY 2011	20%	19%	19%			
CY 2012	15%	16%	15%			
CY 2013	18%	15%	16%			
CY 2014	13%	17%	20%			
CY 2015	16%	17%	20%			
CY 2016	15%	17%	20%			
CY 2017	9%	12%	14%			
CY 2018	13%	16%	19%			
CY 2019	14%	15%	15%			
CY 2020	26%	24%	24%			
CY 2021	11%	12%	12%			
CY 2022	12%	13%	14%			
CY 2023	7%	8%	9%			
CY 2024	11%	13%	15%			

Source: ICRA MFI & Internal Analysis, As on 31st December 24 | Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

- Large caps exhibit lower volatility, providing a stable foundation and consistent performance for riskaverse investors.
- Mid caps offer moderate volatility, delivering an optimal blend of stability and growth opportunities for a balanced portfolio.
- Small caps, with **higher volatility**, present dynamic opportunities to capitalize on market trends and achieve **superior long-term returns**.



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Why settle for a slice when you can have the whole pie?

With Multi Cap Funds Invest across Market Cap

Multi Cap Funds invest a minimum of 25% in each of large, mid and small cap companies, thus capitalizing on opportunities across the market cap spectrum:



Large Cap consists of Top 100 Companies by Market Cap

- Market leaders with established stability.
- Consistent performance and dividends.
- Lower risk in volatile markets.
- Strong financial and operational foundation.

Mid Cap consists of Top 101st to 250th Companies by Market Cap

- High growth potential and scalability.
- Emerging leaders in growing industries.
- Balanced risk and return profile.
 - Opportunities for future large-cap transition.

Small Cap Consists of 251st Company and below by Market Cap

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- Untapped growth potential in niche markets.
- Agile and innovative business strategies.
- Higher volatility and associated risks.
 Opportunities for exponential returns.



Big companies have small beginnings. If you invest at the right time, you can enjoy extraordinary growth.

Peter Lynch

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Multi Cap Index vs Broader Market Index





A balanced combination of large, mid and small cap companies offers investors a diversified and growth-oriented approach to portfolio construction.

Source: ICRA MFI & Internal Analysis, As on December 31, 2024

Why Contrarian strategy in Multi Cap Fund





Covers Diverse Contrarian Themes

A Multi Cap Fund employing a contrarian strategy can capitalize on themes like the business cycle, special situations, turnarounds, and undervalued stocks, ensuring a holistic and diversified approach to investing.



Rule-Based Allocation

The SEBI-mandated 25% allocation across Large, Mid, and Small caps will ensure a disciplined framework, providing equal opportunities to discover contrarian ideas across all market cap segments.



Maximizes Market Cycles

The Multi Cap structure in a Fund will ensure the flexibility to align with evolving market dynamics, whether it's undervalued large caps in a downturn or high-growth small caps during a recovery.



Superior Long-Term Growth

The ability to mix contrarian insights with disciplined exposure across market caps positions a Multi Cap Fund to deliver healthy long-term returns, leveraging underpriced opportunities others may overlook.

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Introducing Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund

(An open ended equity scheme investing across large cap, mid cap, small cap stocks)

Contrarian Investing in Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund





Captures Full Upside Potential: Unlike pure contra funds that exit stocks upon reaching intrinsic value, Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund will allow for sustained exposure, enabling the portfolio to ride the full growth wave.

The slide is illustrative to explain how the AMC intends to pursue contrarian investment strategy in Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund. There is no assurance or guarantee that the AMC will accomplish this with every investment that is undertaken in this scheme. Investors are requested to consult with their financial advisors before investing in this scheme



Investment Focus Areas





Business Cycle Investing in sectors

and companies that are positioned to benefit from cyclical economic upturns.



Turnaround Stories

Identifying companies on the path to recovery through operational improvements or strategic initiatives.

Management Transition

Backing companies undergoing leadership changes that drive better corporate governance and performance.



Balance Sheet Deleveraging Targeting firms reducing debt levels, leading to stronger financial health and potential re-rating.



Growth Opportunities

Uncovering hidden growth drivers that the market has not yet fully priced in.



Business Restructuring

Investing in companies undergoing significant restructuring for enhanced efficiency and profitability.



Commodity Cycle Leveraging cyclical movements in commodity prices to benefit from demandsupply imbalances.



Seizing opportunities in fundamentally strong businesses temporarily impacted by external factors.











The fund will exit a stock under the following circumstances



After benefiting from an upside driven by positive news, the fund will exit once the market has fully priced in the news.



If the initial catalyst for value realization becomes unclear or is indefinitely delayed.



When a superior investment opportunity with greater potential upside emerges in the market.



Pre-commitment: Aligning with pre-set investment goals and exit strategies defined at entry.

Why invest in Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund?

Benefit of contrarian strategy by investing in undervalued companies

> Capitalizes on market sentiment and behavior biases, identifying unique growth opportunities

Disciplined diversification across market caps and sectors Aim to capture growth across all market segments



Who should invest in the Fund?





Investors aiming to invest in undervalued opportunities, capitalizing on earnings growth and valuation multiple re-rating



Investors with a horizon of 5+ years to realise the full potential of contrarian opportunities



Investors looking for sound investment opportunities in times of volatility



Investors looking for one stop solution with disciplined exposure to large cap, mid cap and small cap segments



Our Investment Philosophy



INFORMATION EDGE QUANTITATIVE EDGE EDGE

 Outperform the market on superior information collection

- Outperform the market on processing information better
- Quant models, Analytical models



- Outperform the market by better decision making
- Take advantage of crowd over-reaction and underreaction
- Reduces one's own behavioral pitfalls

Portfolio

Stock	Market Value as % of Net Asset (Eq)		
HDFC Bank Limited	5.52%		
Reliance Industries Limited	4.17%		
Kotak Mahindra Bank Limited	3.41%		
Bajaj Finserv Limited	3.06%		
Shree Cement Limited	2.65%		
Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited	2.31%		
LTIMindtree Limited	2.26%		
Aditya Birla Capital Limited	2.15%		
City Union Bank Limited	2.03%		
CRISIL Limited	1.93%		
Canara Bank	1.90%		
Axis Bank Limited	1.84%		
SBI Life Insurance Company Limited	1.78%		
Marico Limited	1.65%		
Mahanagar Gas Limited	1.64%		
Prestige Estates Projects Limited	1.60%		
Tata Steel Limited	1.58%		
Aditya Birla Sun Life AMC Limited	1.53%		
Ujjivan Small Finance Bank Limited	1.48%		
Asian Paints Limited	1.47%		
Indus Towers Limited	1.45%		
Zydus Wellness Limited	1.39%		
ICICI Bank Limited	1.37%		
United Spirits Limited	1.36%		
Dalmia Bharat Limited	1.24%		
Astral Limited	1.20%		
Pfizer Limited	1.20%		
CreditAccess Grameen Limited	1.15%		
GlaxoSmithKline Pharmaceuticals Limited	1.12%		
Vinati Organics Limited	1.11%		
Yes Bank Limited	1.11%		
SRF Limited	1.09%		
ITC Hotels Limited	1.08%		
Camlin Fine Sciences Limited	1.08%		
Hindalco Industries Limited	1.04%		
Central Bank of India	0.99%		
K.P.R. Mill Limited	0.98%		
Whirlpool of India Limited	0.97%		
RHI Magnesita India Limited	0.96%		
Can Fin Homes Limited	0.95%		
Dr. Lal Path Labs Limited	0.95%		
Bayer Cropscience Limited	0.94%		
Bajaj Auto Limited AWL Agri Business Limited	0.91%		

Stock	Market Value as % of Net Asset (Eq)
Honeywell Automation India Limited	0.87%
Westlife Foodworld Limited	0.86%
Maruti Suzuki India Limited	0.85%
Century Plyboards (India) Limited	0.82%
Cera Sanitaryware Limited	0.79%
Nestle India Limited	0.78%
HEG Limited	0.75%
Alembic Pharmaceuticals Limited	0.75%
Atul Limited	0.75%
Britannia Industries Limited	0.75%
ICICI Lombard General Insurance Company Limited	0.75%
LIC Housing Finance Limited	0.72%
3M India Limited	0.72%
VIP Industries Limited	0.68%
Balrampur Chini Mills Limited	0.68%
Motherson Sumi Wiring India Limited	0.66%
Navin Fluorine International Limited	0.66%
JK Lakshmi Cement Limited	0.66%
Garware Technical Fibres Limited	0.65%
Piramal Enterprises Limited	0.65%
Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Limited	0.62%
Havells India Limited	0.60%
Balkrishna Industries Limited	0.59%
Biocon Limited	0.52%
Restaurant Brands Asia Limited	0.52%
FSN E-Commerce Ventures Limited	0.50%
La Opala RG Limited	0.46%
Grindwell Norton Limited	0.45%
Hindustan Unilever Limited	0.41%
Sundram Fasteners Limited	0.39%
ICRA Limited	0.39%
Manappuram Finance Limited	0.39%
Page Industries Limited	0.34%
Orient Electric Limited	0.33%
PVR INOX Limited	0.30%
Berger Paints (I) Limited	0.28%
IPCA Laboratories Limited	0.27%
Deepak Nitrite Limited	0.26%
TeamLease Services Limited	0.23%
Akzo Nobel India Limited	0.88%
HDFC Asset Management Company Limited	0.87%
Total Equities	96.93%
Reverse Repo / TREPS & Net Current Assets	3.07%
Grand Total	100%





Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund - Allocation





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Data as on 30th June 2025



Scheme Features



Scheme Type

An open ended equity scheme investing across large cap, mid cap, small cap stocks

Plans

Regular Plan | Direct Plan

Option

Growth | IDCW

Minimum Application Amount

Rs. 500 (Plus multiples of Re.1)

Minimum Additional Application

Rs. 100 (Plus multiples of Re.1)

Entry Load

Nil

Exit Load

If units are redeemed/switched out within 6 months from allotment date:

- Upto 10% of units held: Nil
- Remaining 90% of units held: 1% of applicable NAV
- If units redeemed/switched out after 6 months from allotment date: Nil

Exit load is applicable for each purchase of units through Lumpsum / switch-in / Systematic Investment Plan (SIP) and Systematic Transfer Plan (STP).

Fund Manager

Equity Portion: Mr. Nimesh Chandan & Mr. Sorbh Gupta Debt Portion: Mr. Siddharth Chaudhary

Benchmark Index

Nifty 500 Multicap 50:25:25 TRI

SIP/SWP/STP

Available



Bajaj Finserv Multi Cap Fund

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This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:

- Wealth creation over long term
- To invest predominantly in equity and equity related instruments of large cap, mid cap, small cap companies

*Investors should consult their financial advisers if in doubt about whether the product is suitable for them.







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Mutual Fund investments are subject to market risks, read all scheme related documents carefully.



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