

Sundaram India Midcap Fund

April 2024



Morningstar Direct Rating



Morningstar ESG Sustainability Rating



- **Positioning:** Sundaram India Midcap Fund is an open end, daily dealing, Singapore domiciled, US dollar denominated, pure India focused mid and small cap equity Fund
 - Sundaram Mid Cap Fund (India) has a 20+ year track in managing this strategy, with a CAGR of 21.2% in USD since inception*.
- Approach: The objective of the Fund is to generate capital appreciation by taking a
 predominantly bottom-up approach to stock picking with a strict adherence to the mid
 and small cap mandate.
- **Style**: Own stocks of companies that exhibit the ability to **grow in a sustainable manner** at reasonable valuations.

Performance as of March 31, 2024

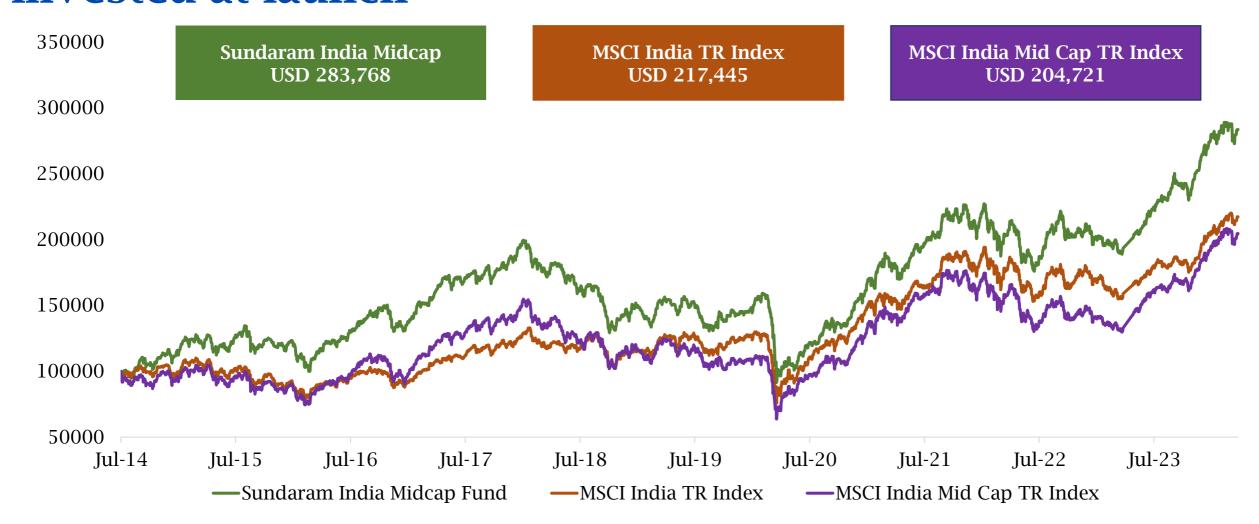
Performance is annualized and if of the Regular-Growth class. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

Sundaram India Midcap Fund Highlights

^{*} Inception: July 2002



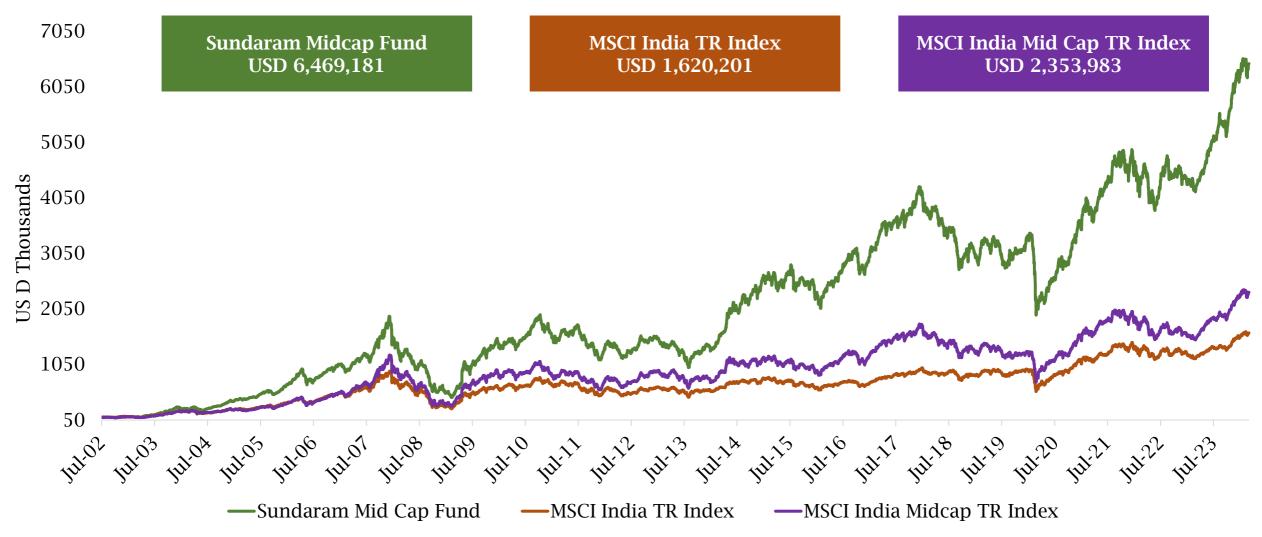
Sundaram India Midcap Fund – Value of US\$100,000 invested at launch



Source: Bloomberg Analysis: In house as of March 31, 2024.

Performance is of the Institutional unit class inclusive of dividends paid out. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future

Mother Fund - Value of US\$100,000 invested at launch



Source: Bloomberg Analysis: In house as of March 31, 2024

Performance is of the Regular Growth inclusive of dividends paid out. Past performance may or may not be sustained in future



Sundaram India Midcap Fund - Peer Comparison

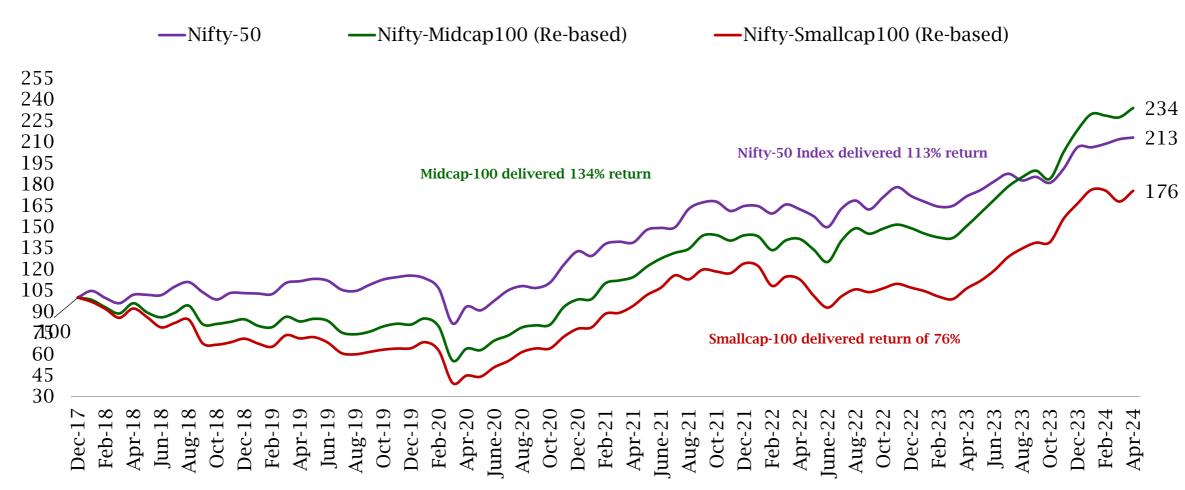
	YTD	1 year	3 years	5 years
Sundaram India Mid Cap Fund	3.4%	46.0%	15.8%	12.1%
Morningstar category average	3.0%	31.1%	9.6%	9.5%
Outperformance	+0.4%	+14.9%	+6.2%	+2.6%
Number of Funds in MS Category	581	516	462	404
Peer Group Percentile	47	5	7	19

Source: Morningstar Direct

Returns is of the Classic Class (includes dividends paid out) in USD and as of March 31, 2024

Mid & Small Cap performance relative to Large Cap

Mid Caps have caught up but Small Caps have some way to go

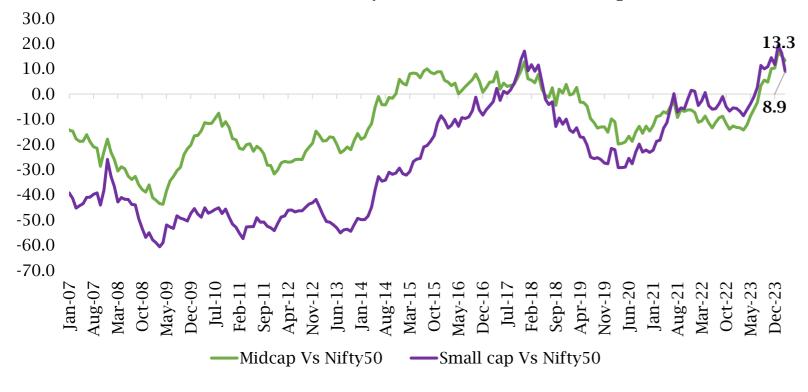


Source: Bloomberg, Data as of April 10, 2024

Risk mitigating methodology

Monitor Price/Earnings (P/E) Premiums between Mid/Small cap indices and Nifty index

P/E Premiums between Nifty Index and Mid/Small cap indices



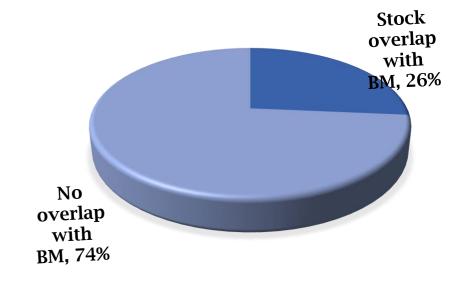
Premium / Discount over Nifty						
Index	Dec-17	Mar-20	Current			
NSE Mid-cap	12.9	-19.8	13.3			
BSE Small- cap	17.0	-29.2	8.9			

P/E premium/discount indicator works best as a caution indicator, i.e. when the midcap P/E premium is 10%+ and small caps are trading at flat or at a premium.

Source: Bloomberg, Sundaram Asset Management as of end March 2024.

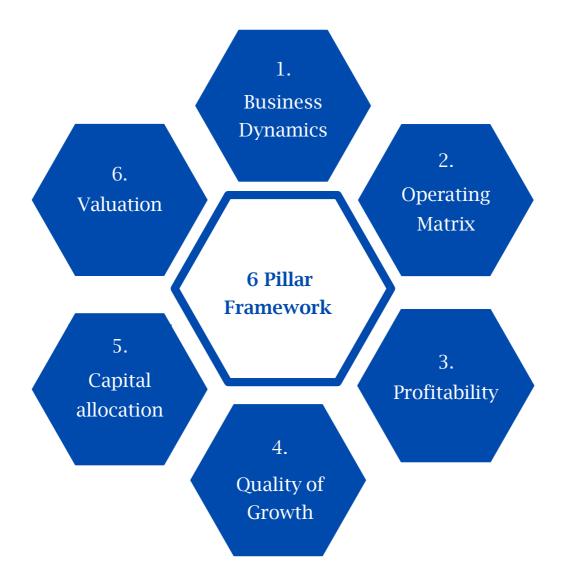
Sundaram India Midcap Fund - Key Figures

Key Figures	Fund
Portfolio median market cap (USD)	5.1 billion
Market Cap of the 50 th largest listed stock (USD)	17.5 billion
Maximum market cap in the portfolio (USD)	17.7 billion
Minimum market cap in the portfolio (USD)	0.3 billion



Clear Bottom-up approach to portfolio construction - Just 30% stock overlap with the reference benchmark

Stock Selection Process of India domiciled Mother Fund





Stock Selection – 6 pillar framework and a deep dive into



- Dominant leadership position within segment with distinct growth engines
- · High share of cash flows within segment
- Innovative products / technology
- Ability to compound earnings over medium-term

Auto Ancillary	Healthcare	FMCG
Sona BLW Precision Forgings Ltd	Fortis Health Care Ltd	Hatsun Agro Product Ltd

Industrials	Chemicals	Consumer Services
Grindwell Norton Ltd Tube Investments of India Ltd	Navin Fluorine International Ltd	Kalyan Jewellers India Ltd

Retail	Defense	NBFC
Trent Ltd	Bharat Electronics Ltd	Cholamandalam Inv. and Fin.

Portfolio approach

Sector - Agnostic positioning: Broader recovery at play

Lowering portfolio volatility - Diversified portfolio with moderate sector bets and conscious increase in sector overlap

Change in Asset Allocation profile

Portfolio is being positioned with lesser exposure to small caps and increased exposure in larger mid caps

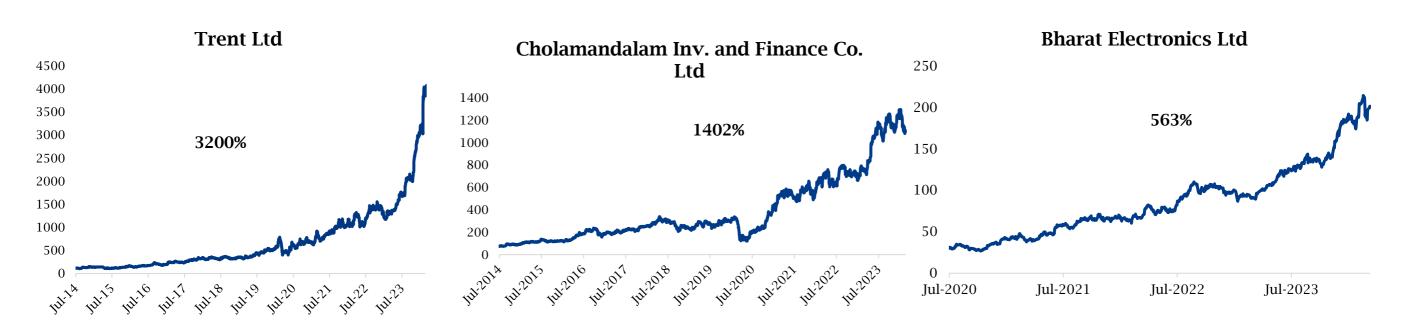
Portfolio positioning across market cap	As of March 2024
More than \$6 Billion	49.9%
\$3 Billion to \$6 Billion	31.5%
Less than \$3 Billion	14.0%
Cash	4.6%

Portfolio positioning	Dec-18	Dec-19	Dec-20	Dec-21	Dec-22	Dec-23	Mar-24
Market Cap of the 50 th largest listed stock (USD Bn)	8.0	8.0	9.4	13.1	12.5	16.1	17.7
Median Market Cap of the Fund (USD Bn)	1.9	2.1	2.9	4.5	4.2	5.1	5.1
Fund's Median Market Cap as a % of 50 th largest listed stock	24%	26%	31%	34%	34%	32%	29%



Top Winners -Sundaram India Midcap Fund

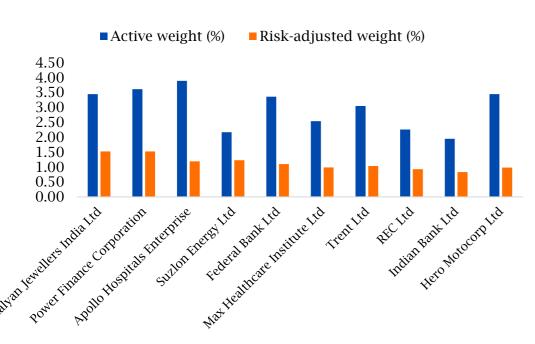
Name	Average Cost per unit	Market price per unit	% Returns	Date of first entry
Trent Ltd	388.62	3,881.80	898	10-07-2014
Cholamandalam Inv. and Finance Co. Ltd	191.48	1,089.20	469	10-07-2014
Bharat Electronics Ltd	39.65	205.10	417	21-07-2020





Sundaram India Midcap: Implied Alpha

	Total Risk (Std)	Factor Risk Contribution (wgt. %)	Non-factor Contribution (wgt. %)
Portfolio	17.69	95.33	4.67
MSCI India	17.66	94.56	5.44
Active	4.93	15.77	84.23



Top 10 bets	Portfolio % Weight	Benchmark % Weight	Active % Weight	Tot. Active (Std) Risk	Contributio n % Risk
Kalyan Jewellers India Ltd	3.45	0.00	3.45	1.53	8.59
Power Finance Corporation	3.62	0.00	3.62	1.52	7.15
Apollo Hospitals Enterprise	0.00	3.90	-3.90	1.19	5.61
Suzlon Energy Ltd	0.00	2.17	-2.17	1.23	4.49
Federal Bank Ltd	3.37	0.00	3.37	1.10	3.86
Max Healthcare Institute Ltd	1.34	3.88	-2.54	0.99	3.85
Trent Ltd	3.05	0.00	3.05	1.04	3.60
REC Ltd	2.26	0.00	2.26	0.93	3.38
Indian Bank Ltd	1.95	0.00	1.95	0.83	3.04
Hero Motocorp Ltd	0.00	3.45	-3.45	0.99	2.44

Source: Bloomberg

Benchmark: MSCI India Midcap Index

As of 1-year ended March 28, 2024

Positioning – Top Sectors & Stocks



Financials / Banks

- We are overweight on Banks on the back of revival in credit growth, improving asset quality, and steady profitability.
- Preference is towards lenders with strong liability franchise, diversified presence across verticals and ability to grow sustainably above industry rates with adequate capital levels and consistent underwriting practices.
- Our key holdings in this sector include Power Finance Corp, Federal Bank and REC Ltd.



Industrial products

- · We are overweight on businesses which benefit from government spends on infra and better capex environment.
- We have focused on businesses within industrials having technological capabilities to accelerate their internal investments to benefit from the capex cycle.
- Our top holdings include **Bharat Electronics Ltd and Voltas**



Chemicals

- Reasonable growth in domestic demand and supply chain diversification adopted by global companies to destinations with capabilities and capacities are key medium term growth divers for the Indian chemical industry.
- Within chemicals, Specialty segment is expected to grow at a double-digit pace over the medium term.
- Preference is towards companies with inherent cost advantages and differentiation in process and research capabilities.
- Our top holdings including Navin Fluorine, PI Industries and Coromandel International.



Auto components

- Domestic volume recovery across automobile segments, rising opportunities to create scalable businesses within the right side of disruption happening in the sector and increasing content share with customers from both domestic and international markets is expected to aid medium-term growth.
- Our key holdings include Schaeffler India Ltd, Tube Investments of India

Sundaram India Midcap: Holdings

Top 5 Holdings

- · Cummins India Ltd
- Power Finance Corp Ltd
- Kalyan Jewellers India Ltd
- Federal Bank Ltd
- · Tube Investments of India Ltd

Top Overweights

- Power Finance Corp Ltd.
- Kalyan Jewellers Ltd.
- Federal Bank Ltd.

Top Underweights

- Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd.
- Hero MotoCorp Ltd.
- India Hotels Ltd.

The portfolio has invested across 76 holdings

Security	Market Cap (USD billion)	1-year absolute returns (INR)	3-years absolute returns (INR)
MSCI India Mid Cap TR Index		54%	45%
Cummins India Ltd	8.3	87%	243%
Power Finance Corp Ltd	12.9	239%	445%
Kalyan Jewellers India Ltd	4.4	307%	530%
Federal Bank Ltd	3.7	14%	105%
Tube Investments of India Ltd	7.2	47%	215%
Trent Ltd	14.0	188%	428%
Fortis Healthcare Ltd	3.2	62%	112%
Zydus Lifesciences Ltd	10.1	107%	134%
REC Ltd	11.9	315%	495%
Oberoi Realty Ltd	5.4	76%	159%

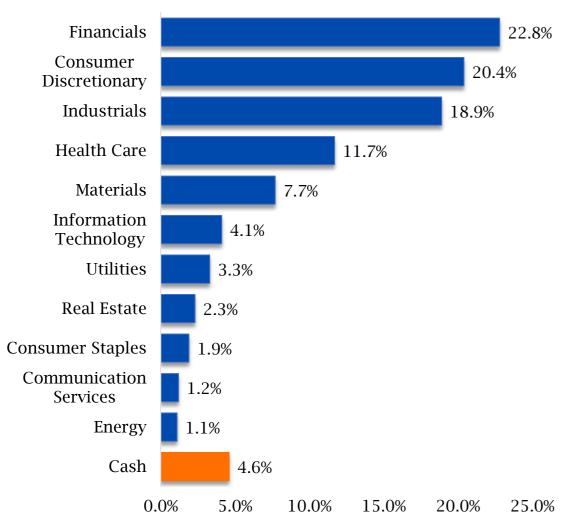
Data in USD % & as of March 28, 2024. Past Performance may or may not be sustained in the future.

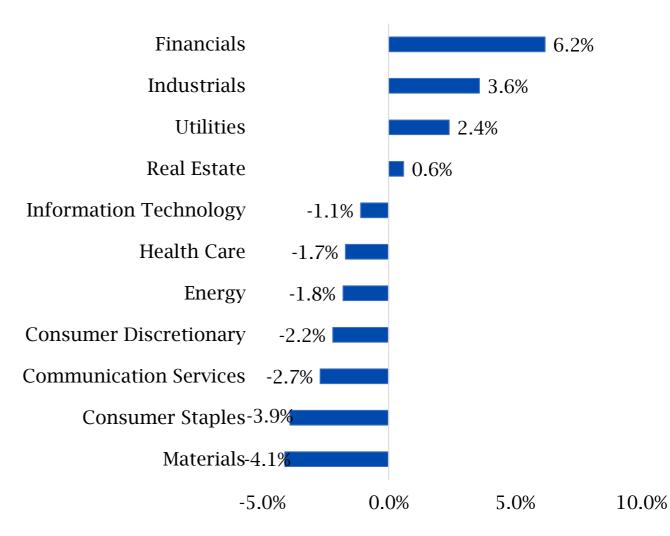
Positioning is with respect to the reference benchmark, MSCI India Midcap TR Index.

Source: Bloomberg and in house analysis



Sundaram India Midcap Fund – Sector overweight / underweight





Data as of March 28, 2024

Positioning is with respect to the reference benchmark, MSCI India Midcap TR Index.



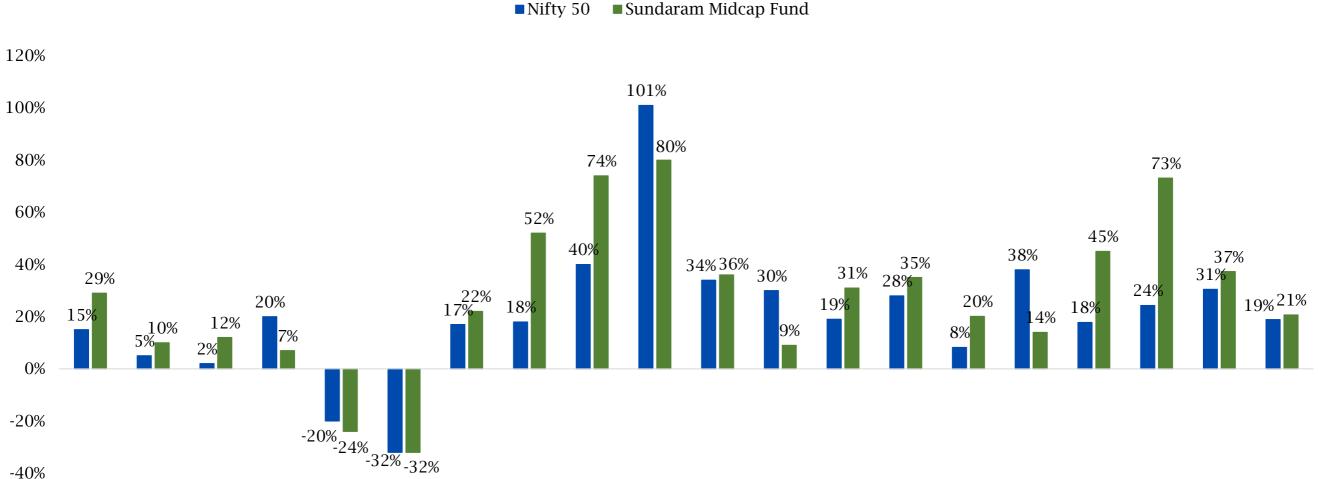
Portfolio Pivot

Stock Changes - Last 6 months				
Entrants	Exits			
Computer Age Management Services Ltd.	State Bank of India			
Mahindra & Mahindra Financial	Zee Entertainment Enterprises			
Devyani International Ltd	Emami Ltd			
Star Health & Allied Insurance Co. Ltd.	FSN E-Commerce Ventures Ltd			
Kansai Nerolac Paints Ltd	Varun Beverages Ltd			
Apollo Tyres Ltd	TVS Holdings Ltd (Preference Shares)			
JK Cement Ltd	KPR Mill Ltd			
Prestige Estates Projects Ltd	Solar Industries India Ltd			
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd	Bank of India			
Indian Railway Catering & Tourism Corporate Ltd.	Indraprastha Gas Ltd			
CG Power & Industrial Solution	Ashok Leyland Ltd			
Tata Elxsi Ltd	Petronet LNG Ltd			
Bharat Heavy Electricals Ltd	Apollo Hospitals Enterprise Ltd			
Mphasis Ltd	KPIT Technologies			
	Century Plyboards.			

Sector changes - Last six months

- Reduced overweight in Financials, Industrials Information Technology and Materials.
- Increased underweight in Communication Services and Energy.
- Reduced underweight in Consumer Discretionary, Consumer Staples and Health Care.

Weighted Average Earnings Growth - Sundaram Midcap Fund V/s Nifty 50



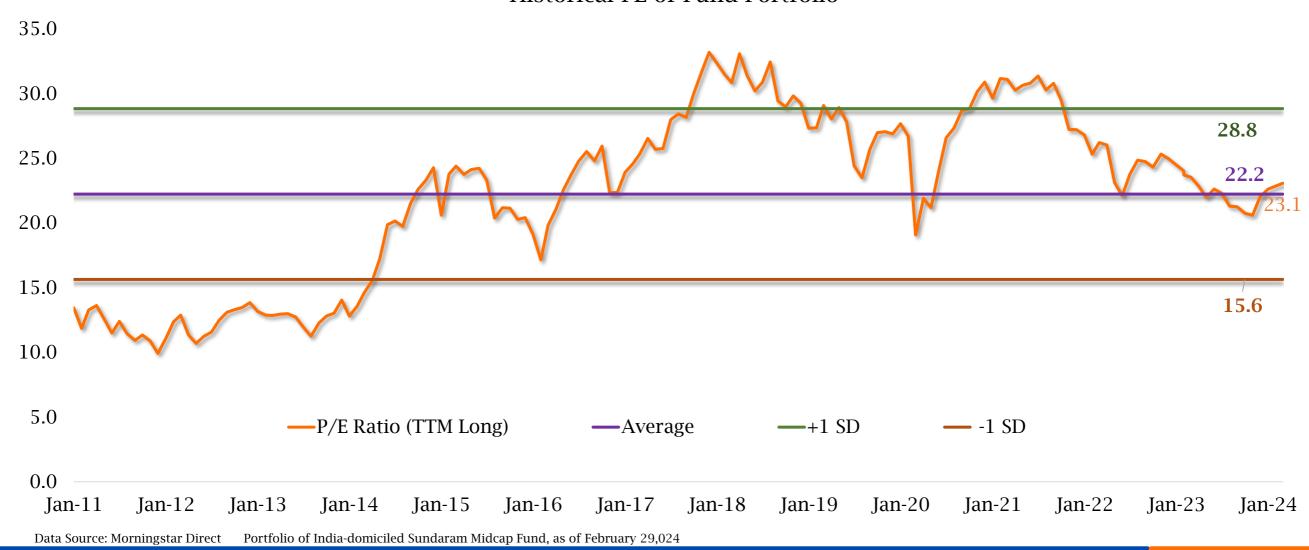
Mar-19 Jun-19 Sep-19 Dec-19 Mar-20 Jun-20 Sep-20 Dec-20 Mar-21 Jun-21 Sep-21 Dec-21 Mar-22 Jun-22 Sep-22 Dec-22 Mar-23 Jun-23 Sep-23 Dec-23

Source: Bloomberg & MOFSL & Ace Equity & In house Computation

Notes: Weighted average earnings growth for India-domiciled Sundaram Midcap Fund and Nifty 50 Index

Trailing Historical P/E of Fund Portfolio

Historical PE of Fund Portfolio



Sundaram India Mid Cap Fund - Peer valuation comparison

	Sundaram India Mid Cap Fund	Category Average
P/E(x)	21.5	22.4
P/B	1.5	2.8
Sales Growth (%)	14.7	15.8
Long-term Earnings (%)	22.3	16.4

Price/projected earnings for a stock is the ratio of the company's most recent month-end share price to the company's estimated earnings per share (EPS) for the current fiscal year. If a third-party estimate for the current year EPS is not available, Morningstar will calculate an internal estimate based on the most recently reported EPS and average historical earnings growth rates. Price/projected earnings is one of the five value factors used to calculate the Morningstar Style Box. For portfolios, this data point is calculated by taking an asset-weighted average of the earnings yields (E/P) of all the stocks in the portfolio and then taking the reciprocal of the result.

The Long term earnings indicate the estimated earnings growth over the next 5 years.

Data Source: Morningstar Direct as of February 29, 2024; Fund as of March 31, 2024

Category: India Equity funds investing principally in Indian companies. These funds invest at least 75% of total assets in equities; and invest at least 75% of equity assets in Indian equities

Sundaram India Midcap Fund - Ratios and Valuations

Parameter	Fund	
Alpha	3.1	
Correlation	0.89	
Tracking Error	8.8	
Information Ratio	0.3	
Turnover (%)	17.49	

Parameter	Fund	MSCI India Mid Cap Index
Standard Deviation	18.5	19.1
Beta	0.9	-
Sharpe Ratio	0.5	0.3
Sortino Ratio	0.5	0.5

Risk-Return Metrics are based on month end NAVs since launch and have been annualized. Turnover ratio is for the 6-month period ended December 31,2023 and in percentage.

All other data as of March 31, 2024. Source Bloomberg and In House Analysis. Past performance may not be sustained in future.



Dividend History of Sundaram India Midcap Fund

Year	Distribution
2020	USD 5 cents per unit
2019	USD 5 cents per unit
2018	USD 5 cents per unit
2017	USD 11 cents per unit
2016	USD 8 cents per unit
2015	USD 10 cents per unit
2020	USD 5 cents per unit
2019	USD 5 cents per unit

Climate Risk Metrics

Carbon footprint

Financed emission for corporates					
tons CO2e/\$M invested	Portfolio	Coverage	Reference benchmark*	Coverage	Active
Scope 1 and 2	156.0	88.5%	283.3	99.1%	-44.9%
Scope 3 total	432.4	88.5%	845.7	99.1%	-48.9%
Data quality					
Reported emissions	47.1%		80.6%		-41.6%
Estimated emissions	41.7%		19.2%		117.0%
	Weighted av	erage carbon	intensity		
Corporate constituents tons CO2e/\$M revenue	Coverage	Active			
Scope 1 and 2	377.2	88.8%	622.1	99.9%	-39.4%
Scope 3 total	870.7	88.8%	1474.8	99.1%	-41.0%
Sovereign constituents tons CO2e/\$M GDP nominal					
GHG intensity	n/a	0.0%	n/a	0/0%	n/a

Allocation base - EVIC

Climate scenario analysis

Selected scenario: 1.5° C AIM CGE, Aggressive physical risk				
MSCI climate Value at Risk	Portfolio	Reference Benchmark*	Active	
Aggregate climate value at risk (VaR)	-38.0%	-46.1%	8.1%	
Policy climate VaR	-15.1%	-23.2%	8.1%	
Technology Opportunities climate VaR	1.8%	2.1%	-0.3%	
Physical risk climate VaR	-24.7%	-25.0%	0.3%	
Climate scenario coverage	88.5%	99.1%	-10.6%	
MSCI implied temperature rise	3.8°	4.00	-0.20	
ITR coverage	88.5%	99.1%	-10.6%	

Source: MSCI

Data as of December 29, 2023

*Reference benchmark here refers to MSCI India TR Index

The MSCI information is provided on an "as is" basis and the user of this information assumes the entire risk of any use made of this information. MSCI, each of its affiliates and each other person involved in or related to compiling, computing or creating any MSCI information (collectively, the "MSCI Parties") expressly disclaims all warranties (including, without limitation, any warranties of originality, accuracy, completeness, timeliness, noninfringement, merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose) with respect to this information. Without limiting any of the foregoing, in no event shall any MSCI Party have any liability for any direct, indirect, special, incidental, punitive, consequential (including, without limitation, lost profits) or any other damages. (www.msci.com)



Appendix

Sundaram Asset Management

Key milestones of Sundaram Asset Management

1996	Sundaram Asset Management sponsored by Sundaram Finance and Newton Group
2002	Sundaram buys out Newton's stake on account of Mellon's acquisition of Newton
2006	Joint venture with BNP Paribas Asset Management (SF: 50.1%, BNPP: 49.9% stake)
2010	Sundaram Finance buys out BNP's stake on account of latter's Fortis acquisition
2012	SAM's Singapore subsidiary was granted fund management license by MAS

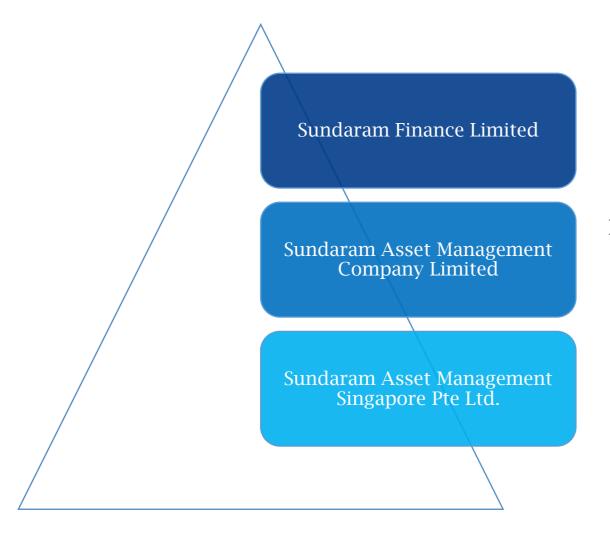


Retail Investor Base: *Over 1.9 million folios*

Manages offshore investments through its Singapore subsidiary, which has set up a unit trust investment platform in Singapore

- Headquartered in Chennai (India) with offices across
 India and in Singapore and Dubai
- Wholly owned by the well renowned Sundaram Finance Limited.
- 27 years of experience in fund management and is among the pioneers in the Indian Fund Management industry with Assets Under Management of USD 8.5 billion as of March 31, 2024.
- Expertise in equities, fixed income and alternatives in India with flagship funds ranked in top quartile.
- In-depth proprietary research comprising of an experienced team of 25 investment professionals spread over Chennai, Mumbai and Singapore.

Sundaram Asset Management – Group structure



Listed in India on the BSE and NSE Regulated by the Reserve Bank of India Vintage of 68 years

Regulated by the Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI) 27-year track record in the Indian fund management business

Wholly owned subsidiary (100%)

11-year old MAS regulated Fund Management entity

Wholly owned subsidiary (100%)

Sundaram Finance Limited - Parent

- Sundaram Finance Limited, incorporated in 1954, has grown today into one of the most trusted financial services groups in India.
- Evolved from the legendary TVS group (Established in 1911), a diversified conglomerate and one of the largest manufacturer and distributor of auto components
- Sundaram Finance, the flagship company of the Sundaram group is driving the financial services business of the group

Sundaram Finance Subsidiaries



Built significant reputation & goodwill over the decades

Key highlights:

- **Pioneer** in the Leasing and Hire Purchase Business
 - First NBFC to be Listed in 1972
- Legacy of deep customer connect and loyalty with 80% renewal rate
- Rated AAA (for Deposits) by CRISIL and ICRA
- Market Cap ~ USD 5.5 billion as on March 31, 2024.
- Market cap has grown at CAGR of ~23% (USD) since listing

Sundaram Finance Group

	AUM (USD Billion)	Branches	Employees*	Customers
SUNDARAM FINANCE* Enduring values. New age thinking.	5.1	704	7,677	569,957
SUNDARAM MUTUAL UNEARTHING OPPORTUNITIES	8.1	85	551	1,292,511
ST SUNDARAM HOME	1.6	138	1,461	60,014
Royal Sundaram General Insurance	1.0	161	2,804	3,120,574
SUNDARAM FINANCE GROUP Enduring values. New age thinking.	15.8	1,088	12,493	5,043,056

Sundaram AMC - Investment manager



Track record and capabilities

- One of the earliest entrants in the Industry with **27 years** of track history.
- **First in the industry** to launch a fund in the midcap space.
- Flagship Fund Sundaram Midcap Fund had been a consistent outperformer with a CAGR of 21.2% in USD terms, since its inception 20+ years ago
- Strong in-house Research Team.
- Investment Philosophy Bottom up, research driven stock selection with a focus on long term growth prospects



AUM has grown at a CAGR of 16.3% (INR) since 2014 (as of March 31, 2024)



Customers

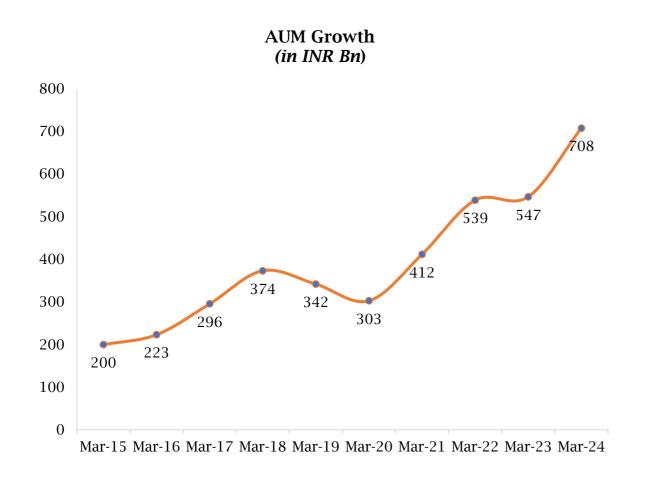
- Managed over 5.6 million customer folios since inception.
- 1.9 million active customer folios.



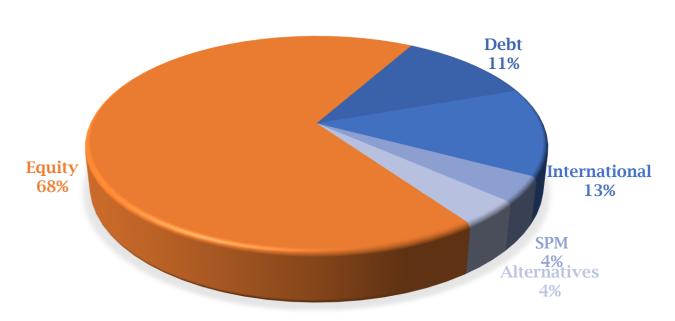
Distribution footprints

- Over 50,000 empaneled distributors
- 80 customer care centers spread across 22 States, with offices in Singapore and Dubai

Sundaram AMC – Investment Manager



AUM COMPOSITION



Data as of March 31, 2024.

Sundaram Alternates – subsidiary of SAMC



PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT SERVICES (PMS)

Dedicated manager with focused strategies to generate higher alpha



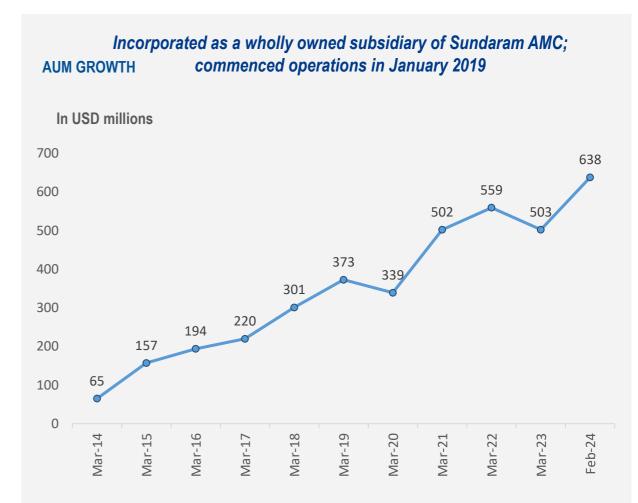
ALTERNATIVE INVESTMENT FUNDS (AIF)

- Category II
 - RE Credit Fund I: raised in Oct 18, matured in Oct 2022
 - RE Credit Fund II: raised in Feb 21
 - RE Credit Fund III: raised in Oct 22
 - Emerging Corporate Credit Opportunities I (ECCO-I) raised in 2023
 - RE Credit Fund IV: launched June 2023
- Category III
 - Sundaram India Premier Fund: launched in Sep 2018
 - ACORN mid & small cap fund, launched in Feb 2020
 - ATLAS I, an open-ended multi-cap AIF; launched in Jan 2022
 - ATLAS II, a close ended multi-cap AIF; launched in Dec 2022



ADVISORY SERVICES

- SMA pools across RE of ~INR 250 cr. and growing
- Foreign & domestic advisory mandates



Assets Under Management (AUM) as of March 31, 2024; RBI reference rates have been used for FX conversions as on the said dates

Fund Facts



Investment Objective

Generate capital appreciation by taking a predominantly bottom-up approach to stock picking with a strict adherence to the mid and small cap mandate.



Positioning



Style

Sundaram India Midcap Fund is an open end, daily dealing, Singapore domiciled US dollar denominated, pure India focused mid and small cap equity Fund.

Own stocks of companies that exhibit the ability to grow in a sustainable manner at reasonable valuations.



Fund Manager:

Mr. Anish Mathew is the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Investment Officer of Sundaram Asset Management, Singapore. Anish has over 3 decades of experience in Indian and Asian capital markets. Prior to joining Sundaram Asset Management, Anish has worked with Societe Generale Asset Management, Singapore as the Deputy Chief Investment Officer, where he was responsible for Asia Pacific ex-Japan investments. Anish was formerly Director - Investments of Deutsche Asset Management, Singapore, where he was responsible for Asian equity investments with a focus on Asian Emerging Markets. Anish holds a Bachelor's degree in Commerce (Honours) from Delhi University, India and a Post Graduate Diploma in Management (MBA) from the Xavier Institute of Management, India.

Contact us

Anish Mathew

Chief Executive Officer & Chief Investment Officer

Sundaram Asset Management Singapore Pte Ltd

D: +65 65577086

E: anishm@sundarammutual.sg

Ramesh Krishnamurthy Chief Representative - Middle East & Africa Region Sundaram Asset Management Company Limited (Dubai Representative Office)

M: +971 55 5123639

E: ramesh.krishnamurthy@sundarammutual.com

Address

Sundaram Asset Management Singapore Pte. Ltd. 50 Armenian Street, #02-02, Wilmer Place Singapore 179938 www.sundarammutual.sg

Sundaram Asset Management Company Limited Sundaram Towers, 46 Whites Road, Chennai, India Karthick Narayanan Sr.AVP - International Business Sundaram Asset Management Company Limited

(Dubai Representative Office) M: +971 55 6095049

E: karthick@sundarammutual.com

Sanjana J Nichani Senior Manager - International Business

Sundaram Asset Management Company Limited Sundaram Towers, 46 Whites Road, Chennai, India

D: +91 44 45968734

E: <u>sanjanan@sundarammutual.com</u>

Disclaimer

General Disclaimer: This document is issued by Sundaram Asset Management for your exclusive and confidential reference. This document is produced for information purposes only. It does not constitute a prospectus or offer document or an offer or solicitation to buy any securities or other investment. Information and opinion contained in this document are published for the assistance of the recipient only; they are not to be relied upon as authoritative or taken as a substitution for exercise of judgment by any recipient. They are subject to change without any notice and not intended to provide the sole basis of any evaluation of the instrument discussed or offer to buy. It is neither a solicitation to sell nor shall it form the basis of or be relied upon in connection with any contract or commitment whatsoever or be taken as investment advice. The information and opinions contained in this communication have been obtained from sources that Sundaram Asset Management believes to be reliable; no representation or warranty, express or implied, is made that such information is accurate or complete and it should not be relied upon as such. Sundaram Asset Management neither guarantees its accuracy and/or completeness nor does it guarantee to update the information from time to time. This communication is for private circulation only and for the exclusive and confidential use of the intended recipient(s). Any other distribution, use or reproduction of this communication in its entirety or any part thereof is unauthorized and strictly prohibited. By accepting this document, you agree to be bound by the foregoing limitations. This communication is for general information only without regard to specific objectives, financial situations and needs of any particular person who may receive it and Sundaram Asset Management is not soliciting any action based on this document. In the discharge of its functions, Sundaram Asset Management may use any of the data presented in this document for its decision-making purpose and is not

Securities investments are subject to market risks and there is no assurance or guarantee that the objectives of portfolios will be achieved. As with any securities investment, the value of a portfolio can go up or down depending on the factors and forces affecting the capital markets. Past performance of the Fund Manager or AMC may not be indicative of the performance in the future. Sundaram Asset Management is not responsible or liable for losses resulting form the operations of any portfolio. The value of any portfolio illustrated in this document may be affected by changes in the general market conditions, factors and forces affecting capital markets in particular, level of interest rates, various market related factors and trading volumes, settlement periods and transfer procedures. The liquidity of investments are inherently restricted by trading volumes in the securities in which it invests. Investors in portfolios are not offered any guaranteed returns.