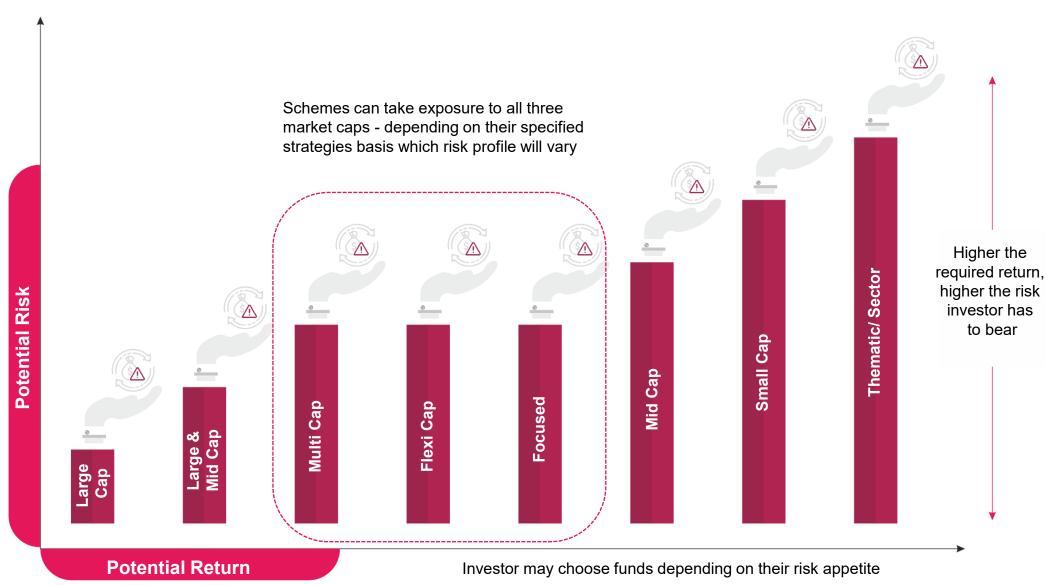
# Axis Flexi Cap Fund

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



## **Active Equity Funds Risk Return Spectrum**





Source :Market cap classification as per SEBI. Returns are not assured for any given category, above chart is for illustration purpose only



# Importance of Flexi Cap

## Flexi Cap Category: Market Cap Agnostic



Flexi cap has no constraints on market capitalization and can invest across market caps

Scope to grab opportunities across Market cap

Diversified portfolio investing across sectors

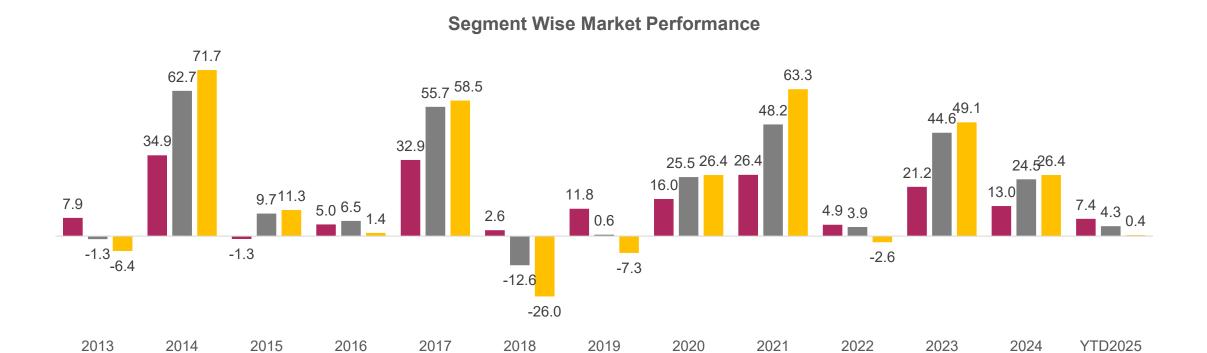
Aims to adapt to the ever-changing business environment

Large investment universe

- ✓ Ability to be selective across the investment universe
- ✓ Large / Mid / Small is a stock categorisation. It does not represents
  - asset class
  - Investment proposition
- ✓ Investment decision remain linked only with attractiveness of the position
- ✓ At the same time it puts the onus of evaluating investment proposition appropriately, both in absolute and relative terms with benchmark

## Flexi Cap Category: Market Cap Agnostic





■ Nifty Midcap 150 - TRI

There have been years when the large cap has given positive returns with Mid and small cap being negative; and vice versa

■ Nifty Smallcap 250 - TRI

Predicting the is difficult and hence there is merit in investing across market caps

■ NIFTY 100 - TRI



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## **Investment framework**



#### Strong risk filters

#### **Axis Philosophy**



#### **QUALITY**

 Corporate governance, and capital allocation track record



#### Capital Efficiency

 Target for companies that deliver optimal ROE / ROCE's over the medium to long term on a sustained basis

#### Clear Selection parameters

#### **Fund Strategy**



#### Risk reward ideas

- Look for strong margin of safety (Strong growth opportunity & sharp competitive edge are important source)
- A key to reasonable outcomes in long term





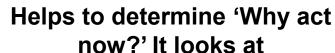
- Remain selective across investment universe
- Choose spaces to create gap vs the benchmark, however, allocate with bottom-up approach

## **Our Approach**



#### Inflection point Investing: Anchors for company selection





Inflection

point thesis

Quality management

What do we look for?

- Optimal capital efficiency
- Competitive edge
- Large addressable opportunity
- Favourable risk reward

- Industry consolidation
- Improvement in competitive dynamics
- Favourable changes in regulations
- Technology breakthroughs
- Opening up of scalable opportunities



#### **Portfolio Characteristics**

- Allocate selectively across the investment universe
- Capture the leaders of important long term themes
- Allocate meaningfully
- Choose spaces to create gap with the benchmark

### **Inflection Points**





Market Share Gain due to Competitive Advantage

Private Sector Banks, NBFC



**Sunrise Industry** 

E-Commerce, Quick commerce, Fin-tech



**Industry Consolidation** 

Media, Global Auto Ancillaries, Cement, Telecom, Airlines



Improved management focus & Capital Allocation

Stock specific



Regulatory & Policy Changes

Real Estate, Global pharma CDMO opportunity from BioSecure act

## Case study: when to buy?



Superior management, scalable business model and strong valuation backed by earnings growth

#### Quick commerce Industry

**B- Business** 

Large addressable market – Large opportunity in market. For instance, Grocery retailing

M- Management

Competitive advantage – People and quality management – deeper business understanding

V- Valuation

Structural approach to earn higher ROCE. Marketing cost is treated as expense – no fixed asset or huge working capital needed, hence better capital efficiency.

#### **Quick commerce Catching up**

Some of the top listed retail sector companies – Market Cap (Rs. Crs)				
255,476				
1,778,085				
196,669				

Some of the top quick commerce sector companies - Market Cap / Valuations (Rs. Crs)
223,979
85.595
60,200 (\$ 7Billion)
27,520 (\$ 3.2 Billion)

Source: Internal research and NSE 6 Months market cap Average. Data as of August 2025. \* Unlisted players, numbers based on media reports.

## **Fund Focus Theme**



Growth is broad-based across manufacturing, consumption, and services. Manufacturing and services are driven bottom-up, while consumption is top-down. The Fund is effectively positioned across all three.

**Emphasis on domestic Manufacturing** 

- · Continuity of government policies
- Pickup in private Capex
- · Government incentivizing domestic manufacturing

**Defense** 

- · Increased policy focus on defense
- Increased export and order book

**Urbanization** 

· Benefit consumer discretionary and retail and real estate

Formalization and technology

Benefit Food delivery, Platform companies

Energy Transition & increasing electrification

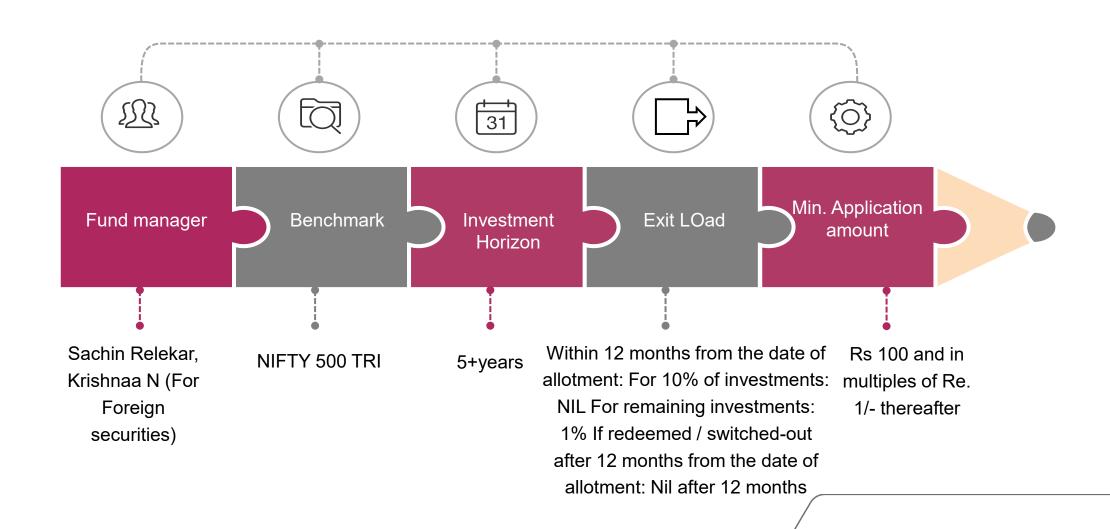
- Share of renewables growing in the energy mix
- Intensity of electricity set to go up economy / businesses / individuals more data driven

Recent Attractive
Growth Ideas:
Fund has added
flavours from Quick
commerce, Pharma,
Power transmission

## **Features At A Glance**

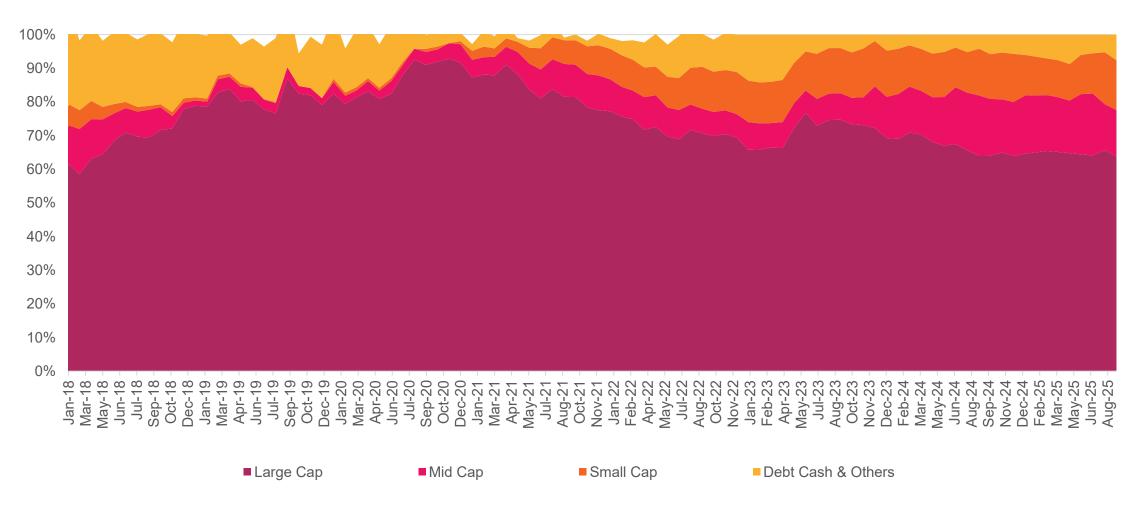


#### Axis Flexi Cap Fund



### **Portfolio Allocation**

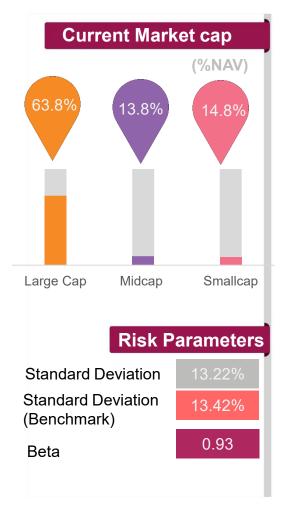


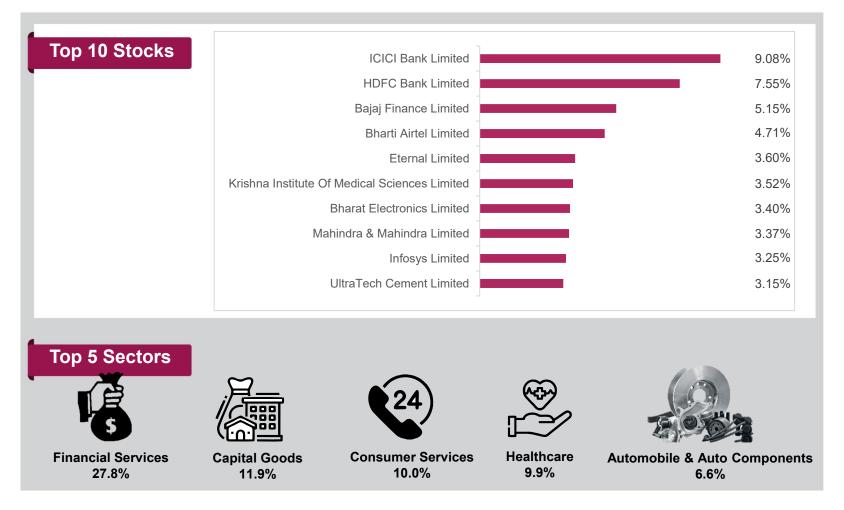


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## **Current portfolio**

#### As on 31st August 2025





Exposure as % of Net assets. Source: ValueFY, ACEMF. Note: Current Portfolio Allocation is based on the prevailing market conditions and is subject to changes depending on the fund manager's view of the equity markets. Market caps are defined as per SEBI regulations as below: a. Large Cap: 1st -100th company in terms of full market capitalization. b. Mid Cap: 101st -250th company in terms of full market capitalization. c. Small Cap: 251st company onwards in terms of full market capitalization. Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Stock(s) / Issuer(s)/ Top stocks with increased or decreased exposure mentioned above are for the purpose of disclosure of the portfolio of the Scheme(s) and should not be construed as recommendation to buy/sell/ hold. The fund manager(s) may or may not choose to hold the stock mentioned, from time to time. For complete portfolio refer to our website www.axismf.com

## Portfolio positioning v/s Benchmark



#### Sectors OW/UW as of 31st August 2025

Sectors	Fund	Benchmark	Difference
Financial Services	30.10	30.72	-0.62
Capital Goods	12.85	5.65	7.20
Consumer Services	10.77	3.85	6.92
Healthcare	9.68	6.45	3.23
Automobile And Auto Components	7.12	7.26	-0.14
Information Technology	5.30	8.18	-2.88
Telecommunication	5.10	3.38	1.73
Chemicals	4.24	2.14	2.10
Realty	3.62	1.16	2.46
Construction Materials	3.41	2.18	1.23
Services	3.25	1.86	1.39
Consumer Durables	2.08	2.94	-0.85
Power	1.38	3.17	-1.79
Fast Moving Consumer Goods	0.95	6.69	-5.74
Textiles	0.12	0.29	-0.18
Construction	0.00	2.83	-2.83
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	0.00	7.55	-7.55
Metals & Mining	0.00	3.38	-3.38
Forest Materials	0.00	0.05	-0.05
Diversified	0.00	0.10	-0.10
Media, Entertainment & Publication	0.00	0.17	-0.17

#### **Fundamentals (Jun 2025)**

Data	Fund	Benchmark
P/E (FY25)	25.7	23.7
P/B (FY25)	4.7	3.5
FWD EPS Growth	20	17
PEG (FY1 Est)	0.99	1.11

Source: FactSet, Bloomberg, Axis MF. Benchmark of the scheme - Nifty 500 TRI. Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Sectors with increased or decreased exposure mentioned above are for the purpose of disclosure of the portfolio of the Scheme(s) and should not be construed as recommendation to buy/sell/ hold. The fund manager(s) may or may not choose to hold the sector mentioned, from time to time. Benchmark: Nifty 500 TRI..

## Portfolio Changes as of August 2025



#### Changes made to the portfolio over the last 1 year

Top stocks with increased exposure/entries	Change in exposure (%) over last year
HDFC Bank Limited	2.32%
Eternal Limited	2.21%
ICICI Bank Limited	1.49%
GE Vernova T&D India Limited	1.47%
Krishna Institute Of Medical Sciences Limited	1.19%

Top stocks with reduced exposure/ exits	Change in exposure (%) over last year
Tata Motors Limited	-3.21%
Avenue Supermarts Limited	-2.13%
Varun Beverages Limited	-1.80%
Brigade Enterprises Limited	-1.65%
State Bank of India	-1.65%

Exposure as % of Net assets. Source: Factset, ACEMF. Note: Current Portfolio Allocation is based on the prevailing market conditions and is subject to changes depending on the fund manager's view of the equity markets. Market caps are defined as per SEBI regulations as below: a. Large Cap: 1st -100th company in terms of full market capitalization. b. Mid Cap: 101st -250th company in terms of full market capitalization. c. Small Cap: 251st company onwards in terms of full market capitalization. Past performance may or may not be sustained in the future. Stock(s) / Issuer(s)/ Top stocks with increased or decreased exposure mentioned above are for the purpose of disclosure of the portfolio of the Scheme(s) and should not be construed as recommendation to buy/sell/ hold. The fund manager(s) may or may not choose to hold the stock mentioned, from time to time. Data As compared with 31st August 2024 versus 31st August 2025.

## **Attributing our performance**



**Sep-2024 to Aug-2025** 

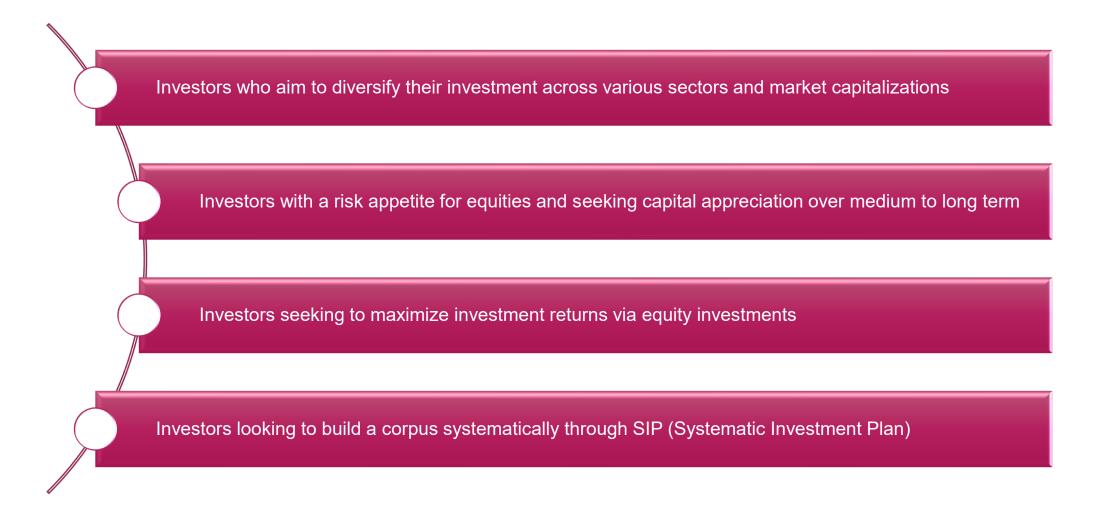
Top Contributors	% Contributed
Stocks	
Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences	1.12
Bharat Electronics Limited	0.61
GE Vernova T&D India Limited	0.59
Eternal Limited	0.46
InterGlobe Aviation Ltd	0.41
Sector	
Capital Goods	1.46
Oil, Gas & Consumable Fuels	0.93
Healthcare	0.89

Top Detractors	% Detracted				
Stocks					
Trent Limited	-0.79				
Tata Motors Limited	-0.67				
Torrent Power Limited	-0.48				
Avenue Supermarts Ltd.	-0.32				
Brigade Enterprises Limited	-0.32				
Sector					
Automobile And Auto Components	-0.89				
Consumer Services	-0.35				
Realty	-0.35				

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### Who can invest?





## **Performance**

## AXIS MUTUAL FUND

#### **29**th August **2025**

Axis Flexi Cap Fund - Regular Plan - Growth Nifty 500 TRI Index

29<sup>th</sup> August 2025 BM : Rs. 26,687

Fund: Rs. 26,150

20<sup>th</sup> November 2017 (Since Inception)

Rs 10,000

	1 Y	ear 3 Years		5 Years		Since Inception		
	CAGR (%)	Current Value of investment of Rs. 10,000	CAGR (%)	Current Value of investment of Rs. 10,000	CAGR (%)	Current Value of investment of Rs. 10,000	CAGR (%)	Current Value of investment of Rs. 10,000
Axis Flexi Cap Fund - Regular Plan - Growth	-1.40%	9,860	12.66%	14,297	16.58%	21,523	13.15%	26,150
Nifty 500 TRI (Benchmark)	-4.42%	9,559	14.67%	15,080	20.36%	25,248	13.45%	26,687
Nifty 50 TRI (Additional Benchmark)	-2.01%	9,799	12.49%	14,236	17.92%	22,786	13.13%	26,099

Past performance may or may not be sustained in future. Since inception (20th November 2017) returns is calculated on Rs.10000 invested at inception. Different plans have different expense structure. Sachin Relekar is managing the scheme since 30th August 2024 and he manages 04 schemes of Axis Mutual Fund & Krishnaa N is managing the scheme since 01st March 2024 and she manages 24 schemes of Axis Mutual Fund .Returns greater than 1 year period are compounded annualized (CAGR). Please click on link <a href="https://www.axismf.com/cms/sites/default/files/Statutory/ALL\_Annexure\_Aug.pdf">https://www.axismf.com/cms/sites/default/files/Statutory/ALL\_Annexure\_Aug.pdf</a> to view the performance of other schemes currently managed by the fund manager. Note: In case you require physical copy of this document request you to kindly take the printout to review the fund managers performance of other schemes managed by him from the above link given.

### **SIP Performance**



#### **29**<sup>th</sup> August **2025**

	Axis Flexi Cap Fund – Growth					
SIP Investments	Since Inception SIP	5 Year SIP	3 Year SIP	1 Year SIP		
Total Amount Invested	9,40,000	6,00,000	3,60,000	1,20,000		
Market value as on 29th August 2025	16,25,628	8,25,126	4,41,233	1,22,281		
Returns (Annualised)	13.66%	12.73%	13.72%	3.59%		
Benchmark Returns (Annualised)	15.84%	15.19%	13.52%	1.97%		
Additional Benchmark Returns (Annualised)	14.19%	13.05%	11.54%	3.41%		

The Fund offers flexible and convenient Systematic Investment Plan (SIP) facility. To illustrate the advantages of SIP investments, this is how your investments would have grown if you had invested say Rs. 10,000 systematically on the first Business Day of every month over a period of time. SIP returns are computed after accounting for cash flow by using XIRR method (investment internal rate of return).\*

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## **Product Labelling**

## Axis Flexi Cap Fund

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

Benchmark: Nifty 500 TRI

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*

- Capital Appreciation over medium to long term.
- Investment in a dynamic mix of equity and equity related instruments across market capitalization.

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#### Riskometer Fund Nifty 500 TRI Moderately High Risk Moderate Risk Moderately High Risk Moderate Risk Low to Low to Moderate Risk Moderate Risk High Risk Very High Very High Low Risk Risk Scheme Riskometer Benchmark Riskometer The risk of the scheme is very high The risk of the benchmark is very high



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- Krishnaa N is Managing Axis Large Cap Fund, Axis Focused Fund, Axis Greater China Equity Fund of Fund, Axis Global Equity Alpha Fund of Fund, Axis Global Innovation Fund of Fund, Axis Large & Mid Cap Fund, Axis Midcap Fund, Axis Flexi Cap Fund, Axis US Specific Equity Passive FOF, Axis Quant Fund, Axis Retirement Fund -Aggressive Plan, Axis Retirement Fund -Dynamic Plan, Axis Small Cap Fund, Axis Innovation Fund, Axis US Specific Treasury Dynamic Debt Passive FOF and Axis Value Fund since 1st Mar, 2024, Axis Consumption Fund since 12th Sep, 2024, Axis Multi Asset Allocation Fund, Axis Children's Fund, Axis Aggressive HybridFund and Axis Equity Savings Fund since 16th Dec, 2024, Axis Services Opportunities Fund since 24th Jul, 2025 and Axis ESG Integration Strategy Fund since 4th Aug, 2025.

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