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Equity & Debt M	arkets –
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Foreign funds continued to flow into emerging markets post 50 bps fed rate cut announced by US FED in the previous month. Global investors are looking for safer destinations as US economy is still struggling with the sub-prime crisis and expectation of possible economic slowdown is gaining strength. India continued to attract major share of these flows as its growth story is primarily driven by domestic consumption.

Indian markets continued to outperform the peer emerging markets and developed markets. Compared to S&P CNX Nifty which has risen by 17.5%, Hang Sang, Shanghai Composite, Mexbol, Bovespa and Kospi have risen by 15.5%, 7.3%, 3.8%, 8.0% and 6.1% respectively implying sharp out-performance of Indian markets.

During mid month, domestic markets turned volatile after SEBI released discussion paper on investments made through PN route. Subsequently, with the issuance of final guidelines, the investors' confidence was restored. On back of renewed confidence and encouraging second guarter performance by leading companies, the BSE Sensex crossed 20,000 points mark. While IT companies reported disappointing results primarily on account of rising rupee, other sectors have by and large performed in line with market expectations.

In US, the continued weaker economic data has led Fed to further cut the fed fund rate by 25 bps towards the end of the month. Though emerging markets have witnessed sharp run up in the recent past, we believe global funds would continue to move in these markets, as on a relative scale opportunities appear attractive.

We believe that until rupee stabilizes, export related sectors would remain

under pressure. Hence, we continue to maintain our underweight stance on the export driven sectors including Information Technology and Textile across all our schemes. We remain overweight on the domestic

consumption driven sectors like Capital goods, Power and Financials.

On the Debt market front this month, RBI Credit Policy, SEBI directives on P-Notes and FOMC meet led to volatility in the markets. RBI's tone in the credit policy remained cautious with concerns arising out of international factors. RBI hiked CRR by 50 basis points and kept all the other key rates unchanged. This led to some sell off in the fixed income market. The long bond yields rose by 5-8 basis points, but the larger affect was seen on the shorter end of the curve where the yields rose by almost 25-40 basis points.

The cut in the Fed fund rate and discount rate by 25 basis points was lower than the market expectations. All this led to bearish undertone in the fixed income market. Liquidity in the system averaged INR 15000-20000 crores. Headline WPI numbers stayed below RBI's target and closed the month at 3.07%. 10yr benchmark bond closed the month at 7.84%.

We expect bearish undertone in the fixed income market to continue as INR 16000 crores would be removed from the system due to 50 basis point CRR hike. With Fed hinting at no further cut in the rates the easing in the yields further could be somewhat restricted. Liquidity could come under pressure and overnight rates could see some upward movement.

In this context we recommend DBS Chola Short Term Floating Rate Fund and DBS Chola Freedom Income Fund.

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DBS Chola Opportunities

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Features

Type of Fund Open-Ended Growth Fund Load Structure Entry Load < Rs. 3 cr : 2.25% >= Rs. 3 cr : Nil < Rs. 3 cr : 1.00% if redeemed Exit Load / CDSC within 6 months >= Rs. 3 cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 5 cr : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors

Rs. 3000/1000		
Cut Off Time		Benchmark Index
Purchase	: 3 p.m.	S&P CNX Nifty
Redemption	: 3 p.m.	
Dividend Distribu	ution	
Declared as and w	hen decided	by the Trustees
NAV		
Quarterly Dividend	Option	: Rs. 28.16
Cumulative Option	1	: Rs. 43.34
Fund Size		Fund Manager
Rs.26.29 crores		R. Rajagopal
		Bajrang Kumar Bafna
Style Matrix		Style Growth Blend Value
Style Matrix		Growth Blend Value

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

DBS Chola Hedged Equity Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features Type of Fund **Open-Ended Equity Scheme** Load Structure < Rs. 3 cr : 2.50% Entry Load >= Rs. 3 cr : Nil Exit Load / CDSC < Rs. 3 cr : 1.00% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 3 cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 5 cr : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 Cut Off Time Purchase : 3 p.m. : 3 p.m. Redemption **Dividend Distribution** Declared as and when decided by the Trustees **Inception Date Benchmark Index** S&P CNX Nifty 19-Apr-07 NAV Rs. 12.52 **Dividend** Option Cumulative Option Rs. 14.84 **Fund Size** Fund Manager Rs.31.10 crores R. Rajagopal Style Growth Blend **Style Matrix** Shading within the Style Matrix indicates areas in <u>≤</u> which the Fund generally invests.

Investment Objective

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

Portfolio
5.88% 4.34% 3.97% 3.23% 2.94% 2.53% 2.49% 2.49% 2.49% 2.49%

Sector Summary



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. The fund is a "High Risk, High Return" fund.

DBSCOF 19.79% 32.82%	S&P CNX Nifty 17.51% 30.29%
32.82%	30.29%
53.20%	44.34%
70.43%	57.60%
52.50%	48.91%
40.95%	37.79%
	52.50%

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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.

Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

If you had invested Rs. 1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Opportunities Fund (DBSCOF)

The Amount would have grown to			
	3 Years	5 Years	
Total Amount Annualised Return	Rs.77,612/- 56.90%	Rs.1,85,503/- 47.00%	

As on 31st Oct, 2007

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.

Dividend			
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
24-Mar-00	40	4.00	Rs. 17.23
30-Sep-99	15	1.50	Rs. 12.46

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

Investment Objective

Size

The investment objective of the fund is to generate long term capital appreciation by investing in equity, equity related and derivative instruments. The fund seeks to minimize risk by use of hedging instruments such as index and stock derivative instruments. The aim is to generate returns with a lower volatility.

Portfolio - Top 10 Holdings	
Scrip	% of Portfolio
Reliance Industries Ltd.	9.13%
ACC Ltd.	6.76%
ABB Ltd.	6.46%
GAIL (India) Ltd.	5.47%
Tata Power Ltd.	5.31%
State Bank Of India	5.19%
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.	5.03%
Sterlite Industries Ltd.	4.63%
DLF Ltd.	4.58%
Unitech Ltd.	4.20%

Sector Summary



Performance		
	DBSCHF	S&P CNX Nifty
1 Month (31 Days)#	20.55%	17.51%
3 Months (92 Days)#	29.49%	30.29%
6 Months (184 Days)#	41.74%	44.34%
Since Inception # (19/04/07)	48.40%	47.60%
# Absolute Returns		
Past performance may or ma	v not he sus	tained in future

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.

Dividend			
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
16-Oct-07	8%	0.8	Rs.12.10
25-Sep-07	6%	0.6	Rs.11.60
31-May-07	5%	0.5	Rs.10.78

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

Fund Manager's Comments

DBS Chola Hedged Equity Fund is an open ended equity scheme, which seeks to capture the growth potential of stocks while using active hedging strategy by use of index and stock derivative instruments to reduce the effect of market swings on the fund's long term performance. The aim is to generate returns both in the bull market and bear market as opportunities exist on both ends of the spectrum. The fund aims to generate returns with lower volatility.

DBS Chola Midcap Fund as on Oct 31, 2007 Value Research BATINGS as on Oct 2007

Features
Type of Fund
Open-Ended Equity Scheme
Entry Load: < Rs. 3 cr : 2.25% >= Rs. 3 cr : NilExit Load / CDSC: < Rs. 3 cr : 1.00% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 3 cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 5 cr : 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 Fund Manager 09-Aug-04 R. Rajagopal Anant Deep Katare NAV
Dividend Option : Rs. 21.38 Cumulative Option : Rs. 37.05 Benchmark Index Fund Size
CNX Midcap Index Rs.34.11 crores

DBS Chola Multi-Cap Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund	
Open-Ended Equity	Scheme
Load Structure	
Entry Load	: < Rs. 3 cr : 2.25% >= Rs. 3 cr : Nil
Exit Load / CDSC	: < Rs. 3 cr : 1.00% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 3 cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if redeemed within 6 months >= Rs. 5 cr : Nil
	ent for New / Existing Investors
Rs. 5000/1000 Cut Off Time	
Purchase	: 3 p.m.
Redemption Dividend Distribu	: 3 p.m. tion
Declared as and wh	en decided by the Trustees
Inception Date	Fund Manager
28-Jan-05	R. Rajagopal
	Anant Deep Katare
NAV	
Dividend Option	: Rs. 18.06
Cumulative Option	: Rs. 22.66
Benchmark Index	Fund Size
S&P CNX 500	Rs. 36.71 crores Style
Style Matrix	Growth Blend Value
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Investment Objective

To generate capital appreciation by investing primarily in midcap stocks. The scheme will invest in companies whose market capitalization falls between the highest and the lowest constituent of the CNX Midcap Index.

Portfolio - Top 10 Holdings	
Scrip	% of Portfolio
Sintex Industries Ltd. Adani Enterprises Ltd. Punj Lloyd Ltd. Jagran Prakashan Ltd. Financial Technologies (India) Ltd. Maharashtra Seamless Ltd. Thermax Ltd. Indian Bank KEC International Ltd. Sesa Goa Ltd.	4.30% 3.61% 3.59% 3.42% 3.36% 3.22% 3.16% 3.12% 2.95%

Dividend

Regular Plan			
Date of	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date
Declaration			of declaration
27-Mar-06	25	2.50	Rs. 16.36
19-Sep-05	20	2.00	Rs. 15.79
14-Mar-05	10	1 00	Rs 12.86

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

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 predominantly invest in companies in the market capitalisation range of the CNX . Midcap Index.

Performance

	DBSCMF	CNX Midcap Index
1 Month (31 Days)#	13.69%	8.49%
3 Months (92 Days)#	21.75%	20.60%
6 Months (184 Days)#	41.04%	42.03%
1 Year \$	49.52%	54.10%
3 Years\$	46.18%	47.21%
Since Inception\$ (09/08/04)	50.05%	47.67%
# Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.		

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Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

If you had invested Rs.1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Midcap Fund (DBSCMF)

The Amount would have grown to			
	1 Year	2 Years	
Total Amount	Rs.16,249/-	Rs.36,729/-	
Annualised Return	71.60%	47.09%	
As on 31 st Oct, 2007			

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.

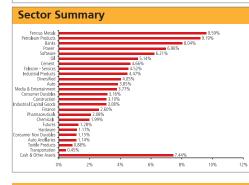
Sector Summary



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 - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	% of Portfolio			
Reliance Industries Ltd.	7.66%			
Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.	5.14%			
Bharti Airtel Ltd.	4.52%			
Steel Authority of India Ltd.	4.16%			
Larsen and Toubro Ltd.	4.05%			
National Thermal Power Corp Ltd.	3.90%			
Grasim Industries Ltd.	3.89%			
State Bank Of India	3.63%			
Mahindra and Mahindra Ltd.	3.05%			
ICICI Bank Ltd.	2.73%			



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.

Performance		
	DBSCMCF	S&P CNX 500
1 Month (31 Days)#	8.58%	14.76%
3 MonthS (92 Days)#	15.61%	27.04%
6 Months (184 Days)#	23.35%	42.25%
1 Year \$	27.02%	54.34%
Since Inception\$(28/01/05)	34.55%	44.80%
# Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns		
Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.		

Systematic Investment Plan - Returns			
If you had invested Rs.1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Multi-Cap Fund (DBSCMCF)			
The Amount would have grown to			
	1 Year	Since Inception	
Total Amount	Rs.14,525/-	Rs.47,933/-	
Annualised Return	41.22%	32.02%	
As on 31 st Oct, 2007 Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.			

Dividend			
Regular Plan			
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
20-Mar-06	15	1.50	Rs. 14.87
29-Aug-05	15	1.50	Rs. 12.85

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 Contra Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund				
Open-Ended Equity Scheme				
Load Structure				
>= Rs. 3				
	cr : 1.00% if redeemed months			
redeeme	cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if ed within 6 months			
>= Rs. 5				
Minimum Investment for Ne	ew / 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	Fund Manager			
27-Feb-06	R. Rajagopal			
	Bajrang Kumar Bafna			
NAV	j			
Dividend Option	: Rs. 14.09			
Cumulative Option	: Rs. 14.09			
Benchmark Index	Fund Size			
S & P CNX 500	Rs. 35.26 crores			
	Style			
Style Matrix	Growth Blend Value			
Shading within the Style Matri				
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DBS Chola Growth Fund

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Type of Fund	
Open-Ended Growth S	cheme
Load Structure	
Entry Load : •	< Rs. 3 cr : 2.25%
	>= Rs. 3 cr : Nil
	< Rs. 3 cr : 1.00% if redeemed
	within 6 months
	>= Rs. 3 cr < Rs. 5 cr : 0.50% if
	redeemed within 6 months
	>= 5 cr : Nil
	t for New / Existing Investors
Rs. 5000/1000	
Cut Off Time	2
Purchase	: 3 p.m.
Redemption	: 3 p.m.
Dividend Distribution	
	decided by the Trustees
Inception Date	Fund Manager
17-Sep-01	R. Rajagopal
	Bajrang Kumar Bafna
NAV	
Quarterly Dividend Opt	ion : Rs. 21.11
Cumulative Option	: Rs. 44.69
Benchmark Index	Fund Size
S&P CNX Nifty	Rs. 31.59 crores
Style Matrix	Style
Style matrix	Growth Blend Value
Shading within the S	ityle Matrix
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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 scripts which have underperformed/not performed to their full potential in their recent past.

Portfolio - Top 10 Holdings			
Scrip	% of Portfolio		
Reliance Industries Ltd.	9.08%		
Reliance Communications Ltd.	4.38%		
Jaiprakash Hydropower Ltd.	4.29%		
Mahindra and Mahindra Ltd.	3.64%		
Tata Teleservices (Maharashtra) Ltd.	3.53%		
Indian Bank	3.50%		
Arvind Mills Ltd.	3.47%		
Reliance Natural Resources Ltd.	3.40%		
Sun TV Network Ltd.	3.29%		
Reliance Energy Ltd.	3.17%		

Sector Summary



Performance

	DBSCCF	S&P CNX 500	
1 Month#	7.39%	14.76%	
3 Months (92 Days)#	13.54%	27.04%	
6 Months (184 Days)#	22.95%	42.25%	
1 Year\$	25.36%	54.34%	
Since Inception\$ (27/02/06)	22.73%	42.38%	
# Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns			
Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.			

Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

If you had invested Rs. 1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Contra Fund (DBSCCF)

	The Amou	The Amount would have grown to				
1 year Since Inc						
	Total Amount	Rs.14,446/-	Rs.24,222/-			
	Annualised Return	39.87%	34.89%			
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Fund Manager's Comments

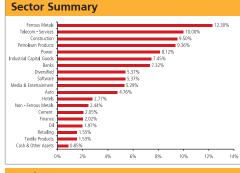
DBS Chola Contra Fund is a diversified equity fund which adopts a 'contrarian' style of investing. The fund invest in fundamentally sound companies whose share prices have underperformed/notperformed to their full potential in the their recent past.

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 - Top 10 Holdings	
Scrip	% of Portfolio

Investment Objective

Scrip	78 OF FOILIONO
Reliance Industries Ltd.	7.84%
National Thermal Power Corp Ltd.	6.05%
Reliance Communications Ltd.	5.38%
Larsen and Toubro Ltd.	5.37%
Bharti Airtel Ltd.	4.62%
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.	3.72%
Tata Steel Ltd.	3.47%
Steel Authority of India Ltd.	3.14%
Jindal Saw Ltd.	3.02%
Indian Hotel Ltd.	2.77%



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.

Performance				
	DBSCGF	S&P CNX Nifty		
1 Month (31 Days)# 3 Months (92 Days)# 6 Months (184 Days)# 1 Year\$ 3 Year\$ 5 Year\$ 5 Year\$ Since Inception\$	17.14% 27.10% 41.60% 48.47% 46.89% 51.60% 43.00%	17.51% 30.29% 44.34% 60.19% 48.91% 39.45% 32.44%		
# Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. Systematic Investment Plan - Returns				
If you had invested Rs. 1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Growth Fund (DBSCGF)				
The Amount would have grown to				
	3 Years	5 Years		
Total Amount Annualised Return	Rs.69,819/- 48.16%	Rs.1,92,066/- 48.55%		
As on 31st Oct, 2007 Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.				
Dividend				
Regular Plan				

Regular Plan			
Date of	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date
Declaration			of declaration
12-Dec-06	20	2.00	Rs. 16.17
27-Mar-06	15	1.50	Rs. 15.78
3-Oct -05	20	2.00	Rs. 14.83
28-Mar-05\$	10	1.00	Rs. 12.30
\$ Quarterly Dividend	1		

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

DBS Chola Tax Saver Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund Equity Linked Savings Scheme Load Structure Entry Load : < Rs. 25 Lacs : 2.25%

>= Rs. 25 Lacs : Nil Exit Load / CDSC : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 500 & in multiples of Rs. 500 thereafter

Cut Off Time Purchase 3 p.m. Redemption : 3 p.m. **Dividend Distribution** Declared as and when decided by the Trustees NAV **Dividend** Option Rs. 15.87 **Cumulative Option** Rs. 17.09 Inception Date **Fund Manager** 18-Nov-05 R. Rajagopal Anant Deep Katare **Benchmark Index Fund Size** S&P CNX Nifty Rs.42.67 crores **Style Matrix**

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

DBS Chola Global Advantage Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

generally invests.

Features Type of Fund **Open-Ended Equity Scheme** Load Structure Entry Load : < Rs. 3 cr : 2.25% >= Rs. 3 cr : Nil Exit Load / CDSC : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 Cut Off Time Purchase / Redemption : 3 p.m. **Dividend Distribution** Declared as and when decided by the Trustees Inception Date **Fund Manager** 30-May-05 R. Rajagopal Bajrang Kumar Bafna NAV Dividend Option : Rs. 14.92 Rs. 15.90 Cumulative Option Benchmark Index Fund Size S&P CNX 500 Rs.19.02 crores **Style Matrix** Shading within the Style Matrix indicates areas in which the Fund

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 - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	% of Portfolio			
Reliance Industries Ltd.	8.02%			
State Bank Of India	6.54%			
Reliance Communications Ltd.	5.34%			
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd.	5.19%			
Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd.	4.38%			
Bharti Airtel Ltd.	4.13%			
Tata Power Ltd.	3.95%			
Steel Authority of India Ltd.	3.79%			
ACC Ltd.	3.79%			
Bharat Forge Ltd.	3.62%			

Sector Summary



Lock-in Period

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The scheme is open for continuous redemption subject to the completion of a lock-in period of 3 years from the date of allotment as prescribed in the ELSS guidelines. Currently, the tax benefits are restricted to an investment amount of would also be subject to the lock in period of 3 years.

Performance

	DBSCTSF	S&P CNX Nifty
1 Month	11.92%	17.51%
3 Months (92 Days)#	17.05%	30.29%
6 Months (184 Days)#	26.69%	44.34%
1 Year \$	33.52%	57.60%
Since Inception\$ (18/11/05)	31.62%	51.62%
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Systematic Investment Plan - Returns

If you had invested Rs. 1000/- starting of every month in DBS Chola Taxsaver Fund (DBSCTF)

	The Amount would have grown to				
1 Year Since Incepti					
	Total Amount	Rs.14,969/-	Rs.31,834/-		
	Annualised Return	48.88%	36.50%		

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Past performance	may or	may i	not be	sustained	in future.
Dividend					

Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
22-Jan-07	10	1.00	Rs.14.22

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

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 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 - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	% of Portfolio			
Voltas Ltd.	7.90%			
Biocon Ltd.	7.90%			
Crompton Greaves Ltd.	7.19%			
Thermax Ltd.	6.97%			
Reliance Industries Ltd.	5.85%			
Balkrishna Industries Ltd.	4.67%			
Tata Steel Ltd.	4.47%			
Gokaldas Exports Ltd.	4.02%			
Welspun India Ltd.	3.81%			
Alok Industries Ltd.	3.33%			

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Performance				
	DBSCGAF	S&P CNX 500		
1 Month (31 Days)#	7.00%	14.76%		
3 Months (92 Days)#	9.35%	27.04%		
6 Months (184 Days)#	17.95%	42.25%		
1 Year \$	15.80%	54.34%		
Since Inception\$ (30/05/05)	21.10%	49.36%		
# 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			
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/-

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.

DBS Chola Liquid Fund

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Value Research

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Features	
Type of Fund	
Open-Ended Liquidity In	come 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
Super Institutional Plan	
	thereafter
Cut Off Time	
Purchase	: 12 p.m.
Redemption	: 3 p.m.
Dividend Distribution	Inception Date
Daily / Weekly	04-Oct-00
NAV	
Regular-	
Weekly Dividend Option	
Cumulative Option	: Rs. 15.7613
Institutional Plus-	. D. 11 0522
Weekly Dividend Option	
Cumulative Option	: Rs. 15.8877
Super Institutional Plan- Cumulative Option	: Rs. 10.8026
Benchmark Index	. NS. 10.0020
CRISIL Liquid Fund Index Fund Size	Fund Manager
Rs.308.51 crores	Ashish Nigam
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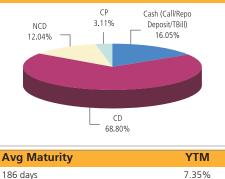
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Investment Objective

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 - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	Weight	Rating		
State Bank of India IDBI Ltd. State Bank of Hyderabad Kotak Mahindra Bank NABARD Ltd 9.50% IRFC - 5YR INBMK State Bank of Bikaner & Jaipur Usha Martin Ltd. (Floating Rate) Sundaram Finance Ltd.(Floating Rate) Global Trade Finance Itd.	32.44% 17.36% 7.77% 5.24% 4.89% 3.24% 3.18% 2.27% 1.63% 1.60%	P1+ P1+ P1+ AAA AAA P1+ PR1+ MAAA P1+		
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	16.05%	rı+		





Performance					
	DBS CLF- Cum	Cum. Inst.	DBSCLF- Cum. Super Inst. Plan	CRISIL LF Index	
7 Days#	0.1099%	0.1141%	0.1149%	0.07%	
14 Days#	0.2487%	0.2575%	0.2580%	0.23%	
1 Month (31 Days)#	0.58%	0.59%	0.59%	0.57%	
3 Months (92 Days)#	1.79%	1.85%	1.85%	1.50%	
6 Months (184 Days)	# 3.44%	3.56%	3.58%	3.47%	
1 Year\$	7.18%	7.43%	7.45%	7.41%	
3 Years\$	6.34%	6.43%	NA	5.94%	
5 Years\$	5.79%	NA	NA	5.29%	
Since Inception\$	6.64%	5.94%^	7.43%*	5.44%	
# Absolute Returns NA - Not Applicable \$ Compounded Annualised Returns ^Since Inception returns of DBS Chola Liquid Fund – Institutional Plus Plan Cum option is from 10-Apr-03. * DBS Chola Liquid Fund - Super Institutional Plan - Cum Option units alloted on 3-Oct-06. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.					

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 shortterm view.

DBS Chola Short Term Floating Rate Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Value Research*****RATINGSas on Oct 2007 **Features** Type of Fund Open-Ended Income Scheme Load Structure Entry Load Nil Exit Load / CDSC : Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 Cut Off Time Purchase 12 p.m. : 3 p.m. Redemption **Dividend Distribution** Daily / Weekly / Monthly Inception Date 10-Aug-05 NAV Monthly Dividend Option : Rs. 10.2481 : Rs. 11.7062 Cumulative Option **Benchmark Index CRISIL Liquid Fund Index Fund Size** Fund Manager Rs.2742.44 crores Ashish Nigam

• For one year period ending 31st Dec 2006

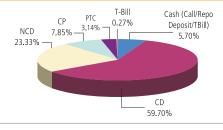
Investment Objective

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.

rated by CRISIL ICRA ~ MFR1

Portfolio - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	Weight	Rating		
IDBI Ltd.	6.63%	P1+		
State Bank of Patiala	6.19%	P1+		
State Bank of India	5.90%	P1+		
ICICI Bank Ltd.	5.51%	P1+		
IDFC Ltd. (Floating Rate)	3.90%	LAAA		
State Bank of Hyderabad	3.68%	P1+		
Canara Bank	3.12%	P1+		
Indian Overseas Bank	2.93%	P1+		
Punjab National Bank	2.81%	P1+		
Rabo India Finance Pvt.Ltd. (Floating Rate)	2.75%	AAA		
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	5.70%			





Avg Maturity	YTM
145 days	7.46%

Performance		
	DBSCST-FRF	CRISIL Liquid Fund Index
7 Days#	0.16%	0.07%
14 Days#	0.31%	0.23%
1 Month (31 Days)#	0.68%	0.57%
3 Months (92 Days)#	1.99%	1.50%
6 Months (184 Days)#	4.03%	3.47%
1 Year\$	8.46%	7.41%
Since Inception\$(10/08/05)	7.34%	6.37%

Absolute Returns \$ Compounded annualised returns Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. The distribution tax has been included in the calculations of returns.

Dividend			
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
29-Oct-07 29-Oct-07 27-Sep-07 27-Sep-07	0.4680* 0.4680\$ 0.5140* 0.5140\$	0.0468 0.0468 0.0514 0.0514	Rs. 10.2424 Rs. 10.2424 Rs.10.2313 Rs.10.2313
* Cornorate	¢ Individu	al	

Corporate \$ Individual

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

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 100-150 days.

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15.95%

Rs./Unit

0.0068

0.0073

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the

The distribution tax has been included in the calculations

% Unit

0.0682*

0.0733\$

The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-

\$ Individual Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.

CRISIL Liquid Fund Index

4.82%

NAV as on date

Rs. 10.0000

Rs. 10.0000

YTM

6.75%

of declaration

DBS Chola Treasury Management Fund

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features			
Type of Fund			
Open-Ended Liquid Fund			
Load Structure			
Entry Load	:	Nil	
Exit Load / CDSC	:	Nil	
Minimum Investment fo	or I	New	/ Existing Investors
Rs. 5000/1000			
Cut Off Time			
Purchase		:	12 p.m.
Redemption		:	3 p.m.
Dividend Distribution			Inception Date
Daily / Weekly			23-Mar-07
NAV			
Cumulative Option		:	Rs. 11.5950
Benchmark Index			Fund Manager
CRISIL Liquid Fund Index			Ashish Nigam
Fund Size			
Rs.0.05 crores			

DBS Chola Freedom Income - Short Term Fund

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CRISIL

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund
Open-Ended Income Fund
Load Structure
Entry Load : Nil
Exit Load / CDSC : Nil
Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors
Regular : Rs. 3000/1000
Institutional : Rs. 1000000/100000
Dividend Reinvestment : Rs. 100000/5000
Cut Off Time
Purchase : 3 p.m.
Redemption : 3 p.m.
Daily / Weekly / Monthly / 08-Mar-02*
Semi Annual
NAV
Regular-
Monthly Dividend Option : Rs. 11.0096
Semi Annual Dividend Option : Rs. 11.8037
Cumulative Option : Rs. 12.4102 Institutional
Monthly Dividend Option : Rs. 11.0990 Cumulative Option : Rs. 12.5591
Benchmark Index
CRISIL Short Term Fund Index
Fund Manager
Ashish Nigam
Fund Size
Rs 1 221 70 crores

Rs.1,221.70 crores

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

Investment Objective

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

Performance

Since Inception#

future

of returns

Dividend

Declaration

25-Mar-07

25-Mar-07

180 days

* Corporate

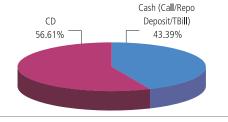
Avg Maturity

Date of

Absolute Returns

Portfolio		
Scrip	Weight	Rating
CD's with Bank		
Development Credit Bank -		
CD - 02 Apr 08	56.61%	P1+
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	43.39%	





Fund Manager's Comments

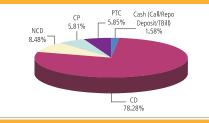
DBS Chola Treasury Management Fund aims to capture interest rate volatility arising out of high liquidity conditions. This is achieved by investing in MIBOR linked assets and lending in overnight market. The investments are in highest rated assets only

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 of the scheme. The balance will be invested in money market instruments of high quality. The scheme will not invest in equities or equity related instruments.

Portfolio - Top 10 Holdings				
Scrip	Weight	Rating		
CD's with Bank				
State Bank of India - CD - 29 May 08 State Bank of Travancore -	12.51%	P1+		
CD - 03 Jul 08 State Bank of Hyderabad -	7.81%	P1+		
CD - 28 Apr 08	6.32%	P1+		
CD - 06 June 08 State Bank of Travancore -	5.87%	P1+		
CD - 07 Jul 08	5.07%	P1+		
State Bank of Indore - CD - 04 Mar 08	3.99%	P1+		
State Bank of Patiala - CD -12 Sept 08 State Bank of Travancore -	3.44%	P1+		
CD - 28 Feb 08 Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	2.80% 1.58%	A1+		
State Bank of Hyderabad - CD - 06 June 08 State Bank of Travancore - CD - 07 Jul 08 State Bank of Indore - CD - 04 Mar 08 State Bank of Patiala - CD - 04 Mar 08 State Bank of Patiala - CD - 06 Jun 08 State Bank of Patiala - CD - 12 Sept 08 State Bank of Travancore - CD - 28 Feb 08	5.87% 5.07% 3.99% 3.92% 3.91% 3.44% 2.80%	P1+ P1+ P1+ P1+ P1+ P1+		

Asset Profile



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 J year or less. The fund aims to generate superior returns without taking any MTM risk on the portfolio. The fund is rated AAAf by CRISIL for its credit quality.

	DBSCFI- STF	DBSCFI- STF Institutional	CRISII STF Index
7 Day#	0.16%	0.16%	0.00%
14 Days#	0.30%	0.31%	0.33%
1 Month (31 Days)#	0.67%	0.69%	0.85%
3 Months (92 Days)#	1.97%	1.99%	1.64%
6 Months (184 Days)#	4.24%	4.24%	5.05%
1 Year\$	7.73%	7.74%	7.46%
3 Years\$	5.93%	5.93%	5.92%
5 Years\$	5.84%	NA	5.30%
Since Inception\$	6.12%	5.68%	5.74%
Absolute Returns Absolute Returns Absolute Annualised Returns Source Annualised Returns From 10 th April 2003 Past performance may or may not be sustained in future The distribution tax has been included in the calculatio of returns.			

Dividend					
Date of	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date		
Declaration			of declaration		
25-Oct-07^	0.6520*	0.0652	Rs. 11.0751		
25-Oct-07^	0.7010\$	0.0701	Rs. 11.0751		
25-Sep-07^	0.7340*	0.0734	Rs. 11.0942		
25-Sep-07^	0.7880\$	0.0788	Rs. 11.0942		
25-Sep-07^^	0.7340*	0.0734	Rs. 11.0980		
25-Sep-07^^	0.7880\$	0.0788	Rs. 11.0980		
25-Sep-07#^	4.0760*	0.4076	Rs. 12.2125		
25-Sep-07#^	4.3800\$	0.4380	Rs. 12.2125		
* Corporate \$ Individual # Semi Annual ^ 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/-					
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Avg Maturity	Y I IVI
194 days	7.49%



DBS Chola Triple Ace

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund

Open-Ended Pure Income Fund

Load Structure

Entry Load	:	Nil
Exit Load / CDSC	:	For investments <= Rs.10 Lacs: 0.5% if redeemed within 6 months For investments > Rs.10 Lacs: Nil

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

cut off filling	Cut	Off	Time
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Purchase	:	3 p.m.
Redemption	:	3 p.m.

Dividend Distribution

Quarterly / Semi Annual

Inception Date

31-Mar-97

NAV

Quarterly Dividend Option	:	Rs. 11.4689
Semi Annual Dividend Option	:	Rs. 11.2839
Cumulative Option	:	Rs. 24.3583
Bonus Option	:	Rs. 13.5344

Benchmark Index

CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index

Fund Size

Rs.9.83 crores

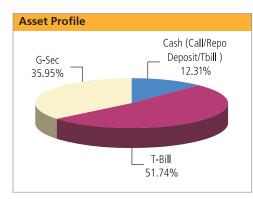
Fund Manager

Ashish Nigam

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
182 Days TBILL 16 Nov 07	51.74%	Sov
CG - 2017 - 7.99 %	35.95%	Sov
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	12.31%	



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.

Performance		
	DBSCTA- Reg. Cum.	CRISIL Comp. Bond Index
1 Month (31 Days)#	0.63%	1.11%
3 Months (92 Days)#	1.31%	1.40%
6 Months (184 Days)#	0.37%	4.95%
1 Year\$	2.15%	6.04%
3 Years\$	2.70%	5.15%
5 Years\$	3.87%	5.06%
Since Inception\$	8.77%	5.77%

Absolute Returns \$ Compounded Annualised Returns * Since Inception returns of Crisil Composite Bond Fund Index is from 30-Mar-02.

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

% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration
4.0760*	0.4076	Rs.11.7081
4.3800\$	0.438	Rs.11.7081
0.6620*	0.0662	Rs.11.0367
0.7080\$	0.0708	Rs.11.0367
0.6620*	0.0662	Rs.10.7427
0.7080\$	0.0708	Rs.10.7427
	4.0760* 4.3800\$ 0.6620* 0.7080\$ 0.6620*	4.0760* 0.4076 4.3800\$ 0.438 0.6620* 0.0662 0.7080\$ 0.0708 0.6620* 0.0662

* 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/-

Avg Maturity	YTM
2.9 years	6.82%

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DBS Chola GILT Investment Plan

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features

Type of Fund			
Open-Ended Dedicated Gi	lts	Sche	emes
Load Structure			
Entry Load		Nil	
Exit Load / CDSC	:	Nil	
Minimum Investment fo	or l	lew	/ Existing Investors
Rs. 10000/1000			
Cut Off Time			
Purchase / Redemption		:	3 p.m.
Dividend Distribution			Inception Date
Quarterly			29-Mar-00
NAV			
Quarterly Dividend Option		:	Rs. 10.6770
Cumulative Option		:	Rs. 19.4120
Benchmark Index			Fund Size
ISEC-Li-BEX			Rs.1.61 crores
Fund Manager			
Ashish Nigam			

DBS Chola Monthly Income Plan

as on Oct 31, 2007

Features Type of Fund Open-Ended Income Scheme with no assured returns Load Structure Entry Load Nil Exit Load / CDSC For investments <= Rs. 10 Lacs: 0.5% if redeemed within 6 months For investments > Rs. 10 Lacs: Nil Minimum Investment for New / Existing Investors Rs. 5000/1000 (Cum.) Rs. 10000/1000 (Div.) Cut Off Time Purchase / Redemption : 3 p.m. **Dividend Distribution Inception Date** Monthly / Quarterly 31-Jul-03 NAV Rs. 10.9219 Monthly Dividend Option Quarterly Dividend Option Rs. 10.9168 Cumulative Option Rs. 14.2231 **Benchmark Index Fund Size CRISIL Blended MIP Index** Rs.3.24 crores Fund Manager Ashish Nigam / Anant Deep Katare

Investment Objective

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

Portfolio		
Scrip	Weight	Rating
Sovereign		
CG - 2017 - 7.99 %	94.16%	Sov
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	5.84%	





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\$	5.11%	7.05%
3 Years\$	2.59%	7.36%
5 Years\$	5.65%	7.34%
Since Inception\$	9.13%	7.87%

\$ 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.

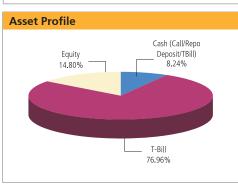
Dividend				
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit	NAV as on date of declaration	
27-Mar-06 27-Mar-06	1.2250* 1.3160\$	0.1225 0.1316	Rs. 10.3095 Rs. 10.3095	
27-Sep-04 27-Sep-04	0.8270* 0.8840\$	0.0827 0.0884	Rs.10.2309 Rs.10.2309	
* Corporate \$ Individual Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-				
Avg Maturit	y		YTM	

<u> </u>	
9.8 years	6.00%

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		
182 Days TBILL 16 Nov 07	76.96%	Sov
Tata Teleservices (Maharashtra) Ltd.	3.50%	Eq
ABB Ltd.	2.43%	Eq
Tata Motors Ltd.	1.87%	Eq
Reliance Capital Ltd.	1.64%	Eq
Sterlite Industries Ltd.	1.59%	Eq
DLF Ltd.	1.47%	Eq
Indian Bank	1.22%	Eq
Kalpataru Power Transmission Ltd.	1.09%	Eq
Cash (Call/Repo Deposit/TBill)	8.24%	



Performanc	e			
		DBSCMIP	CRISIL Blended MIP Index	
1 Month (31 Da	iys)#	4.17%	3.51%	
3 Months (92 D	ays)#	5.70%	5.45%	
6 Months (184	Days)#	6.22%	10.30%	
1 Year\$		9.03%	12.94%	
3 Years\$		8.27%	11.15%	
Since Inception	5	8.63%	9.88%	
# 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				
Date of Declaration	% Unit	Rs./Unit I	NAV as on date of declaration	
25-Son-07A	1 6310*	0 1631	Rs 10 6064	

Declaration			or acclaration	
25-Sep-07^	1.6310*	0.1631	Rs. 10.6064	
25-Sep-07^	1.7520\$	0.1752	Rs. 10.6064	
29-Jun-07^	1.4670*	0.1467	Rs. 10.6353	
29-Jun-07^	1.5770\$	0.1577	Rs. 10.6353	
* Corporate	\$ Individual	^ Quart	erly Dividend	
Past performance may or may not be sustained in the				
future.				
The face value of the units is Rs. 10/-				

Fund Manager's Comments

In DBS Chola MIP, equity exposure is 14.80%.