

#### **SCHEME INFORMATION DOCUMENT**

# **SECTION I**

# Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund (Consolidated Std. Obs. 1)

An open ended debt scheme investing in overnight securities with Relatively Low Interest Rate Risk and Relatively Low Credit Risk.

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 2)

This product is suitable for investors who are seeking\*:

- Regular income over short term that may be in line with the overnight call rates.
- Investment in money market and debt instruments, with overnight maturity

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

# Riskometer (Consolidated Std. Obs. 3) Scheme Benchmark Scheme Benchmark Jight Moderately High Jight Moderately High SCHEME Investors understand that their principal will be at low risk Riskometer (Consolidated Std. Obs. 3) Benchmark CRISIL Liquid Overnight Index

Potential Risk Class (PRC) (Consolidated Std. Obs. 4)				
	(Maximum risk the scheme can take)			·
Credit Risk	<b></b>	Relatively Low (Class A)	Moderate (Class B)	Relatively High (Class C)
Interest Rate Risk	<b>\</b>			
Relatively Low (Class I	)	A-I		
Moderate (Class II)				
Relatively High (Class III)				
A-I – A Scheme with Relatively Low Interest Rate Risk and Relatively Low Credit Risk.				

#### Continuous offer of units at NAV based prices

Name of Mutual Fund	Name of Asset Management	Name of Trustee Company
	Company	
Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund	Bajaj Finserv Asset Management	Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund Trustee
	Limited	Limited
Address: 8 <sup>th</sup> floor, E-core,	Address: S. No. 208/1B,	Address: S. No. 208/1B, Lohagaon,
Solitaire Business Park,	Lohagaon, Viman Nagar, Pune –	Viman Nagar, Pune – 411014
Viman Nagar, Pune –	411014 (registered office)	(registered office)
411014	8 <sup>th</sup> floor, E-core, Solitaire Business	8 <sup>th</sup> floor, E-core, Solitaire Business
	Park, Viman Nagar, Pune –	Park, Viman Nagar, Pune – 411014
	411014 (corporate office)	(corporate office)
www.bajajamc.com	www.bajajamc.com	www.bajajamc.com

The particulars of the Scheme have been prepared in accordance with the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Mutual Funds) Regulations 1996, (herein after referred to as SEBI (MF) Regulations) as amended till date and circulars issued thereunder filed with SEBI, along with a Due Diligence Certificate from the AMC. The units being offered for public subscription have not been approved or recommended by SEBI nor has SEBI certified the accuracy or adequacy of the Scheme Information Document.

The Scheme Information Document sets forth concisely the information about the scheme that a prospective investor ought to know before investing. Before investing, investors should also ascertain about any further changes to this Scheme Information Document after the date of this Document from the Mutual Fund / Investor Service Centres / Website / Distributors or Brokers.

The investors are advised to refer to the Statement of Additional Information (SAI) for details of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund, Standard Risk Factors, Special Considerations, Tax and Legal issues and general information on <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a>.

SAI is incorporated by reference (is legally a part of the Scheme Information Document). For a free copy of the current SAI, please contact your nearest Investor Service Centre or log on to our website.

The Scheme Information Document (Section I and II) should be read in conjunction with the SAI and not in isolation.

This Scheme Information Document is dated June 26, 2024.

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# Part I. HIGHLIGHTS/SUMMARY OF THE SCHEME

Sr. No.	Title	Description
I.	Name of the scheme	Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund (BFOF)
II.	Category of the Scheme	Overnight Fund
III.	Scheme type	An open ended debt scheme investing in overnight securities with
		Relatively Low Interest Rate Risk and Relatively Low Credit Risk.
IV.	Scheme code	BFAM/O/D/ONF/23/05/0002 (Consolidated Std. Obs. 7)
V.	Investment objective	The Scheme aims to provide reasonable returns commensurate with low risk and high level of liquidity, through investments made primarily in overnight securities having maturity of 1 business day.
		There is no assurance that the investment objective of the Scheme will be achieved. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 5)
VI.	Liquidity/listing details	The scheme is an open ended debt scheme. Being an open ended scheme, the scheme is open for repurchase/redemption on all business days. Redemption proceeds shall be dispatched within three working days from the date of redemption request.
		The scheme is not listed on any of the stock exchanges. The AMC, at its discretion, can undertake listing on any of the stock exchange.
VII.	Benchmark (Total	CRISIL Liquid Overnight Index
	Std. obs. 9	The performance of the scheme will be benchmarked to the performance of the CRISIL Liquid Overnight Index. The composition of the benchmark is in line with the intended asset allocation of the fund. Hence, the benchmark Index is an appropriate benchmark for the scheme.  The Trustee reserves the right to change the benchmark for the evaluation of the performance of the Scheme from time to time, keeping in mind the investment objective of the Scheme and the appropriateness of the benchmark, subject to the compliance with
\/\	NAV diselective	Regulations/ circulars issued by SEBI and AMFI in this regard from time to time.
VIII.	Std. obs. 17 (a)	(Consolidated Std. Obs. 40)  NAV shall be calculated for every calendar day, except under special circumstances. NAV shall be disclosed on AMC website (www.bajajamc.com) and on AMFI website (www.amfiindia.com).  NAV shall be available on all centers for acceptance of transactions.  NAV shall also be made available at all Investor services centers and the Toll free number of the AMC i.e. 18003093900.
		(Consolidated Std. Obs. 41)  NAV will be calculated upto four decimal places and shall be disclosed before 11.00 p.m. on all business days. If case NAV is not uploaded within the stipulated timing of 11.00 p.m. on any business day, explanation shall be provided to AMFI for non adherence of time limit. In the NAV is not available before the commencement of business hours on the following day due to any reason, the Mutual

			press release giving e Mutual Fund would l		-
IX.	Applicable timelines	days from the beyond three verthe investors and a superior of the investors within the investor within	oceeds shall be dispated date of redemption working days, the AMC the rate of 15% per ants shall be dispated seven working days for the solution of the soluti	request. In ca is liable to pa innum. ched/transferi rom the IDCW	ese of delay y interest to red to the record date.
		at 15% per ann	he AMC shall be liable num. The interest on c n the record date for II	elayed payme	
		out only in ex	ch of redemption/IDCN ceptional circumstand aintain records along ches.	es and the A	MC shall be
X.	Plans and Options	Plans:			
	Plans/Options and sub	* *	ight Fund – Direct Pla		
	options under the Scheme	Bajaj Finserv Overn	iight Fund – Regular Pl	an	
		Options:			
		Growth Option		. (15.014)	
			n cum Capital Withd		-
			Distribution cum Capit Icome Distribution cur		-
			r of Income Distribution	•	
		sub-option.			
		Options	Default option	Frequency	Record
			/Frequency		Date
		Income		-	-
		Distribution cum capital	Daily IDCW		
		withdrawal	Reinvestment Option in case		
		(IDCW)	Daily / Weekly /		
		Daily	Fortnightly /	Daily	Daily -
		(Reinvestment)	Monthly IDCW		Every
		Manhi /Davast	Option is not	NA/ a a laba	Day
		Weekly (Payout and	indicated.	Weekly	Every Monday
		Fortnightly (Payout and	IDCW Reinvestment in	Fortnightly	Alternate Monday
		Reinvestment)	case Payout or		
		Monthly (Payout	Reinvestment is	Monthly	15th of
		and	not indicated		the
		Reinvestment)			month

The Scheme will have a common portfolio across various Plans/Options/Sub-options. Investors are requested to note that Growth and IDCW Option (Payout, Reinvestment and Transfer) under Regular and Direct Plans will have different NAVs. These NAVs will be separately declared. Default Plan would be as mentioned below: Plan mentioned by Code **Default Plan** ARN mentioned/not investor mentioned by investor Not mentioned Not mentioned Direct Plan Not mentioned Direct Plan Direct Plan Not mentioned Regular Plan Direct Plan Mentioned Direct Plan Direct Plan Direct Plan Not mentioned Direct Direct Regular Plan Direct Plan Regular Plan Mentioned Regular Plan Mentioned Not mentioned Regular Plan In cases of wrong/invalid/incomplete ARN codes mentioned on the application form, the application shall be processed under Direct Plan. The AMC shall endeavour on best effort basis to obtain the correct ARN code within 30 calendar days of the receipt of the application form from the investor. In case the correct code is received within 30 calendar days, the AMC shall reprocess the transaction under Regular Plan from the date of application without any exit load. Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund - Direct Plan is only for investors who purchase /subscribe units in a Scheme directly with the Fund. Default option will be Growth Option. Default sub-option will be Reinvestment of Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal sub-option. For detailed disclosure on default plans and options, kindly refer SAI. XI. **Load Structure** Entry Load: Not applicable Exit load: Nil (Consolidated Std. Obs. 47) Std. obs. 16 XII. Minimum Application Fresh Purchase (Incl. Switch-in): Minimum of Rs. 100/- and in Amount/switch in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter Additional Purchase (Incl. Switch-in): Minimum of Rs. 100/- and in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter Daily SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments: 6

		Weekly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments: 6 Fortnightly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments: 6 Monthly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments: 6 Quarterly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments 6 The applicability of the minimum amount of installment mentioned is at the time of registration only  Two-Factor Authentication will be applicable for subscription as well as redemption transactions in the units of Mutual Fund.  For more information, please refer SAI.	
XIII.	Minimum Additional Purchase Amount	On Ongoing basis	
VIV.	B 4 i - i	Rs. 100/- and in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter.	
XIV.	Minimum Redemption/switch out	<b>Minimum redemption amount -</b> Re. 1 and in multiples of Re. 0.01/- or the account balance of the investor, whichever is less.	
	amount	of the account balance of the investor, whichever is less.	
	amount	Minimum amount for switch-out - Re. 1 and in multiples of Re.	
		0.01/- or the account balance of the investor, whichever is less.	
XV.	Segregated	The AMC may create a segregated portfolio of debt and money	
	portfolio/side pocketing	market instruments in a mutual fund scheme in case of a credit	
	disclosure	event and to deal with liquidity risk.	
		(Consolidated Std. Obs. 53)	
		In this regard, the term 'segregated portfolio' shall mean a portfolio	
		comprising of debt or money market instrument affected by a credit	
		event, that has been segregated in a mutual fund scheme and the	
		term 'main portfolio' shall mean the scheme portfolio excluding the	
		segregated portfolio. The term 'total portfolio' shall mean the	
		scheme portfolio including the securities affected by the credit	
		event.	
		A cogregated portfolio may be exected in a mytual fund coheme in	
		A segregated portfolio may be created in a mutual fund scheme in case of a credit event at issuer level i.e. downgrade in credit rating	
		by a SEBI registered Credit Rating Agency (CRA), as under:	
		ay a seem registered create tracing rigeries (citally) as an acre	
		a) Downgrade of a debt or money market instrument to 'below	
		investment grade', or	
		b) Subsequent downgrades of the said instruments from 'below	
		investment grade', or	
		c) Similar such downgrades of a loan rating.	
		In one of difference in matter to the little CDA:	
		In case of difference in rating by multiple CRAs, the most	
		conservative rating shall be considered. Creation of segregated portfolio shall be based on issuer level credit events as detailed	
		above and implemented at the ISIN level.	
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XVI. XVII.	Swing pricing disclosure Stock lending/short selling	The AMC may also create a segregated portfolio of unrated debt and money market instruments of an issuer that does not have any outstanding rated debt or money market instruments in case of 'actual default' of either the interest or principal amount.'  For Details, kindly refer SAI  Not Applicable  The Scheme will not engage in Short Selling and Stock lending of securities.
XVIII.	How to Apply and other details  (Consolidated Std. Obs. 35)	Investors can obtain application form / Key Information Memorandum (KIM) from Bajaj Finserv AMC branch offices, Investor services centers and RTA's (Kfin) branch office.  Investors can also download application form / Key Information Memorandum (KIM) from our website ( <a href="www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a> )  Please refer to the SAI and Application form for the instructions.
XIX.	Investor services	<ul> <li>Contact details for general service requests:         You may call on Toll Free: 1800-309-3900 (Monday to Friday 9:00 am to 6:00 pm) or write us on email id:         <u>service@bajajamc.com</u> or raise a service ticket on our website at link: <a href="https://bajajfinservasset.my.site.com/Web2Case/s/">https://bajajfinservasset.my.site.com/Web2Case/s/</a> </li> <li>Contact details for complaint resolution:         <u>Ms. Priya Singh</u>         Investor Relations Officer         Tel No: 020 67672500         Fax No: 020 67672550         Email: <a href="mailto:service@bajajamc.com">service@bajajamc.com</a></li> </ul>
XX.	Specific attribute of the scheme (such as lock in, duration in case of target maturity scheme/close ended schemes) (as applicable)	Not Applicable
XXI.	Special product/facility available during the ongoing basis	Systematic Investment Plan (SIP) Investors can undertake investing on a specified periodic basis and aim to take advantage from rupee cost averaging through SIP in the scheme.  The following SIP frequency will be available to the investors:  Daily Weekly Fortnightly Monthly Quarterly

Frequency	Specified date	Minimum amounts per instalments	Minimum number of instalments
Weekly	Any day (Monday to Friday)* (If no day is selected Tuesday will be the default day)	Rs. 1000/- and in multiples of Re. 1	6
Fortnightly	1st & 16th day of each month, as applicable *(1st & 16th of the month will be the default).		
Monthly	Any date (1st to 28th of the month)* 10th will be the default option)		
Quarterly	Any date (1st to 28th of the month)* 10th will be the default option)	Rs. 1000/- and in multiples of Re. 1	6

The applicability of the minimum amount of instalment mentioned is at the time of registration only. In case SIP date falls on a non-business day or on a day that is not available in the particular month, the instalment would be processed on next business day.

Investors can subscribe for SIP by using NACH facilities offered by the Banks. The cheque for investment in the scheme should be in favor of "Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund" and crossed "Account Payee Only", and the cheques must be payable at the center where the applications are submitted to the Investor Service Centre.

In case of fresh/additional subscription, if the name of the scheme on the application form/transaction slip differs with the name on the Cheque/Demand Draft, then the AMC would allot units under the scheme mentioned on the application form/ transaction slip. In case of fresh/additional subscription, if the scheme name is not mentioned on the application form/transaction slip, then the units will be allotted under the scheme mentioned on the Cheque/Demand Draft. The option that would be considered in such cases if not specified by the customer would be the default option of the Scheme. However, in case additional subscription is under the same scheme as fresh subscription, then the AMC reserves the right to allot units in the option under which units were allotted at the time of fresh subscription.

Investors/ unitholders can enroll themselves for SIP by ticking the appropriate box in the application form and filling up the relevant SIP form specifying the amount, period, and SIP date. The detailed terms and conditions are mentioned in the SIP Auto Debit Form. SIP through post-dated cheques will not be accepted. Where the mandate form and the SIP registration form are submitted together, debits for the SIP may happen only on successful registration of the mandate by the Unit holder(s) bank. The Fund / AMC would present the SIP transactions without waiting for the confirmation of the successful registration from the Unit holder(s)' bank.

In case the onetime mandate is successfully registered, new SIP registration will take upto five business days. The first debit may happen any time thereafter, based on the dates opted by the Unit holder(s).

In case of ISIP, URN Registration must be done by investor within 7 calendar days. The URN will be expired after 7 calendar days.

# Terms and conditions

<u>New Investor</u> - If the investor fails to mention the scheme name in the SIP Mandate Form, then the AMC reserves the right to register the SIP as per the scheme name available in the main application. <u>Existing Investor</u> - If the investor fails to mention the scheme name in the SIP Mandate Form, then the AMC reserves the right to register the SIP in the current scheme.

For Weekly SIP, Tuesday will be the default day and in case of Fortnightly SIP 1st and 16th of the month will be the default option.

If the investor has not mentioned the SIP start Month, SIP will start from the next applicable month, subject to completion of 21 working days lead time from the receipt of SIP request.

In case the SIP 'End period' is incorrect or not mentioned by the Investor in the SIP form, then the default end period would be 40 years from the start date until further instructions are received from investor.

The first SIP cheque/draft could be of any Business Day but subsequent Auto Debit mandate should be for any date from 1st to 28th of a month and there should be a minimum gap of at least 21 working days between the 1st SIP transaction and the 2nd SIP installment.

However, subsequent Auto Debit transaction date should have a gap of 21 working days or a quarter depending upon the frequency chosen. In case the criteria is not met, the SIP would start on the same date from the next month. If the SIP execution date is a non-Business Day for the scheme, then the units shall be allotted based

on realisation of proceeds. Investors can also start a SIP directly without any initial investment; However, he has to submit the application for enrolment of SIP on any working day, but the subsequent instalment date of SIP shall be any date from 1st to 28th of a month with a minimum gap criteria of 21 working days between the submission of application form and the 1st SIP. In the event if the investors want to discontinue the SIP, a written communication will be required from the investors to discontinue the same at least 10 calendar days before the next SIP due date. In case the SIP 'End period' is incorrect or not mentioned by the Investor in the SIP form, then the default end period would be 40 years from the start date until further instructions are received from investor.

# **SIP TOP UP Facility:**

Investors can opt for SIP TOP UP facility with Fixed Top Up option or Variable Top Up option wherein the amount of the SIP could be increased at fixed intervals. In case the investor opts for both options, the Variable Top Up option would be triggered.

The Fixed TOP UP amount shall be for minimum Rs. 1000/- and in multiples of Rs. 1/- thereafter.

Variable TOP UP would be available in at 5%, 10% and 15% and such other denominations (over and above 5%, 10% and 15%) as opted by the investor in multiples of 5%. An investor can also TOP UP the SIP in amount terms by keeping minimum top up of 1000 Rs.

The frequency is fixed at Yearly and Half Yearly basis. In case the TOP UP facility is not opted by ticking the appropriate box and frequency is not selected, the TOP UP facility may not be registered.

In case of Quarterly SIP, only the Yearly frequency is available under SIP TOP UP.

SIP Top-Up facility shall be available to all the investors.

# Top-Up Cap amount or Top-Up Cap month-year:

Top-Up Cap amount: Investor has an option to freeze the SIP Top-Up amount once it reaches a fixed predefined amount. The fixed pre-defined amount should be lower than or equal to the maximum amount mentioned by the investor in the bank mandate. In case of difference between the Cap amount and the maximum amount mentioned in the Bank mandate, then the amount which is lower of the two amounts shall be considered as the default amount of SIP Cap amount.

**Top-Up Cap month-year**: It is the date from which SIP Top-Up amount would cease and last SIP instalment including Top-Up amount would remain constant from Cap date till the end of SIP tenure.

Investor shall have flexibility to choose either Top-Up Cap amount or Top-Up Cap month- year. In case of multiple selection, Top-Up Cap amount would be considered as default selection.

All the investors of the scheme subscribing the facility under SIP Variable Top - Up feature are hereby requested to select either Top - Up Cap amount or Top - Up Cap month - year. In case of no selection, the SIP Variable Top - Up amount would be capped at a default amount of Rs. 10 lakhs.

Under the said facility, SIP amount would remain constant from Top - Up Cap date/ amount till the end of SIP Tenure.

SIP Top-Up facility shall not be available in case of Micro-SIP.

# Micro Systematic Investment Plan (Micro SIP):

Micro SIP/PAN Exempt Investments In line with SEBI letter no. OW/16541/2012 dated July 24, 2012, addressed to AMFI, Investments in the mutual fund schemes including investments through Systematic Investment Plans (SIPs) up to Rs. 50,000/- per investor per year shall be exempted from the requirement of PAN.

The investor will have the facility of investing by Micro SIP under the current SIP facility. The Minimum Investment amount per instalment would be as per applicable minimum investment amount of the scheme. The total investment under Micro SIP cannot exceed Rs. 50,000/-.

Micro Investment: If the investment amount (fresh subscription & additional subscription) and Micro SIP instalments by an investor in a financial year i.e. April to March does not exceed Rs. 50,000/-, it shall be exempt from the requirement of PAN. However, requirements of Know Your Customer (KYC) shall be mandatory. Accordingly, investors seeking the above exemption for PAN need to submit the KYC Acknowledgement, irrespective of the amount of investment. This exemption will be available only to Micro investment made by the individuals being Indian citizens (including NRIs, Joint holders, minors acting through guardian and sole proprietary firms). PIOs, HUFs, QFIs and other categories of investors would not be eligible for availing this exemption.

SIP Top-Up facility shall not be available in case of Micro SIP.

# **Mode of Payment for SIP:**

In case of SIP with payment mode as Standing Instruction / NACH, Investors are required to submit a cancelled cheque or a photocopy of a cheque of the bank account, as applicable for which the debit mandate is provided.

Investors are requested to note that holding of units through Demat Option is also available. The units would be allotted based on the applicable NAV and would be credited to investors' Demat account on T + 2 days basis upon realization of funds.

The investors shall note that for holding the units in demat form, the provisions laid down in the SID and SEBI Regulations, procedural requirements as laid by the Depositories (NSDL/CDSL) shall be applicable. In case the investor wishes to convert the units held in non-demat mode to demat mode or vice versa at a later date, such request along with the necessary form should be submitted to their Depository Participant(s). Units held in demat form would be freely transferable, subject to the applicable regulations and the guidelines as may be amended from time to time. Investors/unitholders subscribing for SIP are required to submit SIP request at least 21 business days prior to the date of first debit date and SIP start date shall not be beyond 100 days from the date of submission of request for SIP.

# <u>Facility of National Automated Clearing House (NACH) Platform in Systematic Investment Plan (SIP):</u>

In addition to existing facility available for payments through Standing Instructions for investments in SIP, the NACH facility can also be used by the investors to make payment of SIP instalments. NACH is a centralized system launched by National Payments Corporation of India (NPCI) with an aim to consolidate multiple Electronic Clearing Service (ECS) mandates. This facility would enable the investors of the scheme to make SIP investments through NACH by filling up the SIP Registration cum mandate form. A Unique number will be allotted to every mandate registered under NACH called as Unique Mandate Reference Number ("UMRN") which can be used for SIP transactions. The NACH facility shall be available subject to terms and conditions contained in the Easy Pay Debit Mandate Form and as prescribed by NPCI from time to time.

# **SIP cancellation:**

The AMC will endeavour to have the cancellation of registered SIP mandate within 10 calendar days from the date of receipt of the cancellation request from the investor. The existing instructions/mandate would continue till the date that when it is confirmed the SIP has been cancelled.

# Systematic Withdrawal Plan

Investors under the scheme can enrol for the Systematic Withdrawal Plan (SWP) facility. The SWP allows the Investors to withdraw a specified sum of money at pre-determined intervals from the investments undertaken in the scheme. SWP is suitable for investors seeking a regular inflow of funds for their needs. It is also suited to retirees or individuals who wish to invest lump-sum and withdraw from the investment over a period of time. At the time of registration for SWP, an investor can choose any amount for

withdrawal under the respective frequencies. An investor may avail this facility by submitting an application form for SWP.

Monthly, Quarterly, Half Yearly and Annual frequencies are available under this facility. Minimum number of instalments for all the frequencies will be 2 installments. Investors can choose any date as preference for SWP withdrawal to register under any frequency available. In case the date chosen for SWP falls on a Non-Business Day or on a date which is not available in a particular month, the SWP will be processed on the next Business Day.

Particul	Monthly	Quarterly	Half-	Yearly
ars			Yearly	
SWP	Any date	Any date	Any date	Any date
Transac	of every	of every	of every	of every
tion	month	Quarter	half-year	year
Dates	(between	(between	(between	(between
	1st & 28 <sup>th</sup> )	1st & 28th)	1st & 28th)	1st & 28th)
Minimu	2	2	2	2
m no. of	instalment	instalment	instalment	instalment
instalm	s of Rs.	s of Rs.	s of Rs.	s of Rs.
ents	1000/-	1000/-	1000/-	1000/-
and	each and	each and	each and	each and in
Minimu	in	in	in	multiples
m	multiples	multiples	multiples	of Re. 1/-
amount	of Re. 1/-	of Re. 1/-	of Re. 1/-	thereafter
of	thereafter	thereafter	thereafter	
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In case none of the frequencies has been selected then Monthly frequency shall be considered as the Default frequency and where no withdrawal date is selected, 10th of the month shall be considered as the default SWP date.

The amount thus withdrawn by SWP would be equated into units at Applicable NAV based prices and the number of units so arrived at would be redeemed and subtracted from the units balance held by the investor.

SWP may be terminated by a written notice submitted by the Investor of the Scheme atleast 7 business days before the processing of next instalment. SWP would automatically terminate if all units are redeemed from the folio or upon the receipt of notification of death or incapacity of the Investor by the Mutual Fund/AMC.

SWP shall be subject to applicable exit load imposed by the Scheme.

Registration/cancellation of SWP request would be processed within 5 working days from the date of receipt of the said request.

# Systematic Transfer Plan (STP)

Systematic Transfer Plan (STP) is an option wherein investors of the source scheme can opt to transfer a fixed amount at periodic intervals to the designated target scheme. Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund can be a target scheme for investment from other scheme(s) to this Scheme and also a source scheme for investment from this scheme to other scheme(s).

The amount transferred under STP from source scheme to target scheme shall be done by redeeming units of source scheme at Applicable NAV, subject to exit load, if any; and subscribing to the units of target scheme at Applicable NAV as on specified date(s) as given below:

# Frequency for STP and number of instalments

Minimum amount for STP — Rs. 1000 and in multiples of Re. 1 (Minimum no. of instalments as 6)

Particulars		Frequency Default	Default	
Daily Option		All business day -		
Weekly Option		Any day from Tuesday		
		Monday to Friday		
Monthly &		Any Date of every 10 <sup>th</sup> of	the	
Quarterly Option		month month		

In case the STP date falls on a non-business day or on a day which is not available in a particular month, the STP will be processed on the next business day. In case of nil balance in the source scheme, STP for that particular due date would not get processed. STP would cease to be active upon 3 consecutive unsuccessful transactions or if all units are pledged or upon receipt of intimation of death of the investor. All requests for registering or discontinuing STP shall be subject to an advance notice of 5 working days. The provision of minimum redemption amount specified in the SID of the source scheme and minimum application amount in the target scheme would not be applicable for STP.

# **Inter-Scheme Switching Facility**

Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund provides the investors the flexibility to switch their investments (subject to provisions as regards minimum application amount referred above) from any other scheme(s)/plans managed by Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund, as per the features of the respective scheme to this scheme. This facility will be useful to unitholders who wish to alter the allocation of their investment among scheme(s) / plan(s) of the Mutual Fund in order to meet their

changed investment needs. The switch will be effected by way of a redemption of units from the Source scheme(s) / plan(s) as per the applicable NAV and cut off and investment of the proceeds will be made in the target Scheme(s)/Plan(s). The Switch must comply with the Redemption rules of the Source Scheme/Plan and the issue rules of the Target Scheme/ Plan (for e.g. as to the minimum number of Units that may be redeemed or issued, Exit Load etc). The price at which the units will be switched out of the respective Scheme/Plans will be based on the Redemption Price, and the proceeds will be invested in the Scheme / Plan at the applicable NAV.

# Application/ Transaction through Fax /Email mode

Subject to the investor fulfilling certain terms and conditions as stipulated by the AMC from time to time, the AMC, Mutual Fund, or representative of the AMC, Mutual Fund ("the Recipient") may (at its sole discretion and without being obliged in any manner to do so and without being responsible and/ or liable in any manner whatsoever) accept and process any application, supporting documents and / or instructions submitted by an Investor / Unit holder by facsimile/email ("Fax/Email Submission") and the investor / Unit holder voluntarily and with full knowledge takes and assumes any and all risk associated therewith.

The Recipient shall have no obligation to check or verify the authenticity or accuracy of Fax/Email Submission purporting to have been sent by the investor and may act thereon as if same has been duly given by the investor. In all cases, the investor will have to submit the original documents/ instruction to the AMC/ Mutual Fund.

The original transaction instructions shall clearly bear on every page the statement "Originals for records". Further, any failure to do so on part of the investor might result in duplication in processing of transaction and the AMC shall not be held liable as such.

The investor acknowledges that the Fax/Email submission is not a secure means of giving instructions / transactions requests and that the investor is aware of the risks involved including those arising out of such transmission being inaccurate, imperfect, ineffective, illegible, having a lack of quality or clarity, garbled, altered, distorted, not timely etc.

The investor's request to the Recipient to act on the Fax/Email submission is for the investor's convenience and the Recipient is not obliged or bound to act on the same. The investor authorizes the recipient to accept and act on any Fax Submission which the Recipient believes in good faith to be given by the investor and the Recipient may at its discretion treat any such transaction as if the same was given to the Recipient under the investor's original

signature. The investor accepts that the Fax/ Email submission shall not be considered until acknowledged as a valid transaction request in the Scheme in line with SEBI regulations.

The Recipient will also not be liable in case where the transaction sent or purported to be sent is not processed on account of the fact that it was not received by the Recipient. In case there is any difference between the particulars mentioned in the Fax/ Email submission received as against the original document which may be received thereafter, the Recipient shall not be liable for any consequences arising therefrom.

The investor agrees that the Recipient may adopt additional security measures including signature verification, telephone call backs or a combination of the same, which may be recorded and the investor consents to such recording and agrees to co-operate with the Recipient to enable confirmation of such transaction requests.

In consideration of the Recipient from time to time accepting and at its sole discretion (including but not limited to the AMC extending / discontinuing such facilities from time to time) acting on any Fax/Email submission request received / purporting to be received from the investor, the investor agrees to indemnify and keep indemnified the AMC, Directors, employees, agents, representatives of the AMC, Mutual Fund and Trustees from and against all actions, claims, demands, liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, costs and expenses of whatever nature (whether actual or contingent) directly or indirectly suffered or incurred, sustained by or threatened against the indemnified parties whatsoever arising from or in connection with or any way relating to the indemnified parties in good faith accepting and acting on Fax/ Email submission requests including relying upon such transaction requests purporting to come from the investor even though it may not come from the Investor.

The AMC reserves the right to modify the terms and conditions or to discontinue the facility at any point of time.

#### **Stock Exchange Infrastructure Facility**

The investors can subscribe to / switch / redeem the units of the Scheme under "Growth" option platform of National Stock Exchange ("MFSS", "NMFII") and "BSEStAR MF" platform of BSE Ltd. Please contact any of the Investor Service Centres (ISCs) of the Mutual Fund to understand the detailed process of transacting through this facility.

#### Transactions Through MF Utility ("MFU")

Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Limited has entered into an

agreement with MF Utilities India Private Limited ("MFUI") a "Category II - Registrar to an Issue" under SEBI (Registrars to an Issue and Share Transfer Agents) Regulations, 1993, for usage of MF Utility ("MFU") - a shared services initiative of various asset management companies, which acts as a transaction aggregator for transacting in multiple schemes of various mutual funds with a single form and a single payment instrument. Accordingly, all the authorized Points of Service ("POS") and website/mobile applications of MFUI shall be eligible to be considered as Official Point of Acceptance ("OPAT") for all financial and nonfinancial transactions in the schemes of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund either physically or electronically. The list of POS of MFUI is published on the website of MFUI at www.mfuindia.com. Applicability of NAV shall be based on time stamping as evidenced by confirmation slips given by POS of MFUI and also the realization of funds in the Bank account of the Fund (and NOT the time of realization of funds in the Bank account of MFUI) within the applicable cut-off timing. The uniform cut-off time as prescribed by SEBI and mentioned in the SID/KIM shall be applicable for applications received through such facilities.

Investors are requested to note that MFUI will allot a Common Account Number ("CAN") i.e. a single reference number for all investments in the mutual fund industry for transacting in multiple schemes of various mutual funds through MFU and to map existing folios, if any. Investors can create a CAN by submitting the CAN Registration Form and necessary documents at the POS. The AMC and/or its Registrar and Transfer Agent shall provide necessary details to MFUI, as may be needed, for providing the required services to investors / distributors through MFU. Investors are requested to visit the website of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund (www.bajajamc.com) or MFUI (www.mfuindia.com) to download the relevant forms. For any queries or clarifications related to MFU, please contact the Customer Care of MFUI, on 022 6134 4316 (during the business hours, on all days, except Saturday, Sunday and public holidays). The Fund reserves the right to introduce, change, modify or withdraw the facility available at any point of time and to restrict the number/type of schemes being offered through this facility.

# Online transactions through KFIN

Online website for KFIN - Registrar and Transfer Agent ("RTA") for Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund has built an online website <a href="mailto:mfs.kfintech.com">mfs.kfintech.com</a> wherein investors / unit holders can transact in the schemes of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund by opening an account on RTA Website/portal/mobile app ("Online Facility"). The transactions in the scheme of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund through this online facility be allowed as may be facilitated by RTA on its website. RTA online Website/portal/mobile app/server be considered as OPAT.

Investors/ unitholders please note that only KYC complied investor/unitholders or KYC process to be completed before transaction submission allowed to use this online facility/portal/mobile app. For the purpose of determining the applicability of NAV, time of transaction would be the time when request for subscription/sale/switch of units is received in the servers of AMC/RTA.

# Online Transactions through website of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund

Facility of online transactions is available on the official website of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund i.e. <a href="www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a>. Consequent to this, the said website is declared to be an "OPAT" for applications for subscriptions, redemptions, switches and other facilities. The uniform cut-off time as prescribed by SEBI and as mentioned in the SID shall be applicable for applications received on the website. However, investors should note that transactions on the website shall be subject to the eligibility of the investors, any terms & conditions as stipulated by Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund/Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Limited from time to time and any law for the time being in force. The AMC reserves the right to modify the terms and conditions or to discontinue the facility at any point in time.

# Online Transactions through WhatsApp Facility for schemes of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund

Investors can avail WhatsApp Facility ("facility") for financial transactions (Lumpsum and Systematic Investment Plan) in the schemes of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund.

Investors can avail this facility by initiating message saying 'Hi' on following WhatsApp number through their WhatsApp number:

Sr.	WhatsApp	Description
No.	Number	
1.	+91 9145665151	Bajaj Finserv MF (for Distributor initiated transactions for investors)
2.	+91 8007736666	Bajaj Finserv MF (for Investor)

Switch, Systematic Withdrawal Plan (SWP), Systematic Transfer Plan (STP) and Redemption type of transactions are also acceptable under such WhatsApp facility through distributors only through WhatsApp number - +91 9145665151.

The transaction requests will be enabled after appropriate verification of the investor as per applicable laws and regulations. The transactions through this facility shall be subject to such monetary limits, operating guidelines, terms & conditions as may be prescribed by Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Limited and/or

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As per the SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, to comply with the requirements of RTA inter-operable Platform for enhancing investors' experience in Mutual Fund transactions / service requests, the QRTA's, Kfin Technologies Private Limited (Kfintech) and Computer Age Management Services Limited (CAMS) have jointly developed MFCentral - A digital platform for Mutual Fund investors. MFCentral is created with an intent to be a one stop portal / mobile app for all Mutual fund investments and service related needs that significantly reduces the need for submission of physical documents by enabling various digital / physical services to Mutual fund investors across fund houses subject to applicable T&Cs of the Platform. MFCentral will be enabling various features and services in a phased manner. MFCentral may be accessed using <a href="https://mfcentral.com">https://mfcentral.com</a> and a Mobile App in future with a view to comply with all provisions of the aforesaid circular and to increase digital penetration of Mutual funds, Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund ("the Fund") designates MFCentral as its Official point of acceptance (ISC —Investor Service Center). Any registered user of MFCentral, requiring submission of physical document as per the requirements of MFCentral, may do so at any of the designated Investor Service centers or collection centers of Kfintech or CAMS. The AMC reserves the right to modify the terms and conditions or to discontinue the facility at any point of time.		
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would become applicable automatically without any reference from SEBI and accordingly the Scheme shall be wound up and the units would be redeemed at applicable NAV. The two conditions mentioned above shall also be complied within each subsequent calendar quarter thereafter, on an average basis, as specified by SEBI. If there is a breach of the 25% limit by any investor over the quarter, a rebalancing period of one month would be allowed and thereafter the investor who is in breach of the rule shall be given 15 days' notice to redeem his exposure over the 25 % limit. Failure on the part of the said investor to redeem his exposure over the 25 % limit within the aforesaid 15 days would lead to automatic redemption by the Mutual Fund on the applicable Net Asset Value on the 15th day of the notice period. The Fund shall adhere to the requirements prescribed by SEBI from time to time in this regard.

#### DUE DILIGENCE BY THE ASSET MANAGEMENT COMPANY

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 55)

It is confirmed that:

- (i) The Scheme Information Document submitted to SEBI is in accordance with the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 and the guidelines and directives issued by SEBI from time to time.
- (ii) All legal requirements connected with the launching of the Scheme as also the guidelines, instructions, etc., issued by the Government and any other competent authority in this behalf, have been duly complied with.
- (iii) The disclosures made in the Scheme Information Document are true, fair and adequate to enable the investors to make a well informed decision regarding investment in the Scheme.
- (iv) The intermediaries named in the Scheme Information Document and Statement of Additional Information are registered with SEBI and their registration is valid, as on date.
- (v) The contents of the Scheme Information Document including figures, data, yields etc. have been checked and are factually correct
- (vi) A confirmation that the AMC has complied with the compliance checklist applicable for Scheme Information Documents and other than cited deviations/ that there are no deviations from the regulations
- (vii) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Scheme Information Document, the provisions of the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 and the guidelines there under shall be applicable.
- (viii) The Trustees have ensured that the Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund approved by them is a new product offered by Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund and is not a minor modification of any existing scheme/fund/product.

For Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Limited (Investment Manager to Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund)

Sd/-Harish Iyer Compliance Officer

Date: June 26, 2024 Place: Pune

#### Part II. INFORMATION ABOUT THE SCHEME

#### A. HOW WILL THE SCHEME ALLOCATE ITS ASSETS?

Std. obs. 14

Instruments	Indicative allocations (% of total assets)	
	Minimum	Maximum
Overnight securities or debt / money market instrument*	0%	100%
maturing on or before the next business day		

The Scheme retains the flexibility to invest across all the securities in the debt and Money Market Instruments.

\*TREPS, Government Repo / Reverse Repo (in Government Securities), Treasury bills, Government securities (Issued by both Central and State governments) and any other like instruments as specified by the Reserve Bank of India from time to time and approved by SEBI from time to time having maturity of 1 business day.

The Scheme may invest in the Overnight & Liquid schemes of Mutual Funds and shall not exceed 5% of the net asset value of the mutual fund. The Scheme may invest in liquid schemes of Mutual Funds in accordance with the applicable extant SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations as amended from time to time.

The Scheme shall invest in repo in Corporate Bond upto 10% of the net assets of the scheme. Investment in repo in corporate bond will be undertaken for only 1 day maturity and only in AAA rated corporate bonds.

The scheme can deploy not exceeding 5% of the net assets in G-secs and/or T-bills with a residual maturity of upto 30 days for the purpose of placing the same as margin and collateral for certain transactions.

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 18)

The Scheme may undertake (i) repo/reverse repo transactions in Corporate Debt Securities in accordance with guidelines issued by SEBI from time to time. In addition to the instruments stated in the table above, the Scheme may enter into repos/reverse repos as may be permitted by RBI. From time to time, the Scheme may hold cash. A part of the net assets may be invested in the Tri-party Repos on Government securities or treasury bills (TREPS) or repo or in an alternative investment as may be provided by RBI to meet the liquidity requirements, subject to approval, if any.

Indicative Table (Actual instrument/percentages may vary subject to applicable SEBI circulars)

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Sl. no	Type of Instrument	Percentage of exposure	Circular references
1.	Securities Lending	0%	SEBI Master Circular for Mutual
2.	Equity Derivatives for non-	0%	Funds dated May 19, 2023
	hedging purposes		
3.	Fixed Income Derivatives for	0%	
	non- hedging purposes		
4.	Securitized Debt	0%	
5.	Overseas Securities	0%	
6.	ReITs and InvITs	0%	
7.	AT1 and AT2 Bonds	0%	
8.	Any other instrument	1	
9.	Overnight & Liquid schemes of	5% of the net asset value of	
	Mutual Funds	the mutual fund	

Sl. no	Type of Instrument	Percentage of exposure	Circular references
10.	Repo in Corporate Bond	10% of the net assets of	
		the scheme	
11.	G-secs and/or T-bills with a	5% of the net assets of the	
	residual maturity of upto 30	scheme	
	days		

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 18)

The scheme will not invest in following securities:

Sr. No.	Securities
1.	Equity & Equity related instruments and equity derivatives.
2.	REIT and InviT
3.	Overseas securities
4.	Derivatives
5.	Securitized debt instrument
6.	Special features Bond
7.	Short selling of securities
8.	Securities Lending
9.	Credit Default Swaps instruments
10.	Debt securities having structured obligations (SO rating) and/or credit enhancements (CE
	rating)

Pursuant to SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, on Risk management framework for overnight funds, the Scheme shall not park its funds which are pending for deployment in short term deposits of scheduled commercial banks.

The Scheme shall not invest in debt securities having structured obligations (SO rating) and/or credit enhancements (CE rating). However, debt securities with government guarantee shall be excluded from such restriction. The scheme will not invest in Equity & Equity related instruments and equity derivatives.

The scheme will not invest in foreign Securities, Derivatives, Credit Default Swaps instruments. The scheme will not invest in securitized debt instrument.

The scheme will not invest in instruments having special features as stated in SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023as amended from time to time.

The scheme will not invest in units of REITs and InvITs.

The Scheme will not do any 'Short Selling' and 'Securities Lending' activity.

The cumulative gross exposure through debt, money market instruments, repo transactions in corporate debt securities and such other securities/assets as may be permitted by the Board from time to time should not exceed 100% of the net assets of the scheme in accordance with SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 17)

The Margin may be placed in the form of such securities/instruments/deposits as may be permitted/eligible to be placed as margin from the assets of the Scheme. The securities/instruments/deposits so placed as margin shall be classified under the applicable category of assets for the purposes of asset allocation.

At the time of building up the portfolio post NFO, the Fund Manager may deploy the funds in units of overnight mutual fund schemes to the extent permitted under SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996, in case suitable debt / money market instruments are not available or the Fund Manager is of the view that the risk-reward is not in the best interest of the unit holders.

All of the Scheme's assets will be invested in transferable securities. The corpus of the Scheme shall not in any manner be used in option trading, short selling or carry forward transactions as stipulated in SEBI Regulations and amended from time to time.

#### B. WHERE WILL THE SCHEME INVEST?

Std. obs. 15

The corpus of the Scheme shall be invested in accordance with the investment objective in any (but not exclusively) of the following securities:

- 1) Securities created and issued by the Central and State Governments and/or repos/reverse repos in such Government Securities as may be permitted by RBI (including but not limited to coupon bearing bonds, zero coupon bonds and treasury bills).
- 2) Securities guaranteed by the Central, State and local Governments (including but not limited to coupon bearing bonds, zero coupon bonds and treasury bills).
- 3) Fixed Income Securities of domestic Government agencies and statutory bodies, which may or may not carry a Central/State Government guarantee
- 4) Debt securities issued by domestic Government agencies and statutory bodies, which may or may not carry a Central/State Government guarantee.
- 5) Securities issued by banks (both public and private sector) including term deposit with the banks as permitted by SEBI/RBI from time to time, subject to approval from SEBI / RBI as required and development financial institutions.
- 6) Commercial usance Bills (Bills of exchange/promissory notes of public sector and private sector corporate entities) Rediscounting, usance bills and commercial bills.
- 7) Money market instruments, as permitted by SEBI/RBI.
- 8) Corporate Bonds
- 9) Certificate of Deposits (CDs)
- 10) Commercial Paper (CPs)
- 11) The non-convertible part of convertible securities.
- 12) Units of Mutual Fund Schemes.
- 13) Cash & cash equivalents.
- 14) Repo transactions in corporate debt securities.
- 15) Any other domestic fixed income securities as permitted by SEBI/ RBI subject to requisite approvals from SEBI/RBI, if needed.

#### C. WHAT ARE THE INVESTMENT STRATEGIES?

Std. obs. 7

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 27)

The scheme aims to provide an investment vehicle to meet the needs of the Investors who want to deploy their funds for a very short period. The investment objective of the Scheme is to generate income by investing in debt, money market instruments, and cash & cash equivalent with overnight maturity (maturing in one business day). Investments under the Scheme would be made mainly in Triparty Repo Trades, debt and money market instruments and cash and cash equivalents with overnight maturity.

The Scheme may invest in liquid funds for overnight deployment.

# D. HOW WILL THE SCHEME BENCHMARK ITS PERFORMANCE?

Std. obs. 9

The Scheme benchmark would be CRISIL Liquid Overnight Index.

The composition of the aforesaid benchmark is such that, it is most suited for comparing performance of the Scheme. The Trustees may change the benchmark in future if a benchmark better suited to the investment objective of the scheme is available.

As required under SEBI Master Circular on Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, the benchmark has been selected from amongst those notified by AMFI as the first-tier benchmark to be adopted by mutual funds and which are reflective of the category of the scheme. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 25)

The Trustee reserves the right to change the benchmark for the evaluation of the performance of the Scheme from time to time, keeping in mind the investment objective of the Scheme and the appropriateness of the benchmark, subject to the compliance with Regulations/ circulars issued by SEBI and AMFI in this regard from time to time.

#### E. WHO MANAGES THE SCHEME?

Std. obs. 10

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 33)

Name of Fund Manager, Age and Educational qualifications	Work experience	Other schemes managed
Mr. Siddharth Chaudhary  42 years  B. Com, PGPSM from UTI Institute of Capital Markets  (Managing the scheme since inception.)	Mr. Chaudhary joined the Company in July 2022 as Senior Fund Manager — Fixed Income. Prior to this he was associated with Sundaram Asset Management Co. Ltd from April 2019 - July 2022 as Head Fixed Income — Institutional Business, from April 2017 — March 2019 as Senior Fund Manager — Fixed Income, from August 2010 — March 2017 as Fund Manager — Fixed Income. During June 2006 — September 2010 he was working as Senior Manager, Treasury Dept in Indian Bank.	Fund*

<sup>\*</sup>Jointly with Mr. Nimesh Chandan

Name of Fund Manager, Age and Qualifications	Work experience	Other schemes managed
Mr. Nimesh Chandan	Mr. Nimesh has over 23 years of experience in the Indian Capital	'
46 years	Markets. He has spent 17 years in	Fund*
B.Com, MMS (Finance)	Fund Management- managing and advising domestic and international	Bajaj Finserv Banking and PSU Fund*

Name of Fund Manager, Age and Qualifications	Work experience	Other schemes managed
(Managing the scheme since inception.)	investors, retail as well as institutional. Prior to joining Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Ltd, he has worked with Canara Robeco Asset Management as Head Investments, Equities (Domestic and Offshore). He has also worked with other asset management companies including Birla Sunlife Asset Management, SBI Asset Management and ICICI Prudential Asset Management.	<ul> <li>Bajaj Finserv Balanced Advantage Fund (equity portion)#</li> <li>Bajaj Finserv Large and Mid Cap Fund (equity portion)#</li> </ul>

<sup>\*</sup>Jointly with Mr. Siddharth Chaudhary

# F. HOW IS THE SCHEME DIFFERENT FROM EXISTING SCHEMES OF THE MUTUAL FUND?

Name of the Scheme	Category of Scheme
Bajaj Finserv Liquid Fund	Liquid Fund
Bajaj Finserv Money Market Fund	Money Market Fund
Bajaj Finserv Banking and PSU Fund	Banking and PSU Fund
Bajaj Finserv Flexi Cap Fund	Flexi Cap Fund
Bajaj Finserv Balanced Advantage Fund	Balanced Advantage Fund
Bajaj Finserv Arbitrage Fund	Arbitrage Fund
Bajaj Finserv Nifty 50 ETF	Exchange Traded Fund
Bajaj Finserv Nifty Bank ETF	Exchange Traded Fund
Bajaj Finserv Large and Mid Cap Fund	Large and Mid Cap Fund
Bajaj Finserv Multi Asset Allocation Fund	Multi Asset Allocation Fund
Bajaj Finserv Nifty 1D Rate Liquid ETF	Exchange Traded Fund

The investors can refer to the detailed comparative table of the existing schemes on the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a>.

# G. HOW HAS THE SCHEME PERFORMED (if applicable)

The performance of the scheme as on May 31, 2024, is as follows:

Absolute Return	Scheme Returns %		ute Return Scheme Returns % Benchmark Returns (		Returns (%)
	Regular	Direct	Regular	Direct	
Returns for the last 1 year	-	-	-	-	
Returns for the last 3 years	-	-	-	-	
Returns for the last 5 years	-	-	-	-	
Returns since inception	6.11%	6.16%	6.19%	6.19%	

# Notes:

- Past performance may or may not be sustained in future.
- Different Plans i.e. Regular Plan and Direct Plan under the scheme have different expense structure.
- Benchmark: CRISIL Liquid Overnight Index

<sup>#</sup>Jointly with Mr. Sorbh Gupta

- Inception Date: July 05, 2023.
- Returns less than 1 year period are absolute

#### H. ADDITIONAL SCHEME RELATED DISCLOSURES

- i. Scheme's portfolio holdings (top 10 holdings by issuer and fund allocation towards various sectors to be provided through a functional website link that contains detailed description.): Investors can refer to this data on AMC website at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a>
- ii. Disclosure of name and exposure to Top 7 issuers, stocks, groups and sectors as a percentage of NAV of the scheme in case of debt and equity ETFs/index funds through a functional website link that contains detailed description: Not Applicable
- iii. **Functional website link for Portfolio Disclosure:** Portfolio shall be disclosed (i) on a fortnightly basis (i.e. as on 15th and as on the last day of the month), within 5 days from end of the fortnight and (ii) as on the last day of the month/half-year i.e. March 31 and September 30 within 10 days from the close of each month/half-year respectively. Portfolio shall be disclosed on AMC website <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?portfolio">https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?portfolio</a> and on AMFI website <a href="www.amfiindia.com">www.amfiindia.com</a>. Portfolio shall be disclosed in a user-friendly and downloadable spreadsheet format.
- iv. Portfolio Turnover Rate particularly for equity oriented schemes shall also be disclosed: Not Applicable
- v. **Aggregate investment in the Scheme by (as on May 31, 2024):**

Sr. No.	Category of Persons	Net Value		Market Value (in Rs.)
		Units	NAV per unit	
1.	Scheme Fund Manager	0	0.0000	0.0000

For any other disclosure w.r.t investments by key personnel and AMC directors including regulatory provisions in this regard, kindly refer SAI.

#### vi. **Investments of AMC in the Scheme:**

Std. obs. 1

Subject to the SEBI MF Regulations, the sponsors & Investment Companies managed by them, their associate companies, subsidiaries of the sponsors, the funds managed by associates and/or the AMC may acquire a substantial portion of the scheme. Accordingly, redemption of units held by such funds, associates and sponsors may have an adverse impact on the units of the scheme because the timing of such redemption may impact the ability of other unit holders to redeem their units.

In addition to investments as mandated above, the AMC may invest in the Scheme subject to the SEBI (MF) Regulations. Under the Regulations, the AMC is not permitted to charge any investment management and advisory services fee on its own investment in the Scheme.

#### (Consolidated Std. Obs. 58)

The Scheme may invest in other schemes managed by the AMC or in the schemes of any other Mutual Funds, provided it is in conformity to the investment objective of the Scheme and in terms of the prevailing Regulations. As per the Regulations, no investment management fees will be charged for such investments.

The investors can refer to the investments made by the AMC in the scheme on the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?statutory-disclosures="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads.googness">https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads.googness.

#### **Part III - OTHER DETAILS**

#### A. COMPUTATION OF NAV

The NAV of the units of the scheme would be computed by dividing the net assets of the scheme by the number of outstanding units on the valuation date. The AMC shall value the investments according to the valuation norms, as specified in the SEBI MF Regulations. All expenses and incomes accrued up to the valuation date shall be considered for computation of NAV. The NAV of the Scheme would be calculated upto four decimal places and would be declared on each business day.

NAV of units under the scheme shall be calculated as shown below:

NAV(Rs.) =

Market or Fair Value of Scheme's investments + Current Assets - Current Liabilities and Provision

No. of units outstanding under the scheme

Illustration on Computation of NAV: If the net assets of the Scheme are Rs. 10,55,55,000.00 and units outstanding are 1,00,00,000 then the NAV per unit will be computed as follows: 10,55,55,000.00 / 1,00,00,000 = Rs. 10.5555 per unit (upto four decimal). (Consolidated Std. Obs. 42)

# • Methodology of calculating the sale price

The price or NAV a unitholder is charged while investing in an open-ended scheme is called sale / subscription price. Pursuant to clause 10.4.1.a of the SEBI Master circular, no entry load will be charged by the Scheme to the unitholders.

Therefore, Sale / Subscription price = Applicable NAV

# Methodology of calculating the repurchase price

Repurchase or redemption price is the price or NAV at which an open-ended scheme purchases or redeems its units from the Unitholders. It may include exit load, if applicable. The exit load, if any, shall be charged as a percentage of Net Assets Value (NAV) i.e. applicable load as a percentage of NAV will be deducted from the "Applicable NAV" to calculate the repurchase price.

Therefore, Repurchase / Redemption Price = Applicable NAV \*(1 – Exit Load, if any)

For example, If the Applicable NAV of the Scheme is Rs. 10 and the Exit Load applicable at the time of investment is 1% if redeemed before completion of 1 year from the date of allotment of units and the Unitholder redeems units before completion of 1 year, then the repurchase/redemption price will be:

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= Rs. 10*(1-0.01)
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<sup>=</sup> Rs. 9.90

The Redemption /Repurchase Price will not be lower than 95% of the NAV. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 47)

Std. obs. 17(b)

For other details such as policies w.r.t computation of NAV, rounding off, investment in foreign securities, procedure in case of delay in disclosure of NAV etc. refer to SAI.

# B. NEW FUND OFFER (NFO) EXPENSES

These are the expenses incurred for the purpose of new fund offer of the scheme including marketing, advertising, communication, registrar expenses, statutory expenses, printing expenses, stationery expenses, bank charges, exchange related charges, service provider related charges etc. As required in SEBI Regulations, all NFO expenses will be borne only by the AMC and not by the scheme. Accordingly, the NFO expenses would be incurred from AMC books and not from scheme books.

#### C. ANNUAL SCHEME RECURRING EXPENSES

These are the fees and expenses for operating the scheme. These expenses include Investment Management and Advisory Fee charged by the AMC, Registrar and Transfer Agents' fee, marketing and selling costs etc. as given in the table below:

Limits specified by SEBI in SEBI MF Regulations for scheme recurring expenses:

- a. on the first Rs. 500 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets upto 2.00%;
- b. on the next Rs. 250 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets upto 1.75%;
- c. on the next Rs. 1,250 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets upto exceed 1.50%;
- d. on the next Rs. 3,000 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets upto exceed 1.35%;
- e. on the next Rs. 5,000 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets upto exceed 1.25%;
- f. on the next Rs. 40,000 crore of the Scheme's daily net assets Total Expense Ratio reduction of 0.05% for every increase of Rs. 5,000 crores of daily net assets or part thereof;
- g. on balance of the assets upto 0.80%.

In addition to the recurring expense mentioned above, additional expenses of 0.05% of daily net assets of the scheme shall be chargeable.

Expense Head	% p.a. of daily Net Assets* (Estimated p.a.)
Investment Management & Advisory Fee	Up to 2.00
Audit fees/fees and expenses of trustees	
Custodial Fees	
Registrar & Transfer Agent Fees including cost of providing account	
statements / IDCW / redemption cheques/ warrants	
Marketing & Selling Expenses including Agents Commission and statutory	
advertisement	
Costs related to investor communications	
Costs of fund transfer from location to location	
Cost towards investor education & awareness <sup>&amp;</sup>	
Brokerage & transaction cost pertaining to distribution of units*	
Goods & Services Tax on expenses other than investment and advisory fees	
Goods & Services Tax on brokerage and transaction cost	

Expense Head	% p.a. of daily Net Assets* (Estimated p.a.)
Other Expenses (to be specified as per Reg 52 of SEBI MF Regulations)#	
Maximum Total expenses ratio (TER) permissible under Regulation 52 (6) (c)	Up to 2.00
Additional expenses under Regulations 52(6A)(c)	0
Additional expenses for gross new inflows from specified cities (Consolidated Std. Obs. 46)	Up to 0.30*

<sup>\*</sup>SEBI vide letter no. SEBI/HO/IMD/IMD-SEC3/P/OW/2023/5823/1 dated February 24, 2023 and AMFI vide letter no. 35P/MEM-COR/85/2022-23 dated March 02, 2023 has advised AMCs to keep B-30 incentive in abeyance till AMCs put in place effective controls. Accordingly, applicability of this expense ratio will be subject to any further communication issued by SEBI / AMFI in this regard.

<sup>&</sup>In terms of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, the AMC / Mutual Fund shall annually set apart at least 2 basis points (i.e. 0.02%) on daily net assets of the scheme within the maximum limit of Total Expense Ratio as per Regulation 52 of the SEBI (MF) Regulations for investor education and awareness initiatives.

\*Brokerage and transaction costs incurred for the execution of trades and included in the cost of investment, not exceeding 0.12% of the value of trades of cash market transactions and 0.05% of the value of trades of derivative market transactions. It is hereby clarified that the brokerage and transaction costs incurred for the execution of trades may be capitalized to the extent of 0.12% of the value of trades of cash market transactions and 0.05% of the value of trades of derivative market transactions. Any payment towards brokerage and transaction costs (including Goods & Services Tax, if any) incurred for the execution of trades, over and above the said 0.12% for cash market transactions and 0.05% of the value of trades of derivative market transactions may be charged to the scheme within the maximum limit of Total Expense Ratio (TER) as prescribed under Regulation 52 of the SEBI (MF) Regulations.

# Illustration in returns between Regular and Direct Plan

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 44)

Particulars	Regular Plan	Direct Plan
Amount invested at the beginning of the year (Rs,)	10,000	10,000
Returns before Expenses (Rs.)	1,500	1,500
Expenses other than Distribution Expenses (Rs.)	150	150
Distribution Expenses (Rs.)	50	-
Returns after Expenses at the end of the year (Rs.)	1,300	1,350
Returns (%)	13.00%	13.50%

The expense of 30 bps shall be charged if the new inflows from retail investors from B30 cities as specified from time to time are at least -

(i) 30% of gross new inflows from retail investors in the scheme, or; (ii) 15% of the average assets under management (year to date) of the scheme, whichever is higher:

Provided that if inflows from retail investors from B30 cities is less than the higher of subclause (i) or subclause (ii), such expenses on daily net assets of the scheme shall be charged on proportionate basis.

Provided further that expenses charged under this clause shall be utilized for distribution expenses incurred for bringing inflows from retail investors from B30 cities.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>#</sup>As permitted under the Regulation 52 of SEBI (MF) Regulations, 1996 and pursuant to SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023.

Provided further that amount incurred as expense on account of inflows from retail investors from B30 cities shall be credited back to the scheme in case the said inflows are redeemed within a period of one year from the date of investment.

In case inflows from retail investors from beyond top 30 cities is less than the higher of (i) or (ii) above, additional TER on daily net assets of the scheme shall be charged as follows:

# Daily net assets X 30 basis points X new inflows from individuals beyond top 30 cities

365\* X Higher of (i) or (ii) above

For the above purposes, 'B30 cities' shall be beyond Top 30 cities as at the end of previous financial year as communicated by AMFI. Retail investors would mean individual investors from whom inflows into the scheme would amount upto Rs. 2,00,000/- per transaction.

Direct Plan shall have a lower expense ratio excluding distribution expenses, commission, etc and no commission for distribution of units will be paid / charged under Direct Plan. All fees and expenses charged in a Direct Plan (in percentage terms) under various heads including the investment and advisory fee shall not exceed the fees and expenses charged under such heads in other than Direct Plan.

The AMC shall adhere provisions of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, and various guidelines specified by SEBI as amended from time to time, with reference to charging of fees and expenses. Accordingly:

- a. All scheme related expenses including commission paid to distributors, shall be paid from the scheme only within the regulatory limits and not from the books of the AMC, its associates, sponsor, trustee or any other entity through any route. Provided that, such expenses that are not specifically covered in terms of Regulation 52 (4) can be paid out of AMC books at actual or not exceeding 2 bps of the Scheme AUM, whichever is lower.
- b. The Mutual Fund shall adopt full trail model of commission in the scheme, without payment of any upfront commission or upfronting of any trail commission, directly or indirectly, in cash or kind, through sponsorships, or any other route.
- c. All fees and expenses charged in a Direct Plan (in percentage terms) under various heads including the investment and advisory fee shall not exceed the fees and expenses charged under such heads in Regular Plan.
- d. No pass back, either directly or indirectly, shall be given by the Fund / the AMC / Distributors to the investors.

# <u>Disclosure on Goods & Services Tax:</u>

Goods & Services Tax on investment management and advisory fees shall be in addition to the above expense.

Further, with respect to Goods & Services Tax on other than management and advisory fees:

- Goods & Services Tax on other than investment and advisory fees, if any, shall be borne by the scheme within the maximum limit of TER as per regulation 52 of the Regulations.
- Goods & Services Tax on exit load, if any, shall be paid out of the exit load proceeds and exit load net of Goods & Services Tax, if any, shall be credited to the scheme.

<sup>\* 366,</sup> wherever applicable.

• Goods & Services Tax on brokerage and transaction cost paid for asset purchases, if any, shall be within the limit prescribed under regulation 52 of the Regulations.

For the actual current expenses being charged to the scheme, investors should refer to the website of the mutual fund at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?ter="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?ter=">https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?ter=</a>. Any change proposed to the current expense ratio will be updated on the website at least three working days prior to the change.

As per the Regulations, the total recurring expenses that can be charged to the scheme shall be subject to the applicable guidelines. The total recurring expenses of the scheme, will however be limited to the ceilings as prescribed under Regulation 52(6) of the Regulations.

#### D. LOAD STRUCTURE

Std. obs. 16

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 47)

Exit Load is an amount which is paid by the investor to redeem the units from the scheme. Load amounts are variable and are subject to change from time to time. For the current applicable structure, please refer to the website at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a> or may call at toll free no. 18003093900 or your distributor.

Type of Load	Load chargeable (as %age of NAV)
Entry*	Not applicable
Exit	Nil

\*In accordance with the requirements specified by the SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, no entry load will be charged for subscription /additional subscription /switches accepted by the Mutual Fund. Similarly, no entry load will be charged with respect to applications for registrations under the SIP/STP accepted by the Mutual Fund. For the purpose of charging of exit load, units would be considered on First in First out (FIFO) basis. Any imposition or enhancement of exit load shall be applicable only on prospective investments.

In case of redemption/switch undertaken in excess of 25% holding of an investor on account of compliance with the requirements of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, shall not be subject to exit load imposed in the scheme.

The upfront commission on investment made by the investor, if any, shall be paid to the ARN Holder (AMFI registered distributor) directly by the investor, based on the investor's assessment of various factors including service rendered by the ARN Holder.

The AMC/Trustee reserves the right to change / modify the Load structure of the Scheme, subject to maximum limits as prescribed under the Regulations. However, the Redemption /Repurchase Price will not be lower than 95% of the NAV. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 47)

Std. obs. 17(b)

Load on bonus/ re-investment of Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal units: In terms SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023 no entry and exit load shall be charged on bonus units or units allotted on reinvestment of Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal.

The Trustee / AMC reserves the right to change the load structure any time in future if they so deem fit on a prospective basis. The investor is requested to check the prevailing load structure of the scheme before investing.

In case of changes to load structure, the AMC would endeavor to do the following:

- 1. An addendum would be attached to the SID and Key Information Memorandum (KIM). The same may be circulated to brokers/distributors so that the same can be attached to all SID and abridged SID in stock. Further the addendum would be sent along with a newsletter to unitholders immediately after the changes.
- 2. Arrangement would be made to display the changes in the SID in the form of a notice in all the official point of acceptance of transactions and distributor's/broker's office.
- 3. The introduction of the exit load along with the details may be stamped in the acknowledgement slip issued to the investors on submission of the application form and may also be disclosed in the statement of accounts issued after the introduction of such load.
- 4. A public notice shall be provided on the website in case of changes undertaken to the exit load.

#### Section II

#### I. Introduction

#### A. Definitions/interpretation:

The investors may refer to the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a> for definition of terms used in this Scheme Information Document.

B. Risk factors:

Std. obs. 2

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 8)

# Scheme specific risk factors:

# 1. Risks associated with investing in fixed income:

- Market Risk: The NAV of the scheme, to the extent invested in Debt and Money Market securities, will
  be affected by changes in the general level of interest rates. The NAV of the scheme is expected to
  increase from a fall in interest rates while it would be adversely affected by an increase in the level of
  interest rates.
- Liquidity Risk: Money market securities, while fairly liquid, lack a well-developed secondary market, which may restrict the selling ability of the scheme and may lead to the scheme incurring losses till the security is finally sold. The liquidity of a bond may change, depending on market conditions leading to changes in the liquidity premium attached to the price of the bond. At the time of selling the security, the security can become illiquid, leading to loss in value of the portfolio.
- Price Risk: Government securities where a fixed return is offered run price-risk like any other fixed income security. Generally, when interest rates rise, prices of fixed income securities fall and when interest rates drop, the prices increase. The extent of fall or rise in the prices is a function of the existing coupon, days to maturity and the increase or decrease in the level of interest rates. The new level of interest rate is determined by the rates at which government raises new money and/or the price levels at which the market is already dealing in existing securities. This risk is not unique to Government Securities. It exists for all fixed income securities. However, Government Securities are unique in the sense that their credit risk generally remains zero. Therefore, their prices are influenced only by movement in interest rates in the financial system.
- Settlement risk: The inability of the scheme to make intended securities purchases due to settlement problems could cause the scheme to miss certain investment opportunities. By the same rationale, the inability to sell securities held in the scheme's portfolio due to the extraneous factors that may impact liquidity would result, at times, in potential losses in case of a subsequent decline in the value of securities held in the scheme's portfolio.
- Regulatory Risk: Changes in government policy in general and changes in tax benefits applicable to Mutual Funds may impact the returns to investors in the scheme.
- Reinvestment Risk: This risk refers to the interest rate levels at which cash flows received from the securities in the scheme are reinvested. The additional income from reinvestment is the "interest on interest" component. The risk is that the rate at which interim cash flows can be reinvested may be lower than that originally assumed.
- Credit Risk: Investments in Debt Securities are subject to the risk of an issuer's inability to meet interest and principal payments on its obligations and market perception of the creditworthiness of the issuer.
- Risks associated with investment in unlisted securities: Subject to applicable Regulations, the scheme
  can invest in unlisted securities. These securities are subject to greater price fluctuations, less liquidity
  and greater risk than the listed securities. Except for any security of an associate or group company,

the scheme has the power to invest in securities which are not listed on a stock exchange ("unlisted Securities") which in general are subject to greater price fluctuations, less liquidity and greater risk than those which are traded in the open market. Unlisted securities may lack a liquid secondary market and there can be no assurance that the Scheme will realise their investments in unlisted securities at a fair value.

- Different types of fixed income securities in which the scheme would invest as given in the Scheme
  Information Document carry different levels and types of risk. Accordingly, the scheme risk may
  increase or decrease depending upon its investment pattern. e.g. corporate bonds carry a higher level
  of risk than Government securities. Further even among corporate bonds, bonds, which are AAA rated,
  are comparatively less risky than bonds, which are AA rated. AA rated corporate bonds are
  comparatively less risky when compared with A rated corporate bonds.
- The AMC may, considering the overall level of risk of the portfolio, invest in lower rated securities offering higher yields as well as zero coupon securities that offer attractive yields. This may increase the absolute level of risk of the portfolio.
- As zero coupon securities does not provide periodic interest payments to the holder of the security, these securities are more sensitive to changes in interest rates. Therefore, the interest rate risk of zero coupon securities is higher. The AMC may choose to invest in zero coupon securities that offer attractive yields. This may increase the risk of the portfolio.
- The scheme at times may receive large number of redemption requests leading to an asset-liability mismatch and therefore requiring the AMC to make a distress sale of the securities leading to realignment of the portfolio and consequently resulting in investment in lower yield instruments.
- Spread Risk: In a floating rate security the coupon is expressed in terms of a spread or mark up over the benchmark rate. In the life of the security, this spread may move adversely leading to loss in value of the portfolio. The yield of the underlying benchmark might not change, but the spread of the security over the underlying benchmark might increase leading to loss in value of the security.
- Counterparty Risk: This is the risk of failure of counterparty to a transaction to deliver securities against consideration received or to pay consideration against securities delivered, in full or in part or as per the agreed specification. There could be losses to the Scheme in case of a counterparty default.
- Duration Risk: Duration risk refers to the movement in price of the underlying invested money market / debt instruments due to movement/change in interest rates over different durations of maturity of instruments. In a portfolio of debt assets, the duration risk is measured by the average duration of the portfolio. Duration, expressed in years, is used as a measure of the sensitivity of the fixed income instrument to a change in interest rates. Usually, individual duration of fixed income instruments in the portfolio is calculated and the portfolio duration is weighted average of such individual instrument duration. A longer portfolio duration is associated with greater price fluctuations. A rise in interest rates could normally lead to decrease in prices and generally negatively affects portfolios having longer duration vis-a-vis portfolios having shorter duration. A fall in interest rate generally benefits portfolio having longer duration. A longer duration portfolio is also generally associated with greater volatility vis-a-vis a shorter duration portfolio.
- Sovereign Risk: Sovereign risk is the likelihood that a Government will default on its loan obligation by failing to meet its principal payments or interest. It comes in different forms and may result in losses to investors in addition to negative political consequences. The Central Government of a country is the issuer of the local currency in that country. The Government (Central / State) raises money to meet its capital and revenue expenditure by issuing debt or discounted securities. Since payment of interest and principal amount has a sovereign status implying no default, such securities are known as securities with sovereign credit. For domestic borrowers and lenders, the credit risk on such sovereign credit is minimal, even lower than a security with "AAA" rating and hence commands a yield, which is lower than a yield on "AAA" security.

# 2. Risks associated with segregated portfolio

• Liquidity risk – A segregated portfolio is created when a credit event / default occurs at an issuer level in the scheme. This may reduce the liquidity of the security issued by the said issuer, as demand for this security may reduce. This is also further accentuated by the lack of secondary market liquidity for corporate papers in India. As per SEBI norms, the scheme is to be closed for redemption and subscriptions until the segregated portfolio is created, running the risk of investors being unable to redeem their investments. However, it may be noted that, the proposed segregated portfolio is required to be formed within one day from the occurrence of the credit event.

Investors may note that no redemption and subscription shall be allowed in the segregated portfolio. However, in order to facilitate exit to unit holders in segregated portfolio, AMC shall list the units of the segregated portfolio on a recognized stock exchange within 10 working days of creation of segregated portfolio and also enable transfer of such units on receipt of transfer requests. For the units listed on the exchange, it is possible that the market price at which the units are traded may be at a discount to the NAV of such Units. There is no assurance that an active secondary market will develop for units of segregated portfolio listed on the stock exchange. This could limit the ability of the investors to resell them. There may be possibility that the security comprising the segregated portfolio may not realize any value.

Valuation risk - The valuation of the securities in the segregated portfolio is required to be carried out
in line with the applicable SEBI guidelines. However, it may be difficult to ascertain the fair value of
the securities due to absence of an active secondary market and difficulty to price in qualitative
factors.

## 3. Risks associated with Repo Transactions in Corporate Debt Securities

# **Lending transactions:**

The scheme may be exposed to counter party risk in case of repo lending transactions in the event of the counterparty failing to honour the repurchase agreement. However, in repo lending transactions, the collateral may be sold and a loss is realized only if the sale price is less than the repo amount. The risk may be further mitigated through over-collateralization (the value of the collateral being more than the repo amount). Further, the liquidation of underlying securities in case of counterparty default would depend on liquidity of the securities and market conditions at that time. It is endeavoured to mitigate the risk by following an appropriate counterparty selection process, which include their credit profile evaluation and over-collateralization to cushion the impact of market risk on sale of underlying security.

Collateral risk also arises when the market value of the securities is inadequate to meet the repo obligations or there is downward migration in rating of collateral. Further if the rating of collateral goes below the minimum required rating during the term of repo or collateral becomes ineligible for any reason, counterparty will be expected to substitute the collateral. In case of failure to do so, the AMC / Scheme will explore the option for early termination of the trade.

## **Borrowing transactions:**

In the event of the scheme being unable to pay back the money to the counterparty as contracted, the counter party may dispose of the assets (as they have sufficient margin). This risk is normally mitigated by better cash flow planning to take care of such repayments. Further, there is also a Credit Risk that the Counterparty may fail to return the security or Interest received on due date. It is endeavoured to mitigate

the risk by following an appropriate counterparty selection process, which include their credit profile evaluation.

# 4. Risks associated with investing in Tri-party Repo (TREPS) through CCIL

The Mutual Fund is a member of securities segment and Tri-party Repo trade settlement of the Clearing Corporation of India Limited (CCIL). All transactions of the Mutual Fund in government securities and in Triparty Repo trades are settled centrally through the infrastructure and settlement systems provided by CCIL; thus reducing the settlement and counterparty risks considerably for transactions in the said segments. The members are required to contribute an amount as communicated by CCIL from time to time to the default fund maintained by CCIL as a part of the default waterfall (a loss mitigating measure of CCIL in case of default by any member in settling transactions routed through CCIL). CCIL shall maintain two separate Default Funds in respect of its Securities Segment, one with a view to meet losses arising out of any default by its members from outright and repo trades and the other for meeting losses arising out of any default by its members from Triparty Repo trades. The Mutual Fund is exposed to the extent of its contribution to the default fund of CCIL at any given point in time i.e. in the event that the default waterfall is triggered and the contribution of the Mutual Fund is called upon to absorb settlement/default losses of another member by CCIL, the Scheme may lose an amount equivalent to its contribution to the default fund. Further, it may be noted that CCIL periodically prescribes a list of securities eligible for contributions as collateral by members. Presently, all Central Government securities and Treasury bills are accepted as collateral by CCIL. The risk factors may undergo change in case the CCIL notifies securities other than Government of India securities as eligible for contribution as collateral.

## 5. Performance Risk:

Performance risk refers to the risk of a scheme being unable to generate returns matching / above the returns of the scheme's benchmark. It would also mean the scheme underperforming against its peer set of other mutual fund schemes having similar portfolios, scheme classification, objective, benchmark and asset allocation. These risks could arise due to a variety of market and economic activities, government policies, global economic changes, currency fluctuations, tax policies, political changes, corporate actions and investors' behaviour.

# 6. Risks associated with 'Right to limit redemptions'

Subject to the approval of Board of Directors of the AMC and Trustee Company and immediate intimation to SEBI, a restriction on redemptions may be imposed by the Scheme under certain exceptional circumstances, which the AMC / Trustee believe that may lead to a systemic crisis or event that constrict liquidity of most securities or the efficient functioning of markets. Please refer to the paragraph "Right to Limit Redemptions" for further details including the procedure to be followed while imposing restriction on redemptions.

## 7. Risks Factors associated with transaction in Units through stock exchange(s)

In respect of transaction in units of the Scheme through stock exchange platform(s), allotment and redemption of Units on any Business Day will depend upon the order processing / settlement by the stock exchange(s) and their respective clearing corporations on which the Fund has no control.\_

# C. Risk mitigation strategies:

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 9)

The Fund by utilizing a holistic risk management strategy will endeavor to manage risks associated with investing in debt markets. The risk control process involves identifying & measuring the risk through various risk measurement tools.

The Fund has identified following risks of investing in debt and designed risk management strategies, which are embedded in the investment process to manage such risks.

## **Risk associated with Debt Investment**

## **Risk Description**

## **Market Risk**

As with all debt securities, changes in interest rates may affect the scheme's Net Asset Value as the prices of securities generally increase as interest rates decline and generally decrease as interest rates rise. Prices of long-term securities generally fluctuate more in response to interest rate changes than do short-term securities. Indian debt markets can be volatile leading to the possibility of price movements up or down in fixed income securities and thereby to possible movements in the NAV.

# Risk Mitigants/management strategy

In a rising interest rates scenario, the Fund Manager will endeavor to increase investment in money market securities whereas if the interest rates are expected to fall, the allocation to debt securities with longer maturity will be increased thereby mitigating risk to that extent.

## **Liquidity or Marketability Risk**

This refers to the ease with which a security can be sold at or near to its valuation Yield-To- Maturity (YTM). The primary measure of liquidity risk is the spread between the bid price and the offer price quoted by a dealer. Liquidity risk is today characteristic of the Indian fixed income market.

The scheme may invest in government securities, corporate bonds and money market instruments. While the liquidity risk for government securities, money market instruments and short maturity corporate bonds may be low, it may be high in case of medium to long maturity corporate bonds. Liquidity risk is today characteristic of the Indian fixed income market. The fund will however, endeavor to minimise liquidity risk by investing in securities having a liquid market.

## **Credit Risk**

Credit risk or default risk refers to the risk that an issuer of a fixed income security may default (i.e., will be unable to make timely principal and interest payments on the security). Because of this risk corporate debentures are sold at a higher yield above those offered on Government Securities which are sovereign obligations and free of credit risk. Normally, the value of a fixed income security will fluctuate depending upon the changes in the perceived level of credit risk as well as any actual event of default. The greater the credit risk, the greater the yield required for someone to be compensated for the increased risk.

A traditional SWOT analysis will be used for identifying company specific risks. Management's past track record will also be studied. In order to assess financial risk, a detailed assessment of the issuer's financial statements will be undertaken to review its ability to undergo stress on cash flows and asset quality. A detailed evaluation of accounting policies, off balance sheet exposures, notes, auditors' comments and disclosure standards will also be made to assess the overall financial risk of the potential borrower.

Risk Description	Risk Mitigants/management strategy
Reinvestment Risk	Reinvestment risks will be limited to the extent of
This risk refers to the interest rate levels at which	coupons received on debt instruments, which will
cash flows received from the securities in the	be a very small portion of the portfolio value.
scheme are reinvested. The additional income	
from reinvestment is the "interest on interest"	
component. The risk is that the rate at which	
interim cash flows can be reinvested may be lower	
than that originally assumed.	

## II. Information about the scheme:

# A. Where will the scheme invest -

Std. obs. 15

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 29)

The corpus of the Scheme shall be invested in accordance with the investment objective in any (but not exclusively) of the following securities:

1. Securities created and issued by the Central and State Governments and/or repos/reverse repos in such Government Securities as may be permitted by RBI (including but not limited to coupon bearing bonds, zero coupon bonds and treasury bills).

## **Repo and Reverse Repo:**

Repos/reverse repos in Government Securities as may be permitted by RBI (including but not limited to coupon bearing bonds, zero coupon bonds and treasury bills). Repo (Repurchase Agreement) or Reverse Repo is a transaction in which two parties agree to sell and purchase the same security with an agreement to purchase or sell the same security at a mutually decided future date and price.

- 2. Securities guaranteed by the Central, State and local Governments (including but not limited to coupon bearing bonds, zero coupon bonds and treasury bills).
- 3. Fixed Income Securities of domestic Government agencies and statutory bodies, which may or may not carry a Central/State Government guarantee.
- 4. Debt securities issued by domestic Government agencies and statutory bodies, which may or may not carry a Central/State Government guarantee.
- 5. Securities issued by banks (both public and private sector) including term deposit with the banks as permitted by SEBI/RBI from time to time, subject to approval from SEBI / RBI as required and development financial institutions.
- 6. Commercial usance Bills (Bills of exchange/promissory notes of public sector and private sector corporate entities) Rediscounting, usance bills and commercial bills.
- 7. Money market instruments as permitted by SEBI/RBI.

Tri-Party Repo:

Tri-party repo is a type of repo contract where a third entity (apart from the borrower and lender), called a Tri-Party Agent, acts as an intermediary between the two parties to the repo to facilitate

services like collateral selection, payment and settlement, custody and management during the life of the transaction.

Treasury Bills (T-Bills):

T-Bill are issued by the Government of India to meet their short term borrowing requirements. T-Bills are issued for maturities of 91 days, 182 days and 364 days. T-bills are issued at a discount to their face value and redeemed at par.

- 8. Corporate Bonds
- 9. Certificate of Deposits (CDs).

Certificate of Deposit is a negotiable money market instrument issued by scheduled commercial banks and select all-India Financial Institutions that have been permitted by the RBI to raise short term resources. The maturity period of CDs issued by the Banks is between 7 days to one year, whereas, in case of FIs, maturity is one year to 3 years from the date of issue.

10. Commercial Paper (CPs).

Commercial Paper is an unsecured negotiable money market instrument issued in the form of a promissory note, generally issued by the corporates, primary dealers and all India Financial Institutions as an alternative source of short term borrowings. CP is traded in secondary market and can be freely bought and sold before maturity.

- 11. The non-convertible part of convertible securities.
- 12. Units of Mutual Fund Schemes.

The scheme may invest in units of debt and liquid mutual fund schemes or in the schemes of any other mutual funds in conformity with the investment objective of the Scheme and in terms of the prevailing SEBI (MF) Regulations.

- 13. Cash & cash equivalents.
- Repo transactions in corporate debt securities.
- 15. Any other domestic fixed income securities as permitted by SEBI/ RBI subject to requisite approvals from SEBI/RBI, if needed.

## **Debt Markets in India:**

## What is a Debt Instrument?

Std. obs. 9

A Debt Instrument is a borrowing obligation which the borrower has to service for mutually agreed period and rate of Interest.

There are a huge variety of Debt or Fixed income instruments, as they are usually called. The sheer variety in these instruments mean that they can be classified on the basis of any of these features.

## **List of Features** (list is indicative)

Face Value: Stated value of the paper /Principal Amount

- Coupon: Zero, fixed or floating
- Frequency: Semi-annual; annual, sometimes quarterly or Monthly
- Maturity: Bullet, staggered
- Redemption: Face Value; premium or discount
- Options: Call/Put Issue Price: Par (Face Value) or premium or discount.

List of Debt Market Instruments: The Indian Debt market comprises of the Money Market and Debt Market. Money market instruments are Commercial Papers (CPs), Certificates of Deposit (CDs), Treasury bills (T-bills), Repos, Inter-bank Call money deposit, Reverse Repo and TREPS etc. Money market instruments have a tenor of less than one year while debt market instruments typically have a tenor of more than one year. Debt market in India comprises mainly of two segments viz., the Government securities market and the corporate securities market.

Government securities include central, state and quasi govt issues. The main instruments in this market are dated securities (Fixed or Floating) and Treasury bills (Discounted Papers). These securities are generally issued through auctions on the basis of 'uniform price' method or 'Multiple price' method.

Corporate Debt segment on the other hand includes bonds/debentures issued by private corporates, public sector units (PSUs), public financial institutions (PFIs) and development financial institutions (DFIs). These instruments carry a variety of ratings based on the credit profile evaluated by rating agency and are priced accordingly. These bonds too can be Fixed or Floating.

Debt derivatives market comprises mainly of Forward Rate Agreements, Interest rate Futures, Interest rate Swap. Banks and corporates are major players here and of late Mutual Funds have also started hedging their exposures through these products.

The following table gives approximate yields prevailing during the month of June 03, 2024 on some of the instruments. These yields are indicative and do not indicate yields that may be obtained in future as interest rates keep changing consequent to changes in macro-economic conditions and RBI policy Issuer.

Instrument	Yield level (% per annum)
G-Sec 5 year	7.02%
G-Sec 10 year	7.00%
CP's 3 months	7.18%
CD's 3 months	7.14%
CP's 1 year	7.70%
CD's 1 year	7.65%
PSU	
Corporate Debentures AAA 3 year	7.70%
Corporate Debentures AAA 5 year	7.64%
NBFC	
Corporate Debentures AAA 3 year	8.15%
Corporate Debentures AAA 5 year	8.05%

## B. What are the investment restrictions?

Std. obs. 11

Pursuant to the Regulations and amendments thereto and subject to the investment pattern of the scheme, following investment restrictions are applicable:

1. The Scheme shall not invest more than 10% of debt portfolio in debt instruments comprising money market instruments and non-money market instruments issued by a single issuer which are rated not below investment grade by a credit rating agency authorised to carry out such activity under the Act. Such investment limit may be extended to 12% of the debt portfolio of the scheme with the prior approval of the Board of Trustees and the Board of directors of the asset management company.

Further, the scheme shall not invest more than:

- a. 10% of the debt portfolio in debt and money market securities rated AAA; or
- b. 8% of the debt portfolio in debt and money market securities rated AA; or
- c. 6% of the debt portfolio in debt and money market securities rated A and below issued by a single issuer.

The above investment limits may be extended by up to 2% of the debt portfolio of the scheme with prior approval of the Board of Trustees and Board of Directors of the AMC, subject to compliance with the overall 12% limit.

Provided that such limit shall not be applicable for investments in Government Securities, Treasury Bills and Tri-party Repos on Government securities or treasury bills TREPS.

Provided further that investment within such limit can be made in mortgaged backed securitised debt which are rated not below investment grade by a credit rating agency registered with the Board.

- 2. A mutual fund scheme shall not invest in unlisted debt instruments including commercial papers (CPs), other than (a) government securities, (b) other money market instruments.
  - However, mutual fund scheme may invest in unlisted Non-Convertible Debentures (NCDs) not exceeding 10% of the debt portfolio, as per respective investment limits and timelines mentioned inSEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, of the debt portfolio of the scheme subject to the condition that such unlisted NCDs have a simple structure (i.e. with fixed and uniform coupon, fixed maturity period, without any options, fully paid up upfront, without any credit enhancements or structured obligations) and are rated and secured with coupon payment frequency on monthly basis.
  - For the above purposes, listed debt instruments shall include listed and to be listed debt instruments.
- 3. The Scheme shall not invest more than 5% of its net assets in unrated debt and money market instruments, other than government securities, treasury bills. All such investments shall be made with the prior approval of the Board of Trustees and the Board of AMC.
  - Investments should only be made in such instruments, including bills re-discounting, usance bills, etc., that are generally not rated and for which separate investment norms or limits are not provided in SEBI (Mutual Fund) Regulations, 1996 and various circulars issued thereunder.
- 4. Transfer of investments from one scheme to another scheme in the same Mutual Fund is permitted provided:
  - Such transfers are done at the prevailing market price for quoted instruments on spot basis (spot basis shall have the same meaning as specified by a Stock Exchange for spot transactions); and
  - The securities so transferred shall be in conformity with the investment objective of the scheme to which such transfer has been made.

The AMC shall comply with the guidelines issued by SEBI vide its SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023and such other guidelines as may be notified from time to time. (Consolidated Std. obs. 30)

- 5. The Scheme may invest in other schemes under the same AMC or any other Mutual Fund without charging any fees, provided the aggregate inter-scheme investment made by all the schemes under the same management or in schemes under management of any other asset management company shall not exceed 5% of the Net Asset Value of the Fund. No investment management fees shall be charged for investing in other schemes of the Fund or in the schemes of any other mutual fund.
- 6. The Mutual Fund shall buy and sell securities on the basis of deliveries and shall in all cases of purchases, take delivery of relevant securities and in all cases of sale, deliver the securities: Provided further that the Mutual Fund may enter into derivatives transactions in a recognized stock exchange, subject to the framework specified by SEBI.
  Provided further that sale of government security already contracted for purchase shall be normitted.
  - Provided further that sale of government security already contracted for purchase shall be permitted in accordance with the guidelines issued by the RBI in this regard.
- 7. The Fund shall get the securities purchased transferred in the name of the Fund on account of the concerned Scheme, wherever investments are intended to be of a long-term nature.
  - The above conditions are not applicable to term deposits placed as margins for trading in cash and derivative market.
- 8. The scheme shall not park funds pending deployment in short term deposits of scheduled commercial banks.
- 9. No mutual fund Scheme shall make any investments in:
  - a. any unlisted security of an associate or group company of the Sponsor; or
  - b. any security issued by way of private placement by an associate or group company of the Sponsor; or
  - c. the listed securities of group companies of the Sponsor which is in excess of 25% of its net assets.
- 10. The scheme shall not invest in Fund of Funds scheme.
- 11. No loans for any purpose can be advanced by the scheme.
- 12. The Fund shall not borrow except to meet temporary liquidity needs of the Fund for the purpose of repurchase/ redemption of units or payment of interest or IDCW to the unit holders. Such borrowings shall not exceed more than 20% of the net assets of the individual scheme and the duration of the borrowing shall not exceed a period of 6 months.
- 13. If any company invests more than 5% of the NAV of any of the scheme, investment made by that or any other schemes of the Mutual Fund in that Company or its subsidiaries will be disclosed in accordance with the SEBI (MF) Regulations.
- 14. The Mutual Fund having an aggregate of securities which are worth Rs.10 crores or more, as on the latest balance sheet date, shall subject to such instructions as may be issued from time to time by the Board, settle their transactions only through dematerialised securities. Further all transactions in government securities shall be in dematerialised form.
- 15. The Scheme will comply with provisions specified in SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023related to overall exposure limits applicable for derivative transactions as stated below:
  - i. The cumulative gross exposure across all asset classes should not exceed 100% of the net assets of the Scheme.
  - ii. The total exposure related to option premium paid must not exceed 20% of the net assets of the Scheme.
  - iii. Mutual Fund shall not write options or purchase instruments with embedded written options.
  - iv. Cash or cash equivalents with residual maturity of less than 91 days may be treated as not creating any exposure. (Consolidated Std. obs. 14)
- 16. Conditions for undertaking repo in corporate debt securities:
  - a. The scheme shall not lend/borrow more than 10% of its net assets in repo against corporate debt securities.
  - b. The cumulative gross exposure through repo transactions in corporate debt securities along with equity, debt, derivatives and any other permitted assets shall not exceed 100% of the net assets of the scheme.

- c. The scheme shall borrow through repo transactions only if the tenor of the transaction does not exceed a period of six months. There shall be no restriction/limitation on the tenor of collateral.
- d. The exposure limit/investment restrictions prescribed under the Seventh Schedule of the Regulations and circulars issued there under (wherever applicable) shall be applicable to repotransactions in corporate debt securities.
- e. Applicable haircut:

  The AMC would be guided by the parameters for applying haircut as may be specified by RBI and/or SEBI for undertaking repo in corporate debt securities, from time to time.
- 17. The Scheme's total exposure in a particular sector (excluding investments in Bank CDs, TREPS, Government Securities, T-Bills and AAA rated securities issued by Public Financial Institutions and Public Sector Banks) shall not exceed 20% of the net assets of the Scheme;

Provided that an additional exposure to financial services sector (over and above the limit of 25%) not exceeding 10% of the net assets of the Scheme shall be allowed by way of increase in exposure to Housing Finance Companies (HFCs) only.

Provided further that the additional exposure to such securities issued by HFCs are rated AA and above and these HFCs are registered with National Housing Bank (NHB) and the total Investment/exposure in HFCs shall not exceed 20% of the net assets of the Scheme. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 31)

18. The Scheme's total exposure in a group (excluding investments in securities issued by Public Sector Units, Public Financial Institutions and Public Sector Banks) shall not exceed 20% of the net assets of the Scheme. Such investment limit may be extended to 25% of the net assets of the Scheme with the prior approval of the Board of Trustee.

The investments by the Scheme in debt and money market instruments of group companies of both the Sponsors and the AMC shall not exceed 10% of the net assets of the scheme. Such investment limit may be extended to 15% of the net assets of the scheme with the prior approval of the Board of Trustees.

For this purpose, a group means a group as defined under regulation 2 (mm) of the Regulations and shall include an entity, its subsidiaries, fellow subsidiaries, its holding company and its associates.

The AMC/Trustee may alter these above stated restrictions from time to time to the extent the Regulations change, so as to permit the Scheme to make its investments in the full spectrum of permitted investments for mutual funds to achieve its respective investment objective.

All investment restrictions shall be applicable at the time of making investment.

The AMC/Trustee may alter these above stated restrictions from time to time to the extent the investments for mutual funds to achieve its respective investment objective.

There are no internal norms vis-à-vis limiting exposure to a particular scrip or sector, etc. apart from the aforementioned investment restrictions.

## C. Fundamental Attributes

Std. obs. 8

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 59)

Following are the Fundamental Attributes of the scheme, in terms of Clause 1.14 of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023:

- (i) Type of a scheme: Please refer to point no. III of 'Part I. Highlights/Summary of the Scheme'.
- (ii) Investment Objective: Please refer to point no. V of 'Part I. Highlights/Summary of the Scheme' and point no. A of 'Part II. Information about the Scheme'.
- (iii) Terms of Issue
  - Liquidity provisions such as listing, repurchase, redemption Being an open ended Scheme under which sale and repurchase of Units will be made on continuous basis by the Mutual Fund, the Units of the Scheme are generally not proposed to be listed on any stock exchange. However, the AMC may at its sole discretion, list the Units under the Scheme on one or more stock exchanges at a later date, if deemed necessary. For details on repurchase, redemption, please refer section 'Other Scheme Specific Disclosures'.
  - Aggregate fees and expenses charged to the scheme The provisions in respect of fees and expenses are as indicated in this SID. Please refer to section "Part III - Other Details".
  - Any safety net or guarantee provided This scheme is not a guaranteed or an assured return scheme.

In accordance with Regulation 18(15A) of the SEBI (MF) Regulations and Clause 1.14.1.4 of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023 the Trustees shall ensure that no change in the fundamental attributes of the Scheme(s) and the Plan(s) / Option(s) thereunder or the trust or fee and expenses payable or any other change which would modify the Scheme(s) and the Plan(s) / Option(s) thereunder and affect the interests of Unitholders is carried out unless:

- SEBI has reviewed and provided its comments on the proposal;
- A written communication about the proposed change is sent to each Unitholder and an advertisement is given in one English daily newspaper having nationwide circulation as well as in a newspaper published in the language of the region where the Head Office of the Mutual Fund is situated; and
- The Unitholders are given an option for a period of atleast 30 calendar days to exit at the prevailing Net Asset Value without any exit load.
- D. Index methodology (for index funds, ETFs and FOFs having one underlying domestic ETF):

  Not Applicable
- E. Principles of incentive structure for market makers (for ETFs):
  Not Applicable
- F. Floors and ceiling within a range of 5% of the intended allocation against each sub class of asset, as per clause 13.6.2 of SEBI master circular for mutual funds dated May 19, 2023 (only for close ended debt schemes):

Not Applicable

# **G.** Other Scheme Specific Disclosures:

Listing and transfer of units	The scheme is an open ended debt scheme and is not listed on any of the stock exchanges. The AMC, at its discretion, can undertake listing on any of the stock exchange.
	The units of the scheme can be transferred in demat form or in such form as may be permitted under SEBI Regulations, as amended from time to time.
	Additions/ deletion of names will not be allowed under any folio of the scheme. This however will not apply in case of death of unitholder (in respect of joint holdings) as this would be treated as transmission of units and not transfer.
Dematerialization of units	The Applicants intending to hold units in Demat mode would be
(Consolidated Std. Obs. 57(b))	required to have a beneficiary account with a Depository Participant of the NSDL/CDSL and would be required to mention in the application form DP's Name, DP ID No. and Beneficiary Account No. with the DP at the time of purchasing Units during the NFO. The Units allotted will be credited to the DP account of the investor as per the details provided in the application form. The statement of holding of the beneficiary account holder for units held in Demat mode would be sent by the respective DPs periodically. It may be noted that trading and settlement in the units of the scheme over the stock exchange(s) (where the units are listed/ will be listed) will be permitted only in electronic form.
	However, the Trustee / AMC reserves the right to change the dematerialization / rematerialization process in accordance with the procedural requirements laid down by the Depositories, viz. NSDL/ CDSL and/or in accordance with the provisions laid under the Depositories Act, 1996. All units will rank pari passu among units within the same option in the scheme concerned as to assets, earnings and the receipt of IDCW distributions, if any, as may be declared by the Trustee.
Maximum Amount to be raised (if	The AMC does not specify any maximum amount of subscription
any) Dividend Policy (IDCW)	In the scheme.  The Scheme may declare IDCW subject to the availability of distributable surplus and approval from Trustees. IDCW would become payable to the unitholders whose names appear on the register of unitholders on the record date as fixed for the scheme. The IDCW declared will be paid net of tax deducted at source, wherever applicable. There is no assurance or guarantee to the Unit holders as to the rate of IDCW distribution nor that the IDCW will be paid regularly. If the Fund declares IDCW, the NAV of the Scheme would stand reduced by the amount of IDCW paid. All the IDCW payments shall be in accordance and compliance with SEBI, Stock Exchange Guidelines, as applicable from time to time.
	IDCW is the amount that can be distributed out of equalisation

	reserve which is part of the sale price that represents realised
	gains. Any IDCW upto Rs. 100/- shall be compulsorily reinvested
	in the same option under the scheme at prevailing NAV on record date.
Allotment (Detailed procedure)	<ul> <li>All Applicants whose investments towards subscription of units in the scheme have realised would receive a full and firm allotment of units, provided the applications are complete in all respects and are found to be in order.</li> <li>Applicants under the Scheme will have an option to hold the Units either in physical form (i.e. account statement) or in demat form. For allotment undertaken in demat form, the</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>account statement shall be sent by the depository / depository participant and not by the AMC.</li> <li>For those investors who have provided an e-mail address, the AMC would send the account statement by e-mail instead of physical statement. The investor may request for an account statement by contacting us at any of the service centers and the AMC shall provide the account statement to the investor</li> </ul>
Std. obs. 18 (Consolidated Std. Obs. 60)	<ul> <li>within five business days from the receipt of such request.</li> <li>Consolidated Account Statement (CAS) for each calendar month would be issued to the investors on or before fifteenth day of the succeeding month. Further, CAS would be sent by email to the email id of the first unitholder as per KYC records.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>In case for any reason if any particular folio of an investor is not included in the CAS, the AMC would issue an account statement to the investors on a monthly basis pursuant to any financial transaction in such folio on or before fifteenth day of succeeding month.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>The AMC shall send an allotment confirmation specifying the units allotted by way of email and/or SMS within 5 Business Days of receipt of valid application/transaction to the unitholders to their registered e-mail address and/or mobile number.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>In case of a specific request received from the unitholder, the AMC shall provide the account statement to such unitholder within 5 business days from the receipt of such request.</li> </ul>
	• In the case of joint holding in a folio, the first named unitholder shall receive the CAS/account statement. The holding pattern must be the same across all folios across all the Mutual Funds for the unitholder(s) to receive CAS.
	• In case no transactions have taken place in a folio during the period of six months ended September 30 and March 31, CAS detailing holdings across all schemes across all mutual funds shall be emailed at the registered email address of the unitholders on half yearly basis, on or before twenty first day of succeeding month, unless a specific request is made to receive the same in physical form.
	• Each CAS issued to the investors shall also provide the total purchase value / cost of investment in each scheme.

- Further, CAS issued for the half-year (September/ March) shall also provide:
- The amount of actual commission paid by the Mutual Fund to distributors (in absolute terms) during the half-year period against the concerned investor's total investments in each MF scheme. The term 'commission' here refers to all direct monetary payments and other payments made in the form of gifts / rewards, trips, event sponsorships etc. by AMCs/MFs to distributors.
- The scheme's average Total Expense Ratio (in percentage terms) along with the break up between Investment and Advisory fees, commission paid to the distributor and other expenses for the period for each scheme's applicable plan where the concerned investor has actually invested in.
- This CAS on a half year basis shall be issued to all MF investors excluding those investors who do not have any holdings in mutual fund schemes and where no commission against their investment has been paid to distributors during the concerned half year period.
- In case of the units are held in dematerialized (demat) form, the statement of holding of the beneficiary account holder will be sent by the respective Depository Participant periodically.
- CAS for investors having Demat account:
- o Investors having mutual fund investments and holding securities in demat account shall receive a single CAS from the Depository.
- o CAS shall be done on the basis of Permanent Account Number (PAN). In case of multiple holding, it shall be PAN of the first holder and pattern of holding. The CAS shall be generated on a monthly basis.
- o If there is any transaction in any of the demat accounts of the investor or in any of his mutual fund folios, depositories shall send the CAS within fifteen days from the month end. In case, there is no transaction in any of the mutual fund folios and demat accounts, CAS with holding details shall be sent to the investor on half yearly basis.
- In case an investor has multiple accounts across two depositories, the depository with whom the account has been opened earlier will be the default depository for the purpose of sending CAS to such investor.
- The dispatch of CAS by the depositories would constitute compliance with the requirement under Regulation 36(4) of SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations.
- The asset management company shall issue units in dematerialized form to a unit holder in a scheme within two working days of the receipt of request from the unit holder.

Who can invest

The following persons are eligible and may apply for subscription This is an indicative list and investors to the units of the scheme (subject, wherever relevant, to shall consult their financial advisor to subscription of units of Mutual Fund being permitted under

ascertain whether the scheme is suitable to their risk profile.

scheme relevant statutory regulations):

- Resident adult individual either singly or jointly (not exceeding three)
- Minor through parent/lawful guardian
- Companies, Bodies Corporate, Public Sector Undertakings, association of persons or bodies of individuals and societies registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 (so long as the subscription of units is permitted under their respective constitutions)
- Religious and Charitable Trusts under the provisions of Section 11(5)(xii) of the Income Tax Act, 1961 read with Rule 17C of Income-tax Rules, 1962
- Partnership Firms
- Karta of Hindu Undivided Family (HUF)
- Banks and Financial Institutions
- Non-resident Indians (NRI)/Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) residing abroad on full repatriation basis or on non repatriation basis
- Army, Air Force, Navy and other para-military funds
- Scientific and Industrial Research Organizations
- Mutual fund Schemes, as per applicable regulations
- Foreign Portfolio Investor subject to the applicable regulations
- Any other category of investor who may be notified by Trustees from time to time by display on the website of the AMC.

Every investor, depending on any of the above category under which he/she/ it/they fall are required to provide relevant documents alongwith the application form as may be prescribed by AMC.

Who cannot invest

The following persons are not eligible to invest in the scheme and apply for subscription to the units of the scheme:

• A person who falls within the definition of the term "U.S. Person" under 'Regulation S' promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933 of the United States, as amended, and corporations or other entities organised under the laws of the U.S. are not eligible to invest in the schemes and apply for subscription to the units of the schemes, except for lump sum subscription, systematic transactions and switch transactions requests received from NRI/PIO who at the time of such investment, are present in India and submit a physical transaction request along with such documents as may be prescribed by the AMC. The AMC shall accept such investments subject to the applicable laws and such other terms and conditions as may be notified by the AMC. The

investor shall be responsible for complying with all the applicable laws for such investments. A person who is resident of Canada Such other individuals/institutions/body corporate etc., as may be decided by the AMC from time to time. The AMC reserves the right to put the transaction requests on hold/reject the transaction request/reverse allotted units, as the case may be, as and when identified by the AMC, which are not in compliance with the terms and conditions notified in this regard. Investors are requested to note that the AMC shall not be liable for any loss or expenses incurred in respect of those transaction requests/allotted units which have been kept on hold or rejected or reversed. How to Apply and other details Investor can obtain application form / Key Information Memorandum (KIM) from Bajaj Finserv AMC branch offices, Investor services centers and RTA's (Kfin) branch office. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 35) Investors can also download application form / Key Information Memorandum (KIM) from our website (www.bajajamc.com) Please refer to the SAI and Application form for the instructions. For the details pertaining to list of official points of acceptance of AMC and RTA, Investors are requested to visit the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a> KFIN Technologies Limited SEBI Registration - INR000000221 Address – Selenium Building, Tower-B, Plot No. 31 & 32, Financial District, Nanakramguda, Serilingampally, Hyderabad, R. R. District, Telangana India - 500 032 Contact no. - 040-67162222/ 040-79611000 Email – service.bajajmf@kfintech.com Website – www.kfintech.com It is mandatory for applicants to mention their bank account numbers in their applications for subscription or redemption of units of the Scheme. If the investor fails to provide the bank (Consolidated Std. Obs. 61) mandate, the request for redemption would be considered as not valid and the scheme retains the right to withhold the Std. obs. 19 redemption until a proper bank mandate is furnished. Any provision with respect to penal interest in such cases will not be applicable. policy regarding reissue of This is not applicable for the scheme. repurchased units, including the maximum extent, the manner of reissue, the entity (the scheme or the AMC) involved in the same.

Restrictions, if any, on the right to freely retain or dispose of units being offered.

The units of the scheme can be transferred in demat form or in such form as may be permitted under SEBI Regulations, as amended from time to time.

Additions/ deletion of names will not be allowed under any folio of the scheme. This however will not apply in case of death of unitholder (in respect of joint holdings) as this would be treated as transmission of units and not transfer.

Cut off timing for subscriptions/ redemptions/ switches Cut off timing for subscriptions/ redemptions/ switches:

This is the time before which your application (complete in all respects) should reach the official points of acceptance.

# For Subscription:

- In respect of valid application received upto 1.30 p.m. on a business day at the official point of acceptance and where the funds for the entire amount of subscription/purchase as per the application/ Switch-in request are credited to the bank account of the Liquid Scheme before the cut-off time i.e. available for utilization before the cut-off time – the closing NAV of the day immediately preceding the day of receipt of application shall be applicable;
- 2. In respect of valid application received after 1.30 p.m. on a business day at the official point of acceptance and where the funds for the entire amount of subscription/purchase as per the application / Switch-in request are credited to the bank account of the Liquid Scheme on the same day i.e. available for utilization on the same day the closing NAV of the day immediately preceding the next Business Day shall be applicable; and
- 3. Irrespective of the time of receipt of application at the official point of acceptance, where the funds for the entire amount of subscription/purchase as per the application are not credited to the bank account of the Liquid Scheme before the cut-off time i.e. not available for utilization before the cut-off time the closing NAV of the day immediately preceding the day on which the funds are available for utilization shall be applicable

For Switch - in from other Schemes of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund:

- i.Application for switch-in must be received before the applicable cut-off time.
- ii.Funds for the entire amount of subscription/purchase as per the switch-in request are credited to the bank account of the switch-in liquid scheme before the cut-off time.
- iii. The funds are available for utilization before the cut-off time by the switch-in scheme.

To clarify, for investments through systematic investment routes such as Systematic Investment Plans (SIP), Transfer of Income Distribution cum Capital Withdrawal (IDCW) Plan

facility, etc the units will be allotted as per the closing NAV of the day on which the funds are available for utilization by the Target Scheme irrespective of the installment date of the SIP, or record date of Dividend etc.

While the AMC will endeavour to deposit the payment instruments accompanying investment application submitted to it with its bank expeditiously, it shall not be liable for delay in realization of funds on account of factors beyond its control such as clearing/settlement cycles of the banks.

Since different payment modes have different settlement cycles including electronic transactions (as per arrangements with Payment Aggregators/Banks/Exchanges etc), it may happen that the investor's account is debited, but the money is not credited within cut-off time on the same date to the Scheme's bank account, leading to a gap/delay in Unit allotment. Investors are therefore urged to use the most efficient electronic payment modes to avoid delays in realization of funds and consequently in Unit allotment.

For Redemptions including switch-outs

- i.In respect of valid applications received upto 3.00 p.m. on a Business Day which is followed by a Business Day, same Business Day's closing NAV shall be applicable.
- ii.In respect of valid applications received upto 3.00 p.m. on a Business Day which is followed by a Non-Business day, the closing NAV of the day immediately preceding the next Business Day shall be applicable.
- iii.In respect of valid applications received after 3.00 p.m. on a Business Day (irrespective of whether followed by a Business Day/Non-Business Day) by the Fund, the closing NAV of the next Business Day shall be applicable.

for Minimum amount purchase/redemption/switches (mention the provisions for ETFs, as may be applicable, for direct subscription/redemption with AMC.)

Fresh Purchase (Incl. Switch-in) - Minimum of Rs. 100/- and in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter

Additional Purchase (Incl. Switch-in) - Minimum of Rs. 100/- and in multiples of Re. 1/- thereafter

# Systematic Investment Plan (SIP) -

Daily SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum

installments: 6

Weekly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum

installments: 6

Fortnightly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum

installments: 6

Monthly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum

installments: 6

Quarterly SIP: Rs. 1,000/- (plus in multiple of Re. 1/-) Minimum installments: 6 The applicability of the minimum amount of installment mentioned is at the time of registration only. Two-Factor Authentication will be applicable for subscription as well as redemption transactions in the units of Mutual Fund. Minimum application amount will not be applicable for investments made in the scheme pursuant to SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, on alignment of interest of designated employees of the AMC with the unitholders of mutual fund schemes. For more information, please refer SAI. Minimum redemption amount - Re. 1 and in multiples of Re. 0.01/- or the account balance of the investor whichever is less. Minimum amount for switch-out - Re. 1 and in multiples of Re. 0.01/- or the account balance of the investor, whichever is less. **Accounts Statements** The AMC shall send an allotment confirmation specifying the units allotted by way of email and/or SMS within 5 working days (Consolidated Std. Obs. 60) of receipt of valid application/transaction to the Unit holders registered e-mail address and/ or mobile number (whether units Std. obs. 18 are held in demat mode or in account statement form). A Consolidated Account Statement (CAS) detailing all the transactions across all mutual funds (including transaction charges paid to the distributor) and holding at the end of the month shall be sent to the Unit holders in whose folio(s) transaction(s) have taken place during the month by mail or email on or before 15th of the succeeding month. Half-yearly CAS shall be issued at the end of every six months (i.e. September/ March) on or before 21st day of succeeding month, to all investors providing the prescribed details across all schemes of mutual funds and securities held in dematerialized form across demat accounts, if applicable For further details, refer SAI. Dividend/ IDCW The Scheme may declare IDCW subject to the availability of distributable surplus and approval from Trustees. IDCW would become payable to the unitholders whose names appear on the register of unitholders on the record date as fixed for the scheme. The IDCW declared will be paid net of tax deducted at source, wherever applicable. There is no assurance or guarantee to the Unit holders as to the rate of IDCW distribution nor that the IDCW will be paid regularly. If the Fund declares IDCW, the NAV of the Scheme would stand reduced by the amount of IDCW paid. All the IDCW payments shall be in accordance and compliance with SEBI, Stock Exchange Guidelines, as applicable from time to time.

IDCW is the amount that can be distributed out of equalisation reserve which is part of the sale price that represents realised gains. Any IDCW upto Rs. 100/- shall be compulsorily reinvested in the same option under the scheme at prevailing NAV on record date.

IDCW will not be available under the Growth option. Growth option is suitable for investors who are seeking capital appreciation and not seeking periodic income through IDCW. In case IDCW payout option, payment shall be made to the bank account of the investors. In the case of IDCW reinvestment, the IDCW declared shall be invested back into the scheme as per the applicable NAV. The scheme also permits IDCW Transfer where the IDCW amount would be transferred to the scheme as selected by the investor. Investment in IDCW transfer would be made as per the applicable NAV.

IDCW payments shall be dispatched/transferred to the investors within seven working days from the IDCW record date. In case the AMC fails to make IDCW payment within seven working days, the AMC shall be liable to pay interest to investors at 15% per annum. The interest on delayed payment would be computed from the record date for IDCW.

Physical dispatch of IDCW payments shall be carried out only in exceptional circumstances and the AMC shall be required to maintain records along with reasons for all such physical dispatches.

The Trustee reserves the right to declare IDCW under the IDCW option of the scheme depending on the net distributable surplus available under the scheme. It should however be noted that the actual distribution of IDCW and the frequency of distribution would depend, inter-alia, on the availability of distributable surplus and would be entirely at the discretion of the Trustees.

## **Equalisation Reserve:**

When units are sold and the sale price (NAV) is higher than face value of the unit, a portion of sale price that represents realized gains is credited to an Equalization Reserve Account and which can be used to pay IDCW. IDCW can be distributed out of investors capital (Equalization Reserve), which is part of sale price that represents realized gains.

# Redemption The redemption or repurchase proceeds shall be dispatched to the unitholders within three working days from the date of redemption or repurchase. For list of exceptional circumstances refer para 14.1.3 of SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023. Bank Mandate Bank Mandate Requirement

be submitted.

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 61)

Std. obs. 19

For all fresh subscription transactions made by means of a cheque, if cheque provided alongwith fresh subscription/new folio creation does not belong to the bank mandate opted in the application form, any one of the following documents needs to

- 1) Original cancelled cheque having the First Holder Name printed on the cheque.
- 2) Original bank statement reflecting the First Holder Name, bank account number and bank name as specified in the application.
- 3) Photocopy of the bank statement duly attested by the bank manager with designation, employee number and bank seal.
- 4) Photocopy of the bank passbook duly attested by the bank manager with designation, employee number and bank seal.
- 5) Photocopy of the bank statement/passbook/cheque duly attested by the AMC officials after verification of original bank statement/passbook shown by the investor or their representative.
- 6) Confirmation by the bank manager with seal, designation and employee number on the bank's letter head confirming the name of investor, account type, bank branch, MICR and IFSC code of the bank branch. The letter should not be older than 3 months.

This condition is also applicable to all subscription transactions made by means of a Demand Draft. In case the application is not accompanied by the aforesaid documents, the AMC reserves the right to reject the application, also the AMC will not be liable in case the redemption/IDCW proceeds are credited to wrong account in absence of above documents.

In case the bank account details are not mentioned or found to be incomplete or invalid in a subscription application, then the AMC may consider the account details as appearing in the investment amount cheque and the same shall be updated under the folio as the payout bank account for the payment of redemption/IDCW amount etc. The aforementioned updation of bank account shall however be subject to compliance with the third party investment guidelines issued by Association of Mutual Funds in India (AMFI) from time to time.

Delay in payment of redemption / repurchase proceeds/dividend	The AMC reserves the right to call for any additional documents as may be required, for processing of such transactions with missing/incomplete/invalid bank account details. The AMC also reserves the right to reject such applications.  Redemption shall be processed by the AMC within three working days of the receipt of redemption request. In case of delay beyond three working days, the AMC is liable to pay interest to the investors at 15% per annum.
	IDCW payments shall be dispatched/transferred to the investors within seven working days from the IDCW record date. In case the AMC fails to make IDCW payment within seven working days, the AMC shall be liable to pay interest to investors at 15% per annum. The interest on delayed payment would be computed from the record date for IDCW.
	Physical dispatch of IDCW/ redemption payments shall be carried out only in exceptional circumstances and the AMC shall be required to maintain records along with reasons for all such physical dispatches.
Unclaimed Redemption and Income	In accordance with No SEBI/HO/IMD/DF2/CIR/P/2016/37 dated
Distribution cum Capital Withdrawal	February 25, 2016, the unclaimed Redemption amount and
Amount	Income Distribution cum capital withdrawal amount may be deployed by the Mutual Fund in call money market or money
(Consolidated Std. Obs. 52)  Disclosure w.r.t investment by	market Instruments as well as in a separate plan or liquid scheme/overnight scheme / money market mutual fund scheme floated by mutual funds. Investors who claim these amounts during a period of three years from the due date shall be paid initial unclaimed amount along with the income earned on its deployment. Investors who claim these amounts after 3 years, shall be paid initial unclaimed amount along with the income earned on its deployment till the end of the third year. After the third year, the income earned on such unclaimed amounts shall be used for the purpose of investor education. AMC shall play a proactive role in tracing the rightful owner of the unclaimed amounts considering the steps suggested by regulator vide the referred circular. Further, AMC shall not charge any exit load in this plan and TER (Total Expense Ratio) of such plan shall be capped at 50 bps.
Disclosure w.r.t investment by	Payment for investment by means of Cheque, Demand Draft or
minors (Consolidated Std. Obs. 27)	any other mode shall be accepted from the bank account of the
(Consolidated Std. Obs. 37)	minor, parent or legal guardian of the minor, or from a joint account of the minor with parent or legal guardian only, else the transaction is liable to get rejected. However, irrespective of the source of payment for subscription, all redemption proceeds shall be credited only in the verified bank account of the minor, i.e. the account the minor may hold with the parent/ legal guardian after completing all KYC formalities.

	For systematic transactions in a minor's folio, AMC would register standing instructions till the date of the minor attaining
	majority, though the instructions may be for a period beyond that date. Upon the minor attaining the status of major, the
	minor in whose name the investment was made, shall be
	required to provide all the KYC details, updated bank account details including cancelled original cheque leaf of the new
	account. No further transactions shall be allowed till the status
	of the minor is changed to major.
Risk-o-meter (Consolidated Std. Obs. 38)	AMC shall disclose risk-o-meter of the scheme and benchmark while disclosing the performance of scheme vis-à-vis benchmark and shall send the details of the scheme portfolio while communicating the monthly and half-yearly statement of scheme portfolio by email. Any change in risk-o-meter shall be communicated by way of addendum and by way of an e-mail or SMS to unitholders of the scheme. Risk-o-meter shall be evaluated on a monthly basis and AMC shall disclose the Risk-o-meter along with portfolio disclosure for the scheme on the AMC
	website at link:
	https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?portfolio and that of
	AMFI ( <u>www.amfiindia.com</u> ) within 10 days from the close of each month.
Potential Risk Class (PRC) Matrix	Pursuant to SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19,
	2023, all debt schemes are required to be classified in terms of a Potential Risk Class matrix consisting of parameters based on maximum interest rate risk (measured by Macaulay Duration (MD) of the scheme) and maximum credit risk (measured by Credit Risk Value (CRV) of the scheme). Mutual Funds are required to disclose the PRC matrix (i.e. maximum risk that a fund manager can take in a Scheme) along with the mark for the cell in which the Scheme resides on the front page of initial offering application form, SID, KIM, common application form and scheme advertisements in the manner as prescribed in the said circular. The scheme would have the flexibility to take interest rate risk and credit risk below the maximum risk as stated in the PRC matrix. Subsequently, once a PRC cell selection is done by the Scheme, any change in the positioning of the Scheme into a cell resulting in a risk (in terms of credit risk or duration risk) which is higher than the maximum risk specified for the chosen PRC cell, shall be considered as a fundamental attribute change of the Scheme in terms of Regulation 18(15A) of SEBI (Mutual Fund) Regulations, 1996.
Scheme Summary Document (Consolidated Std. Obs. 38)	The AMC will provide on its website a standalone scheme document for all the Schemes which contains all the details of the Scheme including but not limited to Scheme features, Fund Manager details, investment details, investment objective, expense ratios, portfolio details, etc. Scheme summary document will be uploaded on the websites of AMC, AMFI and stock exchanges in 3 data formats i.e. PDF, Spreadsheet and a machine readable format).

Minimum balance to be maintained and consequences of non maintenance	There is no minimum balance to be maintained in the scheme and accordingly there are no consequences on the investors for failure to maintain minimum balance in the scheme.
(Consolidated Std. Obs. 36)	
Option to hold units in Demat form (Consolidated Std. Obs. 57(a))	Investor has an option to subscribe units of the scheme in demat form in accordance with the provisions of the Scheme Information Document and in terms of the guidelines as laid by the Depositories (NSDL/CDSL) from time to time.
	In case, the investor desires to hold units in a Demat/Remat form at a later date, the request for conversion of units held in non-demat form into Demat form or vice-versa should be submitted along with a Demat/Remat Request Form to the Depository Participants.
	Units held in demat form would be transferable subject to the provisions of the Scheme Information Document and in accordance with provisions of Depositories Act, 1996 and the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Depositories and Participants) Regulations, 2018 as may be amended from time to time.
Nomination Facility	<ul> <li>As per SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, and SEBI Circular dated December 27, 2023, Investors subscribing to mutual fund units shall have choice of providing nomination as per the prescribed format or opting out of nomination through a signed declaration. The folios of all existing individual unitholders holding units solely or joint mode that have not complied with the above requirement were supposed to be frozen for debits with effect from June 30, 2024.</li> </ul>
	However, pursuant to SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/POD-1/P/CIR/2024/81 dated June 10, 2024, non-submission of 'choice of nomination' shall not result in freezing of mutual fund folios.
	All new investors/unitholders shall continue to be required to mandatorily provide the 'Choice of Nomination' for Mutual Fund Folios (except for jointly held Mutual Fund Folios).
	<ul> <li>All existing investors/ unitholders are encouraged, in their own interest, to provide 'choice of nomination' for ensuring smooth transmission of securities held by them as well as to prevent accumulation of unclaimed assets in securities market.</li> </ul>
	For more information, please refer SAI.

## **Know Your Customer (KYC) norms:**

(Applicable with effect from April 01, 2024)

As per the SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/SECFATF/P/CIR/2023/169 dated October 12, 2023, as amended from time to time, as a part of risk management framework, the KYC Registration Agencies (KRAs) shall verify the following attributes of records of all clients within 2 days of receipt of KYC records:

- PAN
- Name
- Address
- Mobile number
- Email id

If KRA is unable to verify the above attributes, such investors shall not be allowed to transact further until the attributes are verified. Investors should ensure that they provide their valid contact details [Email id / Mobile Number] to KRAs.

KYC STATUS	Investments in Existing Mutual Fund	Investments in New Mutual Fund	Remediation
KYC VALIDATED - Existing records prior to April 01, 2024	No Impact	No Impact	Not Required
KYC Registered	No Impact	Allowed, Fresh set of KYC documents to be submitted every time, investing in a new Mutual Fund	Aadhaar as OVD (Officially Valid
KYC On-Hold / KYC Rejected	Transactions will not be allowed	Transactions will not be allowed	Investor should ensure to do the following to change the status to Registered:  1. to complete PAN Aadhaar Seeding; 2. update email id / mobile and validate; 3. re-submit the pending documents to KRA.  Investors are suggested to do a rekyc using Aadhaar as OVD (Officially Valid Document) to remediate the status to KYC VALIDATED for seamless transactions in securities market.

SEBI vide its email dated May 14, 2024, has reviewed the status of validation of KYC records by KRAs and decided the following:

1. NRI's provisions with respect to portability of KYC Records have been relaxed for one year i.e. till April 30, 2025.

- 2. Transaction Validation by either one of the attributes namely Mobile or Email is considered valid for transaction of all investors (including NRIs).
- 3. The existing clients, as on March 31, 2024, in whose respect KYC attributes cannot be verified by the KRAs shall be allowed to exit (sale / redemption, etc.) from existing investment in securities market subject to adequate due diligence by intermediaries.

As per SEBI Circular No. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/SECFATF/P/CIR/2024/41 dated May 14, 2024, records of Investors whose attributes are verified by KRAs with official database and PAN-AADHAAR linkages are verified shall be considered as Validated Records.

# **INSTANT ACCESS FACILITY ("IAF")**

The features of Instant Access Facility (IAF) are detailed below:

- Designated Scheme: This facility is available under Bajaj Finserv Overnight Fund Growth Option
- Background of Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) facility: Background of Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) facility
- Background of Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) facility: Instant Access Facility shall be available only to investors whose:
  - Status is Resident Indian Individual or Minor. The AMC reserves the right to modify the category of investors allowed to use this facility.
  - Complete Core Banking System (CBS) account number and Bank details is registered in the folio along with IFSC code.
  - Investor's Bank is Immediate Payment Service (IMPS) enabled.
- Mode of Transaction: The facility of Instant Access Facility shall be available on the official website of Bajaj Finserv Mutual Fund i.e. www.bajajamc.com. The AMC reserves the right to extend the facility to any other official point of acceptance of the AMC (which may be provided by the AMC or its distribution partners).
- Minimum Redemption Amount: Re. 1 and in multiple of Re. 1.
- Maximum Redemption Amount: Maximum amount in a single redemption or through multiple redemptions in a day will be Rs. 50,000 or 90% of Redeemable Balance, whichever is lower.
   The limit shall be applicable per day per scheme per investor.
- Redeemable Balance (refer illustration): Redeemable Balance is the latest Value of Available units calculated as Number of Available Units X Latest NAV Declared.

Available Units are such units in the folio for which the investor can place a redemption request at any point of time after considering units which are un-cleared for funds realization or reconciliation, or are under lien, or are in dematerialized mode and after considering any transactions pending for unit adjustments. Redeemable Balance will be reduced by the amounts redeemed through this mode or any other mode which allows quick withdrawal and transactions are pending for processing. The decision of the AMC in determining the Redeemable Balance shall be final.

The AMC reserves the right to modify the limit stated above, at any time at its discretion without giving any prior notice

- Cut-off timings for applicability of NAV:
  - For applications received up to 3.00 p.m.: Lower of NAV of previous calendar day and NAV of calendar day on which application is received;
  - For applications received after 3.00 p.m.: Lower of NAV of calendar day on which such application is received, and NAV of the next calendar day.
- Scenarios under which Instant Access Facility may be suspended:
   The AMC would endeavour its best to process all applications received under the Facility on the same day. However, there might be certain scenarios where the Facility may be suspended or may not be

available, and the requests (if received) under the Facility would be processed as a normal redemption request in such circumstances. The circumstances are given below: a) Force Majeure event b) Change in the prevailing laws/regulations c) Unforeseen operational/technical events

# Illustration:

	Amount in Rs.	
	Scenario 1	Scenario 2
(A) Redeemable Balance (Number of Available	50,000	1,00,000
Units X Latest NAV Declared)		
(B) 90% of A	45,000	90,000
Maximum Redemption Amount (B or Rs.	45,000	50,000
50,000 whichever is lower)		

### III. Other Details

A. In case of Fund of Funds Scheme, Details of Benchmark, Investment Objective, Investment Strategy, TER, AUM, Year wise performance, Top 10 Holding/ link to Top 10 holding of the underlying fund should be provided:

Not Applicable

B. Periodic Disclosures such as Half yearly disclosures, half yearly results, annual report

## **Portfolio Disclosure:**

Portfolio shall be disclosed (i) on a fortnightly basis (i.e. as on 15th and as on the last day of the month), within 5 days from end of the fortnight and (ii) as on the last day of the month/half-year i.e. March 31 and September 30 within 10 days from the close of each month/half-year respectively. Portfolio shall be disclosed on AMC website at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?portfolio">https://www.bajajamc.com/downloads?portfolio</a> and on AMFI website <a href="https://www.amfiindia.com">www.amfiindia.com</a>. Portfolio shall be disclosed in a user-friendly and downloadable spreadsheet format. Portfolio shall also be sent by e-mail to all unitholders by the AMC/Mutual Fund. The Mutual Fund shall publish an advertisement disclosing uploading of half year scheme portfolio on its website, in one English daily newspaper and in one Hindi daily newspaper having nationwide circulation. Physical copy of the scheme portfolio shall be provided to unitholders on receipt of specific request from the unitholder, without charging any cost.

## **Half Yearly Financial Results:**

The Mutual Fund shall within one month from the close of each half year, that is on March 31 and on September 30, host a soft copy of its unaudited financial results on the AMC website <a href="www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a> and shall publish an advertisement disclosing the hosting of financial results on the AMC website, in atleast one English daily newspaper having nationwide circulation and in a newspaper having wide circulation published in the language of the region where the Head Office of the mutual fund is situated. The unaudited financial results would be displayed on AMC website <a href="www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a> and AMFI website <a href="www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a> and <a href="www

## **Annual Report:**

Scheme wise Annual Report or an abridged summary thereof shall be mailed to all unitholders within four months from the date of closure of the relevant financial year i.e. 31st March each year as under:

- by email to the unitholders whose email address is available with the Mutual Fund.
- in physical form to the unitholders whose email address is not available with the Fund and/or to those Unit holders who have opted / requested for the same.

An advertisement shall also be published in all India edition of at least two daily newspapers, one each in English and Hindi, disclosing the hosting of the scheme wise annual report on the website of the AMC <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com">www.bajajamc.com</a> and AMFI website <a href="https://www.amfiindia.com">www.amfiindia.com</a>. The physical copy of the scheme wise annual report or abridged summary shall be made available to the investors at the registered office of the AMC.

The AMC shall also provide a physical copy of abridged summary of the annual report without charging any cost, on specific request received from the unitholder. A copy of scheme wise annual report shall also be made available to unitholders on payment of nominal fees.

Std. obs. 17 (a)

# C. Transparency/NAV Disclosure (Details with reference to information given in Section I):

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 40)

The NAV will be calculated on all calendar days. NAV will be determined on every Business Day except in special circumstances. NAV shall be calculated for upto four decimal places. NAV of the scheme shall be:

(Consolidated Std. Obs. 41)

- Prominently disclosed by the AMC under a separate head on the AMC's website (www.bajajamc.com) by 11.00 p.m. on every business day.
- On the website of AMFI (www.amfiindia.com) by 11.00 p.m. on every business day, and
- Shall be made available at all Investor Service Centres of the AMC.

In case of any delay, the reasons for such delay would be explained to AMFI by the next day. If the NAVs are not available before commencement of business hours on the following day due to any reason, the AMC shall issue a press release providing reasons and explaining when the Mutual Fund would be able to publish the NAVs.

## D. Transaction charges and stamp duty:

## • Transaction Charges:

Pursuant to SEBI Master Circular for Mutual Funds dated May 19, 2023, the transaction charge per subscription of Rs.10,000/- and above may be charged in the following manner:

- i. The existing investors may be charged Rs. 100/- as transaction charge per subscription of Rs.10,000/- and above;
- ii. A first time investor may be charged Rs.150/- as transaction charge per subscription of Rs.10,000/- and above.

There shall be no transaction charge on subscription below Rs. 10,000/- and on transactions other than purchases/ subscriptions relating to new inflows.

In case of investment through SIP, transaction charges shall be deducted only if the total commitment through SIP amounts to Rs. 10,000/- and above. The transaction charges in such cases shall be deducted in 4 equal instalments.

## Stamp Duty:

Applicability of Stamp Duty on Mutual Fund Transactions Unitholders are requested to note that, pursuant to Notification No. S.O. 1226(E) and G.S.R. 226(E) dated March 30, 2020 issued by Department of Revenue, Ministry of Finance, Government of India, read with Part I of Chapter IV of Notification dated February 21, 2019 issued by Legislative Department, Ministry of Law and Justice, Government of India on the Finance Act, 2019, a stamp duty @0.005% of the transaction value would be levied on applicable mutual fund transactions, with effect from July 1, 2020. Accordingly, pursuant to levy of stamp duty, the number of units allotted on purchase/switch in transactions (including IDCW reinvestment) to the unitholders would be reduced to that extent.

For more details, please refer to SAI.

## E. Associate Transactions:

Please refer to Statement of Additional Information (SAI)

## F. Taxation:

For details on taxation please refer to the clause on Taxation in the SAI apart from the following:

Particulars	Resident Investors	Non-resident	Registered
		investors	Mutual Fund
Tax on Divide	end (Income from unit of Mutual funds)		
TDS*	10% (if income from units of Mutual fund	20% <sup>2</sup> + applicable	Nil
	exceeds INR 5,000 in a financial year)	surcharge + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	
Tax rates	Individual/ HUF	20%	Nil
	Income tax rate applicable to the Unit holders		
	as per their income slabs +		
	applicable Surcharge + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>		
	Domestic Company:		
	30% + Surcharge as applicable + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>		
	25% <sup>4</sup> +Surcharge as applicable + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>		
	22% <sup>5</sup> + 10% Surcharge <sup>5</sup> + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>		
<b>Capital Gains</b>	1 2 6.		
Long Term <sup>7</sup>	20% with indexation +	20% with indexation	Nil
	applicable Surcharge + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	+ applicable	
		surcharge + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	
Short Term	Individual/HUF:	Non resident (other	Nil
	Income tax rate applicable to the Unit holders	than Foreign	
	as per their income slabs +	Company):	
	applicable Surcharge + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	Income tax rate	
		applicable to the Unit	
	Domestic Company:	holders as per their	
	30% + Surcharge as applicable + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	income slabs +	
	25% <sup>4</sup> + Surcharge as applicable + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	applicable Surcharge	
	22% <sup>5</sup> + 10% Surcharge <sup>5</sup> + 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	+ 4% Cess <sup>3</sup>	
		Foreign Company:	
		40% + Surcharge	
		as applicable + 4%	
		Cess <sup>3</sup>	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>As per section 2(29AA) read with section 2(42A) of the Act, units of a Mutual Fund (other than an equity-oriented fund) shall be considered as a long-term capital asset where the same are held for a period of more than 36 months immediately preceding their date of transfer.

Under section 2(42A) of the Act, units of mutual fund (other than an equity-oriented fund) held as capital assets for a period of 36 months or less preceding the date of their transfer are regarded as short-term capital assets.

The Finance Act, 2023 has introduced section 50AA, providing for computation of capital gains in relation to unit of a Specified Mutual Fund# acquired on or after the 1 April 2023. The gain so computed shall be deemed to be capital gains arising from transfer of a short-term capital asset.

<sup>2</sup>Section 196A of the Act (read with proposed amendment under Finance Act 2023) provides that a person responsible for paying to a non-resident (other than FPI) any income in respect of units of mutual fund shall withhold taxes at the rate of 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) or rate provided in the relevant DTAA whichever is lower, provided the payee furnishes a tax residency certificate and such other information and documents as may be prescribed to claim treaty benefit.

As per the provisions of section 196D of the Act which is specifically applicable in case of FPI/FII, the withholding tax rate of 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) on any income in respect of securities referred to in section 115AD(1)(a) credited/paid to FII shall apply. The proviso to section 196D(1) of the Act grants relevant tax treaty benefits at the time of withholding tax on income with respect to securities of FPIs, subject to furnishing of tax residency certificate and such other documents as may be required. As per section 196D(2) of the Act, no TDS shall be made in respect of income by way of capital gain arising from the transfer of securities referred to in section 115AD of the Act.

<sup>3</sup>Health and education Cess shall be applicable at 4% on aggregate of base tax and surcharge.

<sup>4</sup>In case of domestic company, the rate of income-tax shall be 25% if its total turnover or gross receipts in the financial year 2021-22 does not exceed Rs. 400 crores.

<sup>5</sup>In case of domestic company whose income is chargeable to tax under section 115BAB or section 115BAA of the Income-Tax Act, 1961, tax rate @ 22% shall be applicable, subject to conditions mentioned therein. The tax computed in case of domestic companies whose income is chargeable to tax under section 115BAA or section 115BAB shall be increased by a surcharge at the rate of 10%.

<sup>6</sup>Short term/ long term capital gain tax will be deducted at the time of redemption of units in case of non-resident investors only (other than FPI). However, as per section 196A of the Act the withholding tax of 20% (plus applicable surcharge and cess) is applicable on any income in respect of units of mutual fund in case of non-residents.

<sup>7</sup>In case of Non-Resident, on unlisted schemes, long term capital gain will be taxed at 10% without indexation and foreign currency fluctuation benefits (plus applicable surcharge and cess). Further, surcharge is levied maximum up to 15% on all other long-term capital gains (including debt-oriented funds) earned by the individual assessee.

#"Specified Mutual Fund" means a Mutual Fund by whatever name called, where not more than 35%, of its total proceeds is invested in the equity shares of domestic companies. The % of equity shareholding held in respect of the Specified Mutual Fund shall be computed with reference to the annual average of the daily closing figures.

- \*Section 206AB would apply on any sum or income or amount paid, or payable or credited, by a person to a specified person, as defined. The TDS rate in this section is higher of the followings rates:
- twice the rate specified in the relevant provision of the Act; or
- twice the rate or rates in force; or
- the rate of five per cent.

'Specified person' means a person (excluding non-residents who do not have a permanent establishment in India) who has not filed income-tax return under section 139(1) for the preceding year and aggregate of TDS and TCS in his case is INR 50,000 or more in the said year.

As per provisions of section 206AA of the Act, the payer would be obliged to withhold tax at penal rates of TDS in case of payments to investors who have not furnished their PAN to the payer. The penal rate of TDS higher of 20% or rate specified under the relevant provisions of the Act or rate in force (including surcharge and health and education cess), as may be applicable. The provisions of this section shall not apply to a non-resident subject to furnishing of necessary documents as may be prescribed. In case, both provisions i.e section 206AB and 206AA triggers, TDS shall be deducted at higher of the rates under such provisions.

# G. Rights of Unitholders:

Please refer to SAI for details.

# H. List of official points of acceptance:

The details pertaining to official points of acceptance of AMC and RTA are available on the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a>.

I. Penalties, Pending Litigation or Proceedings, Findings of Inspections or Investigations For Which Action May Have Been Taken Or Is In The Process Of Being Taken By Any Regulatory Authority

There have been no penalties or pending litigation on the AMC in the last financial year since incorporation. The investors may refer to the details on the website of the Company at link: <a href="https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure">https://www.bajajamc.com/sid-disclosure</a>.

Std. obs. 20 (Consolidated Std. Obs. 48)

Notwithstanding anything contained in the Scheme Information Document, the provisions of the SEBI (Mutual Funds) Regulations, 1996 and the guidelines thereunder shall be applicable. (Consolidated Std. Obs. 63)

Std. obs. 22

For Bajaj Finserv Asset Management Limited

Sd/-**Ganesh Mohan CEO** 

Place: Pune

Date: June 26, 2024