

# **Product Note**

#### HSBC Flexi Cap Fund (HFCF)

Flexi cap fund - An open ended dynamic equity scheme investing across large cap, mid cap, small cap stocks (L&T Flexicap Fund has merged into HSBC Flexi Cap Fund) March 2023

Fund Category	Fund Manager		Benchmark <sup>1</sup> Ir		Inception Date		AUM	
Flexi Cap Fund	Vihang Shankar Naik and Venugopal Manghat		NIFTY 500 TRI		24 Feb 2004		Rs. 3097.27 Cr	
15.50% CAGR since ince				5.5X nception <sup>2</sup>		%		
89,97,809 Value of SIP invest INR 10,000 p.m. s Inception <sup>3</sup>						INR 15,50,250 Value of Lump Sum vestment INR 100,000 since inception <sup>2</sup>		

Portfolio	% of net assets
HDFC Bank Limited	5.10%
Infosys Limited	4.99%
Reliance Industries Limited	4.76%
ICICI Bank Limited	3.93%
ITC Limited	3.38%
Tata Consultancy Services Limited	3.09%
Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited	3.05%
State Bank of India	2.38%
Varun Beverages Limited	2.06%
Larsen and Toubro Limited	2.05%
Risk Ratios <sup>4</sup>	
Standard Deviation	21.63%
Beta	0.92
Sharpe Ratio <sup>5</sup>	0.46
R2	0.97

Sector - Allocation	% of net assets
Banks	16.56%
IT - Software	11.51%
Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology	6.59%
Finance	6.54%
Automobiles	5.27%
Diversified FMCG	5.14%
Petroleum Products	4.76%
Cement and Cement Products	4.49%
Auto Components	3.93%
Electrical Equipment	3.79%

Load / Expenses	
Entry Load	NA
Exit load – NIL (after 1 year), 1% (before 1 year) <sup>6</sup>	
Expense ratio (Other than Direct) <sup>7</sup>	2.04%
Expense ratio (Direct)	1.23%

<sup>1</sup> SEBI vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/IMD/IDF3/P/CIR/2021/652 dated October 27, 2021, on 'Guiding Principles for bringing uniformity in Benchmarks of Mutual Fund Schemes' has introduced two-tiered structure for benchmarking of certain categories of schemes. Accordingly, the benchmark has been classified as Tier 1 benchmark. Furthermore , the same is effective from 01 December 2021

<sup>2</sup> As on 28 February 2023 of Growth option. During the same period, scheme benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI) has moved by 12.6x to Rs. 12,69,300 from Rs.100,000 and delivered return of 14.29%. Please refer page no. 3 for detailed performance of HSBC Flexi Cap Fund. <sup>3</sup>During the same period, value of investments in scheme benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI) has moved to 87,92,781.

<sup>4</sup> Statistical Ratios disclosed are as per monthly returns (Annualized) for the last 3 years.

<sup>5</sup> Risk free rate: 6.70% (FIMMDA-NSE MIBOR) as on February 28, 2023

<sup>6</sup> Exit Load - If the units redeemed or switched out are upto 10% of the units purchased or switched in ("the limit") within 1 year from the date of allotment - Nil

• If units redeemed or switched out are over and above the limit within 1 year from the date of allotment - 1% • If units are redeemed or switched out on or after 1 year from the date of allotment - Nil

7 Continuing plans

Data as on 28 February, 2023 unless otherwise given

The fund has undergone merger/consolidation along with changes to its fundamental attributes as per the notice published on 15 Oct '22. For more details visit our website page - https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in/en/mutual-funds/acquisition-of-lt-mutual-fund.

## Why HSBC Flexi Cap Fund?

- To seek an exposure to any one or all across market capitalisations in the portfolio to get a value from opportunities in small, mid and or large cap segments
- True to label fund The fund will stay true to its objective in keeping with the mandate reposed by the investor whilst investing in the fund
- To create a corpus through generating inflation-adjusted returns to cater to long-term goals

#### Fund Philosophy

- Prefer dominant and scalable businesses available at reasonable valuations
- · Profit pool consolidation with dominant players to continue and disruption to accelerate this shift
- Stock selection focuses on earnings growth trajectory and within that, the emphasis lies on earnings surprises

### **Investment Objective**

To seek long term capital growth through investments made dynamically across market capitalization (i.e., Large, Mid, and Small Caps). The investment could be in any one, two or all three types of market capitalization. The Scheme aims to predominantly invest in equity and equity related securities. However, in line with the asset allocation pattern of the Scheme, it could move its assets between equity and fixed income securities depending on its view on these markets. However, there can be no assurance or guarantee that the investment objective of the scheme would be achieved.

Fund Managers - Vihang Shankar Naik (No of Schemes Managed – 4) - Managing Fund Since 26 Nov 2022 and Venugopal Manghat (No of Schemes Managed – 5) - Managing Fund Since 2 Nov 2022 and Sonal Gupta (No of Schemes Managed - 4, for investment in foreign securities)

Lump Sum Investment Performance									Inception
Fund / Benchmark	1 Year		3 Years		5 Years		Since Inception		Date
(Value of Rs 10,000 invested)	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	
HSBC Flexi Cap Fund-Regular	10529	5.29	15258	15.11	14625	7.90	155025	15.50	24
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI)	10258	2.58	16249	17.55	16596	10.66	126930	14.29	-Feb
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	121303	14.02	-04

Performance of other funds managed by the Fund Manager									
Fund / Benchmark	1 Year		3 Years		5 Years		Since Inception		Inception
(Value of Rs 10,000 invested)	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Amount in Rs	PTP Returns %	Date
HSBC Small Cap Fund-Regular <sup>8</sup>	10900	9.00	21293	28.62	16576	10.63	44033	18.33	12-
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Small Cap 250 TRI)	10140	1.40	19035	23.91	13861	6.74	33421	14.69	12-May-
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	27541	12.19	/-14
HSBC Business Cycles Fund-Regular	10752	7.52	15244	15.07	13900	6.80	23538	10.55	20-
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10258	2.58	16249	17.55	16596	10.66	25257	11.47	-Aug-
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	24332	10.99	J-14
HSBC Infrastructure Fund-Regular9	11104	11.04	17524	20.54	13896	6.80	25460	6.24	27.
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Infrastructure TRI)	10553	5.53	17485	20.45	15782	9.55	13585	2.00	27-Sep-0
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	41498	9.66	-07
HSBC Value Fund-Regular	10755	7.55	17273	19.96	15757	9.51	59598	14.54	80
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI)	10258	2.58	16249	17.55	16596	10.66	38236	10.74	Jan
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	38679	10.84	-10
HSBC Mid Cap Fund-Regular <sup>10</sup>	10412	4.12	15076	14.65	14015	6.98	202302	17.58	09-
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Midcap 150 TRI)	10828	8.28	18683	23.14	17508	11.85	NA	NA	-Aug-04
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	10427	4.27	16014	16.98	17540	11.89	133214	14.97	<b>j</b> -04

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Refer note below.

Name of Scheme	Fund Manager	No. of funds managed and Co-managed		
HSBC Flexi Cap Fund	Vihang Shankar Naik- Since Nov, 26 2022 Venugopal Manghat- Since Nov, 26 2022	Vihang Shankar Naik-4 Venugopal Manghat-5		
HSBC Small Cap Fund	Venugopal Manghat- Since Dec 17, 2019 Vihang Shankar Naik- Since Dec 17, 2019	Venugopal Manghat-5 Vihang Shankar Naik-4		
HSBC Business Cycles Fund	Ankur Arora- Since Nov 26 2022 Venugopal Manghat- Since Aug 20 2014	Ankur Arora-3 Venugopal Manghat-5		
HSBC Infrastructure Fund	Venugopal Manghat- Since Dec 17, 2019 Gautam Bhupal-Since Nov 26, 2022	Venugopal Manghat-5 Gautam Bhupal-6		
HSBC Value Fund	Venugopal Manghat- Since Nov 24,2012 Vihang Shankar Naik- Since Dec 17,2019	Venugopal Manghat-5 Vihang Shankar Naik-4		
HSBC Midcap Fund	Vihang Shankar Naik- Since June 28 2016 Cheenu Gupta- Since Nov 26 2022	Vihang Shankar Naik-4 Cheenu Gupta-7		

Note - Sonal Gupta shall be dedicated fund manager for investments in foreign securities by all the schemes of HSBC Mutual Fund.

SIP Performance - HSBC Flexi Cap Fund - Regeular				
Scheme Name & Benchmarks	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception
Total amount invested (`)	120000	360000	600000	2280000
Market Value as on February 28, 2023 (`)	1,22,341	4,38,718	7,96,067	89,97,809
Scheme Returns (%)	3.67	13.32	11.27	12.92
Nifty 500 TRI - Scheme Benchmark (₹)	1,18,215	4,43,106	8,32,317	87,92,781
Nifty 500 TRI - Scheme Benchmark Returns (%)	-2.77	14.01	13.07	12.72
Nifty 50 TRI - Additional Benchmark (`)	1,20,596	4,44,244	8,34,042	87,14,864
Nifty 50 TRI - Additional Benchmark Returns (%)	0.93	14.19	13.16	12.64

<sup>8</sup> HSBC Small Cap Fund: The launch date of the S&P BSE 250 Small Cap Index (INR) is November 30, 2017 whereas the inception date of the scheme is May 12, 2014. The corresponding benchmark returns since inception of the scheme is not available.

<sup>9</sup> HSBC Infrastructure Fund: The launch date of the S&P BSE India Infrastructure Index (INR) is May 19, 2014 whereas the inception date of the scheme is September 27, 2007. The corresponding benchmark returns since inception of the scheme is not available.

<sup>10</sup> HSBC Mid Cap Fund: The launch date of the S&P BSE 150 Mid Cap TRI is November 30, 2017 whereas the inception date of the scheme is August 09, 2004. The corresponding benchmark returns since inception of the scheme is not available.

Since Inception returns are provided from the date of allotment of units. PTP returns - Point to Point returns.

For SIP returns, monthly investment of Rs.10,000 invested on the 1st day of every month has been considered. SIP Return are calculated on XIRR basis.

The performance details provided herein is of Regular Plan - Growth Option. Returns on ₹10,000 are point-to-point returns for the specific time period, invested at the start of the period. The returns for the respective periods are provided as on last available NAV of February 2023 for the respective Schemes. Returns for 1 year and above are Compounded Annualized. Returns for less than 1 year is Simple Annualized. Load is not taken into consideration for computation of performance. Different plans shall have a different expense structure. The expenses of the Direct Plan under the Scheme will be lower to the extent of the distribution expenses / commission charged to the Regular Plan.

Pursuant to the transfer of schemes of L&T Mutual Fund to HSBC Mutual Fund, which was effective from the close of business hours of November 25, 2022, the performance of the Scheme (which is the surviving scheme out of the merger of schemes with similar features) provided above is computed as per the provisions of SEBI Circular No- SEBI/HO/IMD/DF3/CIR/P/2018/69 dated April 12, 2018 using the weighted average performance of both transferor and transferee schemes. The details of the transferor and transferee schemes please refer to our notice dated October 14, 2022 available on www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in.

## Product Label

Scheme name and Type of scheme	*Riskometer of the Scheme	Riskometer of the benchmark
This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:	Moderate Moderately	Moderate Moderately
HSBC FlexI Cap Fund - FlexI Cap Fund – An open ended dynamic equity scheme investing across large cap, mid cap, small cap stocks.	View Vo	Vorte the High
• To create wealth over long term	Low Very High	Low Very High
<ul> <li>Investment in equity and equity related securities across market capitalizations.</li> <li>(Benchmark : NIFTY 500 TRI Index)</li> </ul>	RISKOMETER Investors understand that their	RISKOMETER
HSBC Small Cap Fund (Erstwhile L&T Emerging Businesses Fund) - Small Cap Fund – An open ended equity scheme predominantly investing in small cap stocks	principal will be at Very High risk	
Long term capital appreciation		
<ul> <li>Investment predominantly in equity and equity-related securities, including equity derivatives in Indian markets with key theme focus being emerging companies (small cap stocks); and foreign securities</li> </ul>		
(Benchmark : NIFTY Small Cap 250 TRI)		
HSBC Business Cycles Fund (Erstwhile L&T Business Cycles Fund) - Thematic Fund - An open ended equity scheme following business cycles based investing theme.		
Long term capital appreciation		
<ul> <li>Investment predominantly in equity and equity-related securities, including equity derivatives in Indian markets with focus on riding business cycles through dynamic allocation between various sectors and stocks at different stages of business cycles in the economy</li> </ul>		
HSBC Infrastructure Fund - Thematic Fund (Erstwhile L&T Infrastructure Fund) – An open-ended Equity Scheme following Infrastructure theme.		
• To create wealth over long term		
<ul> <li>Investment in equity and equity related securities, primarily in themes that play an important role in India's economic development. (Benchmark : NIFTY Infrastructure TRI)</li> </ul>		
HSBC Value Fund (Erstwhile L&T India Value Fund) - Value Fund - An open ended equity scheme following a value investment strategy.		
Long term capital appreciation		
<ul> <li>Investment predominantly in equity and equity-related securities in Indian markets and foreign securities with higher focus on undervalued securities.</li> <li>(Benchmark : NIFTY 500 TRI Index)</li> </ul>		
HSBC Midcap Fund (Erstwhile L&T Midcap Fund) - Midcap Fund – An open ended equity scheme predominantly investing in mid cap stocks.		
Long term wealth creation		
<ul> <li>Investment in equity and equity related securities of mid cap companies. (Benchmark : NIFTY MIdcap 150 TRI)</li> </ul>		

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

Note on Risk-o-meters: Riskometer is as on 28 Feb 2023, Any change in risk-o-meter shall be communicated by way of Notice cum Addendum and by way of an e-mail or SMS to unitholders of that particular scheme

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Source: HSBC Asset Management India, data as at 28 Feb 2023

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