

Product Note

HSBC ELSS Fund (HELF) (Formerly known as L&T Tax Advantage Fund)

Equity Linked Savings Scheme - An open ended equity linked saving scheme with a statutory lock in of 3 years and tax benefit. April 2023

Fund Category	Fund Manager	Benchma	hmark ¹ Inception D		ate AUM
Equity Linked Savings Scheme	Cheenu Gupta and Gautam Bhupal	NIFTY 500	00 TRI 27 Feb 2000		6 Rs. 2983.74 Cr
12.76% CAGR since inception		↑ 7.8> since ince			%
	64,05,70 Value of SIP inv INR 10,000 p.r Inception	vestment m. since	(\$	Ĵ	INR 7,80,000 Value of Lump Sum Investment INR 100,000 since inception ²

Portfolio	% of net assets
HDFC Bank Limited	8.19%
ICICI Bank Limited	5.92%
Reliance Industries Limited	5.51%
The Indian Hotels Company Limited	4.61%
Larsen and Toubro Limited	4.16%
Hindustan Unilever Limited	3.60%
Infosys Limited	3.54%
UltraTech Cement Limited	3.52%
Persistent Systems Limited	3.40%
KPIT Technologies Limited	3.29%
Risk Ratios ⁴	
Standard Deviation ⁵	16.03%
Beta	0.88
Sharpe Ratio ⁵	1.03
R2	0.91

Sector - Allocation % of net assets Banks 20.62% IT - Software 12.45% 6.28% Electrical Equipment Petroleum Products 5.51% Automobiles 5.22% Leisure Services 4.61% Construction 4.16% Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology 4.05% 4.02% Auto Components Finance 3.78% Load / Expenses Entry Load NA Exit load - NIL (after 1 year), 1% (before 1 year) 6 Expense ratio (Other than 2.00% Direct)7

¹ SEBI vide its circular no. SEBI/HO/IMD/IMD/II DF3/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 changed to NIFTY 100 TRI Index which has been classified as Tier 1 benchmark. Furthermore, the same is effective from 01 December 2021

Expense ratio

(Direct)

² As on 31 March 2023 of Growth option. During the same period, scheme benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI) has moved by 6.6X to Rs. 6,69,440 from Rs.100,000 and delivered return of 11.76%. Please refer page no.3 for detailed performance of HSBC ELSS Fund.

³ During the same period, value of scheme benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI) has moved to 62,84,921. Refer to page 4 for performance details.

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

⁵ Risk free rate: 7.79% (FIMMDA-NSE MIBOR) as on 31 March 2023

⁶ 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 31 March 2023 unless otherwise given

The fund has undergone merger/consolidation along with changes to its fundamental attributes as per the notice published on 14 Nov '22. For more details visit our website page - <a href="https://www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co.in/en/mutual-funds/acquisition-of-lt-mutual-funds/acquis

1.16%

Most of us have a tendency to wait until the last moment in the financial year to start making tax saving investments, and more often than not, we end up making the wrong decisions. The key here is to begin investing at the start of the financial year and change the notion of "tax saving" into "tax planning". This involves creating a strategy to help you maximise your tax savings together with wealth creation.

Why HSBC ELSS Fund?

- To save taxes under Section 80C of Income Tax Act
- The investment approach is bottom-up stock picking. The Scheme seeks to add the best opportunities that the market presents, without any sector/cap bias
- Bottom-up stock picking: The Scheme focuses on bottom-up stock picking (i.e. focusing solely on prospects of individual stocks) as opposed to a top-down approach (i.e. predicting macro-economic and political trends, themes/sectors and taking investment decisions based on them)
- No cap bias: It will seek to identify the best stocks at a point in time, regardless of any market cap bias.
- To create a corpus through generating inflation-adjusted returns to cater to long-term goals

Fund Philosophy

- The fund aims for bottom-up investment approach for stocks' and companies' selection for a well-diversified quality portfolio
- The 3 year lock-in helps the fund manager take positions in stocks with longer term return potential
- The scheme focuses on delivering superior risk-adjusted performance over the long term coupled with tax saving under section 80C makes it an attractive investment option for long term investors
- The fund has a proven long-term track record with consistent performance across various time periods / market cycles
- The fund with its flexible investment approach of investing across the market spectrum, has stood the test of time and has a proven track record of over 10 years

Investment Objective

The investment objective of the Scheme is to generate long-term capital growth from a diversified portfolio of predominantly equity and equity-related securities. There is no assurance that the objective of the Scheme will be realised and the Scheme does not assure or guarantee any returns. For defensive considerations and/or managing liquidity, the Scheme may also invest in money market instruments.

Fund Manager - Cheenu Gupta (No of Schemes Managed – 7) - Managing Fund Since 02 Jul 2021 and Gautam Bhupal (No of Schemes Managed – 6) - Managing Fund Since 26 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		
					6 Amount in Rs			PTP Returns %		
HSBC ELSS Fund-Regular	9840	-1.60	19900	25.78	14427	7.59	78000	12.76	27-Fe	
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI) Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	9878 10059	-1.22	21450 20871	28.97 27.80	17271	11.52 12.72	66944 69587	11.76 12.01	27-Feb-06	
			20071	27.00	10121	12.72	0,00,	12.01	0,	
Performance of other funds managed	by the Fund			2.1/2.275		5.) (= ===	Circo	la continu	Inceptior	
Fund / Benchmark (Value of Rs 10,000 invested)		1 Year	turns .	3 Years	urne	5 Years		Inception PTP Returns	Date	
	Amount	in Rs %	Amount	in Rs %	Amount in	n Rs %	^a Amount in R	s %		
HSBC Large and Mid Cap Fund-Regular	9915	-0.8	5 1965	0 25.25	5 NA	NA	15093	10.81	28-	
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Large Midcap 250 TRI)	1006	2 0.62	2 2299	1 31.98	B NA	NA	16801	13.81	28–Mar–19	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	2087	1 27.80) NA	NA	15721	11.94	19	
HSBC Infrastructure Fund-Regular ⁸	1117	0 11.7	0 2528	1 36.23	3 15165	8.66	26276	6.42	27-	
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty Infrastructure TRI)	1023	1 2.31	1 2246	1 30.90	5 16608	10.65	13785	2.09	27-Sep-07	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	41633	9.63	07	
HSBC Mid Cap Fund-Regular ⁹	9898	3 -1.0	2 2040	5 26.84	14464	7.64	201033	17.46	09	
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty Midcap 150 TRI)	1027	7 2.77	7 2590	3 37.34	4 17992	12.44	NA	NA	09-Aug-04	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	133647	14.91	- ³ -04	
HSBC Tax Saver Equity Fund-Regular	9542	-4.5	8 1931	2 24.53	3 14767	8.09	53587	10.89	Q	
Scheme Benchmark (Nifty 500 TRI)	9878	3 -1.2	2 2145	0 28.9	7 17271	11.52	52811	10.79	05-Jan-07	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	52869	10.80	-07	
HSBC Conservative Hybrid Fund - Regular	1009	8 0.98	3 1275	4 8.45	13429	6.06	45283	8.22	2'	
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Large Midcap 250 TRI)	1033	9 3.39	9 1299	5 9.13	14888	8.27	45677	8.27	24-Feb-04	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 year Gilt Inc	lex) 1034	3 3.43	3 1083	1 2.70	13270	5.81	27740	5.48	04	
HSBC Equity Savings Fund-Regular	1017	9 1.79	9 1535	9 15.38	3 13831	6.69	23677	7.81	18	
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY Equity Savings Inc	dex) 1035	2 3.52	2 1438	5 12.89	9 15114	8.59	27796	9.33	18-Oct-11	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 year Gilt Inc	lex) 1034	3 3.43	3 1083	1 2.70	13270	5.81	20930	6.66		
HSBC Aggressive Hybrid Fund-Regular	9795	-2.0	5 1687	3 19.05	5 14187	7.23	36279	11.19	07	
Scheme Benchmark (NIFTY 50 Hybrid Composed Debt 65:35 Index)	site 1018	9 1.89	9 1735	2 20.1	7 17104	11.31	34031	10.60	07-Feb-11	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80	18222	12.72	37298	11.44		
HSBC Managed Solutions India – Conservative	e 1025	1 2.51	1 1177	5 5.60	12915	5.24	17941	6.77		
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Composite Bond Fund-Reg Index,S&P BSE 200 TRI)	1029	0 2.90) 1281	9 8.63	14653	7.92	21624	9.03	30-A	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	28941	12.65	30-Apr-14	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 Year Gilt Inc	dex) 1034	3 3.43	3 1083	1 2.70	13270	5.81	18185	6.93	-	
HSBC Managed Solutions India – Growth	9990	-0.0	4 1869	0 23.18	3 15468	9.09	26635	11.60		
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Composite Bond Fund-Reg Index,S&P BSE 200 TRI)	9982	-0.1	8 1961	6 25.18	3 17298	11.56	29339	12.82	30-A	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	28941	12.65	30-Apr-14	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 Year Gilt Ind	dex) 1034	3 3.43	3 1083	1 2.70	13270	5.81	18185	6.93		
HSBC Managed Solutions India – Moderate	1004	1 0.41	1 1689	9 19.1	1 14948	8.35	24466	10.55		
Scheme Benchmark (CRISIL Hybrid 35+65 – Aggressive Index)	1011	4 1.14	4 1746	2 20.42	2 16795	10.90	27547	12.03	30-≁	
Additional Benchmark (Nifty 50 TRI)	1005	9 0.59	9 2087	1 27.80) 18222	12.72	28941	12.65	30-Apr-14	
Additional Benchmark (CRISIL 10 Year Gilt Inc	dex) 1034	3 3.43	3 1083	1 2.70	13270	5.81	18185	6.93	4	

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

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Source: HSBC Asset Management India, data as at 31 March 2023

PUBLIC

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 ELSS Fund	Cheenu Gupta- Since Jul 02, 2021 Gautam Bhupal- Since Nov 26,2022	Cheenu Gupta-7 Gautam Bhupal-6
HSBC Large & Mid Cap Fund	Cheenu Gupta- Since Nov 26, 2022 Neelotpal Sahai-Since Mar 28, 2019	Cheenu Gupta-7 Neelotpal Sahai-4
HSBC Infrastructure Fund	Venugopal Manghat- Since Dec 17, 2019 Gautam Bhupal-Since Nov 26, 2022	Venugopal Manghat-5 Gautam Bhupal-6
HSBC Midcap Fund	Vihang Shankar Naik- Since June 28 2016 Cheenu Gupta- Since Nov 26 2022	Vihang Shankar Naik-4 Cheenu Gupta-7
HSBC Tax Saver Fund	Gautam Bhupal- Since July 23, 2019 Cheenu Gupta- Since Nov 26, 2022	Gautam Bhupal-6 Cheenu Gupta-7
HSBC Conservative Hybrid Fund	Ritesh Jain (Fixed Income) Since Nov 26,2022 Cheenu Gupta (Equity) Since Nov 26,2022	Ritesh Jain-5 Cheenu Gupta-7
HSBC Equity Savings Fund	Cheenu Gupta (Equity) -Since Jul 02, 2021 Ritesh Jain (Fixed Income) -Since Nov 26,2022	Cheenu Gupta-7 Ritesh Jain-5
HSBC Aggressive Hybrid Fund	Cheenu Gupta (Equity)- Since July 02, 2021 Shriram Ramanathan (Fixed Income)-Since May 30, 2016	Cheenu Gupta-7 Shriram Ramanathan-11
HSBC Managed Solutions India - Conservative	Gautam Bhupal- since October 21, 2015	Gautam Bhupal-6
HSBC Managed Solutions India - Growth	Gautam Bhupal- since October 21, 2015	Gautam Bhupal-6
HSBC Managed Solutions India - Moderate	Gautam Bhupal- since October 21, 2015	Gautam Bhupal-6

⁸ 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.

⁹ 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.

SIP Performance - HSBC ELSS Fund - Regular					
Scheme Name & Benchmarks	1 Year	3 Years	5 Years	Since Inception	
Total amount invested (₹)	120000	360000	600000	2050000	
Market Value as on March 31, 2023 (₹)	1,21,170	4,26,359	7,74,647	64,05,703	
Scheme Returns (%)	1.82	11.33	10.17	12.15	
Nifty 500 TRI - Scheme Benchmark (₹)	1,18,108	4,37,881	8,27,869	62,84,921	
Nifty 500 TRI - Scheme Benchmark Returns (%)	-2.92	13.17	12.85	11.96	
Nifty 50 TRI - Additional Benchmark (₹)	1,20,355	4,39,468	8,29,038	61,63,526	
Nifty 50 TRI - Additional Benchmark Returns (%)	0.55	13.42	12.91	11.76	

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 March 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.

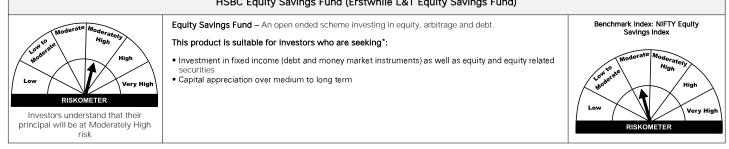
Pursuant to the transfer of schemes of L&T Mutual Fund to HSBC Mutual Fund, which was effective from the close of business hours of November 25, 2022, the performance of the Scheme (which is the surviving scheme out of the merger of schemes with similar features) provided above is computed as per the 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.

Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Source: HSBC Asset Management India, data as at 31 March 2023

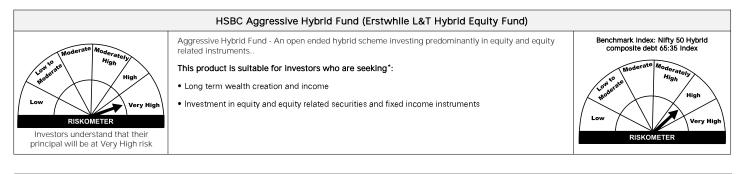
Product Label

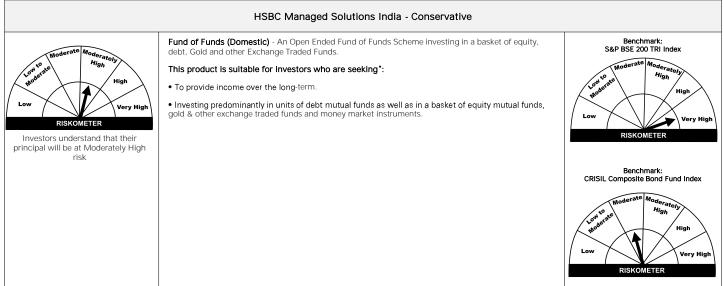
Scheme name and Type of scheme	Riskometer of the Scheme	Riskometer of the benchmark
This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:	Moderate Moderately	Moderate Moderately
HSBC ELSS Fund (Erstwhile L&T Tax Advantage Fund) - Equity Linked Savings Scheme - An open ended equity linked saving scheme with a statutory lock in of 3 years and tax benefit	tow to him high	Low to to High
Long term capital growth		
 Investment predominantly in equity and equity-related securities. (Benchmark : NIFTY 500 TRI Index) 	RISKOMETER	Low Very High RISKOMETER
HSBC Large Cap Fund (Erstwhile HSBC Large Cap Equity Fund) - Large Cap Fund – An open ended equity scheme predominantly investing in large cap stocks.	Investors understand that their principal will be at Very High risk	
• To create wealth over long term.		
 Investment in predominantly large cap equity and equity related securities. (Benchmark : NIFTY 100 TRI Index) 		
HSBC Infrastructure Fund - Thematic Fund (Erstwhile L&T Infrastructure Fund) – An open-ended Equity Scheme following Infrastructure theme.		
To create wealth over long term		
 Investment in equity and equity related securities, primarily in themes that play an important role in India's economic development. (Benchmark : NIFTY Infrastructure TRI) 		
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		
 Investment in equity and equity related securities of mid cap companies. (Benchmark : NIFTY Midcap 150 TRI) 		
HSBC Tax Saver Equity Fund - Equity Linked Savings Scheme - An open ended equity linked saving scheme with a statutory lock in of 3 years and tax benefit		
Long term capital growth		
 Investment predominantly in equity and equity-related securities. (Benchmark : NIFTY 500 TRI Index) 		





Source: HSBC Asset Management India, data as at 31 March 2023





HSBC Managed Solutions India - Growth					
Jorate May	Fund of Funds (Overseas/Domestic) - An Open Ended Fund of Funds Scheme investing in a basket of equity, debt, Gold and other Exchange Traded Funds.	Benchmark Index : S&P BSE 200 Index			
Von vo	This product is suitable for investors who are seeking*:	Moderate Moderately			
Low Very High	 To create wealth over long term Investing predominantly in units of equity mutual funds as well as in a basket of debt mutual funds, gold & exchange traded funds, offshore mutual funds and money market instruments. 	ton to hoter the high			
RISKOMETER Investors understand that their		Low Very High RISKOMETER			
principal will be at Very High risk		Benchmark Index : CRISIL Composite Bond Fund Index			
		Noderate Moderately Migh Migh High Low Classifier Class			
		RISKOMETER			

* 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 31 March 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 31 March 2023

Disclaimer: This document has been prepared by HSBC Asset Management (India) Private Limited (HSBC) for information purposes only and should not be construed as i) an offer or recommendation to buy or sell securities, commodities, currencies or other investments referred to herein; or ii) an offer to sell or a solicitation or an offer for purchase of any of the funds of HSBC Mutual Fund; or iii) an investment research or investment advice. It does not have regard to specific investment objectives, financial situation and the particular needs of any specific person who may receive this document. Investors should seek personal and independent advice regarding the appropriateness of investing in any of the funds, securities, other investment or investment strategies that may have been discussed or referred herein and should understand that the views regarding future prospects may or may not be realized. In no event shall HSBC Mutual Fund/HSBC Asset management (India) Private Limited and / or its affiliates or any of their directors, trustees, officers and employees be liable for any direct, indirect, special, incidental or consequential damages arising out of the use of information / opinion herein.

This document is intended only for those who access it from within India and approved for distribution in Indian jurisdiction only. Distribution of this document to anyone (including investors, prospective investors or distributors) who are located outside India or foreign nationals residing in India, is strictly prohibited. Neither this document nor the units of HSBC Mutual Fund have been registered under Securities law/Regulations in any foreign jurisdiction. The distribution of this document in certain jurisdictions may be unlawful or restricted or totally prohibited and accordingly, persons who come into possession of this document are required to inform themselves about, and to observe, any such restrictions. If any person chooses to access this document from a jurisdiction other than India, then such person do so at his/her own risk and HSBC and its group companies will not be liable for any breach of local law or regulation that such person commits as a result of doing so. © Copyright. HSBC Asset Management (India) Private Limited 2023, ALL RIGHTS RESERVED.

HSBC Mutual Fund, 9-11th Floor, NESCO - IT Park Bldg. 3, Nesco Complex, Western Express Highway, Goregaon East, Mumbai 400063. Maharashtra. GST - 27AABCH0007N1ZS, Email: investor.line@mutualfunds.hsbc.co.in | Website: www.assetmanagement.hsbc.co/in

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