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In News

'Not the time to take money away from equities

EXPERT ADVICE

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Do you think the market is rightly priced? What are the risks?

Volatility is expected to continue in the short rearn, although the risk levels in the market have entraced with the large correction in May 2006. However, one important change is that there is differentiation happening between socks and sectors. Risks arising excessive domestic speculation have reduced with the open interest in the P6-0 market having gone down by almost 30%. Valuations are now at around 13% one-year for-ward P10, which is far better than 14-208 we saw in April 2006. This is also closer to the last 15-year average P/E ratio of 14.5%. Further, the earnings growth scenario is intact. To expect an eartings growth of 15-20% p.a for the next 2-3 years would not by mitplaced. Remonic growth momen-

tum remains robust. Q1 PY07 results have thrown up positive surprises, this has led to earnings up-grades. This will certainly lend support to the market on the downside. The numscon is progressing well. So, risks from domentic factors reduced.

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global equities and Fill inflows into India. On the oth er hand, if interest rates were to stop rising, it could er nalidy be due to expectations of a lowedrowin in eco-monie growth. This too may not angur well for glob-al equity markets. However, in such an eventuality hold a theulid be condervatively placed as it is a long co-menter demand driven economy and in comparis-meter demand driven economy and in comparis-Evely less dependent on global growth. What is your advice for small investors?

We maintain that it is certainly not the time or reason for small retail investors to take away money from equities as an asset class. Senail retail investors should have more realistic expectations of 12-15% return per annum from equities over the next three years. This expected return will still be almost double of what investors can expect from alternative asset classes. Long-term focut is the best way to ride out volatility in the markets.

Why are many MF schemes under-performing?

for indigenerating of the second seco cult to beau some benchmarks during some time periods. However, most diversified funds continor to outperform markets on a long term basis. Is debt back? Should retail investors con-

sider investing in debt funds? This is an asset allocation decision. Every imali re-

tallinvestor has a financial goal, investo zist, setum expectation and risk appetite. De-pending on that a small retail investor should always have an appropriate mix of debt and equity exposutes. We we currently recommending abort duration fixed income funds such as liquid funds, short-term floating rate funds and fixed manurity plans.

Are close-ended funds good for small in-vestors? Closed-ended funds bring in the discipline of

compulsory long-term investing. Open-ended funds give the flexibility of

withdrawal at any point of time without incurring large costs such as a high exit load. There is not much difference from an invest nt man agement standpolit. What should be in-vestors' strategy for in-vesting in MFS? Small pertail investors' strategy should follow the asset alloca-

tion framework to decide the ideal exposure to various asset classes. Have a lumper tosestment horizon - mini-mum of 3 to 5 years so as to ride out market volatility and maximise returns Have real

low systematic investment plans (SPs) route of intow systematic investment plana (Sars) route of an venting as in brings with in the disciplined investing and allows the investor to ignore market traing. Should one buy into a diversified fund or an exchange-traded fund (ETF)?

They are different product categories. Diversified funds are generally open-ended diversified bunds. Sole and reparchase of units happens every day based on diore of the day's NAV. Diver-sified bands are actively managed and thus aim to beau the couldry. beat the markets and generate evera returns through superior purtfullo construction. ITPs are exchange traded funds. ITPs represent a backet of recordies that are traded on an exchange. ETFs cars be brought and sold immaghout the trading day as the prior prevailing at that time. Hence, ETFs are generally index funds. Costs may be invert in ETFs, but performance is better in diver-sified hunds instheting term.

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From the Desk of the Chief Investment Officer



Tridib Pathak

Equity Markets

August saw a sharp rally with the BSE Sensex rising 955 points or 8.9% to end at 11699. CNX Midcap index outperformed the large cap Sensex, ending the month higher by 11.5%. This is the first month of a strong rebound after the correction May/June 2006. As is evident in the market rise, FIIs bought US\$955 million worth of stocks in August 06 compared to US\$300 million in July 06. India continues to buck the trend seen in other emerging markets where FII selling continues. Mutual funds bought only Rs250 crores worth of stocks. Volumes improved 6% over July 2006, but are still 30-40% lower than the highs seen in April/May. Pause in the rate hikes by US Fed helped improve sentiments and lowered concerns of further liquidity tightening in the meanwhile. This allowed renewed FII buying. In fact, India was the best performing Emerging market in August 2006. The current month's movement, once again, proves the dependence of Indian markets on continued FII flows in the short term.

Economic growth momentum remains robust. Industrial production in June 2006 was strong at 9.6%, in line with the string trend observed over the last few months. Q1 FY07 results have thrown up positive surprises. Sensex earnings growth in Q1FY07 was around 25% as against expectations of 18-19%. Notable surprises came from Cement, Capital goods and IT sectors. This will certainly lead to earnings upgrades. FY07 earnings growth is now expected to be around 24%, from earlier to the market on the downside.

sub20%. This will certainly lend support to the market on the downside.

Risks arising form domestic factors of excessive speculation have reduced with the open interest in the F&O market having gone down by almost 50%. With the correction in May 2006, valuations are now at around 15.5X one year forward P/E which is far better than 19-20x we have reached in April 2006. This is also closer to the last 15 year average P/E ratio of 14.5x. Further the earnings growth scenario is intact. So, risks from domestic factors have reduced.

Risk arising form global factors, however, remain as the Indian market is still dependent on continuation of FII inflows. If interest rates keep rising further globally, then liquidity squeeze and risk aversion can affect flows to global equities and FII inflows into India. On the other hand, if interest rates were to stop rising, it could mainly be due to expectations of a slowdown in economic growth which may also not augur well for global equity markets. However, in such an eventuality India should be comfortably placed as India is a large domestic demand driven economy and is comparatively less dependent on global growth.

We maintain that it is certainly not time or reason for investors to take away money from equities as a class of asset. Investors should have more realistic expectations of 12-15% return per annum from equities over the next 3 years. This expected return will still be almost double of what investors can expect from alternative asset classes. Long term focus is the best way to ride out volatility in the markets and generate superior returns from equities.

Fixed Income Markets

August saw a rally in the bond market, with the key 10Y GOI bond closing the month at 7.75% versus 8.24% in July. Sentiment improved as the Middle East crisis was resolved pushing the global oil prices down from a high of USD 77 per barrel to below USD 70 per barrel. Easing oil prices also reduced the threat of inflation in the domestic market. Federal Reserve left the rates unchanged for the first time after 19 consecutive hikes. Favorable US market data and nearly 20 basis point drop in 10 Y US treasury yields helped the domestic bond market Strengthening INR versus USD also helped improve the bond market sentiments with INR ending the month at 46.53 against USD versus 46.70 at the close of the previous month.

Though the long bond yields eased by as much as 45 basis points, some selling pressure was seen in the shorter end of the yield curve. This was despite the fact that Liquidity continued to be easy at INR 40000 crores. This was due to the fact that Mutual Funds saw redemptions which prompted a sell of in the money market instruments. The yields of Money Market instruments went up by 20-30 basis points. This flattened the yield curve with the spread of 1Y and 10Y treasury at 80 basis points versus 130 basis points in the previous month.

Going forward, global cues are in favour of no further upwards pressure on interest rates. The market would, however, continue to watch the US data and Fed statements for future direction in interest rates. Strong domestic growth will however not allow much room for a sharp fall in yields.. Gol supply pressure, advance tax out flows and H1 closing could halt the bond market rally in the short term. Some selling could still continue in the short-end of the curve as MFs could face some more redemption, forcing them to liquidate their positions.

We maintain that uncertainty in the bond markets will continue. We continue to advise investments in short-duration assets and avoid any mark-to-market risk on the portfolio.

In this regard, we think investors need a product that has low interest rate risk but which has the potential to deliver higher returns compared with other short duration products such as liquid funds/short term floating rate funds/FMPs. DBS Chola Freedom Income - ST Income Fund is one such product. Currently it has no market to market instruments, immunizing it from any adverse interest rate movement.

DBS Chola Contra Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features Type of Fund Open-Ended Equity Scheme Load Structure (w.e.f. 1st July, 2006) : < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% Entry Load >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil Exit Load / CDSC : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 **Cut Off Time** Purchase : 3 p.m. Redemption : 3 p.m. **Dividend Distribution** Declared as and when decided by the Trustees **Inception Date** 16-Mar-06 NAV : Rs. 10.30 **Dividend** Option Cumulative Option : Rs. 10.30 **Benchmark Index** S & P CNX 500 **Fund Size** Rs. 97.71 Crores **Fund Manager** Tridib Pathak

Style Matrix



Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Contra Fund is a diversified equity fund which adopts a 'contrarian' style of investing. The fund invest in fundamentally sound companies whose share prices have underperformed the market in the recent past.

Investment Objective

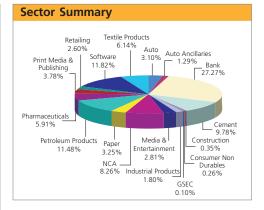
The objective of the scheme is to generate capital appreciations by investing in equity and equity related instruments by using a 'Contrarian strategy'. Contrarian investing refers to buying into fundamentally sound scripts which have underperformed/not performed to their full potential in their recent past.

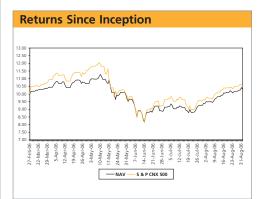
| Portfolio | |
|---|----------------|
| Scrip | % of Portfolio |
| HPCL | 8.19% |
| Infosys Technologies Ltd. | 6.38% |
| Grasim Industries Ltd. | 6.11% |
| Satyam Computers Ltd. | 4.91% |
| Bank Of Baroda Ltd | 4.35% |
| Alok Industries Ltd. | 4.25% |
| Federal Bank Ltd | 4.04% |
| Jagaran Prakashan | 3.78% |
| Ranbaxy Laboratories Ltd. | 3.76% |
| Birla Corporation Ltd. | 3.67% |
| HCL Technologies Ltd. | 3.56% |
| Allahabad Bank | 3.40% |
| Karnataka Bank | 3.39% |
| Kochi Refineries Ltd. | 3.29% |
| Ballarpur Industries Ltd. | 3.25% |
| Punjab National Bank Ltd. | 3.13% |
| Hero Honda Ltd. | 3.10% |
| Zee Telefilms Ltd. | 2.81% |
| Pantaloon Retail (I) Ltd. | 2.60% |
| Oriental Bank Of Commerce Ltd | 2.59% |
| Nicholas Piramal India Ltd. | 2.15% |
| Welspun India Ltd. | 1.89% |
| Kale Consultants Ltd. | 1.88% |
| Bharat Forge Ltd. | 1.80% |
| Industrial Development Bank of India Lt | td 1.46% |
| Motherson Sumi Systems Ltd. | 1.29% |
| GMR Infrastructure Ltd. | 0.35% |
| GlaxoSmithkline Consumer Healthcare L | td. 0.26% |
| CG - 2006 - 6.30% (Floating Rate) | 0.10% |
| Net Current Assest (NCA) | 8.26% |

Performance

| | DBSCCF | S & P |
|------------------------------|--------|---------|
| | | CNX 500 |
| 3 Months (92 Days) # | 5.97% | 6.55% |
| Since Inception # (27/02/06) | 3.00% | 5.53% |
| # Absolute Returns | | |

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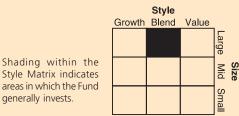
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DBS Chola Growth Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features Type of Fund Open-Ended Growth Scheme Load Structure (w.e.f. 1st July, 2006) Entry Load : < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil Exit Load / CDSC : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 Cut Off Time Purchase 3 p.m. : 3 p.m. Redemption **Dividend Distribution** Quarterly **Inception Date** 17-Sep-01 NAV Quarterly Dividend Option : Rs. 14.17 : Rs. 26.35 Cumulative Option **Benchmark Index BSE Sensex** Fund Size Rs. 25.79 Crores **Fund Manager** Tridib Pathak **Style Matrix**



Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Growth Fund is a diversified equity fund with investment predominantly in large caps stocks. The Fund has no bias towards growth style or value style. Current strategy of the fund is to focus on stocks from cement, banking, engineering and IT services.

Investment Objective

The Scheme primarily seeks to generate long-term capital appreciation income through investments in equity and equity related instruments; the secondary objective is to generate some current income and distribute dividend.

| Portfolio | |
|--------------------------------|----------------|
| Scrip | % of Portfolio |
| Ultratech Cement Co.Ltd. | 6.81% |
| HPCL Ltd. | 6.68% |
| Satyam Computers Services Ltd. | 6.48% |
| ICICI Bank Ltd. | 6.25% |
| Infosys Technologies Ltd. | 5.94% |
| Pantaloon Retail (I) Ltd. | 5.38% |
| ACC Ltd. | 5.25% |
| Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd. | 4.90% |
| Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. | 4.60% |
| Reliance Industries Ltd. | 3.90% |
| Larsen & Toubro Ltd. | 3.82% |
| Suzlon Enegry Ltd. | 3.56% |
| Amtek Auto Ltd. | 3.55% |
| Grasim Industries Ltd. | 3.47% |
| HCL Technologies Ltd. | 3.06% |
| Punjab National Bank Ltd. | 3.02% |
| Bank of Baroda | 2.87% |
| Gammon India Ltd. | 2.63% |
| Allahabad Bank Ltd | 2.38% |
| Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd. | 2.36% |
| Unitech Ltd. | 1.98% |
| Oriental Bank Of Commerce Ltd | 1.66% |
| GMR Infrastructure Ltd. | 0.31% |
| Net Current Assest (NCA) | 9.14% |

Performance

| | DBSCGF | BSE |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| | | Sensex |
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | 6.29% | 12.51% |
| 6 Months (184 Days)# | 7.42% | 12.81% |
| 1 Year\$ | 32.28% | 49.88% |
| 3 Years\$ | 41.87% | 40.12% |
| Since Inception\$ | 39.84% | 34.62% |
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Absolute Returns

\$ Compounded Annualised Returns

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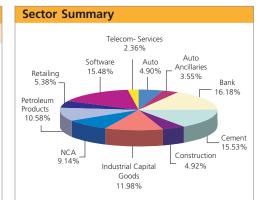
Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

If you had invested Rs.1000/-per month in DBS Chola Growth fund (DBSCGF)

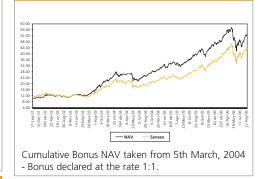
| The Amount v | vould have grov | vn to |
|--------------------|-----------------|----------|
| | 1 Year | 3 Year |
| Total Amount | 13510 | 60399.28 |
| Annualised Return* | 21.73% | 31.62% |

As on 31st August, 2006

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Returns Since Inception



Dividend History

| Regular Plan | | | |
|------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration |
| 26-Mar-02 | 20 | 2.00 | Rs. 12.36 |
| 30-Jun-03 | 20 | 2.00 | Rs. 12.24 |
| 29-Sept-03 | 20 | 2.00 | Rs. 13.76 |
| 29-Dec-03 | 30 | 3.00 | Rs. 15.42 |
| 28-Jan-04 | 10* | 1.00 | Rs. 12.64 |
| 29-Mar-04 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 11.71 |
| 10-Dec-04 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.42 |
| 28-Mar-05\$ | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.30 |
| 3-Oct -05 | 20 | 2.00 | Rs. 14.83 |
| 27-Mar-06 | 15 | 1.50 | Rs. 15.78 |

\$ Quarterly Dividend

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* Interim Dividend

DBS Chola Midcap Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features Type of Fund Open-Ended Equity Scheme Load Structure (w.e.f. 1st July, 2006) : < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% Entry Load >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil : Nil Exit Load / CDSC Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 **Cut Off Time** Purchase : 3 p.m. Redemption : 3 p.m. **Dividend Distribution** Declared as and when decided by the Trustees **Inception Date** 09-Aug-04 NAV : Rs. 12.75 **Dividend** Option Cumulative Option : Rs. 22.09 **Benchmark Index** CNX Midcap Index **Fund Size** Rs. 49.20 Crores **Fund Manager** Tridib Pathak **Style Matrix** Style

Shading within the Style Matrix indicates areas in which the Fund generally invests.
 Style
 Value

 Growth
 Blend
 Value

 Image
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 Mid

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 Mid
 Small

Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Midcap Fund is a diversified equity fund with investments predominantly in midcap stocks. The Fund has no bias towards growth style or value style. The fund focuses on stocks which have the potential to become large cap stocks of tomorrow. The fund selects stocks after applying any one of the following filters - stocks which are leaders, stocks from a sunrise industry, globally competitive companies, companies with a niche positioning and stocks which are proxies to large cap stocks. Usually the fund restricts single stock exposure to 5% and keeps cash of 10-15% to manage liquidity risk.

Investment Objective

The objective of the scheme is to generate capital appreciation by investing primarily in midcap stocks. The scheme will invest primarily in companies that have a market capitalization between Rs. 300 crore to Rs. 3000 crore.

| Portfolio | |
|---|----------------|
| Scrip % | of Portfolio |
| Blue Dart Express Ltd. | 4.65% |
| Infotech Enterprises Ltd. | 4.50% |
| Madras Cement Ltd. | 4.45% |
| Pantaloon Retail (I) Ltd. | 4.31% |
| Kochi Refineries Ltd. | 4.04% |
| Federal Bank Ltd | 3.83% |
| Mahindra Gesco Developers Ltd. | 3.59% |
| Dishman Pharmaceuticals & Chemicals | |
| Karnataka Bank | 3.32% |
| Jain Irrigation Systems Ltd. | 3.18% |
| Balkrishna Industries Ltd. | 3.16% |
| Goodlass Nerolac Paints Ltd. | 2.98% |
| Alok Industries Ltd. | 2.95% |
| Jagran Prakashan | 2.94% |
| Goldiam International Ltd. | 2.89% |
| Amtek Auto Ltd. | 2.75% |
| Geodesic Information Systems Ltd. | 2.71% |
| Engineers India Ltd. | 2.69% |
| Thermax Ltd. | 2.58% |
| Crompton Greaves Ltd. | 2.45% |
| Vijaya Bank Ltd Sintex Industries Ltd. | 2.34% |
| Alfa Laval India Ltd. | 2.30% 2.28% |
| | 2.28% |
| Motherson Sumi System Ltd. | 2.15% |
| Voltas Ltd. Unitech Ltd. | 2.05% |
| Kale Consultants Ltd. | 2.03% 1.95% |
| Shyreyas Shipping And Logistics Ltd. | 1.95% |
| Kesoram Industries Ltd. | 1.94% |
| Transport Corporation of India Ltd. | 1.93% |
| Birla Corporation Ltd. | 1.80% |
| Vimta Labs Ltd. | 1.39% |
| Arihant Foundations & Housing Ltd. | 1.08% |
| Pitti Laminations Ltd | 0.56% |
| D.S.Kulkarni Developers Ltd. | 0.24% |
| Net Current Assest (NCA) | 6.57% |
| Net Current Assest (NCA) | 0.37% |

Performance

| | DBSCMF | CNX Midcap |
|------------------------------|--------|---------------|
| | | Index |
| 3 months (92days)# | -0.81% | -2.10% |
| 6 months (184days)# | -1.56% | -2.02% |
| 1 Year \$ | 17.81% | 17.58% |
| Since Inception (09/08/04)\$ | 46.91% | 41.16% |
| # Absolute Returns | | |
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\$ Compounded Annualised Returns

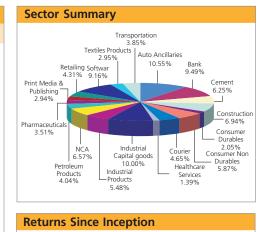
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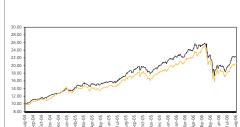
Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

| ľ | If you had invested Rs.1000/- per month for 1 year in |
|---|---|
| | DBS Chola MID Cap Fund (DBSCMF) |
| ſ | Rs. 12000 would have |

| DBSCMF | grown to Rs.12575/- |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| Annualised Return* | 8.62% |
| As on 31st August, 2006 | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.





CNX MidCap Index

| Dividend H | istory | | |
|------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Regular Plan | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration |
| 24-Nov-04 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.67 |
| 24-Jan-05 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.33 |
| 14-Mar-05 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.86 |
| 19-Sep-05 | 20 | 2.00 | Rs. 15.79 |
| 27-Mar-06 | 25 | 2.50 | Rs. 16.36 |

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DBS Chola Multi-Cap Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

| Type of Fund | |
|----------------------|---------------------------------|
| Open-Ended Equity Sc | heme |
| | |
| Load Structure (w.e. | f. 1st July, 2006) |
| Entry Load | : < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% |
| | >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC | : Nil |
| | |
| Minimum Invoctmon | t for New / Existing Investors |
| | it for New / Existing investors |
| Rs. 5000/1000 | |
| | |
| Cut Off Time | |
| Purchase | : 3 p.m. |
| Redemption | : 3 p.m. |
| Dividend Distributio | n |
| Declared as and when | decided by the Trustees |
| Declared us and when | decided by the musices |
| Inception Date | |
| 28-Jan-05 | |
| 20-Jd11-00 | |
| NAV | |
| | |
| Dividend Option | : Rs. 12.62 |

: Rs. 15.83

Cumulative Option Benchmark Index

S&P CNX 500

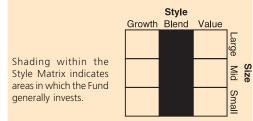
Fund Size

Rs. 61.04 Crores

Fund Manager

Tridib Pathak

Style Matrix



Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Multi-Cap Fund, is a truly diversified fund with investments in large cap, mid cap and small cap stocks. Currently, 60% of the fund is invested in large cap and around 30% in mid cap stocks.

Investment Objective

To provide long term capital appreciation by investing in a well diversified portfolio of equity & equity related instruments across all ranges of market capitalisation.

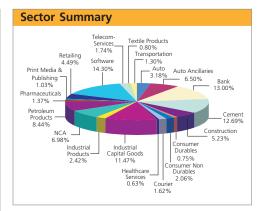
| Portfolio | |
|---|---|
| Scrip % | of Portfolio |
| HPCL Ltd. Satyam Computers Pantaloon Retail (I) Ltd. Ultratech Cement Co.Ltd. Infosys Technologies Ltd. ICICI Bank Ltd. ACC Ltd. Amtek Auto Ltd. Mahindra & Mahindra Suzion Energy Ltd. Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd. Larsen & Toubro Ltd. Reliance Industries Ltd. Unitech Ltd. HCL Technologies Ltd. Bank of Baroda Infotech Enterprises Ltd. Mahanagar Telephone Nigam Ltd. Madras Cements Ltd. Gamon India Ltd. Allahabad Bank Blue Dart Express Ltd. Jain Irrigation Systems Ltd. Dishman Pharmaceuticals & Chemicals Balkrishna Industries Ltd. Goodlass Nerolac Paints Ltd. Goodlaim International Ltd. Crompton Greaves Ltd. Sintex Industries Ltd. Alfa Laval India Ltd. Alfa Laval India Ltd. Shreyas Shipping and Logistics Ltd. Alfa Laval India Ltd. Shreyas Shipping and Logistics Ltd. Alfa Corporation Ltd. Kale Consultants Ltd. Winta Labs Ltd. Motherson Sumi System Ltd. Birla Corporation Ltd. Kale Consultants Ltd. Vimta Labs Ltd. Nochi Refineries Ltd. Transport Corporation of India Ltd. GMR Infrastructure Ltd. Pitti Lamination Ltd. D.S.Kulkarni Developers Ltd. Net Current Assest (NCA) | 5.56% 4.75% 4.29% 4.20% 4.20% 3.64% 3.36% 3.18% 2.90% 2.63% 2.48% 2.38% 1.94% 1.77% 1.74% 1.77% 1.74% 1.72% 1.72% 1.62% 1.62% 1.62% 1.54% 1.24% 1.24% 1.24% 1.14% 1.07% 1.28% 1.24% 1.14% 1.07% 0.95% 0.92% 0.92% 0.92% 0.88% 0.88% 0.80% 0.75% 0.65% 0.65% 0.63% 0.50% 0.20% 0.98% 0.98% |

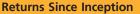
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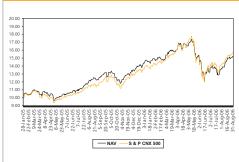
| | DBSCMCF | S&P |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|
| | | CNX 500 |
| 1 Month (31 days)# | 9.85% | 9.58% |
| 3 Months (92Days)# | 1.15% | 6.55% |
| 6 Months (184Days)# | 0.89% | 5.60% |
| 1 Year\$ | 21.21% | 32.05% |
| Since Inception\$ (28/01/05) | 33.52% | 35.50% |
| # Absolute Returns | | |

Compounded Annualised Returns

Scheme "DBS Chola Multi - Cap Fund (DBSCMCF)" was alloted on 28th Jan 05 and first NAV was declared on 09/02/05 Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.







| Dividend History | | | |
|------------------|--------------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | | | |
| % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration | |
| 15 | 1.50 | Rs. 12.85 | |
| 15 | 1.50 | Rs. 14.87 | |
| | % Unit 15 | % Unit Rs./Unit 15 1.50 | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

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DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

| Type of Fund |
|---|
| Equity Linked Savings Scheme |
| |
| Load Structure (w.e.f. 1st July, 2006) |
| Entry Load : < Rs. 25 Lacs : 2.25% |
| >= Rs. 25 Lacs: Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : Nil |
| |
| Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors |
| 5 |
| Rs. 500 & in multiples of Rs. 500 thereafter |
| |

| Dividend Distribution | | |
|-----------------------|----------|--|
| Redemption | : 3 p.m. | |
| Purchase | : 3 p.m. | |
| Cut Off Time | | |

| Divident | Distribution | |
|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
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Inception Date

18-Nov-05

| NAV | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----|-------|
| Dividend Option | : | Rs. | 11.43 |

| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. | 11.43 |
|-------------------|---|-----|-------|
|-------------------|---|-----|-------|

Benchmark Index

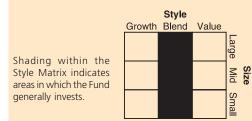
BSE Sensex

Rs. 27.38 Crores

Fund Manager

Tridib Pathak

Style Matrix



Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund is a diversified equity fund. The fund will invest in large caps, midcaps as well as small cap stocks. The fund has no bias towards growth style or value style.

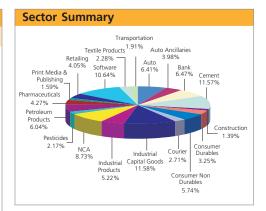
Investment Objective

To provide long term capital appreciation by investing predominantly in equity and equity related instruments and also enabling investors to get income tax rebate as per the prevailing tax laws and subject to applicable conditions.

| Portfolio | |
|--|--------------|
| Scrip % | of Portfolio |
| HPCL Ltd. | 6.04% |
| ACC Ltd. | 4.88% |
| Satyam Computers Serviices Ltd. | 4.86% |
| Mahindra & Mahindra Ltd | 4.15% |
| Pantaloon Retail (I) Ltd. | 4.05% |
| Jain Irrigation Systems Ltd. | 3.92% |
| Suzlon Energy Ltd. | 3.25% |
| Balkrishna Industries Ltd. | 3.16% |
| Infotech Enterprises Ltd. | 3.13% |
| Grasim Industries Ltd. | 3.11% |
| Karnataka Bank | 3.11% |
| Federal Bank Ltd. | 3.07% |
| Dishman Pharmaceuticals & Chemicals | 3.06% |
| Crompton Greaves Ltd. | 3.02% |
| Goldiam International Ltd. | 2.87% |
| Goodlass Nerolac Paints Ltd. | 2.87% |
| Blue Dart Express Ltd. | 2.71% |
| Madras Cements Ltd. | 2.71% |
| Voltas Ltd. | 2.66% |
| Infosys Technologies Ltd. | 2.65% |
| Vijaya Bank | 2.26% |
| Thermax Ltd. | 2.24% |
| United Phosphorus Ltd. | 2.17% |
| ICICI Bank Ltd. | 1.63% |
| Jagaran Prakashan | 1.59% |
| Alok Industries Ltd. | 1.30% |
| Bharat Forge Ltd. | 1.30% |
| Unitech Ltd. | 1.26% |
| Nicholas Pirmal India Ltd. | 1.21% |
| Shreyas Shippings & Logistics Ltd. | 1.01% |
| Mahindra Gesco Developers Ltd. | 0.90% |
| Ttansportation Corporation of India Ltd. | 0.90% |
| Birla Corporation Ltd. | 0.87% |
| Amtek Auto Ltd. | 0.82% |
| Gokaldas Exports Ltd. | 0.77% |
| Gitanjali Gems Ltd. | 0.59% |
| Industrial Development Bank of India Ltd | 0.47% |
| GMR Infrastructure Ltd. | 0.29% |
| Celebrity Fashions Ltd. | 0.21% |
| D S Kulkarni Developers Ltd. | 0.20% |
| Net Current Assest (NCA) | 8.73% |

Performance

| | DBSCTSF | SENSEX |
|---|------------|--------|
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | 3.07% | 12.51% |
| 6 Months (184 Days)# | 1.96% | 12.81% |
| Since Inception # (18/11/ | 05) 14.30% | 34.68% |
| # Absolute Returns | | |
| Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. | | |



Returns Since Inception



DBS Chola Opportunities Fund

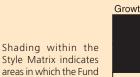
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Features

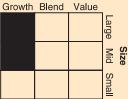
| Type of Fund | |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Open-Ended Growth F | Fund |
| Load Structure (w.e. | f. 1st July, 2006) |
| Entry Load | : < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% |
| | >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC | : Nil |
| | |
| Minimum Investmen | t for New / Existing Investors |
| B BBBB/// BBBB | |

| Rs. | 3000/1000 | |
|-----|-----------|--|
| | | |
| | | |

| Cut Off Time | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------|
| Purchase | : | 3 p.m. |
| Redemption | : | 3 p.m. |
| Dividend Distribution | | |
| Quarterly | | |
| Quarterry | | |
| Inception Date | | |
| 27-Nov-97 | | |
| | | |
| NAV | | |
| Quarterly Dividend Option | : | Rs. 13.46 |
| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. 20.69 |
| | | |
| Benchmark Index | | |
| BSE Sensex | | |
| Fund Size | | |
| Rs. 5.68 Crores | | |
| | | |
| Fund Manager | | |
| Pradeep Kumar | | |
| | | |
| Style Matrix | | |
| | | Style |



generally invests.



Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Opportunities Fund is a concentrated equity fund with exposure to a few high growth sectors of the economy. The fund has a bias towards the growth style of investing.

Investment Objective

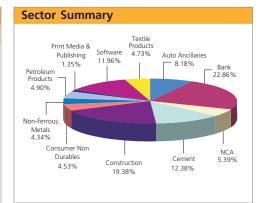
The Scheme will invest mainly to generate long term capital appreciation from a diversified portfolio of equity and equity related securities.

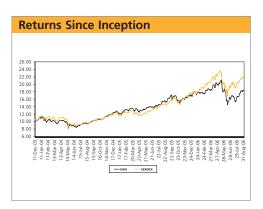
| Portfolio | |
|---|----------------|
| Scrip % | 6 of Portfolio |
| Oriental Bank Of Commerce Ltd | 8.19% |
| ICICI Bank Ltd. | 7.88% |
| Infotech Enterprises Ltd. | 7.69% |
| Punjab National Bank Ltd. | 6.79% |
| Ultratech Cement Co.Ltd. | 6.77% |
| Amtek Auto Ltd. | 6.66% |
| Unitech Ltd. | 6.05% |
| Mahindra Gesco Developers Ltd. | 5.92% |
| ACC Ltd. | 5.61% |
| HPCL Ltd. | 4.90% |
| Alok Industries Ltd. | 4.73% |
| Goldiam International Ltd | 4.53% |
| Hindalco Industries Ltd. | 4.34% |
| Satyam Computer Services Ltd. | 4.27% |
| Ansal Properties and Infrastructure Ltd | . 3.88% |
| Arihant Foundations and Housing Ltd | 3.22% |
| Pitti Lamination Ltd. | 1.52% |
| Jagran Prakashan Ltd. | 1.35% |
| D.S.Kulkarni Developers Ltd. | 0.31% |
| Net current Assest (NCA) | 5.39% |

| Performance | | |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| | DBSCOF | BSE |
| | | Sensex |
| 1 Month (31 Days)# | 7.87% | 8.89% |
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | -1.10% | 12.51% |
| 6 Months (184 Days)# | 1.22% | 12.81% |
| 1 Year\$ | 13.93% | 49.88% |
| Since Inception \$ | 24.47% | 33.74% |
| # Abcolute Deturns | | |

Absolute Returns

\$ Compounded Annualised Returns *Returns calculated from 11/12/2003, when the scheme was repositioned as DBS Chola Opportunities Fund. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.





| Dividend Hi | istory | | |
|------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Regular Plan | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration |
| 31-Mar-99 | 10 | 1.00 | Rs. 12.43 |
| 30-Sep-99 | 15 | 1.50 | Rs. 12.46 |
| 24-Mar-00 | 40 | 4.00 | Rs. 17.23 |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/- DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

| Type of Fur | nd |
|-------------|---------------|
| Open-Ended | Equity Scheme |

| Load Structure (w.e.f. | 1st July, 2006) |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| Entry Load : | < Rs. 1 Crore : 2.25% |
| | >= Rs. 1 Crore: Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : | Nil |
| | |

Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000

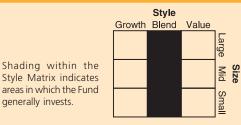
| Cut Off Time | | |
|--|-----|-------------------|
| Purchase | : | 3 p.m. |
| Redemption | : | 3 p.m. |
| Dividend Distribution | | |
| Declared as and when decident inception Date | dec | l by the Trustees |
| 30-May-05 | | |
| Dividend Option | : | Rs. 12.04 |
| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. 12.84 |
| Benchmark Index | | |
| S&P CNX 500 Fund Size | | |

Rs. 24.04 Crores

Fund Manager

Tridib Pathak

Style Matrix



Fund Manager's Comments

The investment in DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund has been done without any bias towards large cap or mid cap stocks, but it keeping with the objective of investing in globally competitive companies.

Investment Objective

To provide long term capital appreciation and/or income distribution by investing predominantly in equity/equity related instruments of Indian companies with export competitiveness and Indian companies which have or which are expanding their business in global markets.

| Portfolio | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|
| Scrip % | of Portfolio |
| Infotech Enterprises Ltd. | 6.01% |
| Infosys Technologies Ltd. | 5.38% |
| Dishman Pharmaceuticals & Chemicals | 5.04% |
| Thermax Ltd. | 4.92% |
| Alok Industries Ltd. | 4.77% |
| Kale Consultants Ltd. | 4.65% |
| Crompton Greaves Ltd. | 4.64% |
| Voltas Ltd. | 4.38% |
| Tata Tea Ltd. | 4.16% |
| Suzlon Energy Ltd. | 4.00% |
| Balkrishna Industries Ltd. | 3.99% |
| Amtek Auto Ltd. | 3.88% |
| Bharat Forge Ltd. | 3.84% |
| Gokaldas Exports Ltd. | 3.78% |
| Satyam Computers Services Ltd | 3.60% |
| Welspun India Ltd. | 3.54% |
| United Phosphorus Ltd. | 3.44% |
| Motherson Sumi system Ltd | 2.84% |
| Alfa Laval India Ltd. | 2.62% |
| Vimta Labs Ltd. | 2.51% |
| Goldiam International Ltd. | 1.92% |
| NET Current Assest (NCA) | 16.09% |

Performance

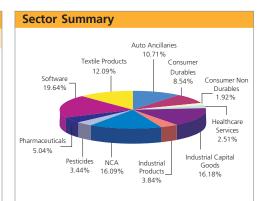
| | DBSCGAF | S&P |
|-----------------------------|-----------|---------|
| | | CNX 500 |
| 1 Month (31 Days)# | 6.73% | 9.58% |
| 3 Months (92 days)# | -1.76% | 6.55% |
| 6 Months (184 days)# | -5.73% | 5.60% |
| 1 Year \$ | 13.03% | 32.05% |
| Since Inception\$ (30/05/05 | 5) 22.05% | 41.33% |
| | | |

Absolute Returns

\$ Compounded Annualised Returns

Scheme "DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund (DCGAF)" was launched on 19th Apr 05 & units alloted on 30th May 05 $\,$

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.





| Dividend History | | | | |
|------------------------|--------|----------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Regular Plan | | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration | |
| 27-Sep-05 | 7.5 | 0.75 | Rs. 11.94 | |
| | | | | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

DBS 🌾 Cholamandalam



DBS Chola Triple Ace

as on August 31, 2006

Features

Type of Fund

Open-Ended Pure Income Fund

| Load Structure | | |
|------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Entry Load | : | Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC | : | For investments <=10 |
| | | Lacs:0.5% if Redeemed |
| | | within 6 months |
| | | For investments |
| | | >10 Lacs: Nil |

Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 2000/1000

Cut Off Time

| Purchase | : 3 p.m. |
|------------|----------|
| Redemption | : 3 p.m. |

Dividend Distribution

Quarterly/Semi Annual

Inception Date

31-Mar-97

NAV

| Quarterly Dividend Option | : | Rs. 11.1926 |
|-----------------------------|---|-------------|
| Semi Annual Dividend Option | : | Rs. 11.5031 |
| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. 23.7715 |
| Bonus Option | : | Rs. 13.2084 |

Benchmark Index

CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index

Fund Size

Rs. 17.06 Crores

Fund Manager

Ashish Nigam

Fund Manager's Comments

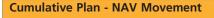
DBS Chola Triple Ace is long term income fund with investments in fixed instruments of all class and maturity. Utmost importance is given to the investment grade of the assets as the fund is CRISIL AAAf rated fund. The investment is in the highest rated instruments and based on the interest rate view the duration of the portfolio is managed. The investments in the fund range from very short i.e. cash/repo to sovereign securities and corporate bonds. The fund is actively managed based on the interest rate view.

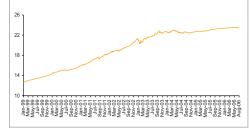
Investment Objective

The investment objective of the scheme would be to provide regular and stable income. The corpus of the scheme would be invested primarily in debt market securities, such as non-convertible debentures, bonds issued by corporates, banks and government, commercial paper, certificates of deposit and other money market instruments. The scheme would invest predominantly in securities rated by the Credit Rating and Information Services of India Ltd. (CRISIL), or any other rating agency.

| Portfolio | | |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Corporate Debt | | |
| Citi Financial Consumer | | |
| Fin. Ltd | 14.79% | AAA |
| Fleet Trust April 2003 | | |
| Series A2 | 0.12% | AAA |
| PSU/PFI Debt | | |
| IDBI Omni Bond 2004 | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 14.33% | AA+ |
| Sovereign | | |
| CG -2017 - 8.07% | 17.76% | Sov |
| 182 Days TBill | 15.33% | Sov |
| ABN AMRO Bank | 29.06% | P1+ |
| Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 8.61% | |

| Avg Maturity | YTM |
|--------------|-------|
| 2.44 yrs | 6.50% |
| | |

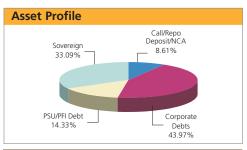




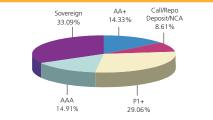
Performance

| renormance | | |
|---|---------|-------------------------|
| | DBSCTA- | CRISIL |
| | | Composite Bond Index |
| 1 Month (31 Days)# | 0.71% | 0.64% |
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | 1.01% | 0.97% |
| 6 Months (184 Days)# | 1.51% | 2.01% |
| 1 Year\$ | 2.79% | 3.14% |
| 3 Years\$ | 2.21% | 2.81% |
| 5 Years\$ | 6.20% | N.A. |
| Since Inception\$ | 9.62% | N.A. |
| # Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualise NA - Not Applicable Past performance may c future. | | sustained in |

The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.



Rating Profile



Maturity Profile



Dividend History

| Regular Plan | | | |
|------------------------|----------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration |
| 27-Jun-03 | 2.5 | 0.25 | Rs. 11.1786 |
| 29-Sept-03 | 2.5 | 0.25 | Rs. 11.2634 |
| 29-Sept-03 | 75.0# | 7.50 | Rs. 22.3847 |
| 29-Dec-03 | 2.5 | 0.25 | Rs. 11.1326 |
| 29-Mar-04 | 0.80 | 0.08 | Rs. 10.9147 |
| 29-Mar-04^ | 27.5# | 2.75 | Rs. 14.2224 |
| 27-Sep-04^ | 0.6620* | 0.0662 | Rs.10.7427 |
| 27-Sep-04^ | 0.7080\$ | 0.0708 | Rs.10.7427 |
| 27-Sep-04• | 0.6620* | 0.0662 | Rs.11.0367 |
| 27-Sep-04• | 0.7080\$ | 0.0708 | Rs.11.0367 |

Semi Annual Dividend option was carved out of the Cumulative Plan in Sept' 03

* Corporate \$ Individual ^ DBSCTA Regular

DBSCTA Semi Annual Dividend

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/- $\,$



DBS Chola Freedom Income - Short Term Fund

an August 21 2000

| as on August 31, 200 |)6 | |
|--------------------------------------|-----|------------------------|
| Features | | |
| Type of Fund | | |
| Open-Ended Income Fund | | |
| Load Structure | | |
| Entry Load : Ni | I | |
| Exit Load / CDSC : Ni | I | |
| Minimum Investment for | Ne | w / Existing Investors |
| Regular | | Rs. 3000/1000 |
| Institutional | | Rs. 1000000/100000 |
| Cut Off Time | | |
| Purchase | : . | 3 p.m. |
| Redemption | : | 3 p.m. |
| Dividend Distribution | | |
| Monthly/Semi Annual | | |
| Inception Date | | |
| 08-Mar-02* | | |
| NAV | | |
| | | |
| Regular - Monthly Dividend Ontion | | . Dc 10.0206 |
| Monthly Dividend Option | | : Rs. 10.9396 |

| Montiny Dividend Option | • | NS. 10.9590 |
|------------------------------|---|-------------|
| Semi Annual Dividend Option | : | Rs. 11.2816 |
| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. 11.3717 |
| | | |
| Institutional - | | |
| Monthly Dividend Option | : | Rs. 10.9396 |
| Cumulative Option | : | Rs. 11.5070 |
| Benchmark Index | | |
| CRISIL Short Term Fund Index | | |
| | | |

Fund Size

Rs. 39.92 Crores

Fund Manager

Ashish Nigam

* Scheme was repositioned as DBS Chola Freedom Income - Short Term Fund from March 08, 2002

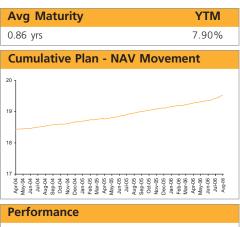
Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Freedom Income is a short-term fund. The scheme seeks to provide better returns than liquid fund. The duration of the fund is longer than the liquid fund and the investment is in fixed income assets ranging from cash/repo to corporate bonds and gilts with residual maturity of 5 years and less. The fund is rated AAAf by CRISIL for its credit quality.

Investment Objective

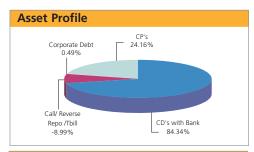
An income scheme with at least 80% investments in fixed income securities with the objective of generating regular and stable income for the unit holders. The balance will be invested in money market instruments of high quality. The scheme will not invest in equities or equity related instruments.

| Portfolio | | |
|--------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Corporate Debt | | |
| Federal Bank | 23.43% | P1+ |
| HSBC | 23.44% | P1+ |
| GE Capital Services India Ltd. | 0.75% | P1+ |
| GE Capital Services India Ltd. | 11.68% | P1+ |
| GE CountryWide Consumer | 11.73% | P1+ |
| Finance Ltd. | | |
| Kotak Mahindra Bank | 11.72% | P1+ |
| UCO Bank Ltd | 11.72% | P1+ |
| UCO Bank Ltd | 14.03% | P1+ |
| Citi Fin.Con.Fin Ltd | 0.49% | AAA |
| Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | -8.99% | |

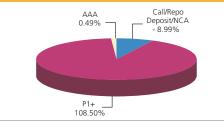


| | DBSCFI- | DBSCFI- | CRISIL |
|------------------------|-----------|---------------|--------------|
| | STF | STF | STF |
| | | Institution | al Index |
| 1 Month (31Days)# | 0.70% | 0.70% | 0.56% |
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | 1.77% | 1.79% | 1.62% |
| 6 Months (184 Days)# | 2.99% | 3.06% | 3.28% |
| 1 Year\$ | 5.22% | 5.49% | 4.73% |
| 3 Year\$ | 4.53% | 4.53% | 4.27% |
| Since Inception\$ | 5.69% | NA | NA |
| # Absolute Returns | | NA-Not | Applicable |
| \$ Compounded Annua | alised Re | turns | |
| Past performance may o | r may not | t be sustaine | d in future. |

The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.



Rating Profile







| Dividend Hi | istory | | |
|------------------------|------------|----------|-------------------------------------|
| Regular Plan | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration |
| 27-Sep-04^ | 0.2480* | 0.0248 | Rs.10.0769 |
| 27-Sep-04^ | 0.2650\$ | 0.0265 | Rs.10.0769 |
| 27-Sep-04^^ | 0.2980* | 0.0298 | Rs.10.0781 |
| 27-Sep-04^^ | 0.3180\$ | 0.0318 | Rs.10.0781 |
| 27-Sep-04• | 0.8270* | 0.0827 | Rs.10.4326 |
| 27-Sep-04• | 0.8840\$ | 0.0884 | Rs.10.4326 |
| 25-Oct-04^ | 0.2270* | 0.0227 | Rs.10.0676 |
| 25-Oct-04^ | 0.2430\$ | 0.0243 | Rs.10.0676 |
| 25-Oct-04^^ | 0.2270* | 0.0227 | Rs.10.0663 |
| 25-Oct-04^^ | 0.2430\$ | 0.0243 | Rs.10.0663 |
| * Corporate | \$ Individ | dual | |

• Semi Annual Dividend Plan # Monthly Dividend ^ DBSCFI-STF Regular ^^ DBSCFI-STF Institutional Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-



DBS Chola Liquid Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

Type of Fund

. . . .

Open-Ended Liquidity Income Scheme

| Load Structure |
|---|
| Entry Load : Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : Nil |
| |
| Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors |
| Regular : Rs. 10000/5000 |
| Institutional Plus : Rs. 1000000/100000 |
| |
| Cut Off Time |
| Purchase : 1 p.m. |
| Redemption : 10 a.m. |
| |
| Dividend Distribution |
| Daily / Weekly |
| |
| Inception Date |
| 04-Oct-00 |
| |
| NAV |
| Regular- |
| Weekly Dividend Option : Rs. 11.9085 |
| Cumulative Option : Rs. 14.5388 |
| |
| Institutional Plus- |
| Weekly Dividend Option : Rs. 11.8746 |
| Cumulative Option : Rs. 14.6196 |
| Benchmark Index |
| |
| CRISIL Liquid Fund Index |
| Fund Size |
| Rs. 1,093.60 Crores |
| |
| Fund Manager |
| Ashish Nigam |
| |

Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Liquid Fund is a very short-term fund with investments in fixed income assets of residual maturity of one year or less. The strategy for managing the fund is to invest in the highest rated instruments which are liquid in the secondary market. The fund is AAAf rated by CRISIL for its credit quality. The fund is managed actively with the duration ranging from 50 to 150 days based on the short-term view.

Investment Objective

The investment objective will be to generate reasonable returns while maintaining safety and providing the investor superior liquidity. To achieve this objective investments will be predominantly made in a well-diversified and highly liquid portfolio of money market instruments, government securities and corporate debt.

| Portfolio | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| CD's with Banks | | |
| Rabo India Finance Ltd. | 8.86% | P1+ |
| ICICI Bank Ltd | 6.58% | P1+ |
| IDBI Ltd. | 5.39% | P1+ |
| HDFC Bank Ltd | 5.33% | P1+ |
| Punjab National Bank Ltd. | 4.99% | P1+ |
| UCO Bank Ltd. | 4.28% | P1+ |
| YES Bank | 3.60% | A1+ |
| GE Country Wide Consumer | | |
| Finance Ltd. | 3.55% | P1+ |
| IL & FS Ltd. | 3.39% | P1+ |
| State Bank of Patiala Ltd. | 3.19% | A1+ |
| SBI Cards & Payments Ser. Ltd. | 3.12% | P1+ |
| State Bank of Indore | 3.11% | P1+ |
| GE Capital Services India Ltd. | 2.58% | P1+ |
| ABN Amro Bank | 2.27% | P1+ |
| National Housing Bank Ltd. | 2.25% | P1+ |
| Kotak Mahindra Primus Ltd | 1.83% | P1+ |
| Jammu and Kashmir Bank | 1.82% | P1+ |
| Britania Industries Ltd. | 1.78% | P1+ |
| Exim Bank Ltd. | 1.73% | P1+ |
| Federal Bank | 1.30% | P1+ |
| ING Vysya Bank Ltd. | 0.91% | P1+ |
| Kotak Mahindra Bank | 0.91% | P1+ |
| State Bank of Bikaner & Jaipur | 0.91% | P1+ |
| UTI Bank Ltd. | 0.91% | P1+ |
| Citicorp Finance.Ltd | 0.91% | P1+ |
| State Bank of Patiala Ltd. | 0.89% | P1+ |
| Bajaj Auto Finance Ltd | 0.89% | P1+ |
| Sundaram Finance Ltd. | 0.44% | P1+ |
| State Bank of Saurashtra | 0.43% | P1+ |
| Allahabad Bank | 0.42% | P1+ |
| Other deposits | | |
| State Bank Of Patiala | 3.66% | |
| Allahabad Bank | 4.11% | |
| Corporate Debt | | |
| IDBI Omni Bond 2004 (Floating Rate) | 1.89% | AA+ |
| Ge Capital Services India Ltd. | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 1.38% | AAA |
| LIC Housing Finance Ltd | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 0.94% | AAA |
| Mahindra and Mahindra | | |
| Finance Ltd 3YR INBMK | 0.94% | P1+ |
| Rabo India Finance Pvt Ltd | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 0.94% | AAA |
| Sundaram Finance Ltd 3YR INBMK | 0.93% | AAA |
| UTI Bank - 1YR INBMK | 0.93% | AAA |
| | | Contd |

| | | Contd |
|--|---------|--------|
| Portfolio | | |
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Indian Corporate Loan Security | | |
| Trust -IV | 0.92% | A1+ |
| Tata Son Trust Series I - PTC | 0.92% | P1+SO |
| IBS TRUST Sept 2005 - PTC | 0.73% | AAA |
| Citicorp Finance Ltd. (Floating Rate) | 0.46% | AAA |
| Goetze India Ltd. | 0.46% | P1+ |
| Kotak Securities Ltd. | 0.46% | P1+ |
| Kotak Mahindra Primus Ltd | 0.46% | P1+ |
| Sterlite Industries Ltd.(Floating Rate |) 0.27% | P1+ |
| GE Countrywide CFS Ltd. | 0.18% | AAA |
| Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 0.85% | |
| Avg Maturity | | YTM |

128 days

| Performance | | | |
|---------------------|----------------|--------------------------------------|-------|
| | DBSCLF- Cum | DCLF- Cum-Institu- tional Plus | |
| 7 Days# | 0.1253% | 0.1260% | 0.10% |
| 14 Days# | 0.2538% | 0.2530% | 0.19% |
| 1 Month (31 Days)# | 0.56% | 0.56% | 0.46% |
| 3 Months (92 Days)# | 1.63% | 1.64% | 1.34% |
| 6 Months (184 Days) | # 3.25% | 3.26% | 3.07% |
| 1 Year\$ | 6.16% | 6.17% | 5.52% |
| 3 Years\$ | 5.30% | 4.66% | 4.66% |
| Since Inception\$ | 6.54% | NA | NA |
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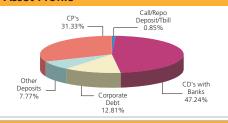
6.63%

Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns

NA - Not Applicable

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.

Asset Profile



Maturity Profile



DBS 🌾 Cholamandalam



DBS Chola Short Term Floating Rate Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

| Features |
|---|
| Type of Fund |
| Open-Ended Income Scheme |
| Lond Chrysterra |
| Load Structure |
| Entry Load : Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : Nil |
| |
| Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors |
| Rs. 5000/1000 |
| Cut Off Time |
| Purchase : 1 p.m. |
| Redemption : 10 a.m. |
| |
| Dividend Distribution |
| Daily / Weekly / Monthly |
| |
| Inception Date |
| 10-Aug-05 |
| |
| NAV |
| Monthly Dividend Option : Rs. 10.1678 |
| Cumulative Option : Rs. 10.6674 |
| |
| Benchmark Index |
| CRISIL Liquid Fund Index |
| Fund Size |
| Rs. 194.21 Crores |
| KS. 194.21 CIOLES |
| Fund Manager |
| Ashish Nigam |
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Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Short Term Floating Rate Fund is a quasi - liquid fund with more than 50% of the assets in floating rate assets. Investments are in highest rated instruments. The duration of the portfolio is in the range of 100-120 days.

Investment Objective

The investment objective of the scheme is to generate regular income to investment in a portfolio comprising substanitially of floating rate debt/money market instrument, fixed rate debt/money market instruments swapped for floating rate return, and fixed rate debt securities, govt. securities & money market instruments.

| Portfolio | | |
|---|----------------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Corporate Debt | | |
| Sterlite Industries Ltd. | c coo(| |
| (Floating Rate) | 6.69% | P1+ |
| IRFC - 5YR INBMK | 5.19% | AAA |
| Ge Capital Services Ltd. | 5.16% | |
| (Floating Rate) Ge Capital Services Ltd. | 5.10% | AAA |
| (Floating Rate) | 5.15% | AAA |
| Sundaram Finance Ltd. | J.1J/0 | ~~~~ |
| (Floating Rate) | 5.15% | A1+ |
| Standard Chartered Loans & | 5.1570 | ,,,,, |
| Investment Ltd. | 5.00% | P1+ |
| Citi Financial Consumer Fin Ltd. | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 2.61% | AAA |
| Citicorp Maruti Finance Ltd. | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 2.59% | AAA |
| Citicorp Maruti Fin Ltd. | | |
| (Floating Rate) | 2.57% | AAA |
| Exim Bank Ltd. (Floating Rate) | 2.57% | AAA |
| Exim Bank Ltd. (Floating Rate) | 2.57% | AAA |
| Raymond Ltd. (Floating Rate) | 2.57% | P1+ |
| SBI Cards and Payment | 2 450/ | D1 . |
| Services Ltd. GE Countrywide Consumer | 2.45% | P1+ |
| Finance LTd. | 2.41% | P1+ |
| IDBI Omni Bond 2004 | 2.4170 | FI+ |
| (Floating Rate) | 1.21% | ΔΔ+ |
| Certificate Deposite | 1.21/0 | |
| Federal Bank | 4.86% | P1+ |
| HDFC Bank Ltd | 4.81% | P1+ |
| UCO Bank Ltd | 4.80% | P1+ |
| Allahabad Bank | 2.48% | P1+ |
| UCO Bank Ltd | 2.41% | P1+ |
| ING Vysya Bank | 2.40% | P1+ |
| Other Deposits | | |
| HDFC Bank | 7.59% | |
| Development Credit Bank | 5.15% | |
| Allahabad Bank | 2.57% | |
| Sovereign | | |
| CG -2006 - 6.30% | 4 6 2 0/ | Sout |
| (Floating Rate) Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 4.63% 4.41% | Sov. |
| | 4.4170 | |
| | | |

| Avg Maturity | YTM |
|--------------|-------|
| 174 day | 6.99% |

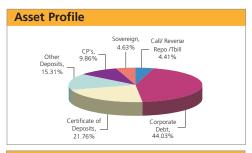
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|-------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| I | DBS CST- FRF | CRISIL Liquid Fund Index |
| 3months (92 days)# | 0.58% | 0.46% |
| 6months (184 days)# | 3.35% | 3.07% |
| 1 Year\$ | 6.29% | 5.52% |
| Since Inception# (10/08/05)\$ | 6.30% | 5.44% |

Absolute Returns

Performance

\$ Compounded annualised returns

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.



Maturity Profile



| Dividend History | | | | | | |
|---|------------|----------|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Date of Declaration (Last Dividend Declared) | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration | | | |
| 29-May-06 | 0.3270* | 0.0327 | Rs. 10.1648 | | | |
| 29-May-06 | 0.3510\$ | 0.0351 | Rs. 10.1648 | | | |
| * Corporate | \$ Individ | dual | | | | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

DBS Chola Floating Rate Fund

as on August 31, 2006

Features

Type of Fund

Open-Ended Income Fund

| Load Structure | | |
|------------------|---|-----------------------------|
| Entry Load | : | Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC | : | 0.30% for <= 10 lacs |
| | | if redeemed within 3 months |
| | | Nil for > 10 lacs |
| | | |

Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 25000/1000

Rs. 10.3710

Rs. 11.1260

Cut Off Time

| Purchase | : | 3 p.m. |
|------------|---|--------|
| Redemption | : | 3 p.m. |

Dividend Distribution

Quarterly

| In | cep | tion | Date |
|----|-----|------|------|
| | | | |

25-Aug-04

NAV

Dividend Option : Cumulative Option :

Benchmark Index

CRISIL Liquid Fund Index

Fund Size

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Rs. 6.61 Crores
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Fund Manager

Ashish Nigam

Fund Manager's Comments

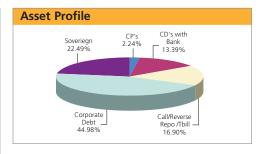
DBS Chola Floating Rate Fund is designed to protect the investor from rising interest rates. The objective of the fund is to invest at least 65% of the corpus in floating rate instrument with benchmark linked to gilts of daily MIBOR.

Investment Objective

The primary objective is to provide income consistent with the prudent risk from a portfolio comprising substantially of floating rate debt instruments, money market instruments and fixed rate debt instruments swapped for floating rate return.

| Portfolio | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Corporate Debt | | |
| IBS TRUST Sept 2005 - PTC | 30.30% | AAA |
| Citi Financial Consumer Fin. Ltd - | 14.68% | AAA |
| UCO Bank Ltd. | 9.75% | P1+ |
| Allahabad Bank Ltd. | 3.64% | P1+ |
| Bajaj Auto Finance Ltd | 2.24% | P1+ |
| Sovereign | | |
| 182 Days TBILL | 14.93% | Sov |
| GOI 6.30% 2006 - | | |
| Floating Rate /Bond | 7.56% | Sov |
| Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 16.90% | |

| Avg Maturity | YTM |
|--------------|-------|
| 174 day | 6.41% |



Maturity Profile



Performance DBSCFRF CRISIL Liquid Fund Index 1 Month (31days)# 0.53% 0.46% 3 Months (92 Days) # 1.34% 1.36% 6Months (184 Days) # 2.77% 3.07% 1 Year\$ 5.49% 5.52% Since Inception (25/08/04)\$ 5.43% 5.01% # Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the

future.

The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.

| Dividend History | | | | |
|------------------------|---------------|----------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Regular Plan | | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration | |
| 27-Jun-05 | 0.8170* | 0.0817 | Rs. 10.2781 | |
| 27-Jun-05 | 0.8770\$ | 0.0877 | Rs. 10.2781 | |
| 26-Sep-05 | 0.6530* | 0.0653 | Rs. 10.3230 | |
| 26-Sep-05 | 0.7020\$ | 0.0702 | Rs. 10.3230 | |
| 26-Dec-05 | 0.6530* | 0.0653 | Rs. 10.3230 | |
| 26-Dec-05 | 0.7020\$ | 0.0702 | Rs. 10.3230 | |
| 27-Mar-06 | 1.2250* | 0.1225 | Rs. 10.4299 | |
| 27-Mar-06 | 1.3160\$ | 0.1316 | Rs. 10.4299 | |
| 26-Jun-06 | 1.3160\$ | 0.1316 | Rs. 10.4106 | |
| 26-Jun-06 | 1.3160\$ | 0.1316 | Rs. 10.4106 | |
| * Corporate | \$ Individual | | | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

DBS Chola GILT Investment Plan

as on August 31, 2006

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|---|
| Features |
| Type of Fund |
| Open-Ended Dedicated Gilts Schemes |
| Load Structure |
| Entry Load : Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : Nil |
| Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors |
| Rs. 10000/1000 |
| Cut Off Time |
| Purchase : 3 p.m. |
| Redemption : 3 p.m. |
| Dividend Distribution |
| Quarterly |
| Inception Date |
| 29-Mar-00 |
| NAV |
| Quarterly Dividend Option : Rs. 9.9984 |
| Cumulative Option : Rs. 18.1785 |
| Benchmark Index |
| ISEC-Li-BEX |
| Fund Size |
| Rs. 2.72 Crores |
| Fund Manager |
| Ashish Nigam |

DBS Chola Monthly Income Plan

as on August 31, 2006

| Features |
|---|
| Type of Fund |
| Open-Ended Income Scheme with no assured returns |
| Load Structure |
| Entry Load : Nil |
| Exit Load / CDSC : For investments <=10 Lacs: 0.5% if redeemed within 6 months For investments >10 Lacs: Nil |
| Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors |
| Rs. 5000/1000 (Cum.) |
| Rs. 10000/1000 (Div.) |
| Cut Off Time |
| Purchase : 3 p.m. |
| Redemption : 3 p.m. Dividend Distribution |
| Monthly/Quarterly |
| Inception Date |
| 31-Jul-98 |
| NAV |
| Monthly Dividend Option : Rs. 10.1611 |
| Quarterly Dividend Option : Rs. 10.4607 |
| Cumulative Option : Rs. 12.7059 |
| Bonus Option : Rs. 12.7059 |
| Benchmark Index |
| CRISIL Blended MIP Index |
| Fund Size Rs 10 34 Crores |
| |
| Fund Manager Ashish Nigam/Pradeep Kumar |
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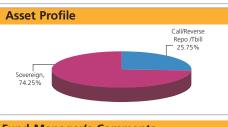
Investment Objective

The Scheme seeks to generate returns from a portfolio from investment in Government Securities.

7.41%

| Portfolio | | |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Sovereign | | |
| CG -2017 - 8.07% | 74.25% | Sov |
| Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 25.75% | |
| Avg Maturity | | YTM |

Avg Maturity 8 yrs



Fund Manager's Comments

The investment objective of the fund seeks to maximize returns by investing in GOI securities. The fund is actively managed and the investment range from short-term treasury bills to longer maturity gilt securities. The duration of the fund is actively managed and based on the interest rate view the duration of the portfolio is shortened or elongated.

| Performance | | |
|-------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | DBSCGI | I-Sec Li-BEX |
| 1 Year\$ | -0.06% | 2.24% |
| 3 Years\$ | 2.88% | 2.11% |
| 5 Years\$ | 7.95% | N.A. |
| Since Inception\$ | 9.74% | N.A. |
| NA-Not Applicable | \$ Compounded Ar | |

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of

The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.

| Dividend History | | | | |
|------------------------|----------|----------|-------------------------------------|--|
| Regular Plan | | | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of declaration | |
| 27-Sep-04 | 0.8270* | 0.0827 | Rs.10.2309 | |
| 27-Sep-04 | 0.8840\$ | 0.0884 | Rs.10.2309 | |
| 27-Mar-06 | 1.2250* | 0.1225 | Rs. 10.3095 | |
| 27-Mar-06 | 1.3160\$ | 0.1316 | Rs. 10.3095 | |
| PF Plan | | | | |
| 30-Mar-04 | 10 | 0.10 | Rs. 10.1314 | |

* Corporate \$ Individual

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

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Investment Objective

The Scheme seeks to generate monthly income through investment in a range of Debt, Equity and Money Market instruments.

| ~~ | ••• | | | |
|----|-----|--|--|--|
| | | | | |

| Portfolio | | |
|--|---|---|
| Scrip | Weight | Rating |
| Equity Infosys Technologies Ltd Infotech Enterprises Ltd. Allahabad Bank Tata Consultancy Services Ltd Oriental Bank Of Commerce Alfa Laval India Ltd Birla Corporation Ltd Jagran Prakashan Ltd Hindalco Industries Ltd Hindalco Industries Ltd Hindalco Industries Ltd D. S Kulkarni Developers Ltd Celebrity Fashions Ltd Corporate Debt Citi Financial Consumer Fin. Ltd Fleet Trust April 2003 Series A2 Sovereign | 2.27% 1.79% 1.59% 0.94% 0.90% 0.81% 0.26% 0.10% 0.10% 0.07% 0.05% 0.01% 11.26% 0.82% | Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq Eq AAA |
| 182 Days TBILL 17 Nov 06 GOI 6.30% 2006 -Floating Rate Bond Call/Repo Deposit/TBill | 60.57% 2.42% 14.65% | Sov Sov |
| Asset Profile | | |
| Call/ Reverse Repo /TBill 62.99% 14.65% Cor | porate Debt 12.08% Equity | |

Sovereign 62.99% Corporate Debt 14.65% Corporate Debt 12.08% Equity 10.28%

Fund Manager's Comments

In DBS Chola MIP, equity exposure was less than 15%.

Total AUM as on August 2006 : Rs. 2,293.39 crores

Performance

| 1 Month (31 Da | | 1.18% | CRISIL Blended MIP Index 1.81% |
|---|--|--|--|
| 3 Months (92 D 6 Months (184 I 1 Year\$ 3 Year\$ Since Inception\$ | ays)# Days)# | 1.29% 2.15% 6.52% 7.48% 8.06% | 2.64% 3.69% 8.84% 7.73% 8.63% |
| * Converted fro 31, 2003 and re Plan. Hence the Past performance The distribution t returns. Dividend H | enamed as D returns of 3 e may or may tax has been i | BS Chola N & 5 years ar not be sustair | Ionthly Income re not given. ned in the future |
| Regular Plan | listory | | |
| Date of Declaration | % Unit | Rs./Unit | NAV as on date of |
| | | | declaration |
| 27-Mar-06 27-Mar-06 | 0.4080* 0.4390\$ | 0.0408 | |

 27-Mar-06
 1.3160\$#
 0.1316
 10.472

 * Corporate
 \$ Individual
 # Quarterly Dividend

 Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future.

 The face value of the units is Rs. 10/

| Avg Maturity | YTM |
|--------------|-------|
| 1.39 yrs | 5.62% |



Systematic Investment Plans

Just as small steps and regular habits are key to success in health, academics or any other serious pursuit, so is the case with investing money and creating long term wealth. It is commonly observed that people do not take investing as seriously and either keep hard earned money idle or leave it to chance and intuition or take undesirably high risk to achieve financial goals. None of this is true investing and more often than not the investment does not, result in optimal returns. Successful investors all over the world have a formula they practice, which is called Systematic Investment Plan.

What is a Systematic Investment Plan (SIP)?

SIP simply means investing a fixed amount of money at regular intervals over a period of time. SIP offers the following benefits to an investor.

- Discipline of regular saving
- > Affordable small investments
- Power of Compounding
- Rupee Cost Averaging
- Overcomes market volatility

Regular Saving

SIP ensures that the investor saves regularly and invests for the long term to create long term wealth.

Invest with as low as Rs 1000 per month

DBS Chola Mutual Fund offers SIP starting from a minimum investment of Rs 1000/- per month. The investor has a choice of making an affordable investment regularly.

Power of Compounding

The longer you invest, chances are that your returns will be disproportionate. If the rate of return improves even marginally, the return is even more disproportionate. That is the beauty of compounding. A sum of Rs.1,000 invested each month over different time periods offering various rates of returns is indicated below:

| Rate of Retur | 'n | 5% | 8% | 10% | 15% |
|----------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Investment tenure (Yrs) | Amount Invested | Investment value | | | |
| 5 | 60,000 | 69,623 | 76,031 | 80,587 | 93,045 |
| 10 | 120,000 | 158,481 | 187,746 | 210,374 | 280,191 |
| 20 | 240,000 | 416,631 | 593,075 | 756,030 | 1,413,721 |
| 30 | 360,000 | 837,129 | 1,468,150 | 2,171,321 | 5,999,483 |

Rupee Cost Averaging

Under rupee cost averaging, an investor buys more units when prices are low. On the other hand, he will buy fewer units when prices are high. As a result his units cost less than the price of units. This works under any market scenario rising market, falling market or a fluctuating market.

Case 1: Rising Market (SIP in DBS Chola Growth Fund)

| First Working Day of the Month | Amount (Rs.) | Unit Price (NAV + Load) | Units of Allotted |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 2nd Jan 2006 | 1000 | 23.41 | 42.71 |
| 1st Feb 2006 | 1000 | 23.72 | 42.15 |
| 1st March 2006 | 1000 | 25.43 | 39.32 |
| 1st April 2006 | 1000 | 27.92 | 35.82 |
| Totals | 4000 | 100.48 | 160.01 |

Average price per unit = Rs.25.12

Average cost per unit = Rs.25.00

Result : your average cost is less than the average price

Case 2: Declining Market (SIP in DBS Chola Growth Fund)

| First Working Day of the Month | Amount (Rs.) | Unit Price (NAV + Load) | Units of Allotted |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 2nd May 2006 | 1000 | 28.44 | 35.16 |
| 1st June 2006 | 1000 | 24.49 | 40.83 |
| 3rdJuly 2006 | 1000 | 24.32 | 41.12 |
| Totals | 3000 | 77.25 | 117.11 |

Average price per unit = Rs.25.75

Average cost per unit = Rs.25.62

Result : your average cost is less than the average price

Case 3: Fluctuating Market (SIP in DBS Chola Growth Fund)

| First Working Day of the Month | Amount (Rs.) | Unit Price (NAV + Load) | Units of Allotted |
|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1st Mar 2006 | 1000 | 25.43 | 39.32 |
| 3rd Apr 2006 | 1000 | 27.92 | 35.82 |
| 2nd May 2006 | 1000 | 28.44 | 35.16 |
| 1st June 2006 | 1000 | 24.49 | 40.83 |
| 3rd July 2006 | 1000 | 24.32 | 41.12 |
| Totals | 5000 | 130.60 | 192.25 |

Average price per unit = Rs.26.12

Average cost per unit = Rs.26.01

Result : your average cost is less than the average price

Balances Market volatility

An SIP investor's performance is not dependent on end point returns, and captures market volatility to average out unit cost. Hence the returns are a function of staying invested in the fund during various market conditions and not so much dependent on the fund's return.

| If you had invested Rs.1000 every month in | Rs. 24000 over 24 months would have grown to | Rs. 36,000 over 36 months would grown to | Rs. 56,000 over 56 months would grown to |
|--|--|--|---|
| DBS Chola Growth Fund | Rs. 33,410.20 | Rs. 60,399.28 | Rs. 1,46,647.23 |
| | (30.68%) | (31.62%) | (36.30%) |

(as of 31st August 06)

Interestingly, an SIP of Rs.10,000 on the last day of the year in the BSE Sensex, since 1979 (BSE Sensex as of 31st Dec' 79 = 118) until 2005 (Rs. 2.7 lacs in 27 years) would result in Rs. 51,27,397/- (a 17.47% CAGR).

DBS Chola Mutual Fund offers SIP across the following Equity Schemes.

- DBS Chola Growth Fund
- DBS Chola Midcap Fund •
- **DBS Chola Opportunities Fund**

- DBS Chola Multi-Cap Fund
- ٠ DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund
- DBS Chola Contra Fund

- DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund
- SIP Features:

Amount / Period

- Minimum investment of Rs. 1000/- each for 6 consecutive months (DBS Chola Growth Fund, DBS Chola Mid Cap Fund, DBS Chola Opportunities
- Fund, DBS Chola Multicap Fund and DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund). Minimum investment of Rs. 500/- each for 6 consecutive months or in multiples of Rs. 500/- for DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund.
- Minimum investment of Rs. 1000/- each for 6 consecutive months or minimum investment of Rs. 500/- each for 12 consecutive months for DBS Chola Contra Fund.

Current Load Structure Equity Schemes

- Entry Load (Except DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund): 2.25%-for an investment < Rs.1 Crore and Nil- for an investment >= Rs.1 Crore Exit Load : Nil.
- Entry Load (DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund): 2.25% for an investments < Rs. 25 lacs and Nil, for investment > = Rs. 25 lacs Exit Load : Nil

Cheque Date

All SIP Cheques (except the first one)must be uniformly dated 5th, 15th or 25th of a month.

Cheques Should be drawn in favour of scheme Name eg. "DBS Chola Growth Fund."

For more details kindly go through Offer Document.

About DBS Cholamandalam Asset Management Limited

DBS Cholamandalam Asset Management Limited (DCAM) is the asset management company and the investment manager of DBS Chola Mutual Fund, which offers mutual funds to retail, high net worth and institutional investors. Established in 1996, the company manages funds in excess of Rs.2750 crores (as on May 31, 2006) across 17 schemes with over 200,000 customer accounts. Known for its prudent and disciplined investment philosophy, DCAM products cover the entire range of cash, debt and equity asset classes. DCAM is present in over 22 locations in the country and also has a strong distribution network.

About Cholamandalam DBS Finance Limited

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Investment Objective:
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Investment Objective: The objective of the scheme is to generate capital appreciation by investing in equity and equity related instruments by using a contrarian strategy. Contrarian investing refers to buying into fundamentally sound scrips which have underperformed / not performed to their full potential in their recent past. Asset Allocation: Equity & Equity related instruments: 65% - 100% Debt & Money Market Instruments: 0-35% Investment Amt: Rs. 5000/- and in multiples of Re.1/- thereafter. Additional Purchase: Rs. 1000/- and in multiples of Re.1/- For SIP: Min. 12 installments of Rs 500 each or minimum 6 installments of Rs. 1000/- each. Terms of issue: Sales of units at Rs.10/- per unit for cash plus applicable load during the new fund offer and at NAV related prices after the scheme re-opens for ongoing sales Applicable Loads: (During NFO & for ongoing sales) For Each Investment Amount: <=Rs. 1 crore Entry Load: 2.25% Exit : Nil ; For each investment amount :>Rs. 1 crore up to Rs 5 crore Entry Load: Nil Exit Load: 0.5% if redeemed within 3 months , For each investment > Rs. 5 crore Entry Load: Nil. Exit Load: Nil Applicable Loads under SIP: Entry Load : Nil Exit Load : 2.25% if redeemed on or before expiry of 365 days; if redeemed after 365 days - Nil. Investment Options: Dividend & Cumulative Risk Factors: All investments in Mutual Funds and Securities are subject to market risks and the NAV of the Scheme may go up or down, depending upon the factors and forces affecting the securities market. There cannot be any assurance that the Schemes' Investment Objectives can be achieved. The past performance of the AMC, Mutual Fund, the Sponsor or its Group affiliation is not indicative of the future performance of the Scheme. The Sponsor is neither responsible nor liable for any loss resulting from the operation of the Scheme beyond the initial contribution of Rs. 1 Lakh made by them towards setting up of the Mutual Fund. Chola Contra Fund is only the name and does not in any manner indicate the quality of the Scheme, its future prospects or returns. For scheme-specific risk factors and other details investors are requested to refer to the Offer Document of the scheme carefully before making any • Statutory Details: DBS Chola Mutual Fund has been established as a trust under the Indian Trust Act. 1882 by Cholamandalam Investemnt and Finance Company Limited (liability restricted to seed corpus of Rs. 1 lakh) with DBS Cholamandalam Trustees Ltd. as the Trust and DBS Cholamandalam Asset Management Ltd. as the Investment Manager. • For offer document and application forms, please contact your nearest collection centre / AMC Office.

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